No. 45

# 开 Mortgage " Farm

### What It Is and Is Not

A mortgage is not a disgrace. No longer is it an evidence of hopeless debt.

Today it is a sign of progress

Farmers are mortgaging their land to buy more land, to build silos, to build new barns and houses, to fence fields, and even to improve their stock.

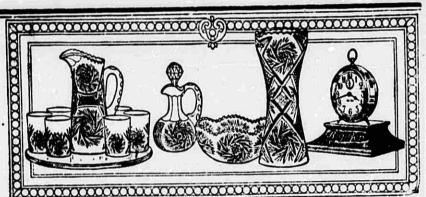
It enables them to branch out and increase their earnings; thus it is often advisable to borrow.

If you wish to borrow money upon productive farm land, come to this City State Bank.

If you have money to deposit, bring it here where it will have as security such mortgages.

## City State Bank

Safety First and Always.



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### **GIFTS OLIVER'S**

When you think of Sifts you think of Oliver's store.

We know that--so we are always looking for the Best Quality Goods at Consistent Prices-

Watches, Rings, Chains, Brooches, Brownie Cameras and Kodaks.

Cut Glass 25c up. Fancy China from 25c up. Edison Diamond Amberola and records for Re-Creation of Music.

Welcome whether you buy or not.

### A. D. Oliver

Jeweler and Optometrist

Eyes Examined and

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### Who wants a TEMPORARY Memorial

The sentiment which induces the erection of a memorial, and the very word itself, demand per-

That is the first quality to be considered in choosing monumental material.

The Lowell Granite & Marble Works oan furnish what you wish.

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### Spring Strengthener?

Lucky if you don't. Not many people but do. Spring seems to sap the vim right out of a person. If you feel not quite up to the mark, you can get all your energy back again in a quick, pleasant way

> Beef, Wine and Iron at 50c a bottle.

You'll not take it long before you'll feel yourself

W. S. WINEGAR

### Rygraon Public Librar

#### Merton Underhill Caught With the Goods at Last.

Merton Underhill, a former res ident has been arrested in Ionia for violating the local option law. He had been to Lowell for booze and a special detective, imported for the purpose, succeeded in buy-ing some whiskey of the suspect and the arrest followed.

Underhill was arrested in Lowell some time ago on suspicion of bootlegging but was released without prosecution. He has twice before been in court on similar charge but was acquitted each time. He has a wife and two children.

The Ionia Sentinel has this: The officers had for some time been suspicious that Underhill had been going to Lowell Saturday, returning with booze and disposing of it Saturday night and Sunday. They were never able to get the goods on him, so Sheriff Lowrey and Prosecuting Attorney Watt decided to import a special detective, who came here last week Friday night.

This detective bought on Saturday night a quart of whisky of street, where the officer met his man. Later in the evening, Underhill took the detective, Mr. Nixon of Cassopolis, to the Underhill home and sold another quart for \$2.00. Underhill had been to Lowell in the afternoon to get the liquor.

Badly Damaged by Early Morning Fire Yesterday.

The Winegar Manufacturing plant narrowly escaped total destruction by fire that broke out in the third story at six o'clock Wednesday morning. Prompt work by the Fire department confined the fire damage to the front part of the third story, while the machinery and stock on the first and second floors were damaged by water.

The building, owned by the aged to an extent estimated from \$1,000 to \$1,500, fully insured. Mr. Winegar's loss on insurance is practicall covered by in-

surance; but the loss on stock and manufactured goods is total. If prompt repairs can be se-cured, he expects to be able to resume work in about ten days, as he has contracts pushing for de-

The friendly and effective aid of the King Milling company's chemical fire engine crew is gratefully acknowledged by Mr. Win-

Motion Pictures Taken on Sea Bottom to be Seen Here.

playing their allotted roles in a drama performed at the bottom of the ocean. Of late the leading newspapers and magazines of the country have been devoting columns of reading matter and numerous photographs to this new photoplay spectacle, which has taken the world, especially the New York theatre-going public, paid are high and seed is furnish so much by surprise. Coming at ed free. We would be pleased to a time when the attention of the furnish you with a contract. world is directed towards the part that the deadly U-boat is playing in the present world conflict, this gigantic film spectacle ning on that trip to Ionia Tuesproves of extraordinary interest day, May 1?

to the American public.

After considerable negotiating and the payment of a richly sum,
B. Barnett, president of the Barnett Film Attractions, was able to get the rights to bring to bring to Michigan direct from New York City, the thrilling drama-tization of Jules Verne's masterpiece of imaginative fiction,
"Twenty Thousand Leagues
Under the Sea," which will be at
the Family theatre Sunday, April

The story of this wonder pic. ture that has aroused so much attention and comment in the amusement world was pictured from Jules Verne's works, which 50 years ago were considered the height of wild imagination, but since have been read by millions of people. In the filming of his "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea," the marvelous inventions of the Williamson Bros. were utilized to take the moving pictures under the surface of the, ocean. By this patented device, for which the inventors have since been offered fabulous sums, many thrilling scenes, including the fight of a pearl diver with a giant octopus and the trip through the shark infested waters near "Mysterious Island," were reproduced. The taking of the picture required two years' time and the services of more than 2,000 performers. Jane Gail, the popular screen star, appears in the principal feminine role of this under-sea romance as "the Child of Nature." At Family Theatre, Sunday, April 22. Matinee 2:30. Evening

6:45 and 9:00. Notice to Cream Sellers. I will pay Elgin prices for cream commencing Friday, April 20. Phone 26.

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George E. Lake.

## Evangelistic Meetings at City Hall WM. FOX STRICKEN

The evangelistic meetings held at the City hall are still in progress. Dr. Mahood and his party, Mr. Rockey as choir director, Miss McMoran as soloist and Miss Mahood as director of health culture, are conducting the meetings. While the attendance has not been what was desired, yet some interest has been manifested. Dr. Mahood has given some inspiring gospel messages. The services were well attended last Sunday and some special meetings are planned for next Sunday, briefly outlined as follows:

Union meeting in the City hall: Song service at 10 o'clock, preaching 10:30, Dr. Mahood.

Sunday school in the respective churches at 11:45. Meeting for men only in hall at 3

Women's meeting in Congregational church at same

Union young people's meeting at 6:30, Methodist church. Everybody come to the meeting in City hall at 7:30. Any young person who failed to hear Dr. Mahood last Sunday missed something of great value. Some who heard

He is ably sustained by the rest of the party. Do not fail to be present at every service. You can not afford to miss one.

it said it was one of the best they had ever listened to.

All his messages are clear, forceful, pointed and timely

## Underhill, effecting the transaction on Main street, west of Third street, where the officer met his

ries to be Available.

probably be available soon. terchance of promotion: Manufacturers are about to determine the number of such men now employed and they will be urged to resign their present position temporarily in order to help to their Farm Bureau Director or fully. the help if possible.

If this plan does not prove Meanwhile local high school students are busy in their "off days" helping neighboring farmers. Last Friday was "overall day" and if the new jeans serve no other purpose they mark the beginning of a worth while effort to serve their country.-Com.

### Water Company.

At last Lowell'is to see the great achievement in motion pictures, photographing human beings playing their allotted roles in a playing their allotted roles in a lower playing the movies of the lower playing their allotted roles in a lower playing their allotted roles in a lower playing their allotted roles in a lower playing the movies of the lower playing their allotted roles in a lower playing the movies of the lower playing the movies of the lower playing their allotted roles in a lower playing the movies of the lower playing their allotted roles in a lower playing the lower playing their allotted roles in a lower playing the lowe used for domestic purposes shall be boiled until such time as we can have the trouble remedied. Lowell Board of Health.

#### Money in Pickles.

When seed potatoes and seed beans are so high, why not raise an acre of two of pickles? Prices

Howdy Pap! Are you plan-

#### Former Farm Hands in Facto- Volunteers May Return Home When Peace is Restored.

The officers of the Lowell Board | Enlistments in the Regular of Trade are investigating the army, and in the National Guard Smith, Kent county agricultural-ist, and Supt. Mitchell. Mr. chief objection which many young men have heretofore had to army Smith reported that a consider- enlistments. Henceforth the ofable number of experienced farm fices will hum. Get in early. By workers who are now employed so doing you will show your n Grand Rapids factories would colors and will also stand a bet-

Each of the five national services calling for recruits in Western Michigan have different conditions and rewards.

Information concerning service

this morning (April 18). The is desired to make this event one those present, which were very test made by the Bacteriological of special importance, one of the interesting.

I have some Red River, Early and for the good social time Ohios, prize stock; also home grown early seed of all kinds. Phone 26. Geo. E. Lake, Lowell, Mich.

### Preparations Making for Memorial Day Observance.

Memorial day observance are all be held sometime in June, further and their friends. The services

ly assured.

#### . Potatoes!

Kokomo tires are guaranteed 5.000 miles and are cheapest to ady use.-R. D. Stocking.

# Please Take Notice

that due to the high cost of butterfat and sugar we are forced to raise the price of ice cream to

\$1.20 ..... per gallon .30.....per quart .20..... per pint

Special



### GEORGE. E. ELLIS 4 Per Cent Bank

will open May 1st at 104 Monroe Avenue. \$3,00 in this bank will pay you as much interest as \$4.00 in the 3 per cent banks. Over 200 successful Michigan Banks are now paying 4 per cent. If some banker tells you 3 per cent is enough interest, ask him who will pay the 1 per cent you lose if you fail to deposit in the Ellis 4 per cent Bank. Will be pleased to see you if you wish to borrow, deposit or talk to us. Open Wednesday and Saturday evenings from 7 to 9. We will try to give you in service what we lack in dignity and furnish-

### Aged Lowell Resident Very Ill But May Recover.

Our venerable citizen William Fox suffered a stroke or collapse last Saturday morning and at this writing remains in a serious condition, altho hope is entertained that he may get around

His son Will of Port Huron. accompanied by his wife and son Irwin, arrived Monday to help care for him.

Mr. Fox, who is in his 89th year, has been a well preserved man for his years, interested in politics and current events and was always on hand on election day to vote the Democratic tickt and the idea of nominating only one or two men was never popular with him. He liked to vote the whole ticket.

He walked several miles to cast his vote at the recent township election and greeted his friends in his usual cheery manner. Here's hoping Uncle William lives to vote again.

Organized by Correspondents at Saturday's Meeting.

Bad weather, sickness or important business to attend to, cannot keep the correspondents farm labor problem. With the are now for the duration of the swering the call by Editor Johnhope that a solution might be found a conference was held Mon- to discharge all men who desire meeting Saturday. Long before day with the representatives of the Board of Education, H. G. is declared. This removes the present and busy becoming betmeeting Saturday. Long before ter acquainted with one another, as the correspondents of The Ledger are a large family, and all striving to do their duty. At 12 o'clock the meeting was

called to order by the Editor, and after giving a very interesting talk, called upon Mrs. Earl Curtiss to act as president protem. The constitution which had

been framed was first discussed the labor shortage in rural com-munities. Farmers who are in National Guard and Naval Militia vear: President, Mrs. Earl Curneed of help should report at once will be answered promptly and tiss; vice president, Mrs. J. E. Supervisor who, through the as- Write the "Patriotic Civilian Ira Sargeant; trustees, Mrs. J. Tower; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. sistance of Messrs. Earl Thomas Committee," Press Building, N. Hubbel, Mrs. b. F. Wilkinson, and Clarence Collar, will secure Grand Rapids, Mich. Mrs. Carrie Porter. The organization will be known as the "Ledger Press Club," fourteen members already having oined. It is the club's desire that each correspondent of the Ledger to join this club. The small sum of ten cents a year is the fee to each member. Plans Preparations for the annual were laid for a picnic which will

ready being made by the G. A. R. plans and date to be given later. At one o'clock the business sesof Royal A. Hawley of Ionia for sion was closed and we were orator have been secured and ushered to Lasby's restaurant committees appointed to have where our hunger was satisfac-20,000 Leagues Under Sea Your local Board of Health have to say that a report on the have to say that a report on the which our country is involved, it was followed by brief talks by all purity of the water was received which our country is involved, it was followed by brief talks by all

> In securing Mr. Hawley for taken to the "Family" theatre. speaker, the committee has made Mr. Johnson must receive just a wise choice. If our local mu- praise for selecting April 14 as sicians will get up a band for the our day of meeting as both occasion, its success will be doub-movies held the crowd with spell-

bound interest. We all thank you, Mr. Johnson, for your kindness and courtesy which we all enjoyed more than

words can express. Mrs. Ira Sargeant

Clean Up Days April 24th and 26th.

April 24th on the East side and April 26th on the West side have een selected by the Common Council as clean up days in the village of Lownll. The street Committee wishes your co-opera-tion. Every spring when clean up days are set people get their rubbish out from one to three or four days late. Lets save the Village of Lowell some money this year by getting it all picked up at one trip. Put all rubbish in boxes or barrels and if you want them saved they will be left. A man can load a barrel of rubbish in a minute but if he has to pick it up from a heap it takes

ive or six times as long. It is further ordered by the Common Council that any person disturbing a pile of rubbish or tipping over barrels or boxes containing rubbish will be prosecuted.

H. L. Shuter, Village Clerk.

#### NOTICE

Complaints have been coming in to the president and trustees concerning reckless bicycle riding on the side walks. This must be stopped and in order to stop it with one all must obey the Village ordinance no matter what the conditions may be. From this date bicycle riding on the sidewalks will be followed by arrest. Take heed and do not be angry if you are the first.

#### Notice to Dairymen.

H. L. Shuter, Village Clerk

Durand creamery will be open evenings where you will get Elgin prices for your butter fat, the one who helps the Dairymen. Agent Mrs. F. W. Braisted, phone 154 city. c46

Initiation of candidates and election of officers of L. O. O. M. Wednesday evening, April 25.

#### **SEASONABLE GOODS YOU NEED** FROM THE REXALL STORE NOW

WALL PAPER --- A complete, up-to-date stock--bought at right prices and selling right. Bring along any samples you may have from anywhere and compare with our prices and quality.

#### Look's Hand Lotion Remember there is only one Look's Hand Lotion and it is sold only at this store. You need it now

for your chapped hands, face and lips. 15c and 25c bottles.

#### **Paint and Varnish**

Just a little money invested in paint or varnish will make a big difference in the looks of your furniture or woodwork. We have it for all pur-

### Polish

Reflecto Furniture

For Pianos-Furniture. Imparts a rich gloss to whatever article of furniture it is applied. Easy to use dries quickly. 20c bottles.

#### Straw Hat Dye

Several different colors. Wear proof and light proof. Dries instantlycolors straw, leather, wood, etc.

D. G. LOOK, One of the 8,000 Rexall Drug Stores

25c bottles.



#### large percentage of People Who Love Music

are not able to play or sing at all, and there are also some who play or sing, so to speak, but

from a musical standpoint are unable to impart much pleasnre to others by their efforts. With the

### New Edison

in the home every musical longing is satisfied, for it is the one only musical instrument that actually re-creates music with true fidelity. Come to our store or ask for demonstration in your own home.

# R. D. Stocking

Sole agent for Lowell and vicinity.



#### THE HAPPY DAYS

of childhood are all too brief. You should begin now to keep a record in pictures of the childhood of your little ones. Let us make Photographs of the Children

### regularly for you. These artistic pictures will be enjoyed more and more as you lose your babies in the men and women of the future. Our Portraits of the older people are always satisfactory.

**AVERY** The Photographer in Your Town."

Phone 287

# BANKING CONNECTIONS. IT IS A RECOGNIZED FACT THAT GOOD BANKING CONNECTIONS AS-

SIST IN ESTABLISHING CREDIT. CREDIT IS NECESSARY FOR THE

SIS OF ALL BUSINESS TRANSAC-THEREFORE, IF YOUR BANKING CONNECTIONS ARE NOT ENTIRELY SATISFACTORY TO YOU, WE INVITE

AVERAGE CITIZEN AND IS THE BA-

Lowell State Bank

YOU TO CALL AND MEET OUR OF-

WHEN YOU THINK OF

THINK OF SHAW'S. Phone 14.

Johnny-on-the Spot to serve you with the best in his line.

ganization of a Home Guard to take the place of the Michigan National

The Culver military bill, passed by Central high school will take up op-

means by which the organizations are Jackson-Robert Harvey, serving

ment from the governor, the recruit county, disappeared from a prison

Vandercook, who commanded the bat- White Cloud-The faculty of the

talion of Michigan artillery in the high school has announced that full

state service, but who was left out of credit will be given at the end of the

a job when the troops went into the school year to those students who

To permit him to work in conjunc- Muskegon-Samples of Easter egg

cook's services have been borrowed death of Frances Rensema, 11 years

enlist now.

ing of the men and their control is farm. He had only 50 days to serve.

both the house and the senate, is the tional military training.

Michigan proposes to be in shape to

SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO ACT AS Guard while the latter is away in gov- Grand Rapids-More than 600 stu-

PROMINENT MEN APPOINTED to be raised. According to announce two years for larceny, from Wexford

to be in the hands of Major Roy C.

Food preparedness continues to be by the state from the Pere Marquette old, have been sent the state chemist

r state officers who are preparing the secretary of the war preparedness Kalamazoo-Grief over the death of

dichigan for a period of war. At a board as soon as it can legally or her husband, whom she married 57 conference in Governor Sleeper's of ganize and in addition will probably years ago, proved fatal to Mrs. Hiram

The following were appointed by dustrial Workers of the World at their last annual convention adopted a reso-

Governor Sleeper:

Fred M. Warner, of Farmington, for
country went to war with Germany a

lution appouncing that in case this country went to war with Germany a

Ann Arbor—Twenty Michigan chap-

ner governor of Michigan. general strike should be declared, ters of the Daughters of the American

John S. Haggerty, Detroit manufac- Particular reference was made to the Revolution have made nearly 50,000

W. K. Prudden, Lansing manufact because both these sections are in the European war started. Of the 46

Michigan Bean Jobbers' association. Requests for help were brought to have not reported on the amount ac-

ter of the Michigan State Grange. | the upper peninsula several weeks | Jackson-William Neil, 70 years old, |

George W. McCormick, Menominee the state through the governor could the old man lived. The old man was

two latter bills were defeated and definite plan laid before Governor several increases in other appropriations Sleeper by Judge Arthur G. Lacy, of

men who cannot serve with the colors | the war.

N. P. Hull, Dimondale, former mas- Lansing from these two sections of complished.

solve as far as possible the problems number from 3.560 to 5,000 men, alline can.

Food Inspector Mickel sent in a com- while in Lansing.

went through in a rush. The Wood Railroad Legislation.

prohibition laws to the food and drug

iron and copper counties of Michigan hospital garments and dressings since

fested now with many members of chapters in the state, only three have

a big issue with the governor and otherailroad. In addition he is to be made by Sheriff Stauffer.

fice which was attended by fifty prom- become press censor.

to Urge Increased Production

(By W. L. CALNON.)

LOWELL LEDGER

Harley Maynard PLUMBING

oliections, Real Estate and LOST AND FOUND

Advertise Found Articles. The Michigan Law Says in Effect. A person who finds lost property ader circumstances which give him mowledge or means of inquiring as to the true owner, and who appropriates such property to his own use or erty to him, is guilty of larceny .- Secinent farmers, food manufacturers and others from all parts of Michigan, a special food committee was decided special foo tion 5739-40 of the Compiled Laws of



11 to 12 a, m, 2 to 4 p. m. 7 to 8 p. m.

Office ever Hill's Shoe Store, Lowell Mich. that have met defeat are the bill to differences of the two houses on im- to visit the physician's home and exert

LL the reliable patent in this paper are sold

war when the issue was before con-Sleeper's personal staff to war duties is estimated at \$125.

State and General News Section of Ledger

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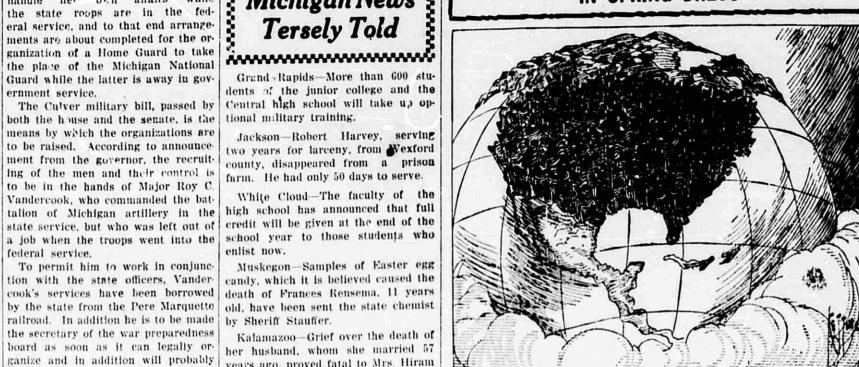
Hall, 78 years old. The family had

failed to do this work, but 23 chapters

be the property of the men.



Home Guard to Be Raised in State. IN SPRING DRESS Michigan News eral service, and to that end arrangements are about completed for the or-



upon to act as advisers to the governor along with the war preparedness board.

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Atlantic Where Necessary.

raise almost any number of men alone in the house with the children. The food committee will do all in wanted, in order to cope with riots, He was asleep when Herbert Wyant, its power to urge increased production strikes, etc. According to the gov- 5 years old, set fire to some paper, the Washington,—With high British and of the perils of transatlantic travel, sacrifices upon others, but he has on Michigan farms this year and to ernor's announcement the force will blaze being communicated to a gasohere with American naval officers ing undesirables from Caba. This politioner disinterested, none has loved f getting farm workers and seed, though he has never given any figures. Ann Arbor Driving steps have been taken toward particles, immigration officials said has fill—ann Arbor Driving steps have been taken toward particles, immigration officials said has fill—ann Arbor Driving of the American part in the last investigation of the American part in the l States government as a drill ground war against Germany. Specialty: Eye, Ear, Nose and Throst. of the age of four weeks had been slaughtered in Michigan last year, slaughtered in Michigan last year,

an increase of 12,000,000 pounds of got over it. Two days after defeating commissioners believe this plan will American warships. opriating \$50,000 for the give students an opportunity to con- British and French ships on this will be added to the colonies. ter, the house took both off the table and passed them, also adopting a bill tively placed at 7,000, only one saloon Sundays, 3 to 4 p. m. Dry Legislation in Final Stages. to apprepriate \$4,500 for a monument is in operation here, that of the Ro-OFFICE: LEE BLOCK
The prohibition bills have reached to Michigan regiments on the Shiloh barge Brothers. The second saloon, their final stage. After a flurry in the battlefield. However, the house voted formerly belonging to James P. Tay
R. A. Grasset, of the French navy, and their final stage. senate caused by the production of an down decisively the bill to raise sal- lor, now dead, has been closed indefientire new measure by Senator Wood aries of justices of the supreme court nitely. To handle the enormous busi- Secretary Daniels, Admiral Benson, which he wanted to substitute for the from \$7,500 to \$12,000 a year. | ness of the one saloon in this city it | Chief of the naval operations, and has been necessary to employ 16 bar. other United States naval officers. Business Men Intend to Make 31st Best Commanders of the British and

substitute was rejected. The Wiley bill, providing the machinery for the The house adopted the bill to have Hudson—Edward Frensdorf, of Hudson bill, providing the machinery for the obtaining of liquor for the five specified exemptions under the constitution and for search and so search and search a and for search and seizure in case of violations of the law was passed man. The senate adopted the Tripp bill to The senate adopted the Tripp bill to violations of the law, was passed unanimously. So was the Damon bone dry bill, which the senate substituted for the McArthur bone dry bill. The Lewing the McArthur bone dry bill, giving the enforcement of the prohibition laws to the food and drug prohibition laws to the food and drug at 2 cents a mile.

The senate adopted the Tripp bill to have passenger fares of 3 cents a mile and furnish enough which flow the main traffic in food stuffs and war supplies for best, motorized units in either the regular army or the National Guard, will at 2 cents a mile.

The senate adopted the Tripp bill to have passenger fares of 3 cents a mile and Savannah. These are the arteries through which flow the main traffic in food stuffs and war supplies for Europe.

Many navy officers doubt that any at 2 cents a mile.

The senate adopted the Tripp bill to have passenger fares of 3 cents a mile mate 25 policies of \$1,000 each pay able to the dependents of the young food stuffs and war supplies for Europe.

Many navy officers doubt that any at 2 cents a mile. marines can be spared from the task acers and Detroit business men carry.

> always in the closing days of a ses- Lambeck, a German, who refused to ed for. sion, more delays than usual are look- remove an inverted American flag

Sheriff Eaton soon convinced the Men Are Wanted. physician it would be best to place all drains; to bar debts against unpro- Asks Mobilization for Farm Work. the flag in its proper position. Washington.—The army needs 500. in the background. At a recent meet- almost every vocation, bated estates; to appropriate \$50. A boy farmer movement in Michi- Richmond-Sugar beets and beans 000 for the agricultural fair commisgan to mobilize the youths too young will be planted in this section in 000 men to volunteer for service and one and after committees and one and after consultation with offision; and to appropriate \$5,000 to for war to service in raising crops greatly increased acreage this season. it needs them now, is the message of the regiment the machine crops greatly increased acreage this season.

erect a monument to Maj. Gen. Wm. R. and to mobilize with them the old Shafter, of Spanish war fame, in men, the infirm and those rejected Shafter are specified by the Traverse City—A week after Mike Nolan became a member of the Traverse City—A week after Mike War Baker. Shafter, of Spanish war fame, in men, the infirm and those rejected from military duty was argued in a Galesburg, his native village. The from military duty was argued in a testing plan laid before Governor.

Traverse City—A week after Mike Nolan became a member of the Traverse City fire department his home period of the war and their services repeated to make the infirm and those rejected from military duty was argued in a great form the organization for the contribution. are imperatively demanded in the retion bills by the senate rejected, in a Detroit, with the approval of many Cadillac—The village of Manton, gular army and in the national guard. POSTAL TO OPERATE PHONES single session when the house members were in an economical mood af"At the outset of war we find per"At the outset of war we find per"At the outset of war we find perstate may be put to because of war of Michigan likely to be tilled," said | Corunna-Mrs. Fred Warriner of time-honored volunteer system, while

Judge Lacy. "We are facing the this city has given up trying to get the country waits for the first half probability of only a 40 per cent crop. her son, Earl, 16, out of the Canadian | million increment to be raised under Insurance Code Reported Out.

Insurance bills of wide interest continue to take up a good part of the state.

Insurance committee has reported out the insurance code, which has passed the insurance code, which has passed the senate, and which is the biggest bill of the session in size, covering.

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Insurance bills of wide interest continue to take up a good part of the senate, the seed necessary to legislature's attention. The house into take up a good part of the senate, the seed necessary to legislature's attention. The house in the army bill now before congress.

Under the war department plan the first half million of volunteers must take their places in the regular army and the national guard, bringing these organizations up to full strength, be fore organization of the new national the national guard, bringing these organization of the new national ton.

Insurance Code Reported Out.

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volunteers went forth as an appeal to men and boys to serve their country

Saginaw—John Williams, 42, an English coal miner, is one of the first The house has passed the Nelson election bill, the main feature of rush forward from among the younger this way, I believe volunteers would rush forward from among the younger the was slashed with a knife by Mar.

MICHIGAN BOYS OFF TO WAR which is that it restores party enroll- lads of the state and from among the tin Johnson, 60, in an argument over Rousing Sendoff Given Naval Militia

Senate Congratulates Congressmen.

The senate adopted a resolution of:

"I believe a good many boys of 14 or thereabouts would be improved or thereabouts would be improved o'Leary and her daughter, Frances, The senate adopted a resolution of even if they dropped their school armed with hatchets, played "Carrie Detroit.—Two hundred and forty fered by Senator Planck congratulating the members of the Michigan delegation in congress on their votes for war when the issue was before converse was was recognized in a bill introduced Owosso—A plea for the intensive Canadian soldiers, carrying an government would treat Americans on fiber. by Representative Peterman, of tilling of all vacant land in the countries and the countries of tilling of all vacant land in the countries and the countries of tilling of all vacant land in the countries of tilli ty, including the strips along the road- troops off to war. The senate passed the Murtha bill Houghton.

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This bill would empower the gov.

This bill would empower the gov. next two years to continue the state ernor to appoint five civilians as a potatoes and corn in the war crisis, that American and British troops had erica.

tuberculosis survey, on which \$50,000 personal staff, to serve without pay. was made by Dr. B. G. Mattson, pasa year was spent for the past two None will have a higher rank than tor of the Congregational church here sight sent a thrill through the great the same freedom as is accorded all Including the loss of the cruiser Mil-LEDGER having business years.

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The house committee on radroads will before a large meeting of dairymen.

The house committee on radroads Rep. Newkirk has introduced a bill help and the many large and the many large and the many large depth of the ocean is neutrals, except they are not allowed to reside in fortified places and are large meeting of dairymen.

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Editor "The Ledger."

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The senate adopted a resolution providing for national prohibition.

Aurian and Hope college, the advisability of establishing a state ways the opposite the same where the advisability of establishing a state ways the dealers' training conference here.

East Lansing—All athletic schedules at the filler way.

The senate adopted a resolution provide the following the meeting of the faculty, which body an independent inquiry into the whole matter of rates and report in the class schedules for the spring term of college to allow more time for military drill.

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Albion, Adrian and Hope college, way.

Western State Normal and Ferris In
West

o the fact that there is an enormous waste in infant life," said Doctor Meigs n talking of her work. "The census tells us that in 1915 one in ten of all of the babies born in the United States died before it had completed twelve months of life." She called attention to a recent report from the United States almost 5 per cent, died during the first month, and 12,602, or 12 per cent, died within one year. A somewhat startling comparison is made to the effect that the child at birth has just the same chance to live a month as has the native white man of one hundred and two years of age or the native white woman

ALIENS ARE TO WORK FARMS

governments of Europe for the last lifty years have regarded Prince Peter Alexeievitch Kropotkin as one of the most dangerous foes to their es-Washington-All aliens detained at tablished institutions. ivilian internment camps and immi- Yet since his melodramatic escape tration stations in the United States from a Russian prison in 1876, this

because of inability to qualify for ad- rebel of the Russian aristocracy has mission will have an opportunity to never been an avenger, but always a grow their own food, if the immigra- martyr. Expelled from Switzerland, tion service can find farming communi- imprisoned in France, he finally found NAVY HEADS IN CONFERENCE ties suitable for their needs. refuge in a London suburb. From Ellis island and other stations, jam- there he has scattered over the world med with 3,000 aliens, whom the by peaceful methods the propaganda resenting the State Gleaners' associa- Adjutant-General Bersey, in drawing playing with matches set fire to the the Culver bill, fixed matters so that home of Merle Wyant, with whom From Allied Bases in South war, will be cleared under the plan. No aliens turned back at the na. Freedom, and by his personal life tion's eastern gates have been de- proving his sincerity in all he taught. ported since the war began because Never has Prince Peter imposed

park will be presented to the United cipation of the American navy in the ed immigration stations to overflowwhose weight averaged 60 pounds.

Were these calves allowed to attain

the age of six months the age of six mo the age of six mombs there would be to float a \$5,000,000 war loan, soon to float a \$

LONG FOE OF AUTOCRACY

FIGHTS WASTE IN INFANT LIFE

For the last quarter of a century

Uncle Sam has been saying much and

doing much for the conservation of

the nation's resources. But it has

only been in recent years that the

American baby has come to be consid-

Now we have a children's bureau,

The chief of the children's bureau

s Miss Julia C. Lathrop, and she has

as collaborators several experts, who

head the various divisions of the of-

fice. The head of the division of

hygiene is Dr. Grace L. Meigs, a very

capable young woman, a graduate of

Bryn Mawr college and of Rush Med-

ical college, University of Chicago,

who has also done post-graduate work

in Berlin, Vienna and Budapest before

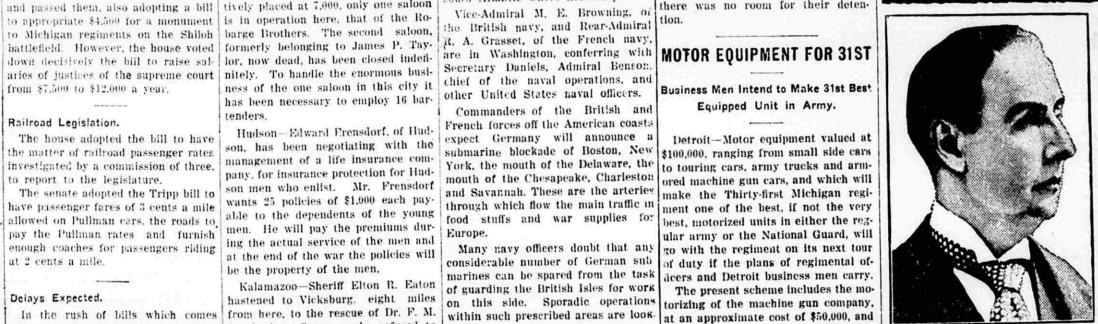
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man who inaugurated a campaign for speeding things up, and the institution of modern practices for customs that have outlived their usefulness. He introduced a resolution that would direct the rules committee "to investigate the question as to superfluous ommittees of the senate" and report its recommendations regarding them as well as the allowances for clerical id that should be granted. The senator made it plain at once that he was not striking at the pay roll of minority committeeships and chairman. He declared that he did not think the standard of pay which is now allowed was sufficient. Every minority senator, he contended, should have a clerk at \$2,400, another at \$2,000 and another at \$1,500. Minority members, he said, had just as im-

The house has had a busy time recently killing off bills. Among those found necessary to smooth away the committee was preparing the difference being the door of his residence.

ARMY NEEDS VOLUNTEERS and side cars to the different battary and side cars to the difference being the door of his residence.

ARMY NEEDS VOLUNTEERS and side cars to the difference being the door of his residence. Army here the business of the country really was handled. force in removing the inverted flag. Secretary Baker Says Half Million The largest contribution, however, ployed for the consideration of public business are not such as to secure will come from a group of business economy of time. It must be perfectly evident that this body should apply men, who at present desire to remain litself to the study of the rules of efficiency which are now being applied to

tending the operation of the United

States Steel corporation for 1916 are ter contemplating all the expenses the haps only one-half of the tillable land 000 dam to furnish power for light. This half million under the nation's Telegraph Company to Establish Na- ceeded those of 1915 by no less than \$202,747,026; net income of \$204,026,-565 showed an increase of \$196,058,-Now I would have the state, if neces- army. The boy is now in the trench- the "selective draft plan" proposed in

the senate, and which is the biggest barvest.

bill of the session in size, covering bill of the session bill of the session in size, covering bill of the session bill of the session b bill of the session in size, covering nearly 300 printed pages. It contains all of the laws of the state take charge of the crop at all of the laws of the state on insurance now in force. Only minor amendance of the calculation of a 10 per cent increase in wages are now in force. Only minor amendance of the contains the state take charge of the crop at the state on insurance now in force. Only minor amendance, relevant and company are capable of transmitting the voice declared the department will work to secure these voluntary enlistments. It is almost impossible to get enough laborers to till per cent increase in wages for the men employed in the furnaces for the men employed in the furnaces. The average number of employees ments were made by the house comthe fields for the sake of tilling them. for the men employed in the furnaces meanwhile urging upon congress the meanwhile There will be no abandonment of the The Postal company has an appli- in the service of all the subordinate cation before the Illinois utilities companies during 1916 was 252,668, as against 191,126 in 1915, with total

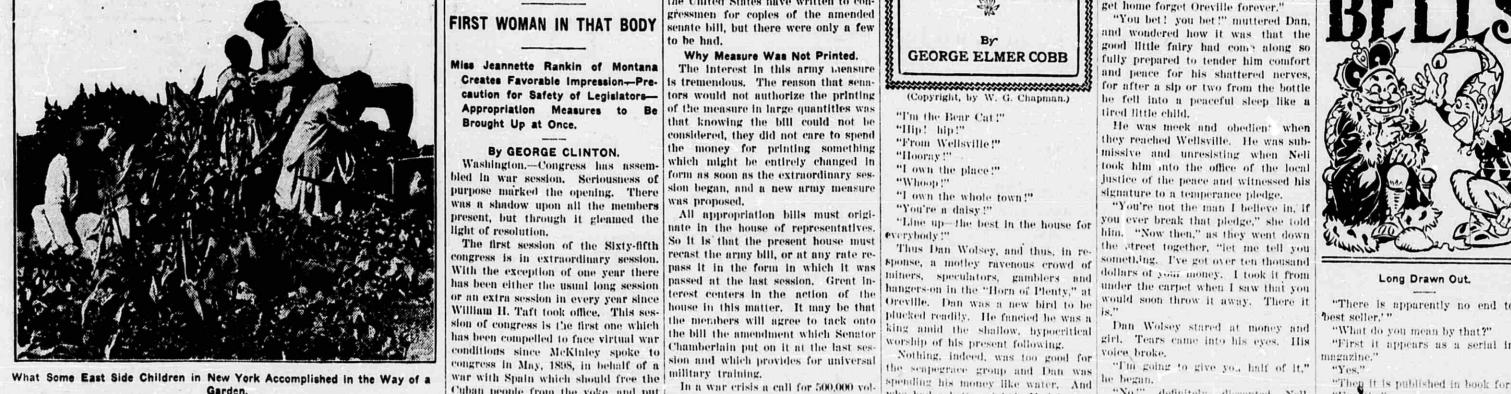
commission for permission to engage salaries and wages of \$263,385,502, an increase of \$86,584,638. AMERICANS TREATED WELL

dent Wilson's proclamation concern- contract to the Seattle Construction made by Thomas Chippendale about

the \$25,000,000 cash provided in organization, amounts to \$381,880,913. 1 The shortest highway in Boston is When keeping the yolks of eggs for a to Chatham street, in the rear of State day or two, drop them in a little cold street. It is 45 feet long.

The undivided surplus of the corporation and its subsidiaries, including

Flowers and Shrubbery -Their Care and Cultivation



in the school gardens and have proved themselves capable of understanding by smile across at the cannas and populations country is interested and letters for the across at the cannas and populations. themselves capable of understanding how to plant and care for the crops. To this end, a brighter future has been secured for children, who, by the beneficent healing of the great Mother Nature, have found a little niche they can adequately fill in the scheme of this great Mother sand electron and electron the cannas and popples from the cannas and popples from the other side of the garden.

Among the blue flowers there is a rich treat, from the time of the first woman who ever has represented a district of the United States in the congress of the nation. Miss Jeannette Rankin of Missoula, Mont., representative are so closely akin to true blue that it seems necessary to include them in the congress of the nation. Miss Jeannette Rankin of Missoula, Mont., representative are so closely akin to true blue that it seems necessary to include them in the congress of the nation. Miss Jeannette Rankin of Missoula, Mont., representative are so closely akin to true blue that it seems necessary to include them in the congress of the nation. Miss Jeannette Rankin of Missoula, Mont., representative are so closely akin to true blue that it seems necessary to include them in the congress of the nation. Miss Jeannette Rankin of Missoula, Mont., representative are so closely akin to true blue that it seems necessary to include them in the congress of the nation. Miss Jeannette Rankin of Missoula, Mont., representative are so closely akin to true blue that it seems necessary to include them in the congress of the nation. Miss Jeannette Rankin of Missoula, Mont., represented and letters for and against the proposition are combined and against the proposition are combine

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the white predominate. They will show suitable size next year. Seedlings army bill carrying large appropriation and grewsomely. He had a dim memory of the holder who took it at par could not off by night as well as by day. They cost but little, while plants are extions of money.

are suitable for all occasions. Many beautiful things can tions of money.

It is barely possible that if it had troops and there wasn't a mousehole of escape. Bell has a whimsical humor, of coming staggeringly to his room in of them are delightfully fragrant. They be raised from a package of mixed not been necessary for the president In the very heart of the Tagalog vii- the evening for a new supply of ready in the closing days of the last session lage was an old muzzle-loading brass cash. Among white flowers, the lily, peony Now is a good time to plan changes to ask authority of congress to arm cannon, a trophy taken by the Taga
"Must have taken it all, and I'm comes from the word "sabot," which may be added the spirea, carnation, one realizes the mistake made last all the appropriation bills might have day, and which the natives were hop- down to the Dewdrop Inn and told its worn by the French peasantry, are may be added the spirea, carnation, aquilegia, hollyhock, phlox. Christmas rose, lily of the valley, achillea, hydrangea, honeysuckle, yucca, beside a drangea, honeysuckle, yucca, besi

Most of the plants are hardy and In arranging the home lot, whether sideration because the days of the after the manner of the loading of a out!" Most of the plants are hardy and casily grown. Add to them the rich for fruit, shade or ornament, plant the closing hours were taken up with discount from the plants are hardy and casily grown. Add to them the rich for fruit, shade or ornament, plant the closing hours were taken up with discount from the plants are hardy and casily grown. Add to them the rich for fruit, shade or ornament, plant the closing hours were taken up with discount from the plants are hardy and casily grown. Add to them the rich for fruit, shade or ornament, plant the closing hours were taken up with discount from the plants are hardy and casily grown. Add to them the rich for fruit, shade or ornament, plant the closing hours were taken up with discount from the plants are hardy and casily grown. Add to them the rich for fruit, shade or ornament, plant the closing hours were taken up with discount from the plants are hardy and case the days of the plants are hardy a easily grown. Add to them the rich assortment of annuals like candytuft, sweet alyssum, snap-dragon, aster, versweet alyssum, snap-dragon, aster, bena, petunia, lobelia and larkspur and things, letting the rows run cast to lack of it of certain senators, a conbena, petunia, lobelia and larkspur and things, letting the rows run east to lack or it of certain senators, a con-you have a stunning collection and one west, that all may have the sunshine, troversy of which the echoings are thought the man who was paying the freight that you're a faded flower today," and with French Socialists and labor men. for her, "If a woman can't get a man Suppose that it shades to the most advantage, and prove a joy to the be-

Beautiful Country Home, Showing the Fine Lawn Unobstructed by Planting

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smoking out animals is being revived in many parts of the increase in the price of the fur-bearing animals, hunters should three detachable parts: A bellows, a smoker now much used consists of three detachable parts: A bellows, a smoker chamber and a powel of the increase in the price of the fur-bearing animals, hunters should the detachable parts: A bellows, a smoker chamber and a powel of the many parts of the country because of the country because of the fur-bearing animals, hunters should the parts of the country because of the animals out, weak and dazed, so that they can be killed or captured easily. To avoid waste and review of the animals out, weak and dazed, so that they can be killed or captured easily. To avoid waste and review of the fur-bearing animals, hunters should the parts of the country because they can be killed or captured easily. To avoid waste and review of the animals out, weak and dazed, so that they can be killed or captured easily. To avoid waste and review of the animals out, weak and dazed, so that don't know as I was an innocent bystander. I was what they in the colored hem, a colo smoke chamber and a nozzle. The

hamber is partly filled with rags, old Never start on a journey Friday if heir time to laying up something for "No, but he used to write me what urlap or corncobs, to which is added Saturday is pay day.

copies of the amended measure. There NOT MANY NEW MEMBERS SIT. are only a few copies in existence to-TING IN EXTRAORDINARY day in printed form. The demand for

copies of the bill has been enormous.

the money for printing something

SESSION OF CONGRESS. Army officers and civilians all over the United States have written to congressmen for copies of the amended FIRST WOMAN IN THAT BODY senate bill, but there were only a few

Why Measure Was Not Printed. Miss Jeannette Rankin of Montana The Interest in this army measure Creates Favorable Impression-Pre- is tremendous. The reason that senscaution for Safety of Legislators- tors would not authorize the printing (Copyright, by W. G. Chapman.) Appropriation Measures to Be of the measure in large quantities was that knowing the bill could not be considered, they did not care to spend Brought Up at Once.

By GEORGE CLINTON. Washington.—Congress has assem- which might be entirely changed in ded in war session. Seriousness of form as soon as the extraordinary ses-

purpose marked the opening. There was a shadow upon all the members was proposed.

sion began, and a new army measure "I own the whole town!"

"You're a daisy!" present, but through it gleamed the light of resolution.

The first session of the Sixty-fifth congress is in extraordinary session. With the exception of one year there has been either the man been either the length of the le

beneficent healing of the great Mother Nature, have found a little niche they can adequately fill in the scheme of things, and instead of a burden to the community they are becoming useful members of society.

Secure a garden for the children in your neighborhood.

The platycodons, canterbury bells, some of the violets, houstonia, lupine, iris, aconite, hardy larkspur, aquilegia, forget-me-nots and veronica are among the perennials suggested, while in an ulas there are a geratum, swan river daisy, bachelor's button, pansy, linum and nemophila.

DEN SCHEME

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Leonard Wood has been outspoken in his demands for preparedness, and at times the spirit of his words have seemed to be critical of the administration. The best millitary opinion seems to be that Wood's new command will be more important than the one which

on the day that congress opened no spikes of purple and rosy purple flowers, blooming from July to September, and growing from three to four feet high.

On the day that congress opened no man, woman or child was allowed to carry a package into the capitol. Even umbrellas were barred from the house and senate chambers, because in the high.

On the day that congress opened no man, woman or child was allowed to islands long before he was put in command of a volunteer force composed almost wholly of regulars whose terms of enlistment had expired but only of subsidiary silver code.

On the day that congress opened no man, woman or child was allowed to carry a package into the capitol. Even unbrellas were barred from the house and senate chambers, because in the folds of an unbrellas were barred from the house and senate chambers, because in the folds of an unbrellas were barred from the house and senate chambers, because in the folds of an unbrellas were barred from the house and senate chambers, because in the folds of an unbrellas were barred from the house and senate chambers, because in the folds of an unbrellas were barred from the house and senate chambers, because in the folds of an unbrellas were barred from the house and senate chambers, because in the folds of an unbrellas were barred from the house and senate chambers, because in the folds of an unbrellas were barred from the house and senate chambers, because in the folds of an unbrellas were barred from the house and senate chambers, because in the folds of an unbrellas were barred from the house and senate chambers, and senate chambers, because in the folds of an unbrellas were barred from the house and senate chambers, because in the folds of an unbrellas were barred from the house and sunshine when possible.

Dan wretchedly turned over in his torrelated during the early you asnamed of yourself, a healthy, decent-looking young man, man, woman or child was allowed to give to a sort of improvised paper currency that circulated during the early you asnam

This furnishes an ideal support and as the first cases were concerned the Village Easily Captured.

Village Easily Captured.

And weeping, he would tell his boon value, but when framed in this way

By L. M. BENNINGTON.

gress the lawmakers provided for the navy but left the army without any sustenance. One of the first acts of by every tradition of tribal honor to by every tradit

For several reasons it is best to have care for properly, plan to have it of just opened will be to sanction the General Bell had given his men or was empty. Dan rubbed his head stamp was always worth its face value

multitude of dahlias and chrysanthe- ous colors. Keep a notebook and pen- four or five big supply measures to came boys again and they ramined the laughed at him.

ing. When it became evident that the gun barrels and surrender came. He had started to walk to Wellsville, of stuff; a salesman with some stains husband. You cannot make a crow white by poleon from the spot where Wellington and groaned out: "Yes, you're Nell." ashing it.

Stood at Waterloo. This is the striking sentence with which Dr. Miller where you live," she observed, "and if Little Janes and Josephine were old.

No wise girl marries a good-looking the extended range of modern warfare. drop your wretched antics, and sign dry the dinner dishes. man, for he would monopolize the fam- He also says British gunners now in the pledge and be respectable again, "But, Jane, you didn't get that plute

Popularity is an article that isn't dis- "What's the matter, little girl?"

"Did your husband write you poetry It's a pity that so many men devote before you were married?" the rainy days of their grandchildren. | we both thought was poetry."

action near Bapaume could sweep a l'il give you a lift."

rifle, could with certain aim, hit Na- he looked up, shook his head dismally him face to face."

son! You good little fairy! I want spired!"

First Dental School.

the Baltimore College of Dental Sur- baker.

Appropriations in Order. were beginning to show in the sky, him ashamed of himself!"

"From Wellsville!"

"Whoop!"

sip only now and then and when you get home forget Oreville forever." "You bet! you bet!" muttered Dan, and wondered how it was that the good little fairy had come along so GEORGE ELMER COBB fully prepared to tender him comfort for after a sip or two from the bottle he fell into a peaceful sleep like a

you gave me, never heeded."

"You lie down there," directed Nell

He was meek and obedient when they reached Wellsville. He was submissive and unresisting when Nell missive and unresisting when Neli took him into the office of the local justice of the peace and witnessed his signature to a temperance pledge.

DEN SCHEME

By ELIZABETH VAN BENTHUYSEN.
Unity of color in the garden gives an effect which is most pleasing. If care effect which is most pleasing, if care may have a constant succession of any desired color from early spring mutil late in the fall.

Den SCHEME

daisy, bachelor's button, pansy, linung and nemophila.

To omuch stress cannot be laid upon next essential dark was to make effect which is most pleasing. If care effect with the fall.

Division of the form of

PLANTS FOR SANDY SOIL

Watch Legislators' Safety.

In a way congress at this session is meeting under guard. Washington

Good plants for sandy soil are ver
More to lead troops.

Watch Legislators' Safety.

In a way congress at this session is meeting under guard. Washington demoted. There is a sharp difference difference of the county over the co Good plants for sandy soil are verbenas, asters and phlox. These are all annuals and do particularly well in this soil.

Latrix, blazing star or gay feather is a capital plant for sandy soil, altic a capital plant for sandy soil, altic a hardy perennial, with long it does well in any good soil.

It is a hardy perennial, with long in the day that congress opened no in the demoted. There is a sharp difference of opinion about the matter, however.

Bell's Long and Brilliant Career.

Some second Kipling should write of opinion about the matter, however.

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and senate chambers, because in the folds of an umbrella it is possible to conceal things if one is so inclined.

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were willing to take on a short term of duty to help in the clearing up of stalrs and steady his criss-cross nerves fractional currency, or as it was some fractional currency, or as it was some "Keep it there, my dear," answered

HELIOTROPE

The heliotrope is impatient of small pot, and should be shifted to a larger size as soon as its fine roots cover the outside of the ball of earth. So dense are its roots that it is often necessary to run a fine skewer about necessary to run a fine skewer abo

necessary to run a fine skewer about the base of the plant several times to allow the water to penetrate to the heart of the roots. See that these holes are kept open.

Spiraca Japonica Compacta.

Support Sweet-pea vines on a temporary fence made of poultry netting, on the other white.

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which the senate could give no conpiece full of powder and grass wadding "Don't know you," he growled. "Get of riot and disorder the French peasbrazen piece roared out its reveille. there were some words and the poor Concerning the word, a Frenchman by fair means she will by foul."

propriation bill it, of course, was sent of the Tagalog huts. It roused the war- into the street into a mud puddle. nt once to the senate. There it was rior sleepers as would the cracking of That afternoon late, very sober, very of powder, or even with sand, to score Doubleday—No man living admi amended in the committee on military doomsday. They came armed but penitent, Dan sat on a log by the road-lines on the rollers, to cause loss of his wife's taste in neckties. affairs. One of the amendments was naked to the fray. The Tagalogs side at the limits of the town. He time, or even costly repairs. A tailor Mrs. Doubleday—Perhaps not; bu a proposal for universal military train- looked on bayonet points and down had found no friends in his distress. can easily ruin a garment or a piece he always approves her choice of

How War's Range Has Extended.

A girl driving a ngnt wagon came piece of goods at a low piece.

A girl driving a ngnt wagon came employer is an enemy, it is no more employer employer is an enemy, it is no more employer is an enemy, it is no more employer "A relatively second-class rifle shot, jumped out and approached Dan. disloyal for the workman to entrap original with you? Laws are only as good as people not to mention a sniper with a modern "Know me?" she asked curtly, and him into an ambuscade than to fight Humorist—Certainly Editor-Well, you don't look it. Humorist-Don't look what?

Editor-To be four hundred years Maguire illustrates in T. P.'s journal you're minded to go back there, and bustly engaged in helping mother to



Remember the "dose" mother insisted on-castor oil, calomel, cathartics How you hated them, how you fought With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only deliclous "California Syrup of Figs." Its of mothers keep this harmless "fruit love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorgirl. Tears came into his eyes. His "First it appears as a serial in a Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which

what Some East Side Children in New York Accomplished in the Way of a Garden.

SCHOOL CHILDREN'S GARDEN

Appertion some little bit of land for the children in your neighborhood to have a garden.

Varvat lots adjacent to schools are best for they are near enough for the children out-of-children. By the complete the children out-of-children out-of-children. By securing the children out-of-chors.

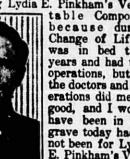
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there is no money in sheepkeeping in He-Yes. I would, too, if you made this country, and millions of words of and the newspapers. The one fiver has

"Are the Gadder girls still doing set. coughs, bronchitis, colds settled in the

"Very much so. They tried to inter- a chance to soothe the inflamed parts,

were a hundred in the dining room



which brought me out of it all right,

An unusual haul was made by a hunter near Waukon, Ia., last season, when he shot 46 skunks, which were smoked out of a single den, Popular Mechanics
Magazine states. The practice of Magazine states. The practice of Magazine states and magazine states are made in the smoke blown fints the smoke Color in Sick Room. | gery, the first of all institutional den "The salesman from whom I bought box of handkerchiefs having a touch ganization, the first work of which was "Did his prediction come urver."

"To a certain extent. It has made

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Bread that will keep fresh two weeks

As Others See Us.

Greene—I wonder how old Grindem managed to acquire so much money?

Browne—Don't know. But there's

NAZUP instantaneous relief. For MAZUP instantaneous relief. Bread that will keep fresh two weeks after it has been wrapped in paper and one thing certain—the price he paid one thing certain—the price he paid The year 1840 saw the foundation of sterilized has been invented by a Paris for a clear conscience didn't keep him

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SINGLES and less than 2 months, per copy... 3c | Lowell High school flag pole Tues-NOTE:—All past due subscriptions up to December 1, 1918, will be figured at the old rate of Side per year. After that date the new rate of E.80 will be in effect,—Publisher.

READERS of The Menace should note the ringing resolutions of patriotism adopted by the Knights of Columbus and Cardinal Farley's call to arms of A LARGE proportion of men American Catholics, in behalf of pronounced unfit for military or our country-"To defend her naval service, owe their rejection honor, to vindicate the right and to lack of sense in selecting their the justice of her cause, and to shoes. nsure a triumph that will be the

This is going to be a poor year to employment. Right! Pass or thousands of stalwart young | it on. men to devote their strength and

good people. WHILE Grand Rapids gave a small majority for the state salary amendment, Kent townships turned it down by nearly two thousand. While city folks think you can starve a man fat, country people balk on trying to tax themselves rich. "You can't fool all the people all the time.

Ours is not a war of hatred for the German people; rather it is a war to destroy the government that has plunged Germany into the greatest of world wars without the consent of the governed. This war will set the German people free and damn the Kaiser's regime to all eternity.

THE statement of Dr. Brady author of Health Talks by National Newspaper Service, that the moderate use of coffee by a nursing mother is harmless to herself and baby, should interest some people who have been scared nearly to death by postum ad

In face of the country's great need of its young men in the army and navy or on the farm, Kent county schools are going on with their customary spring base ball festivities. Let the people and schools of Lowell and vicinity frown down this fiddling while Rome burns. \_\_\_\_

WAR may stop the manufacture and sale of spirituous and malt liquors in the United States. Six million bushels of grain, enough to feed the entire nation for a month, are worse than wasted in the production of beer and whisky. Which shall it be, booze or -----

THE young man who marries to escape the draft isn't made of good soldier stuff anyway; and the girl who gets him isn't much. Now Washington is laying a plot to get these very fellows in the draft. 'They've got 'em on the list and they never will be missed. GRAND RAPIDS High school girl graduates are planning simple, inexpensive dresses for the great event in June. Good idea for universal adoption, and if each

A Jackson saloon keeper was arrested for saying he would fight for the Kaiser. Well, he ought to have a chance. A place in the German rear ranks before the English-French advance would be ust right.

girl could make her own gown, it

vould be better yet.

FREE trade on wheat and its products between Canada and the United States is the first fruit of Uncle Sam's entrance in the great war. Another ray of hope for the poor.

about getting a flying bit out of your eye. Take it home carefully. It might be a piece of coal.

If the good roads work can wait until after the war, why not base ball and other folderol?

WEST VERGENNES

Mrs. Martina Adams.—Grant Adams.—Grant to Lowell Monday.—Adams went to Lowell Monday.—Adams Howard Mrs. Mathe Mrs. Mather Howard Mrs. Mather Howard Mrs. Howard Mrs. Howard Mrs. Howard Mrs. Mather Howard Mrs. Mather Howard Mrs. Mather Howard Mrs. Howard Mrs.

EARL HUNTER

#### Fewer Eggs are cars daily is already under way. A good starter for reducing old required with LIFE would look brighter if a lot of our delinquent subscribers BAKING would join the Old Settlers asso-

s. ciation. Remember, friends. 1.00 "The mickles make the muckles." THE Kaiser hung in effigy on the

wide death and desolation. THIRTY-NINE murders in Detroit so far in 1917. Want to move

victory of civilization and hu- A GRAND RAPIDS factory an nounces an "America First" policy. Loyalty will be requisite

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No need to worry if

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Very stylish and

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Newest and Nifties

berson were Lowell visitors Sat-

Priced to suit.

public to spend millions of dollars for the sport. Let these strong worth thinking about in these words was raun nevered by the Ladies Ald May 2 for support. All and Mrs. Geo. Miller of Freeport spent invited.—Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Parsons is more active in the spring when the blood is overling the spring when the spring when the blood is overling the spring when the spring when the blood is overling the spring when the spring when the blood is overling the spring when the blood is overling the spring when the blood is overling the spring when t are invited.—Robert Munger is ill Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Fox. will entertain the social club Friday heal the cruptions with Dr. Hobson's in army or navy or else on the farms raising food for the world.

Think twice before you say

Think twice before y

Hart Schaffner & Marx belt-backs

are stylish and right for spring.

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More New Caps

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damp, hot cloth, spread with white icing and roll.

In many recipes the number of eggs may be reduced

of Royal Baking Powder, about a teaspoon, for each egg

The old method called for 4 eggs and no baking powde

DIRECTIONS-Sift flour, baking powder and salt together three

times. Beat whole eggs. Add slowly sugar, then boiling water

slowly; add next vanilla, melted chocolate and melted shortening,

without beating. Sift in dry ingredients, and fold in as lightly as

possible. Pour into large baking pan lined with oiled paper, and

Booklet of recipes which economize in eggs and other

bake in slow oven twenty minutes. When done, turn out on a

omitted. The following recipe is a practical example:

2 tablespoons melted shortening ½ cup hot water I teaspoon vanilla 2 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder

There's life, spirit, vigor in these new belt-

backs for spring; they're becoming to young

Take your choice; single or double breasted

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There's a Hart Schaffner & Marx suit that

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with Mrs. Martha Adams.-Grant thanks.-Mr. and Mrs. Roy McNaugh- his parents for an indefinite time.

Adams went to Lowell Monday. ton and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mc. Mrs. Mabel Farhni cut her hand quite

were in Grand Rapids last week — and Mrs. Frank Brew and daughter ton went to Lowell Saturday after.

The Presiding Elder will be at the Edith and Mrs. Addie Benton motor

DISTRICT NO. FIVE

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ed to Grand Rapids Sunday and vis-ited Mr. and Mrs. Dave Mosher. Mr. Brew has purchased a new Willys-

belts, pinch-backs or yokes.

with excellent results by using an additional quantity

and Mrs. John A. Jakeway spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Loughlin.—Manuel Mooney has a new car.-Johnnie Loughlin, J. called at the McGlinnis residence Sat-urday night. FALLASBURG

Frank Zahm and wife of Keene an and Frank Jones and wife of this place motored to the Rapids Saturay and returned -Mr. and Mrs. Clem Heater and Anthony Zahm were callers on Mrs Charite Z on and children Sunday.—Westey and Charle Miller Foley's Honey and Tar. of Grand Rapids motored through to spend Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Miller.—Floyd Lang and family entertained Saturday eight

A standard family medicine of many ness, stuffy, wheezy breathing and for and Sunday their sister, Mrs. Edith croup and whooping cough. Its effect on Skinner, daughter Miss Myrtle and the inflamed lining of the throat and sir friend, Milton Stillwell, of Ionia and took them home in their car Sunday afternoon.-Floyd Lang accompanied by Grant Adams of Keene motored to the City Monday on business. SOUTH BOSTON. kota where he has spent the winter

The next Ladies' Ald Society will be held April 26 at the home of Mrs. ert Hillerker and niece, Miss Edith Mary Bedell.-Mesdames Herb Chase Holcomb, of Rockford visited M and Guy Tallant were in Grand Rapids Thursday.—The Freemans attended the funeral of an aunt, Mrs. Worden, of Ionia Thursday.—Mrs. Kate den, of Ionia Thursday.—Mrs. Kate and Sunday.—Chris Kropf and familiary and Sunday.—Sunday and Sunday.—Chris Kropf and Sunday.—Sunday and Sunday.—Sunday.—Sunday and Sunday.—Sunday and Sunday and S

Mary's hospital, Grand Rapids, one day recently.—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rogers of Battle Creek spent part of last week with relatives in "Happy Hollow."—Mrs. Will Draper entertained the Congregational Ald society Thursday.—Example Frames Arizon Story visited Mrs. Geo. Tucker at St. Hy, Clinton Weeks and wife and Mrs. hursday.-Frank Freeman drives Oakland "Six "-Mr. and Mrs. R Painful eczema is more active in Dyke of Lowell will furnish son e

M. N. Henry.

Rexford and family of Grand Rapids spent a very enjoyable time Saturas as a Methodist club, is for everyone. acne, tetter, ring worm, scaly blotchy but this is not the time. Stop it, who have tried it are sorry they were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. day afternoon with our kind Editor Come and learn more about it, Windows Come and learn more about it to a come and learn more about it with the come and learn more about it is a complete with the come and learn more about it is a complete with the come and learn more about it is a complete with the come and learn more about it is a complete with the complete with the complete with the come and the complete with the complet Gip Carr.-Mrs. Combs of Lowell is and his correspondents. Many sor Bovee and family are living with zema Ointment. Get it today at Men are at work in the village cem-etery doing general cleaning and get-ting the grounds in order for sumer. There are several new monuments and markers being placed and lots made more presentable by concretecopings, etc. Let the good work esday from Williamston, where he companied his mother to her home

ison in Grand Rapids Wednesday, inding her much improved in health. everal from the village attended Ladles' Ald society at Mrs. Frank illin's in East Cascade Thursday. orty-two were served to dinner .-Will and Harold Watterson spent the pastweek at their home in the village.

Rev. D. L. Berry of Grand Rapids
was a business caller in town Satur ay.-Mrs Clyde Watterson spent rednesday and Thursday in Grand apids,-Mr. and Mrs. Bernard torms, Jr., of Grand Rapids spent unday at R. J. Slater's .- Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bissell, who have been residents of Cascade the past two ears, have moved to Greenville. PARNELL dargaret Bresnahan, who 1

n the training school for nurses at F. Loughlin and Bert Malone were Lowell visitors Saturday .- Mrs. Julia Malone and daughter, Mrs. G. Hurley and son Charles of Grand Rapids spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. W. Maione and daughters at Grattar enter .- Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gahan Mr. and Mrs. E. Burns motored t irand Rapids Monday and spent the lay - Will Byrne was the week end quest of his brother Frank at Saginaw .- John Hurley rides in a new heyrolet car .- Mr. and Mrs. J. Jakeway were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Loughiin,—Harry Lough in is able to be out again, after be ing laid up for several weeks with a broken htp.-Miss Marie Sullivan of luskegon is the guest of her cousin, rances Sullivan .- Misses Marte Bresnahan, Marion Byrne, Mabelle Troyland Frances Sullivan, Messrs. James Eardelly, Will Byrne, Will

Troy and Emmett Howard attended the party at Lowell Thursday night -Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gahan, Miss Margaret Burrs and Mr. and Mrs. E Surns motored to Belding Sunday and spent the day -Mrs. Jame Abraham returned to her home for Grand Rapids Wednesday after spend ing several days at her country home

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urday.—Mrs. M. B. McPherson attended the Easter tea at the Grange hall Thursday.—Miss Louella Cary went to Grand Rapidslast Thursday

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a halt to Oat sowing and the plant ing of early potatores, as some of the farmers here have their ground fitted for these crops—Rev. Frown of Alticalled on the Needhams Wednesday.—Mr. and Mrs. C. Se sker of Buston visited at the parental home at the road eading Sunday.—This visitity was quite well represented at the Overland auto opening at Lowell Saturday given by Mr. Keiser, formerly of Alto.

\*\*REENE CENTER.\*\*

Jim Lind and family were Thurs day guests of this eliter, Mr. and Mrs. John Saturday.—Mr. and Mrs. Lowell morror the tower guests of the sturday. Mr. and Mrs. Albert tack of rheumatism.—Jack Hurley have purchased a new Chevrolet.—Mrs. Dan Howard was in Lowell Cornick, Mrs. Pank Cars. Sunday guests of this eliter, Mrs. Pank Lowel and Baptile Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. John Mc. Cars. Sunday guests of the slater, Mrs. Pank Lowel and Baptile Sunday.—James day guests of the slater, Mrs. Pank Lowel and Mrs. Stephen and Eliferon were flowed in the sunday of the Sunday guests of the slater.—The remains of Grand Rapides and Rapides and Rapides and Rapides and Rapides and Frenk Johns and William Roonan, who ided in Grand Rapides Raum Agricultured and William Roonan, who ided in Grand Rapides Raum Agricultured and William Roonan, who ided in Grand Rapides Raum Agricultured and William Roonan, who ided in Grand Rapides Raum Agricultured and William Roonan, who ided in Grand Rapides Raum Agricultured and William Roonan, who ided in Grand Rapides Raum Agricultured and William Roonan, who ided in Grand Rapides Raum Agricultured and William Roonan, who ided in Grand Rapides Raum Agricultured and William Roonan, who ided in Grand Rapides Raum Agricultured and William Roonan, who ided in Grand Rapides Raum Agricultured and William Roonan, who ided in Grand Rapides Raum Agricultured and William Roonan, who ided in Grand Rapides Raum Agricultured and William Roonan, who ided in Grand Rapides Raum Agricultured and William Roonan, who ided in Grand Rapides Raum Agricultured and William Roonan, who ided in Grand Rapides Raum Agri



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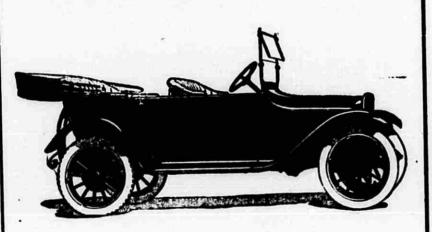
clean-cut idea of the kind of a car it is. How friendly and how favorable that idea i you probably know so well that it is not necessary

It is not over-stating the case to say that the very large production of the first two years did not develop a single serious fault.

This notable achievement surely justifies public confidence in Dodge Brothers as close and careful manufacturers. It will pay you to visit us and examine this ear.

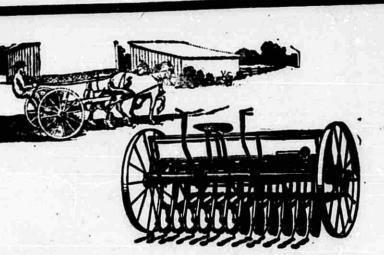
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Edwin Fallas was in Grand Frand Rapids Tuesday. Mrs. Claude Staal was a Grand Rapids visitor Monday. R. M. Shivel was in Grand Rap-Mrs. Raymond Bergin spent Saturday in Grand Rapids. R. E. Springett was in Grand Rapids Tuesday on business. Misses Grace and Ruby Brezina

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Thrilling races have been run in the | der the coaxing of Johnny McTaggart, oast; thrillers will be staged in the began to come along. With giant years to come. But none probably will strides he closed the daylight gap and e closer, furnish more excitement or crept up to Roamer's saddle bags. It send a crowd into a greater frenzy looked as if he would pass him there, than the Stromboll-Roamer battle on but Roamer, grand old horse that he Labor day at the Belmont (N. Y.) is, met the challenge and maintained his half-length lead until within about

Roamer an odds-on favorite at 11 to in racing madness, came on again. Inch 20, and Stromboli heavily backed at 7 by inch he crept along. Ronner led by a neck, now a head, now a nose-Roamer got the jump at the break, and then they were even. Nose and shot into the lead by half a length and nose they raced, with the thunder of

made it another length within the first the throng ringing in their ears; ran 100 feet. And so they ran for more as horses never have run before. Fifty than a mile while the crowd waited in feet from the finish line it looked as anticipation for a great stretch strug- if the race would be a dead heat. And gle which only horses such as that pair then Stromboli, with herculean leaps, gained an inch, two inches, four And what an amazing finish it was! inches—and the race was over. Strom-At the turn for home, Stromboli, un- boli was the better horse.

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Sporting Element Having Tired of Picking Baseball and Football

Sporting Element Having Tired of Picking Baseball and Football Players Take Up Boxers. Having fought to a draw over the

question of "Who was the greatest ball player," and still deadlocked on "The Billy Miske is an awful queer fighter.

rest of the working world is under- son. Shawkey is a hard and energetic If the ball players go on strike it's a einch they will not demand an eight-

The difference between an amateur and a professional is the professional

commercial paper reports a shortige of ivory, without having heard of any ball players dying. The reason so many young men

aspire to be professional bail players may be attributed to a dislike for hard "Benny" Leonard may be worth \$50,-000, but that does not necessarily mean that he earned it. He's a boxer you

It is not difficult to distinguish between an amateur and professional boxer. In fact, most of them are ame-

Attempting to learn to play baseball by the correspondence school method is about as nutritious as eating bouillon with a fork.

er and track builder, has been engaged ers with us now will be on the clu, to build a new quarter-mile track for next season. the Bates college athletes.

ment now is "rassling" with another

one, entitled, "The greatest fighter."

BILHOOLEY IS AROUND AGAIN

several votes, and so has Jim Jeffries. ately.

ankee Outfielder, Whose Leg Was gance in a college community that Broken Last Year, Has Recovered many a football star leaves the temple SCOTT IS CAPITAL FIELDER of learning with no more coin than when he entered. he Yankees, who had his leg broken Guy Morton of the Cleveland Indians ast season, recently consulted a doc- is the leading strike-out pitcher of the

Gilhooley's presence in the outfield, Judging from the forecasts of the ent sort of a way, and it is this care-wear.

Appears Indifferent on Field, But Grabs Everything Hit in Direction of Shortstop.

Dast.

The coat is a familiar type of gray and white striped chinchilla. It has a big adjustable collar and flap pockets that will keep the hands warm, and it that will keep the hands warm, and it the striped chinchilla. It has a big adjustable collar and flap pockets that will keep the hands warm, and it that will keep the hands warm, and it the striped chinchilla. It has a big adjustable collar and flap pockets another glorious tassel.

The coat is a familiar type of gray and fastened with a silk strap. It is repeated an exquisite quotation last night."

"Mr. X is certainly wen read. He exquisitely made and its chief glory in an approved snape and fastened with a silk strap. It is repeated an exquisite quotation last night."

"What was it?"

"It can't give you the exact words, and the striped chinchilla. It has a big adjustable collar and flap pockets that will keep the hands warm, and it."



The Smart Thing in Blouses If you ask the world-famous style | -lengthened and featured-is meeting | designers how it happens that a certain new idea is launched by several al and therefore the peplum blouse, in with hor establishments at one and the same numberless variations, is here and is with her, establishments at one and the same time, you may depend upon a definite answer. They will tell you that that particular style idea "Is in the air."

This is as near to an explanation as anyone can get of the evolution of the condition of the co anyone can get of the evolution of are drawn up with ties about the the more he thought of her the more styles. This evolution brings along neck. In the blouse pictured, of poignant became his regret. After all, incidental revolutions, which are also georgette crepe, the sleeves provide on eminent authority, it was the na-"In the air" and we are left to ponder the original touch with shirrings that ture and delight of dogs to bark and

Por one reason, I expect to have once more the everchanging fashions. Shape them over the shoulder in the with an under the policy of the local shape them over the shoulder in the with an under the policy of the local shape them over the shoulder in the with an understance of the local shape them over the shoulder in the local shape the local shape the shape them over the shape the local shape the loc the best pitching staff in the league, A new blouse made its unheralded fashion of the ragian sleeve. The with an umbrella for following a pureand a club with a topnotch twirling and unobstructive entry on fashion's round neck is bordered with fur, the staff will have a big advantage on its stage. By way of adding a little seams outlined with fancy needlework. something new to the familiar role of Hand embroidery, in self-color, is used the house as he passed for some sign "Shawkey was our most dependable the blouse, a short skirt was attached for decoration and the peplum falls to of the pretty girl. He did not even see

pitcher this season, and I expect him to its belt-and discovered itself wel- the thigh. It has all the earmarks If ball players earn their money the to have just as good a year next sea-

Sparrow Robertson, the noted start- Cullop, Mogridge and the other pitch

"Our pitching staff had a lot of Some folks think the greatest was Peter Jackson; others incline to has sent out a call to all swimming flag. Cullop, one of the best southwretched luck last season, and that George Dixon. A few "vets" cling to candidates and hopes to start practice paws in either league, pulled a muscle Sullivan. Terry McGovern has wo'. for the divers and plungers immediat a time when he was needed most and had to stay out of the game for The present day crowd likes to string with Bob Fitzsimmons. And there is Eddie Mensor, formerly with Portup when his services were needed. But that is part of the game. Next seaThe wearer of the springtime hat brim and paves the way into the action of the game. Thursday. A lovely girl!"

ast season, recently consulted a docor in Cleveland and was told that the
major leagues for 1916, his feat in fanning 13 Mackmen on June 12 earnplon Red Sox, although a wonderful
that will keep the hands warm, and it
has, besides these very practical properties, much style and becomingness. fielder, does not look like one.

He goes at his work in an indiffer
There are coats in colors of the same sort of the new handkerchief or chiffon Evening Transcript.



a scattering of ballots for the others who have made ring history.

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son, provided we get our share of the breaks, I expect the 'Yanks' to be in the race all the way and that the the race all the way and that the season with Spokane, has been signed to play with the Oakland club next breaks, I expect the 'Yanks' to be in the race all the way and that the season with Spokane, has been signed to play with the Oakland club next breaks, I expect the 'Yanks' to be in the race all the way and that the season with Spokane, has been signed to play with the Oakland club next breaks, I expect the 'Yanks' to be in the race all the way and that the leaves the before and believes in prepared over the right ear. It is the feature that makes the bet transfer to the possible to play with the Oakland club next breaks, I expect the 'Yanks' to be in the race all the way and that the Such are the temptations to extrava
the race all the way and that the pitching staff will surprise the base-ball realm."

there before and beneves in prepared-ness; hence the warm coat. This one has a summery look, but is equal to fortifying its wearer against a cold that makes the hat important.

It is the correct thing to have a bag as savagely as ever. fortifying its wearer against a cold to match the hat. This turban divides fortifying its wearer against a cold spell in regions where the inhabitants honors with a bag of plain gray and figured silk, cut in an approved shape "Mr. X is certainly well read. He are expensely appeared by the content of the c

Gilhooley's presence in the outneld, scribes of various cities, the second diseases that takes away much of the lessness that takes away much of the springtime turban is of gray of the seam, as, for instance, in a ki-The plays up to his last year's form, is a great aid to Bill Donovan.

Gilhooley batted around .275 in the agree he played for the Yanks in 1916.

But his anything near Scott and it's almost sure that he will get it.

The springtime turban is of gray both is seen, as, for instance, in a king mono sleeve, and two or three small colored beads are strung every place over the threads connecting the places.

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ement and pursued him with purthe low fence that separatel the lawn from the street. A day or two later the same thing occurred. This time Wistrom made a threatening demonstration with his umbrella. It was an unwise thing to do, for it did not have a soothing effect on the little animal which from that time forth seemes to He in wait for the young man, who lived only a few doors away. The momen, he came in sight that brown,

very blue eyes on Wistrom.

would come, and then-

dog had strayed away.

Well, muddy and wet as he was,

Wistrom stowed him underneath his

coat, to the coat's and a white waist-

coat's ruin, and half an hour later he

was ringing the bell of the house with

he stone front. An elderly woman an-

swered the ring and went into ecstasies

of delight at the sight of the dog. It

was quite a touching reunion. She-

the elderly lady-was most grateful to

Wistrom, too, and so pleased to learn

that he was a neighbor. The poor dog.

she explained, had been confined to the

house in consequence of a ruflianly

and so being let out for exercise had

Wistrom coughed behind his hand.

"Your daughter will no doubt be glad

to see her pet again," he said, politely.

"1-er-supposed the young lady to

be your daughter," said Wistrom. "A

but he said he'd rather be a something

scampered off.

"My daughter?"

he went on and the dog was again yaping at his heels. Then, without turnng, Wistrom brought his umbrella around with vicious force and-oh joy!—caught the dog on the ribs. "Oh, you coward!" t was a clear, youthful femining voice. Wistrom looked up as the house door stammed and a girl with very pink cheeks and abundant yellow town the steps and caught up the howling dog in her arms. "How could you be so cruel as to hit a poor little dog like that?" she denanded, turning an indignant pair of

"I-1 didn't exactly mean to hit blin so hard," lied Wistrom in some confusion. "You see-" But the girl turned her back on him Dress Up" From the soles of vour

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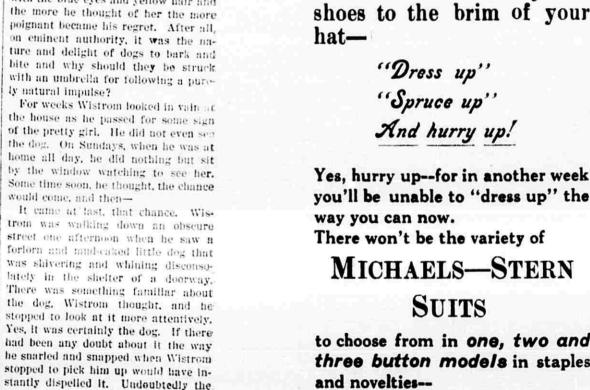
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READERS of The Menace should there? Pack yo note the ringing resolutions of patriotism adopted by the Knights of Columbus and Cardi-

the justice of her cause, and to shoes. insure a triumph that will be the victory of civilization and hu- A GRAND RAPIT This is going to be a poor year to employment. for thousands of stalwart young it on. men to devote their strength and talents to base ball or for the public to spend millions of dollars day. This is Le. or the sport. Let these strong Worth thinking a young men serve Uncle Sam either critical times. n army or navy or else on the farms raising food for the world. THINK twice bef

Baseball is all right in its time, "To hell with the

but this is not the time. Stop it, who have tried it a good people. WHILE Grand Rapids gave s small majority for the state salary amendment, Kent townships turned it down by nearly two thousand. While city folks think you can starve a man fat, country people balk on trying to tax themselves rich. "You can't fool all the people all the time.'

Ours is not a war of hatred for the German people; rather it is a war to destroy the government that has plunged Germany into the greatest of world wars without the consent of the governed. This war will set the German people free and damn the Kaiser's regime to all eternity.

THE statement of Dr. Brady author of Health Talks by National Newspaper Service, that the moderate use of coffee by a nursing mother is harmless to herself and baby, should interest some people who have been scared nearly to death by postum ad-

In FACE of the country's great need of its young men in the army and navy or on the farm, Kent county schools are going on with their customary spring base bail festivities. Let the people and schools of Lowell and vicinity frown down this fiddling while Rome burns. \_\_\_\_

War may stop the manufacture and sale of spirituous and malt liquors in the United States. Six million bushels of grain, enough to feed the entire nation for a month, are worse than wasted in the production of beer and whisky. Which shall it be, booze or

THE young man who marries to escape the draft isn't made of good soldier stuff anyway; and the girl who gets him isn't much. Now Washington is laying a plot to get these very fellows in the draft. 'They've got 'em on the list and they never will be missed.' GRAND RAPIDS High school girl graduates are planning simple, inexpensive dresses for the great

girl could make her own gown, it would be better yet. A Jackson saloon keeper was arrested for saying he would fight for the Kaiser. Well, he ought to have a chance. A place in the German rear ranks before the English-French advance would be

event in June. Good idea for

universal adoption, and if each

ust right. ----FREE trade on wheat and its products between Canada and the Inited States is the first fruit of Uncle Sam's entrance in the great war. Another ray of hope for

Don't be hasty on a windy day | WEST VERG about getting a flying bit out of your eye. Take it home carefully. It might be a piece of coal.

In your good roads work can the sick list.—Hazel Si

IF THE good roads work can absent from school absent until after the war, why not John Devries and for the side of the side of

EARL HUNTER

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Main Street. West Side

LIFE would look .. \$1,50 ciation. Remen \$1.00 "The mickles make \_\_\_\_

wide death and de ----THIRTY-NINE MUI

Sam and family of East Bowne Sunday.—Albert Rosenberger of Grand Rapids was the guest of his sister Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. Harley Weller Mrs. Vernon Trowbridge and family | were Grand Rapids visitors Saturday. Mrs. Vernon Trowbridge and family last Thursday afternoon and evening.

—Perry Trowbridge returned to his work at Lansing Thursday after several weeks of sickness.—Henry Miller and wife left Saturday for their new home at Omaha, Neb —Mrs. Ira Sargeant and Miss Ivah Sargeant visited with friends of Belding, the Next Henry Miss Erms. Dono-Rapids Saturday.—Miss Erms. Dono-Rapids Saturday. nal Farley's call to arms of American Catholics, in behalf of pronounced unfit four country—"To defend her naval service, owe latter being enroute for Portland van returned Monday night from where she expects to visit relatives Grand Rapids, where she has been for two weeks -Guests at the home visiting relatives -P. Fernett of Cedar honor, to vindicate the right and to lack of sense in a of Ira Blough and wife Sunday were Springs is working in the blacksmith shop for E. L. Brooks.—Mr. and Mrs.

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Spring house cleaning means clean. and son Harold were in Grand Raping inside and outside. Dull pimply skin is an aftermath of winter inskin is an aftermath of winter inactivity. Flush your intestines with
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Miss VanWorman of Ada were Sunday visitors at James Dixon's—
Mrs. Frank Donovan entertained the
Ladies Ald society for dinner Thursday. Mr. Donovan has recently
remodeled their home and with their
modern conveniences it rivals many
a fine city home.—Mrs. Kittle Engle
and boys Lyle and Elwyn spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. adv urday and Sunday with Mr and Mrs.
M. E. Davenport of Grand Rapids.— \_\_\_\_

Ited at Howard Thompson's Sunday. WHITNEYVILLE -Claude Elkins and family motored to Butternut Sunday to visit Mrs. The Ladies Aid society at the Elkins' stater, Mrs. Jerry Ward. church last Thursday was not very Grayce Foy is visiting her sister. well attended. The next meeting Mrs. Hubert Bookey. will be held with Mrs. D. A. Wood May 3. All invited .- Mr. and Mrs. George Reed and Carl Grabam at What has become of the old fashion est moving picture dramas, hontended the Bob Jones meeting Sun-day night. Mr. and Mrs. Peel will ed woman who used to start grinding ored with long runs in the large remain this week with her niece Eila coffee at 3:30 a. m.? Braman of Grand Rapids .- Mr and We have looked in vain for the old theater with date May 17 by Mrs. John Campbell have moved and gentleman, with the goat whiskers. Manager Warner. are nicely settled on the Charles who used to eat peppermints in church. Biakeslee farm.—Iva Warner reported improved but not able to teach this week. Her sister Mrs. Helen Raw-lings is taking her place.—Those

numbered among the sick are Mrs. Sunday mornings?—Farm Life. Frank Vanamburg, Mrs. John Pattison and daughter Vern, are on the gain.—Mr. and Mrs. Fay Hoppough WRITER OF GOOD STORIES son was the complainant. To save the feelings of the fellow's Saturday and Sunday with her Something of the Career of Frank H. good wife Mr. Anderson withheld mother Mrs. Sears and Arlo.-Mrs. Spearman, Author of "Nan of Mary Coison and son of Kalamszoo epent a few days last week with her Mrs. Walter Clark spent Saturday Rockies and Sierras.

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Andrews of Moseley .- Sunday visit-The girls present were Sarah Engles, Mona Strong, Erma Roth, Louis and Wheat (red) (60-lb. Wheat (white) 58-10. Mary Alice James, Gertrude Skelding, Corn. cwt

of Lowell. GRATTAN CENTER Quarterly m eting was held at the Butter I Methodiet church Saturday. District | Eggs. doz Superintendent Floyd conducted the Lard, lb., chapter, O. E. S., met at the Grange Fork dress fowl, live is hall Saturday night. Officers were | Fowl, dressed | Beef, live, cwt elected for the ensuing year: Worthy | Beef, dress Matron, Mrs. Tom Bookey; Worthy Calves, live Patron, Tom Bookey; Associate Matron, Mrs. Peter Eikins; Conduc-tress, Mrs. Clayton Davies; Associate Butter Fat. 1b.. Conductress, Mrs. Jake [Ockenburg. Potatoes per bu



Milo Miller sold a horse to Charles ing the winter with her daughter

Klahn the past week.—Steve Custer Mrs. Harley Weller.—Miss Olive Corand family entertained his brother rigan is ill.—Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bear

-Mrs. Lavisa Brooks has remove

to her home in Oaktield after spend-

Mr and Mrs. Burton Partridge vis

Frances Sullivan, a few days .- Mr. and Mrs. John A. Jakeway spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Loughlin.-Manuel Mooney has a new car.-Johnnie Loughlin, Jr.,

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Dressed Hogs, Live Stock, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel J. Brown of Grand Rapids spent Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jackson Sunday with their son Milo, who and son, Loren Stahl and Miss Nellie | recently moved into the Wm. Hessi Weaver, - Mile Miller and family en- house - Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson tertained M. J. Stahl and family Sun- of Rockford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jake Ockerburg .- Miss Cassie Madison is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ernest Randel of Freport.-Asa Wood

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Louisville Courier-Journal: - "Readers who have a taste for the picturesque 'Additional Local. and daring will find the history of 'Nan Morgan' exciting and felicitous" Eventually you will take Raleigh Times:—"Of absorbing in-terest, full of the spirit of the West," edger. Why not now? Born, Sunday, April 15, to Mr. Los Angeles Times: - "A stirring and Mrs. A. W. Hoffman, a son. story of a quality not common among the 'exciting type'. "Civilization," one of the great-San Francisco Bulletin: - "A worthy A thrill on every page." Oakland Tribune: - "Hard to pe San Francisco Call:- "A story of stirring action." **OUR NEW SERIAL** 

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Notice to Creditors.

2 48 county, on or before the 16th day of August A. D. 1917, and that said claims

Dated April 16th, A. D. 1917.

will be heard by said court on Thurs-

day the 16th day of August. D. 1917

PROBATE NOTICE.

Court for the County of Kent.

State of Michigan, The Probate

Clark E. Higbee, Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Pro-

"Didn't he learn anything?"

hrough college."

H. L. Shuter, Village Clerk,

Lowell, Michigan

Music Mountain." ated at the Grand Trunk depot. sister Mrs. Jane Thomas last Wednesday.—The annual spring sale of the Ladies Aid society will be held Friday evening April 27. There will be needed to be the Ladies April 27. There will be needed to be the mountain states of the West than anyone else. He might be called the largest of reference with a state of the west than anyone else. He might be called the largest of reference with a state of the west than anyone else. He might be called the largest of reference with a state of the west than anyone else. He might be called the largest of reference with a state of the west than anyone else. He might be called the largest of reference with a state of the west than anyone else. He might be called the largest of reference with a state of the west than anyone else. He might be called the largest of reference with a state of the west than anyone else. He might be called the largest of reference with a state of the west than anyone else. He might be called the largest of reference with a state of the west than anyone else. He might be called the largest of reference with a state of the west than anyone else. He might be called the largest of reference with a state of the west than anyone else. He might be called the largest of reference with a state of the west than anyone else. Try Ledger job print. by the Village of Lowell, Michigan. The tiny, delicate hairs grow from and Sunday in Grand Rapids.-Mr. Mr. Spearman rallroaded for a long for the purchase of thirty-five (35) 41/2 glands and are nerved to the utmost and Mrs. O. R. Fountain of Newaygo time before he decided to take up au- per cent Water Works bonds of the sensibility. No matter how light the returned to their home after a visit thoring for a living. He knows the denomination of One Thousand touch of the hair against an obstacle at Will Thomas' and John Pattison's. game from the ground up. His first dollars (\$1,000.00) each. The first it is felt instantly by the cat. As cars

five bonds maturing in ten years from it is felt instantly by the cat. As cats date, optional in five years or any interest period thereafter; five bonds | prowl much at night the whiskers | maturing in fifteen years from date, outlonal in ten years or any interest eriod thereafter, ten bonds maturing in twenty years from date, optional in fifteen years or any interest period thereafter; fifteen bonds maturing in twenty-five years from late, optional in fifteen years or any interest period thereafter. Each bid on these bonds to be ac ompanied by a certified check of Two All bids to provide for payment of accrued interest and all bids must be delivered to the office of the Clerk of eatd Village before Five (5:00) o'clock The Common Council of said Village

ors at John Whitfield's were Mr. novel, "The Nerve of Foley," was puband Mrs. E. R. Jackson of Grand lished in 1900, and he has been at it Rapide, Mr. and Mrs. George Frazier, steadily ever since. "Nan of Music Mountain," which we F. Hunt of near Alto —Several fam! have been fortunate in securing for in the matter of the County of Kent. revival meetings in Loweli this week

-Florence Althaus was pleasantly surprised by ten of her girl friends on tale of the high desert lands, and both the left day of April tale of the high desert lands, and both to the left day of April tale of the high desert lands, and both to the left day of April tale of the high desert lands, and both tale of the left day of April tale of the left day of Saturday afternoon the occasion being her tenth birthday. The afternoon was spent in playing games. At five o'clock the girls were seated the saturday and the first and villains are real mental ment at the table which was made very and well like it. for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased attractive by pink and white decora-tions and enjoyed a good supper. LOWELL MARKET REPORT to said court, at the probate office,

Mrs. James Wright were Sunday Corn and Oats, ton

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the City of Grand Rapide, in said county, on the 16th See What We Can Do day of April, A. D. 1917. Present: Hon. Clark E. Highee, Judge of Probate. Charles McCarty, deceased. said court his annual account as expraying for the allowance thereof.

It is ordered, That the 11th day of May, A. D. 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

FOR SALECHEAP—Good home near Methodist church. Inquire of E. A. Anderson.

FOR SALE—Pure bred Buff Rocks eggs. H. Vanderwall, Phone 115-4 and hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, That public

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for SALE—46 acres in Keene, 5 miles from Lowell. Good soil, good weil, 2 small houses, stable, chickenhouse, 5 acres seeded, 3 acres timber. Price \$1,200 if taken at once. For particulars, inquire of owner, A. D. Gibson, Belding, Mich. 45p

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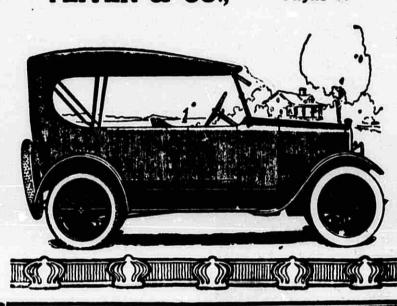
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ell one day recently.

Mabel Smith of Belding was in Dan Simon spent over Sunday We specialize in plumbing. Bergin, Ford's Hardware. 'tf. Mort and Harley Balcom called

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Peckham spent Friday in Grand Rapids. Charles McGrath of Grand Rap- last week. ids spent Saturday with friends here.

A. Emmons is adding a large front porch to his recently purlen, e ½, w ½, sw ¼, section 31.

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visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Jake Callier.

Pierre Lindhout of Grand Rapa bar. Your grocer has it or can

With Mr. and Mrs. Stamey Buss.

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Mr. and Mrs John S. Andrews of Belding spent a few days last week with Lowell friends and relatives.

Grand Rapids.

R. D. Stocking returned Tuesday afternoon from a business trip to Edmore. ids made a business call in Low- get it. The regular meeting of the W. Coats! Coats! You will find C. R. Beebe of Detroit spent Mrs. W. J. Young and daugh-ter, Mrs. Dan Simon, spent Thurs-day in Grand Recide Sunday with his family at the May 3, at which time the month-in style, right price. Besure and

ly dinner will be given. see them. adv Mrs. Carlton Austin of Grand

Ask for the Niagara Maid silk
Rapids has been visiting her sisgloves. They wear right, they

Double that if charged. Stamps

Plumbing line, see Charlie Cook
at Ford's hardware. tf Mr. and Mrs. Frank Myers of \$1.00. E. R. Collar.

fit right; same old price 50c, 75c, taken. Don't ask us to book and bill for a few cents.

Mrs. V. P. Pierce and little son of Memphis are visiting her par-

Sunday with relatives at Saranac. expect to leave for the West soon. B. C. Smith has the foundation Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Roberts and Mrs. A. Maloney of Grand Rapides and Ida, former well known Low-lot. Mrs. Smith always does a from Durand, Ill., to Ordway, Laura Misner, who is ill, one day ell girls, have bought a two fam. good job, whether building clothes Colorado. ast week.

Mrs. Esther Watterson of Casand family.—Maggie Bowen, who has been absent from high school on high s

mer nome in Constantine tomorrow after spending a week with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Knee spent over Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. Jerome Duffy and family in South Boston.

Great values in shirt waists. The Wirthmorat \$1.00, The Weight was celled to Bachelor, Mich., last week by the Illness of her motth, only at Collar's. adv among the jurors drawn for the Msr. Msr. A. Sinclair, Alto; R. B. Boylan, Lowell, and Arthur C. Bigge, Vergenes.

Three Island Lodge, No. 800, L. O. M., are to be the guests of Ionia lodge Tuesday evening, Msr. J. Went the Lowell degree to the Msr. A. Sinclair, Alto; R. B. Boylan, Lowell, and Arthur C. Bigge, Vergenes.

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B 16 PROFITS—One farmer who delivered pickles to the Lowell salt in the province of the Msr. A. Sinclair, and the boys put their sparse time for more book and Arthur C. Bigge, Vergenes.

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five children.

WE RECOMMEND THE PURCHASE OF

of January, April, July and October.

Mildred Yeiter of Alto was a Mrs. Harry Deprer of Grand Newsy Notes About People Lowell visitor Saturday.

Harry Flogaus of Albion spent Mrs. H. G. Bowen. Sunday with his parents here. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hoag an Blanche Butler and Emma daughter Hazel were Grand Rap-Shoals of Ionia were in town Sat- ids visitors Monday. Miss Mildred Oberly of Free-Miss Ethel McGee of Saginaw is port spent Saturday and Sunday See notices. visiting her aunt, Mrs. Richard with her her parents. Harold Fairchilds and Ben Ruby Lane, Mrs. Orton Hill spent over Sunday in Grand Rapids with her Lowell Saturday evening.

Hardy of Grand Rapids were in Mrs. E. E. Hatch of Edmore is visiting relatives here.

George Shaw's grocery sports Sunday and Monday with friends

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Look and Village gardening is under way.
Time to shut up those chickens were in Grand Rapids Sunday.

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Visiting his sister, Mrs. Will Mal
Mrs. E. H. Misner, and Mrs. for 6t, adjustable here undergraph Mrs. F. H. Misner and Mrs. for fit. adjustable hem. underarm John Kropf spent one day last shields. See them at Collar's.

Phone 35 instead of 6 for Bus week in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. C. E. Jakeway returned Monday. Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ware of last week from a visit with her Howdy Pap! Are you plan-South Boston called. on Mrs. brother at Zephyr Hills, Florida. Miss Cora Meyers and friend of Freeport called on friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd DeYoung of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Buss.

South Boston caned. on Mrs. If you want a new milch cow, a good horse or a used car at the right price, call E. V. Storey at day with Mrs. Stanley Buss.

Mrs. John Hartley of Detroit is with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Buss.

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Edwin Fallas was in Grand

Mrs. Claude Staal was a Grand

R. M. Shivel was in Grand Rap-

Mrs. Raymond Bergin spent Saturday in Grand Rapids.

R. E. Springett' was in Grand

Misses Grace and Ruby Brezina

Miss Allen of Grand Rapids

spent Sunday with her parents.

Claude W. Parker, son of George

., has moved from Ionia to

Mrs. Ava Wardell is spending a week with relatives in Grand

Licensed to wed: Joseph Ver-lin, Ada; Julia Brinkmann, Grand

Mrs. L. C. Hildreth is visiting

er granddaughter in Grand

Mrs. Mary Adams and Mrs. F

B. McKay were in Grand Rapids

Mr. and Mrs. Mynard Zindema

visited Sunday at Mr. and Mrs.

Miss Bernice Creaser spent the week end in Grand Rapids with

Howdy Pap! Are you planning on that trip to Ionia Tuesday, May 1?

Fred Treat of Grand Rapids

spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Bowen.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hunter were Grand Rapids visitors the

Miss Frances Leonard spent

Ray Nicol's.

her parents.

Rapids Tuesday on business.

were in Grand Rapids Monday.

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Lake Odessa called on Mrs. Ed.
Walker one day last week.

Kenneth Chase and Mrs. Ed.
Walker and Audrey spent over
Walker and Audrey spent over
Sunday with relatives at Saranae

Mrs. E. H. Collar.

A farewell reception was given Mrs. E. H. Cambell Tuesday after-noon at the home of Mrs. Helen Dudley, Stanton & Sabin, Geo.
Wanted Dudley, Stanton & Sabin, Geo.
Wagar, Miss Lena Cook.

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Description are visiting her parameters at the Lowell postoffice for J. H. Draper, C. Dudley, Stanton & Sabin, Geo.
Wagar, Miss Lena Cook.

her home in Constantine tomorrow after spending a week with children, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boye

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Walsh and bicycle and auto blanket. Bicycle
row after spending a week with children, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boye
yellow color and had new front

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in the private dining room at them. of Uncle Sam's service can obtain Walter M. Hewett, son of the 6:30. Following the banquet full information of Postmaster late Moses A. and Emily Hewett, the club attended the Powers

full information of Postmaster Hunter at the Lowell postoffice, which has been designated as a recruiting station.

Miss Esma Gosch returned last week from Blodgett Memorial hospital, where she was operated upon for appendicitis three weeks ago. She also underwent an operation on her foot about two months ago at Butterworth hospital. Her many friends are glad pital. Her many friends are glad He is survived by his widow and was made to Grand Rapids and

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Theatre



Shown at Powers Theatre week of April 2

You Can't Afford to Miss It!

> Mr. and Mrs. John Rennells and laughters May and Vivian spent

Sunday with their parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Stephen Rennells .- Mrs. Clyde

rancisco was a Lowell visitor Tue

lay -Mrs. Carrie Porter has been

sick and under the doctor's care.

Mrs. Charles Jakeway, Mrs. John

Kropf, Mrs. D. P. Atwater and Mrs.

H. Runciman and children of Low

ll spent Wednesday with Mrs. Clyde

rancisco - Mrs. Jay Cummins and

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Rennel's spent

Tuesday with Mrs. Chris Kropf .-

Earl Brown is giving his house a new ;

and under the doctor's care .- Mrs

W. Rouse spent Friday afternoon

with Mrs. Glenn Ford. -Mr. and Mrs. Harley Pickens spent Saturday and

Mrs. Selgel Norman and Mrs. Carr

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Huffman spent

Sunday with Mrs. Louis Wingeler .-

Peter Peterson spent Sunday with

unday with Eva Andrews.

Louva Church .- Will Engle spent

MORSE LAKE.

side. - Mrs. Anna Fairchilds went to

Saranac Monday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pinkney.—Mr.

Bad Cough? Feverish? Grippy?

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Johnson and

spent Sunday with Mrs. W. Rouse .-

Sunday, April 22

A Thrill Every Minute!

A Sensation!

A Pleasure!

MOTORNO A CHICARATA TARA ANTA ANTA CALL

"Large audience held spell-

bound. The film is a wonder

in every sense of the word and

the public should not miss see-

ing it."-The Herald.

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Matinee 2:30, 25c.

Seats Now Selling. Evening, 6:45 - 9:00, 25c and 50c. 100, 25c; 111, 50c-Evening Performance

Clean up days April 24 and 26

children.

Ed. Walker made a business club will meet with Mrs. Gordon trip to Grand Rapids one day

The Vergennes Co-operative club will meet with Mrs. Gordon day in Grand Rapids.

Frost Thursday, April 26. O. J. Yeiter went to Jackson Ada real estate transfer: John this week after a new car.

Family

Little folks Mrs. Lee Jones and children

went to join Mr. Jones at Ionia as well as the big folks-and they soon get to have "favorites" of There are besides special chilren's records of well-known songs

is here or near, and Lasby's Place has the best of the

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with all the Fixings. Come on in.

It's right in our line. Folks say the Eats are fine

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and recitations which are the Fairchilds has been ill the past week. Bring the children In to hear some of the special Victor Records for children. We'll gladly -A party of young people from her Center Friday night and reported a good time.-Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Vilkinson and Mr. and Mrs. Wills play them and tell you how If you have anything in the Wilkinson and daughter Laura of easy it is to get a Victor Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Whitman Kiel.-There will be union meeting of Snow, Whit-West Bowne and West Lowell at the p. m. One of our bishops will pre-

Jeweler and Optician

day were Mrs. N. V. Warner and son Maggie and Mark Bowen were Sun-Oakfield Center and Warren Lusk of Maggie and Mark Bowen were Sakheid Center and Warren Luck Of Jackson.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Patter-and family.—Maggie Bowen, who son and family spent Sunday at Hilunable to return to school yet,—Mrs.
A. E. Denny attended the entertain-

children returned to Lausing Sunday evening.—Scott Lowe and daughter Laura spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clark.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Raymond and son of Lowell visited with his mother Mrs. Raymond and Mrs. Raymond and Mert Sinclair and family Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. Ray Seese and daughter Vadia spent Sunday with Ray's uncle Semiah Seese of near Exercise.

Freeport.—Arthur Clark is building the wall for his barn.—Mrs. Bel e Stark, who has been visiting for some time with Miss Josephine Salebury, returned to her home in Chicago

Quick Lunches

The teachers' training class will meet with the superingendent Thursday evening.—W. Hesche and family and C. Richards and family attended and C. Richards and family attended to Rob Long meeting Sunday. the Rob Jones meeting Sunday.— Howard Ferrall of Lansing spent Sunday at home.—Ira Westbrook Sunday at home,—Ira Westbrook has a new cream separator.—Listen for the wedding bells.—S. P. Reynolds attended the directors' meeting of the Grange Fire Insurance last week.—The Aid Society held at the Grange hall was well attended.—Ray Cornell and C. Cole purchased new cars last week.—B. Tompson of Chicago is here for a short time working on his farm

From the soles of your shoes to the brim of your

"Dress up" "Spruce up" And hurry up!

Yes, hurry up--for in another week you'll be unable to "dress up" the way you can now.

There won't be the variety of MICHAELS—STERN

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ing of nice weather deliveries will be uncertain THOMAS

Citizen's Phone No. 6. LOWELL, MICH.

week.—B. Tompson of Unicago is here for a short time working on his farm.

—Vernor Seeley has hired out to Claude Yelter for the summer.—A so-claude Yelter for the summer.—A so-claude will be held at the Grange hall Friday evening. Light refreshments will be served.

That Job Printing the neat, attractive kind. Ledger Office will be served.

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America's foremost writer of his work is in constant demand by leading periodicals and publishing houses. For a number of years he was a railroader in the Roc'ty mountain country, and life is reflected in this serial. We believe that you surely will enjoy "Nan of Music Mountain," because the characters are unusually impressive, the plot well made and the movement vigor-

CHAPTER I. however unobtrusive, indicates steam fries finally summoned a show of im- "What does that mean?" whistled except when there was some aren't you?" he demanded threaten- "I'm not going fice of the division superintendent at stick to the railroad business. You softly the while, open collar and tie, his sunburnt lips "I have no immediate heirs." were shut tight, and his nervous brown This is not a matter for joking, De room.

the discomfort apparent on the faces good men for that, and good guards-"Hang it, John," blurted out De chance if the pay is right. And the

dred yards, bull's-eye count. I thought

fever grumbled on. "The Morgans ran in a girl to shoot against us-Nan Mountain skirt simply put it all over

Morgan, old Duke Morgan's little niece.

at each other, instead of against each other, instead of against each other, instead of against each other, you'd have got built's-eyes to burn from De Spain. And the Calabase crowd wouldn't have your left wouldn't have your left wouldn't have your left will count."

It casts two shadows side by side.

The same reason.

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basse crowd wouldn't have your held the younger man under his spell. If the match if you want to win money, you must study the psychological. There was abundance of raillery in left why you are left for the left f

time to shoot a bear is when you see river stages." him. John, what kind of a fellow is "As bad us that?"

told him the superintendent wanted of cash."

him to go to work at Sleepy Cat. He De Spain asked what the job was. who had been robbed, lately, to provide it. Her companion scolded her declared he had always hated the "On the stages," announced Lefever, for stirring up talk that might make town, raised one objection after anoth- "I am now general superintendent of trouble; averred she didn't believe er to leaving Medicine Bend, and Jef- the Thief River line."

"Yes, but not for motion without the Lefever took off his hat and twirled De Spain, discontented, turning Sleepy Cat, a railroad town lying al- want to get me into the stage busi- "I believe you'd better change your ing the horses over and inspecting the most within gunshot of the great continental divide. De Spain, tilted back "Temporarily, yes. But I've told "No," returned De Spain meditawagons with a new but mild curiosity awakened by Jeffries' proposal, De walnut rim of the shabby, cloth- Thief River stages. Think of the sal- the crown discontentedly, and, rising He knew every man, woman and child with a loss of amiability in his fea- in the town. Before the tragic death

barrel of a new rifle, that lay across "I know that, too. How many men the full length of Main street. The was a railroad man, anyway-a modest Lefever's lap. At intervals Lefever have been shot on the stages in the street was still filled with loiterers trainmaster—and not eager for stageexamined with care a fracture of the lever, the broken thumbpiece of which lay on the table between the two men.

From the Main street side of the large room came the besting and clatlarge room came the hooting and clat- The Thief River mines are rotten with Calabasas and Morgan's gap. The little ahead. Of these, the middle and these noises seemed not to allay drive a stage. We supply you with ing were out to the last retainer. disreputable air. His face was drawn .

Satterlee, laziest of the Morgans. De spain at once recognized in the dancing partner the little Music Mountain who had been blowned and when that day comes and should be made the basis of all the control of the can, instrains of a two-step. Gale Morgan extended his arm toward Nan; she looked very slight at his side. Then, responding with a sort of fiery improved by the strains of a two-step. Gale Morgan extended his arm toward Nan; she looked very slight at his side. Then, responding with a sort of fiery improved the strains of the strains. The strains of the str

didn't find sympathy and shelter with would turn loose on this crowd and kill the girl's pretty eyes. Gale, calling demanded Lefever, starting in protest. some of the Morgans? I believe they half a dozen. And there's two of Duke shead to the others, invited their at-"I mean I need him. I mean the are in every game pulled on the Thief Morgan's cowboys with them, boozing tention to the man on the street cor-

old Bull Page, and that squint-eyed Sas-soon—he's worse than the others, that turning their inspection as insolently (Prepared by the United States Depart- state of cultivation, at first only that De Spain?" demanded the superintend- Jeffries turned to his desk. "Ask fellow—a fine bunch to allow in this as silence could. Each face was faithexclaimed with emphasis: "Why, if you but John was a poor adviser. He advant him short and sharp, he's a man vised no one on any subject. He whistails concerning men, and he took an one on any subject. He whistails concerning men, and he took an one on any subject. He whistails concerning men, and he took an one on any subject. He whistails concerning men, and he took an one of an ample quantity of made to follow in the furrow of the man of close squeaks and short-arm his arm, at times, suddenly, as if on Logan carried his gun in front of his Rat river at Grant street, and con- letin 729, of the U. S. department of land may be turned deeper, the inshots, always getting into trouble, al- the brink of a positive assertion. He hip. Sandusky's holster was slung neets the whole south country—the agriculture, which deals with corn culways getting out; a man that can decided nothing, and asserted nothing, higher and farther back on the side. Spanish sinks, the Thief River gold ture in the Southeastern states. All tity of vegetable matter incorporated wheedle more out of a horse than any- But concerning the Morgans and their Logan wore a tan shirt and khaki, San- fields, the saw-toothed Superstition land, the bulletin points out, intended in the course of the last preparation. body but an Indian; coax more shots friends, he did abandon his habitual dusky, coatless, was dressed in a white range, Morgan's gap, and Music moun- for the profitable cultivation of corn When a soil of the required depth has out of a gun than anybody else can reticence. "Rustlers, thieves, robbers, shirt, with a red tie, and wore a soiled, tain with Sleepy Cat and the railroad. should be stocked with humus as soon been established the turnplow may be put into it-if you want him flat, that's coiners, outlaws!" he exclaimed ener- figured waistcoat fastened at the bot-"Tell him to come in a minute, John," today, John?" asked De Spain. how much money these men had been encounter had stirred him. He already vetch, the clovers and beggarweed. By a compact layer, De Spain himself expressed con- "Never mind my money. I've got a spending all day. She wondered aloud, hated the Morgans, at least all except the use of such crops and the incor- Plowing is best done when samples

half the stories she heard; asserted | "It means that I am to be your at bases minding their own affairs, "And they're kind to poor folks, too," "Sure" brough the windows of the private of 'pro.'" objected De Spain. "I want to it skillfully on one hand, humming again into Main street, continued on to in the superintendent's chair, sat near you when you come back to the diviLefever—Jeffries bad the mountain dision proper, you come as my assisthad glory enough out of this town for
He had virtually decided not to take vision then—his feet crossed on the ant, if you make good running the a while." He picked up his hat, poked the job. Medicine Bend was his home. tures and manner, walked out of the of his father, his mother had lived room.

up into a one-sided smile. Satt Mor-

men.

"John," blurted out De shly, "what possessed you me to do the shooting, any-onlion answered gently—

men willing to take any kind of a chance if the pay is right. And the pay is right, and yours as general manager will be right,"

De Spain Changes His Mind.

Before De Spain had walked far he heard music from the open-air dancing and stouter. His square, heavy-jawed, heard music from the open-air dancing and stouter. His square, heavy-jawed, smooth-shaven face was lighted by hard, keen eyes, and finished by an unsubstance of the pay is right. And the gard is right to divine from her expression. Was, at least, disdainful of her morning rival.

Reaching the station platform while still busy with his thoughts, De Spain hard, keen eyes, and finished by an unsubstance of the pay is right. And the pay is right, and yours as general manager will be right,"

The willing to take any kind of a chance if the pay is right. And the pay is right, and yours as general manager will be right,"

Before De Spain had walked far he heard music from the open-air dancing payilion in Grant street. Stirred by an incontinuous proposition in Grant street. Stirred by an incontinuous payilion in Grant street.

self as a spy into their strong-

White-And why is he applying

one of the happiest days of your life. is a professional witness, isn't he?"



and, in addition, a part or all of the the land to be prepared. By thoroughnitrogen necessary for the corn is ob- 'ly pulverizing the surface with the



moisture is the depth to which the land in one direction. It is especially valutering of a Frontier day celebration, gold just now. But you don't have to Morgans themselves and their follow- horseman was a spare man of frankly She, Too, Was Browned by the Moun- depth, it has been found, is from 8 where it is necessary to avoid open fur-

The influx of piepiant from the fashionable quarters for rhubarb piemath it be as thoroughly cleansed and that it be as thoroughly cleansed and that it be as thoroughly cleansed and advance over "common." The result has a dvance over "common." The result has a dvance over "common." sterilized as the can itself. It can un-

At Any Rate, She Ought Te.

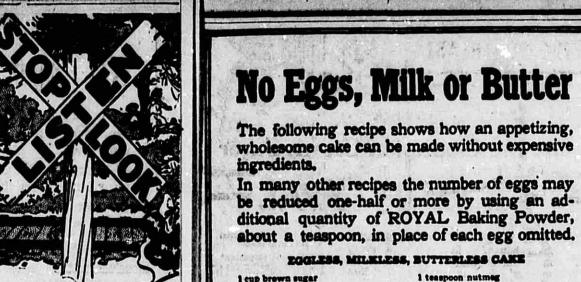
"Don't you think people's taste in reading changes?"

"Yes," replied Miss Cayenne. "Be
"Be Bacon-That's what I say. This is ville Courier-Journal. "The fellow you spoke to just now reading changes?"
a professional witness, isn't he?"
"Yes," replied Miss Cayenne. "Be-"The fellow you spoke to just now a professional witness, isn't he?"
"Yes," replied Miss Cayenne. "Before marriage a girl reads Omar Khay
yam. After, she reads a cook book."

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Appalling as this record seems, it is
only a fraction of the real number. The
symptoms of cholera infantum and arsenical poisoning are almost identical.
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The Usual Way.

He-How did this fire go out?

The Army of

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"There's a Reason"

Sunday School Teacher-Willie, who was born in Bethlehem? Willie-Charles M. Schwab.

LESSON FOR APRIL 22

JESUS ANOINTED AT BETHANY.

LESSON TEXT-John 12:1-11. GOLDEN TEXT-She hath done what

The old method (fruit cake) called for 2 eggs

**BAKING POWDER** 

Made from Cream of Tartar, derived from grapes,

should have any settled occupation, and fantastic nature, said at a Washington spiritual gifts, he had come to their almost before he was within hailing not, I'll give you five cents' worth of came conscious, she looked up at fathe only thing in the nature of work that Johnnie had ever seen him do was to write checks. At school Mary announced that her father was a doctor.

In ounced that her father was a doctor.

In our condition of the private who visited the canteen and not private who visited the canteen a "My father is a lawyer," said Ed- "Yes, sir,' said the canteen keeper, Lazarus, just as he returned to Cana lines to tell me anything about it, and fully sighted across the lawn. "I'll honor, did you knock me down with

Yet fires are more expensive than rats. In 1915—the last year for which

mation's dollars."

"They are, eh? Well, I've got \$18.50 the mind. for the body, for the home. Where are they? Aren't you going to arranged it on the kitchen table. She

A motion picture camera that use? in the bank, I'll just draw it out and show those fellows a thing or two."

for the garden, for the field, and for the search of her father. "Go and eat, can be used to project pictures has been considered in the search of her father. "Go and eat, can be used to project pictures has been considered in the search of her father. "Go and eat, can be used to project pictures has been considered in the search of her father. "Go and eat, can be used to project pictures has been considered in the search of her father. "Go and eat, can be used to project pictures has been considered in the search of her father. "Go and eat, can be used to project pictures has been considered in the search of her father. "Go and eat, can be used to project pictures has been considered in the search of her father. "Go and eat, can be used to project pictures has been considered in the search of her father. "Go and eat, can be used to project pictures has been considered in the search of her father. "Go and eat, can be used to project pictures has been considered in the search of her father. "Go and eat, can be used to project pictures has been considered in the search of her father. "Go and eat, can be used to project pictures has been considered in the search of her father. "Go and eat, can be used to project pictures has been considered in the search of her father." for the garden, for the field, and for give us one?"

tices all he knows. Humanity is unequally divided be and to smile at the jest which plants mental paralysis marveling over a and eat your supper. It's just a cold tion in liquids and delays their flow.

of the PARSONAGE By ETHEL HUESTON

"You are mistaken, father. Jerry is Mark that modern lovers were mostly "I do not think I can eat," said Carol. all right, and always was, I am sure. crazy, anybow! This is a lesson of Jesus in the It is nothing like that. I told him to And springtime came again.

home. It occurred at the beginning of go, and not to come again. That is Now the twins were always original think we have giready eaten." master; the worker, Martha; the wor "But if be should come back pow-" lowed blindly after the dictates of cusshiper, Mary; the witness, Lazarus; "It would be just the same. Don't tom. And when other girls played to the haymow. When it grew dark out. An unconscious bit of wisdom "Prudence," he said, more tenderly, twins took unto themselves a big and died together on the woodbox beside fell from the lips of that good house- we have been the closest of friends heavy croquet balf—found in the Avery the stove. And down to them presents wife who exclaimed, "How much better my neighbors' houses look when I very beginning. Always you have come the closest of treather than the closest of treather t have my windows clean." Too much to me with your troubles and worries. any rate, they continued endangering "She is better!" cried Carol, spring-

hearts of all by the resurrection of Prudence have a quarrel? She de-The custom of hand-shaking dates

The cu much of a real man; therefore he enjoyed the pleasures of home as much as other men, and the joys of kinship and brotherhood. To none of the heavist in this home did he helps.

Does she miss me? Does she seem his hand.

Lark screamed, and Carol sank fainting to the ground. For an instant Mr. Starr himself stood swaying. Then he helps.

Produce.

greater joy than to that of Mary. She. "Look here, Jerry, I want to know. more than all others, listened to him, Why are you staying away?"

bitterness of the foes of Jesus. If sithout the slightest accession of colthey hate him, they will hate us (v. 10). or, "Yes, Carol. I had my picture a little better." Then the twins, in no dustry and patience are never out of knows something about all, and prac for Jerry. There aren't any more." | dadsie," she urged. But he shook his been invented in Europe for amateurs

"Well," sighed Lark resignedly. "It's head. a pretty idea for my book, anyhow."

From that day on Prudence always to the table at cnce." Wit loses its respect with the good wore the sparkling ring—and the wom- On their next trip into the house, contends it operates more rapidly the when seen in company with malice; en of the Methodist church nearly had Fairy stopped the twins. "Get Connie a round one, which causes a rotary in Humanity is unequally divided beiween those who can't stand prosperity and those who can't get any to
stand.

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185 Spark St., Brockton, Mass. in their amusements. They never fol- This novel plan was acted upon with

have my windows clean." Too much we are looking through the eyes of selfishness. Out of this lesson let us learn to look through unselfish eyes.

I. Unjust Criticism (vv. 1-6). It is six days before Jesus' last Passover. The accounts of Matthew and Mark suggest it to have been within two days, because they mentioned this feast after telling of the conspiracy of the chief priests and elders with Just as they are."

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In the with your troubles and worries. Have I ever failed you? Why, then, they all their lives and beauties by reckless pitching of the ungainly plaything. One Friday evening after school they were amusing themselves on the parsonage lawn with this huge ball. When their father turned in, they range to him with a sporting proposition. "Bet you a nickel, papa," cried Carol, spring their lives are face in Lerk's language that they were amusing themselves on the parsonage lawn with this huge ball. When their father turned in, they range their lives are shadowed by sorrows and perils that those of humbler stand perils that thos das, who came to his determination to sell his Master after the reprimand given him on this occasion.

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Then ne took a serious step, without to Des Moines, and had a visit with Jerry. He found him thinner, his face sterner, this face sterner, the face sterner than the face sterner t (1) The Value of Good Deeds. Je- his eyes darker. When the office boy ly in his hand. "I'm an anti-betting gained consciousness a little while French hospital; Alexandra of Russus did not forget, in the supreme announced "Mr. Start," Jerry ran society," he declared, laughing, "but 1 ago. There is really nothing serious sia, at the mercy of an unfriendly Why?" A government official, condemning a hour of his life, the friends whom he quickly out to greet him. come that did not require that he suggested war economy of a rather loved. To bring them some further were suggested war economy of a rather loved. To bring them some further the suggested war economy of a rather loved. To bring them some further the suggested war economy of a rather loved. To bring them some further the suggested war economy of a rather loved. To bring them some further the suggested war economy of a rather loved. To bring them some further the suggested war economy of a rather loved. To bring them some further the suggested war economy of a rather loved.

would go to bed now, so you can get up early in the morning and help us. I am to stay with Prudence tonight, but you may have to take turns in the morning. And you'll have to take turns in the morning. And you'll have to take turns in the

fast, too. So father thinks you would Get a 10-cent box. TRIFLES THAT MEAN MUC! bowels or sour, gassy stomach. Poisonous matter clogged in the in-Overlooked, They Cause Unhappiness testines, instead of being cast out Among Married Folk-Woman's of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes con-

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BOWNE M. E. CIRCUIT

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Bowne and we hope to have the fur-nace ready for use next Sunday, so

that services may be held in the

Sunday school at West Bowne at

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### THE NEW DE LAVAL.

BUTTER made from De Laval-separated cream has won first prise at every convention of the National Creamery Buttermakers' Association for the last twenty-five years, as well as in every other important contest, and you must admit that this fact can mean but one thing—

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De Laval-separated cream is better simply because the construction of the De Laval bowi makes close skimming possible at a speed so low that the butter-fat globules are delivered from the cream spout unbroken.

If you make butter yourself, or if you ship to a creamery and want the highest rating for your cream, you cannot afford to use any separator but the De Laval.



Have you seen the NEW De Laval? The new self-centering bowl with its patented milk distributor is the greatest improvement that has been made in cream separator construction in the last thirty years and we'd like to have a chance to show you how it works. The NEW De Laval also contains many other important improvements that we know will interest you.

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## F. B. McKay

Lee Crakes has rented and moved on the H. Maynard farm.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Godfrey and Alien and Letha of Hastings were guests of their parents here recently.—Our millionaires are selling their wheat for \$2,17 and beans for \$10.—Mr. and Mrs. J F. Sargent were treated to an auto ride Sunday by their brothers. Wm. and C. Sargent and wives of Grand Rapids, who visited them.—Mr. and Mrs. Gibson Jones of Lowell epent over Sunday at S. Y. Cary's.—Our Sunday school was reorganized OAK GROVE NEWS. Sam Scoby has moved to Sparta. -Mrs. Sam Scoby, Sr., has gone home to Grand Rapids after spending

epent over Sunday at S. Y. Cary's.

Our Sunday school was reorganized
Sunday.—I leut. Hubbel of Grand
Rapids was up Monday to see the
home folks and got between the plow
handles for the first time in eleven
years, just to see how it seemed.—
Mr. and Mrs. Ora Godfrey and children attended the three o'clock meeting at the City hall Sunday.

Mrs. Thorngren —Miss Ethel Thorngren and Paul Kellogg of Lowell
visited her mother Sunday.—Howard

visited her mother Sunday.—Howard Kyeor of Lowell visited Mr. Whitby

A present for brides in Lowell and surrounding towns-The Ledger six months. Apply to F. M. Johnson, Ledger office. tf

Railroad Time Cards

PERE MARQUETTE

last Monday to care for her sister.

Mrs. C. E. Woods, who is quite ill.— Rev. N. P. Brown has been attending the Mahood meetings at Lowell this

The Banner Bible class met Tuesday evening at the home of Mary and Addle Sinclair. A good time is re-

10 a. m. Preaching service at 11.
Sunday school at West Lowell at
12:30. Preaching service at 1:30
Sunday school at Bowne Center at
11 a. m. Preaching service at 7:30 Effective Feb. 18, 1917. East Bound—
7:40 a. m. Daily except Sunday
2:00p. m. Daily except Sunday
6:15 p. m. Daily
Mixed train leaves 10:47 a. m., daily ex. Sunday Special announcement for April 29, at 3 p. m. (eun time): One of the bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church at West Lowell, all other preaching services on the Bowne charge being suspended for the day.

The people of Whitneyville, Snow, Alto, South Lowell and Bowne are invited to join in this great service.

The meeting of the Board of Bishops in Grand Rapids makes this service possible.

East Bound—

6:33 a. m. Daily except Sunday
2:28 p. m. Daily except Sunday
6:28 p. m. Daily except Sunday

R. C. Parshall, Pastor. West Bound— 9:05 a. m. Daily except Sunday 12:31 noon Daily except Sunday 9:46 p. m. Daily except Sunday

SOUTH LOWELL. Mr. and Mrs. Van Houten and chiliren and the Misses Snyder of Lake Odessa were Sunday callers of John Schwarder and wife —Mr. and Mrs. Schwarder and wife—Mr. and Mrs.
John Acheson, Walter Wieland, Mrs.
C. G. Wieland, Mrs. Chas. Rittenger
and Mrs. D. F. Layer made an auto
trip to Grand Rapids Wednesday.—
Little Arline Behler is spending a few
days with her grandparents, Mr. and
Mrs. E. Kiel, of Lowell.—Earl McDiarmid spent the week end with rel-

atives in Kalamazoo.-Mrs. Godfrey Reusser was taken to Grand Rapids Monday evening where she will undergo an operation.-The Primary, Intermediate and Junior classes of the Sunday school and their teachers C. W. Barber, Washington St., says: will meet with Mrs. C. G. Wieland "I had rheumatic pains and lumbago. Saturday from two until four.—Mr. The kidney secretions passed too fre- and Mrs. Eliab McDiarmid and Mil-Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Davis of Detroit and looking after her grandson. RIVERSIDE ECHOES

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Sevrey of East Jordan are visiting Mrs. S.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Fryover. -Maurice Fryover, who is working near Ionia, visited his parents Saturday and Sunday.—Sunday visitors at S. G. Fryover's were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Fryover and Dorothy Fryover of Lowell.-Miss Deletta Melieur Moseley.—Miss Letha and Mary Rummell of Moseley spent Saturday with their aunt, Mrs. J. Melhulzen.— The Improvement club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Burton Perry next Saturday evening.

Note:-Cards of thanks are classed as advertising and charged as such. Editor.

**ALTO VILLAGE NOTES** The W. F. M. S. met Sunday at the Methodist parsonage —Thomas Van Order was suddenly called away last Sunday to the bedside of his wife. he was visiting her daughter at Belding when she had a stroke of paralysis. Her condition is serious and the doctors think her recovery is very doubtful.—Jesse Boulard has

# A Good Word

## From Wisconsin

The following letter from Rev. E. Jesse Harris, of Florence, Wisconsin, speaks for itself:

Please send me your lowest price for your flour, the Lily White. Will take at least two barrels, possibly three. "You certainly have the best flour we've ever used." This is indisputable evidence of the high quality of Lily White Flour, but better still your dealer is instructed to sell

## Lily White

"The Flour the Best Cooks Use"

under the guarantee to return your money if you do not like it as well or better for both bread and pastry baking than any flour you ever used. We mean just what this guarantee says. Furthermore, our reputation and resources are behind every sack and every ounce of Lily White Flour. Lily White is probably the best family flour made, and we want you to try it. You will wonder why you didn't begin using it sooner. Packed in 5 lb., 10 lb., 24½ lb., 49 lb. and 98 lb. sacks.

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Grand Rapids, Mich.

#### Keene Grange April 27. Keene Grange No. 270 will hold

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ing, April 27. Refreshments will

be served and every member is

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This spring every far-sighted farmer will use every foot of land for crops. He knows

We have 20 acres of beautiful pasture

land in Ada township, section 24, which we

will be glad to rent. It is the south ½ of the sw ¼. We rent to highest bidder. What is

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it worth to you?

TO-DAY'S

the big demand for food-stuffs.

Council Proceedings.

Regular meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Lowell, held in the Council Rooms Monday, April

supported by Trustee McKay. Yeas 5.
A communication from F. M. Johnson was received, read and referred to the Finance committee.

Street Commissioner's reports for the weeks ending March 24th, 31st, April 7th and 14th were read and or-dered placed on file.

The Finance committee reported

The bond and application of Louis

Michigan Bonding and Surety Co.,

was received and on motion of Trus-

The clerk was ordered to post

notices in both papers regarding clean-up days which will be April 24th

the piles will be punished.

Moved by Trustee Lee, supported

by Trustee Archart, that the salary

of the Marshall and Street Commis

sloner be increased from this date, to

the following amount: Marshal \$2 50

The following resolution was read

Fund to the General Fund. Motion

GENERAL FUND

CITY HALL OPERATING FUND

LIGHT & POWER.

urday called out the fire depart- per week, Street Commissioner \$9.00

neighbors had done so well that and on motion of Trustee Archart

but little was left for the fire laddies to do.

J. J. Brezina will be "Mine Host" of Hotel Waverley begin-

which insures a hotel service sat- Archart, Lee, Mange, McKay and

Drop Good Roads Plans for On motion of Trustee Lee, supported by Trustee McKay the following bills were allowed:

tirely to repairing the present Citizens Telephone Co.

roads and no new work will be Bert Charles

roads commissioner, after he had Walter Gibson

learned of the recommendation L & P. Fund

One of the principal aims of the F. J. McMahon

sion is to keep the men on the Melvin Kingdom

farms. Conservation of labor for | Mabel Charles

increasing the food supply is F. E. Williams E. Ridgeway City State Bank

roads work which could be ac- Paul Brunthaver

Esma Gosch.

-Herald.

Kent county highway commis- R. L. Jones

country than the amount of good A. Laux

E. C. Walker

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Lowell Journal

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James McMahon

A. A. Scott

Lowell Journal

The Bristol Co.

Lewis Electric Co

A. T. Knowlson Co.

Electric Appliance Co.

Total General Fund

ways during the illness of our ported by Trustee Weekes, council daughter and sister Erma, and adjourned.

Light & Power

City Hall Op.

C. J. Litecher Electric Co.

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Western Elect. & Mfg. Co.

Westinghouse Elect. & Mfg. Co 135 54

TOTAL BILLS PAID

On motion by Trustee Mange sup-

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ment, but the home folks and The following see letter, year 5.

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pkg. Fancy Seeded Raisins..12c 1 pkg. Small Seedless Raisins...15c 2 lbs. Fancy Pruns............24c

6 bars Lennox Soap.....25c

7 bars Mohawk laundry soap..25c

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Bits of News About People and

Things You Know.

new Dodge car, to spend the day

Clare Cook of Grand Rapids at-

for his farm in Keene and assoon

as he can dispose of his grocery

A blaze in the Parks house in

ning May 1. Landlord Hosley

isfactory to the traveling public.

Season.

Good roads work in Kentcoun-

ty this year will be confined en-

This announcement was made

Thursday by Alvah Brown, good

of Governor Sleeper asking sus

pension of all public work that is

not absolutely essential.

complished in one summer.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to thank my relatives and

friends for the many beautiful

flowers and post cards sent me

during my recent illness at the

Blodgett hospital. Your kindness

CARD OF THANKS.

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to Mrs. Cheetham's class of the

M. E. Sunday school and others

who kindly assisted us in various

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business will move onto it.

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1 pkg. Small Seedless Raisins. 15c
2 lbs. Fancy Pruns. 24c
Large can Peaches. 16c
Best Tomato Catsup, bottle...12c
2 lbs. Peauut Butter. 30c
2 quarts shelled Popcorn 25c
2 lbs. Sq: Soda Crackers. 24c
40c Monarch Coffee. 35c
3-lb. can Monarch Coffee. \$1
Try our Quarkeress tea, ½lb...25c
The Finance committee reported favorably on the application and bond of T. F. Shiels and on motion of Trustee Lee, supported by Trustee Weekes, supported by Trustee Weekes, supported by Trustee McKay that P. C. Peckham be appointed to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of Trustee John Kellogs. Motion carried. Yeas 5, Arehart, Lee, Mange, McKay and Weekes. Arthur Armstrong was driving up grade in his motorcar and nearing a sharp turn.

The bond and application of F. A. Gould with the Michigan Bonding and Surety Co., in the sum of Three Thousand (3,000) dollars was received and on motion of Trustee Mange, supported by Trustee Archart, the bond was accepted and license granted. Yeas 5.

The bond and application of Louis 'Toot! Toot! Toot, toot, toot! On the other side of the summit the ground fell off. A motor was coming up at the accelerated speed used by Krieger and Patrick Welch with the all chauffeurs in hill climbing. At the wheel was a girl, the only occupant. tee Weekes, supported by Trustee Not being quick enough in turning or Archart, the bond was accepted and not having the strength, she shot out icense granted. Yeas 5.
The building permit of B C. Smith on to the wrong side of the road-on

was granted on motion of Trustee Lee, supported by Trustee Archart. Yeas 5. Armstrong's car received the blow on the bumper and was not injured. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Conklin and son Jack of Grand Rapids drove to Lowell Sunday in their the sidewalks under penalty of ar-The girl's car was put out of commission, and the girl-well, the girl was caught in Amstrong's arms. But it should be noticed that Armstrong was

a famous baseball catcher. "Are you hurt?" he asked anxiously. "I think not," she said, but she lay tended the Fisher party last
Thursday evening and was the
guest of his parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Chas. Lawyer.

Hobart Clark has traded his
village home to William Staples
for his farm in Keene and assoon ump in the stalwart arms. Armstrong looked down into her face anxiously. Her eyes were closed. His lips were within an inch of hers. He reduced

the interval to zero. "Oh, my! Good gracious!" she exclaimed, starting up and looking et her

"How fortunate!" said Armstrong. "Fortunate! Do you call that wreck

fortunate?" "I mean that you are not seriously

"But my brand new car is ruined." "Better that than you should have been killed or mangled. Had you been thrown arainst the car or hadn't miss-ed the with hield by a hair's breadth you wou have been killed. 's it was, being thrown into"—

He stopped short. "Oh, dear, what am I going to do?" moaned the girl. "I'll take you home. My car is all

ning May 1. Landlord Hosley has sold the bar to Louis Kreiger and Patrick Welch, who will also begin business May 1. The Brezinas will dispose of their restaurant business, the success of which insures a hotel service sat. with it?" Armstrong looked puzzled. They were in the country, far from any town.

"It's off the road," he said, "and won't endanger any one. We'll go to the nearest garage and have them send out for it. But I'm afraid it isn't worth hauling in."

This being the only thing that could be done, she consented reluctantly. Armstrong got out of his car, gathered up her belongings, then, returning to his car, pushed a button, pressed a foot brake, made other starting moves and began to descend the slope before him. The girl cast a lingering look at the wreck and wiped away a tear.

There is every reason to believe that Cupid had sat beside the girl and caused the disaster. Else why should it have occurred, and why should she \$ 62 50 have been shot into Armstrong's arms, being just enough upset to lie there long enough for him to kiss her ruby lips? And there is every reason to Lelieve that Cupid, having caused the collision, hopped into the rear seat of Armstrong's car. At any rate, everything from that moment was beautifully arranged to hasten a union between these two young persons.

In the first place, it was late in the afternoon and growing dark. As soon as he had started Armstrong pressed a button to turn on his lights. No light

"That's bad," he said. "The shock must have broken the electric connec-

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If Cupid was managing the affair this was his most important work. No one but a fool dare run an auto at night without lights. Another clever stroke was that Armstrong had no \$ 58 03 skid chains, and there was a lot of 853 51 ice on the road which heins of sec. ice on the road, which, being of asphalt, was thereby made very slippery. In addition to this, the country was hilly and the road full of turns. The time was late in November, and within twenty minutes after the collision darkness fell over the face of the land. Coming to what looked through the gloom as if the road suddenly endedit was a sharp turn-Armstrong pulled tains no narcotics. A standard as far out of the road as he dared and

at The Ledger office. Fortunate family medicine of many years stopped. "It'll never do to go any farther in this machine," he said. "Oh, dear, what shall we do?"

"We must find a house. And I don't and go on in the morning." "That would be impossible in my

ase." "Why so?" After some pressure the girl said

that her father and mother were French. The French have very stringent notions as to a girl being away from home, unaccounted for, overnight. Her life would be blighted. "We'll have to find a house, all the

it we can settle later.' Leaving the auto, they went back over the road, having seen a light

some distance to the rear. Maybe it had been put out. At any rate, they didn't find it. They wandered for miles before a house, darkened, loomed up before them. They were in a small village. Armstrong banged at the door till a man opened it. "Got a parson in this place?" Armtrong asked.

The couple went to the parson, call-

"Right over there in the house across

It is questionable whether Cupid ever did quicker work than this. From the moment the girl was pitched into Armstrong's arms till they were pronounced man and wife was just six hours and twenty-five minutes.

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quently and caused pain and annoyquently and caused pain and annoy-auce. I used different kinds of medi-cine, but without being helped. I tried Donn's Kidney Pills There. tried Doan's Kidney Pills. They troit, (nee Kate Kinyon, April 13, a regulated the action of my kidneys son,—Mrs. Orlando Kinyon is visiting and stopped the pains. Doan's Kidney Pills are the best kidney medicine I know of and I am glad to tell others about them.

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Justified. Rivers had just gone home and was stumbling over the things in the dark huizen spent Sunday with relatives

"What are you growling about, dear?" called out Mrs. Rivers from the "I am growling," he answered in his

deepest bass voice, "to drown the barking of my shins."-New York

Mortgage Sale. Default having been made in the payment of a certain mortgage dated May 11th, 1916, made and executed by Charles L. Parks and Mary Parks, his wife, also Mary Parks in her own Regin of the City of Grand Rapids, Kent County, Michigan, to Mary H. Bergin, of the Village of Lowell, County of Kent and State of Michigan, and recorded on the 17th day of May, 1916, at the office of the Register Mina Nortt was called to McCords of Deeds of Kent County aforesaid, in Liber 379 of Mortgages on pages 550-61. The amount due on said mortgage at this date of principal and interest is the sum of Twenty-five Hundred Fifty and 82-100 Dollars (\$2550 82) and an attorney fee of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25), provided for in said

mortgage and by statute and the further sum of Eighty-three and 50-100 Dollars (\$83.50) paid for taxes on said premises which were not paid by mortgagors and were paid by mortgagee and added to mortgage together with interest on the same is provided in said mortgage. No proceedings at law or in equity rave been instituted to recover said lebts or any part thereof, now theretatute in such case made and pro-

fore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the vided, notice is hereby given that on Monday, June 4th, 1917, at ten o'clock n the forenoon, we shall sell at puble auction to the highest bidder, at the North front door of the Kent County Court House in the City of Grand Rapids, Kent County, Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for said county is holden, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof amay be necessary to pay the amount tue on said mortgage with seven per cent interest and all legal costs tozether with the attorney fees proabefore mentioned.

Said premises are described in said mortgage as follows: Commencing at the Northwest corner of Section number twelve (12) in Township number six (6) North of Range number nine (9) West, running thence East one hundred fifty-one and onehaif (151%) rode, thence South to the see any way but for us to stay there North line of Rallroad, thence Westerly along the North elde of the Railroad to the West line of said Section, hence North to the place of begin ning. Also commencing on the West the of said Section number twelve (12) at a point where the South uarginal line of the Railroad crosses said Section line, thence South to the center of the highway, thence Easterly along the center of said highway to a point where same crosses the South line of the Northeast quarter (%) of the Northwest quarter (%) of said Section twelve (12), thence Eastsame," said Armstrong. "The rest of erly to the quarter (%) line of said Section, thence North to the South marginal line of the Railroad line. thence Westerly on the South mar-ginal line of said Railroad to the West line of said Section, thence South to the place of beginning, being part of the Northwest quarter (½) of Section twelve (12) and being same as in 353-189 of Deeds, except therefrom five (5) acres described, vis: Com-mencing on the West line of said Section twelve (12) at a point where the South marginal line of the Grand Trunk Ratiroad crosses said Section line, thence South to the center of the highway, thence Easterly along the center of said highway fortyeight and one-half (48%) rods, thence North to the South marginal line of sald Railroad line, thence Westerly on the South marginal line of said Railroad to the West line of said Section to the place of beginning and being same as in 400 of Deeds on page 421, all being in the Township of Lowell, Kent County, Michigan. Dated Lowell, Michigan, March 13th, 1917.

Mary H. Bergin, Mortgagee. R. E. Springett, Attorney for Mortgagee. 51

The Imported Percheron Stallion

#### STALLION REGISTRATION

Certificate of Pure Bred Stallion No. 625. Laws of Michigan, Public Act No. 256, P. A. 1914. The pedigree of the stallion "GARAGE," No. 79484, American; 71335, Foreign. Owned by F. P. Hakes; P. O. Lowell; Co. Kent; described as follows: Percheron; color, black; markings, none; foaled in the vear, May 17,1907; weight, 2130, has been examined, and it is hereby certified that said stallion is of pure breeding and is registered in a Stud Book recognized by She Michigan State Veterinary Board .- S. BRENTON, V. S., Secre-Dated at Lansing this 2nd day of May, 1913. tary Michigan State Veterinary Board.

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