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10,000 DOLLARS

Howard Steckwell Has Commenced a Damage Suit

AGAINST SHERIFF JUDSON, JO-SEPH DOANE, ET AL.

False Imprisonment and Obtaining Money Under Duress Charged.

Through his Attorneys, Messrs. whor and R. L. Crane of Saginaw. Howard Stockwell has commenced a \$10,000 damage suit against Sheriff Judson, Deputy Canfield, of Ann False imprisonment and obtaining

Stockwell was arrested about the middle of January upon a charge of where he was at work. He states that he was kept in jail until after. he had paid over a considerable sum of money to the Doanes, when he was sun tuarily released without a hear-ing or trial.

AMUSEMENTS.

THEY ARE ONLY WRONG WHEN CARRIED TO EXCESS.

Rev. J. H. Herbener's Sunday Discourse in Presbyterian Church.

representative from Rev. Mr. Her- decide for you, or criticize. readers, in that it puts the matter of 14:4) "Who art thou that judgest amusements, such as dancing, card another man's servant? To his own playing theatre attending, and the master he standeth or falleth." To the in a different way from that the Galatians Paul said (Ch. 5:1) taught by some of his brother "Stand fast therefore in the liberty

world and the means even now this.—That those who condemn changes to expensive the series of the condemn of the generally used are not only not calculated to accomplish that end—they are not even calculated to win But the direction as to abstaining dock bross.

depending upon the one instrumen- as it was conditioned upon others tality, the pulpit, the church must ignorance as to what was right and utilize the four other avenues through at least to the extent of knowing which the hearts of humanity can be what is right, what is innocent and reached—the school, the stage, the what is wrong. As therefore the stump and the press. But even in world is 1900 years older than when the pulpit there is room for far more Paul wrote to the Corinthians it is intelligence than is often manifested, time to cease barping on the tem-A greater knowledge both of human porary provision about "not eating nature and of the Bible is necessary meat for the sake of an ignorant before many will be won to the brother"—it is time for the church church. The uncompromising con- to change its policy, manifest more demnation of amusements which in wisdom and instead of building themselves are innocent and are walls around men, give them the wrong only when carried to excess, freedom to which shev have the may influence those who do not God-given right and without which know more than the man who strength of character cannot be condemns them, but will only excite developed nor self-controlled. It is the ridicule of intelligent people, timelor the church to cease condemn-Like Moses' directions about divorce, ing things which intelligent men of the Biblical laws for the control of this day know are innocent, and slavery and Moses' injunction upon appropriate them instead, and women to keep silence, etc., we now control them and use them for its Cumingham, A. J. Sawyer of Ann know that Paul's direction to the own upbuilding." Corinthians not to offend weak, i.e., ignorant brethren by eating meat offered to idols was not only a temporary direction but usees Arbor and Frank Haywood, Wm. in their case only because of the Mosher and Joseph Doane of Salem. ignorant ones in their midst. Those who have applied this precept of the FRANK WARD RAN A RUSTY NAIL money while under duress is the Apostle so rigidly to the various forms of amusement also seem to ignore the fact that he gave exactly the opposite direction to the Colesattempted assault upon Mrs. Doanc sians; Col. 2-1s. "Let no man there- Inflicted a Painful but Not Dangerfore judge you in meat, or in drink." The Greek word here translated "judge" is krine from the root of which we get the word criticise, another meaning of which as given by the Greek Lexicon is "decide for." Colossian Christians was "Let no and struck on his hands, one of which drink, or in respect of an holy day, which was protruding in an tigly etc." Putting the two together, manner up through a board. The

wherewith Christ has made us free' "For many centuries the followers and to Eltus (Ch. 1:15) he said "Unto of Jesus looked upon the conversion the pure all things are pure, but of individuals as the design of the unto them that are defiled and Cospel, whereas we now know that unbelieving is nothing pure." If its end is the renovation of the this teaches anything, it teaches

souls to the church. Instead of does not apply to this day inasmuch sconer or later appropriate and wrong, and men now are intelligent

THROUGH HIS HAND

LAST WEEK.

ons Wound.

Frank, the 12 year old son of Rev and Mrs. W. M. Ward fell from off a What Paul therefore said to the ladder last week Saturday afternoon mair decide for you in ment, or in came in contact with a rusty na? they amount to about this: If your nail entered near the center of the neighbor is ignorant and liable hand and passed so near through because of his ignorance to stum! le the palm of the hand that it could over your course, abstain from that be seen from the back. The board ourse even though you know it to be containing the nail was frozen to the innocent. But if on the other hand ground and the lad was lastened as he presumes to dictate to you, then tight as though he were a part of you ought to follow the very course the board itself and all efforts to he thinks is wrong, if you know it to extract himself proved unavailing. be innocent, simply to feach him Frank Fry was passing about that The following taken by a Record that he has no right to dictate, time and his services were brought into requisition but he was able only bener's Sunday evening discourse in To those who criticise or condemn to effect a release by chopping the Presbyterian church will no others for doing that which they board loose and carrying the boy in to the house. Dr. Johnson was then board loose and carrying the boy incalled and after big effort succeeded in extracting the nail and applied the necessary treatment for relief. nicely now, some of the swelling has

> A thrill of terror is experienced when a brassy cough of croup sounds through the house at night. But the terror soo changes to relief after One Manute Cough Cure has been administered.

gone down and the doctor appre

hends no serious results.

ANOTHER PIONEER

Isaac Slaght Aged 79 Died Early Yesterday Murning.

Isaac Slaught, who has been ill for ome time past, died at his home in the west part of the village early yesterday morning, aged 79 years. Mr. Slaght was one of the pioneers of this county and had lived in Northville for more than half a century. He was well known and highly respected. He leaves a widow, one son, and one daughter. Mrs. Geo. Whipple. The funeral occurs Sunday.

Suburban News.

The Sheehan vs Plymouth village water works suit is to be settled by

Robins have come.—Farmington

And so has the blue bird, roses and

each blossoms—but not this year. The nice things said by our ex-hanges about the Leader's sixteenth birthday are appreciated—Milan

All taffy Smith: all taffy

-Cizar Manufacturer Eleisher of Wayne lost both his team and traveling man last week. The former be ound in Romulus and the latter in New York.

Rev. J. S. Boyden, a Baptist prea ther of Kalamazoo, says he has preached 317 funeral sermons in Nov during the last 41 years. - Mr. Boyden was located in Novi for some years

Price and Sullivan, Delray shoe dealers advertised: "Come in and get a pair of our shoes." and now went in early Saturday morning and got six pairs.

Going the rounds of the press: "A paragraphist has written a song entitled . Hag Me to Death, Darling. It is intended for a duet and no audience. Hit is a success it will be a 'tight squeeze.'

Schambers' boy unearthed peculiar coin one day last week. It is about as large around as a Last dollar, but much thinner. On one side is stamped a harp and the date, 1820. On the reverse is a head sur-rounded with a wreath. The metal s supposed to be brass.—Wayne Re-

"pension -trauds" probably have led the common council at Ann Arbor to publish in the official paper the name of all who receive city aid. This will drive some newspaper chaps up there, to the cup sure. Think of Beakes, Beal, Morgan and Liesimer, being compelled to go in and buy their groceries! But they will do it, before being published as on the city list. Newspaper men are proud, if not honest.—Adrian Press.

Carleton is a ratty town. Hear this from the Times: "It was not nuch of a day for rats, but a few of our boys, with two dogs; succeeded in killing 108 rats in a short time one day this week. They were in a small building near town and by taking up the floor were found in a space not more than eight feet square. The dogs, though fox terriers, seemed to be at home in the rat business and did lively work.'

Independent wore off a good hat from the opera house there the other night and left his old battered derby in its stead. Then the good hat owner hied himself to the Independent office and advertised the headgear loss and Jennings dared neither to wear the good hat or go for his old one. In the meantime he is trying to explain that he always goes about bareheaded, as it prevents one from getting bald.

Dr. Warren is telling a story on himself that is certainly good enough to brint. The doctor spent last Sunday in Detroit and as he was walking down Grand River avenue a policeman came up behind him and laving a hand on his shovider gave the command to "come along with him." The doctor protested that there must be a mistake, but the bluecoat gruffly informed him "that he knew him and he was just the man he wanted." The doctor, with all due respect for the representative of the law, couldn't do a thing but acquiesce, and he marched along supposedly for the police station Finally, a suppressed laugh caused the doctor to scrutinize his captor more closely, when he recognized also Toilet Soaps and if you want a formerly of Highland Station, now on the police force, and who, it is needless to say, was greatly enjoying his little joke at the doctor's expense

-Milford Times.

Good Things

Gathered for our Customers.

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Rice Flakes, something new	15c nkg
3 can Salmon for	25c
Nice Crisp Lettuce	20c lb
Spinach	25c pkg
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2 lb can Gage Plums for	10c can
Fruit Jams, 1-2 lb can,	5c can
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Rollin H. Purdy,

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Editor Jennings of the Fenton Starkweather, it is said, will be the Bananas 15c. 20c Grape Fruit, each, 10c Salmon, 1 lb can, 10c Figs, very finest, 20c Shredded Wheat Biscui, 2 pkg 25c Stuffed Olives, bot, 25c Lettuce, lb. 20c Parsnips, lb, Cranberries, qt, 12c Mushrooms, can, 25c Beans in tomato sauce 10c Table Syrup, in pails 50c English Walnuts 12c Ginger Snaps. 7c, 10c Crackers (anti trust) 6c Saredded Codfish 10c Prunes, lb. 6c, 10c Evap. Peaches 2-lbs 25c Evap Apricots " 25c A Good Broom for 15c Corn Starch, lb.... Broken Rice, lb.... All Package Coffee 10c

> The deal on Queen Anne Soap and Pack-

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Clipped from St. Louis Globe Democrat, of Dec. 19, '97:

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Not long since the Wabash and Santa Fe roads established bi-weekly through service between St. Lonis and Eostangles, Cal. The superleaded of the s tri-weekly. As soon as the necessary high-grade equipment can be pro-cured, probably the middle of Jan-uary, the new service will be added.

It has now been definitely decided that commencing Monday, January 17, the sertri-weekly instead of bi-weekly as heretofore.

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F. S. NEAL, Editor and Proor.

China doesn't need any money to redeem Wei-Hai-Wei. She has lost the pawn ticket.

There is curiosity as to what Anthony Hope will say of us; but we learned long ago that Hope tells a

place him-among the immortals, what-ever becomes of the academy which refuses him that honor.

killed himself on the Aay appointed for his marriage was thoughtful enough to give his intended an insurance pol-

We trust the man in Alabama who

Resolution presented to the senate of New York state by women- Whereas we do not want to vote, therefore resolved that no other women shall have the privilege."

"If a man is standing on the caboose of a freight train a mile long," said the occasional time destroyer, "and begins walking toward the engine as the train starts and the train. The reople at the hospital are patching him up as well as they can.

Rev. J. W. Bundy of Terre Haute has sued deacons William Davis and Joshua Moore for \$25,000 damages. He complains that they caused to be published in the Golden Echo a statement that they knew of their own knowledge that he had been guilty of forgery, dishonesty and falsehood. This is indeed a golden echo.

It is confidently predicted that before May wheat will reach fancy prices, many predicting \$1.50 a bushel. From now on the weather will cut a big figure, and the fact that the entire winter wheat rountry is bare of snow is not encouraging to those who have sold wheat they do not own. Receipts of wheat continue light in spite of the high price of the grain.

Max Nordaù has been studying degeneracy and crime so long that he has come to look on the present generation as mainly degenerates and potential criminals. Lets a gloomy and forbidding world which this famous criminologist looks out upon, inhabited by people capable of any deviltry, and only waiting opportunity to engage in it. Max Nordau should take a liver pill.

Ha! At last there is a place where the bloomer costume may receive the honor which has been denied it up to vice to California via the the present time. Up in Alaska a "Wabash Limited" will be skirts will be handed and the present blcomer colony is to be formed where skirts will be banished and the reign of the festive bloomer will be undisputed and unchallenged by either prudish male or fastidious female. But the condition of the Alaska roads compels them to leave their bikes at home.

> Mrs. Jessie Mulligan, widow, is a brakeman on a western railroad and has given perfect satisfaction to her There are a good many employers. country families wherein the wife-cuts the wood and runs the reaping-ma-Why should not that woman do the hard work of a railroad and earn money for her own use? It seems add, but so did a thousand things of the same kind which are familiar enough now.

> judge fined the Sacramento Bes for an alleged misreport of a trial pending before him, and for severe criticism of his language in support of the attorney who brought the charge The editor stood by his reporter and his own dignity, declaring that the report was correct, but was refused the privilege of defense; whereupon the case was carried to the supreme court of California and the sentence was set aside. The smaller the judge the more turanny and the more law-breaking.

A movement is on foot to divide the republic of Brazil; but whether the division will result in a peaceable sep aration or a war of cession is not yet determined. It is reported that the representatives of the states of Rio Grande do Sul, Parana, Santa Catha rina and Minas Geraes are soon to meet and proclaim their separation from Brazil and establish an independent republic. It has been known for some years that there was a growing tendency among the states composing the southern portion of the great republic to a division of the country and to a desire to establish a smaller and more compact republic in that section. The four states that have apparently entered into the plan proposed have an area of 306,384 square miles, with a population of 4,442,714 and a representation of sixty-one members in the narliament of Brazil. The new republic would embrace about one-tenth of the area and about one-quarter of thing that despotism so much fears and

TALMAGE'S SERMON.

HE PREACHES TO THE NEWS. PAPER PROFESSION.

And Incidentally Tells About the Good Cities, and the Wicked Papers of the Greater Cities.

Express rail train and telegraphic communication are suggested if not foretold in this text, and from it I start to preach a sermon-in gratitude to God and the newspaper press for the fact that I have had the opportunity of delivering through the newspaper. press two thousand sermons or religious addresses, so that I have for many years been allowed the privilege of preaching the gospel every week to every neighborhood in Christendom, and many lands outside of Christendom. Many have wondered at the process by which it has come to pass, and for the first time in public place I state the three causes. Many years ago, a young man who has since become erelnent in his profession, was then study-The courage of M. Zola is likely to ing law in a distant city. He came to me, and said that for lack of funds he must stop his studying, unless through stenography I would give him sketches of sermor that he might by the sale of them secure means for the comple tion of his education. I positively de-clined, because it seemed to me an impossibility, but after some months had passed, and I had reflected upon the great sadness for such a brilliant young man to be defeated in his ambition for the legal profession, I undertook to serve him; of course, free of charge. Within three weeks there came a request for those stenographic reports from many parts of the continent. Time passed on apa gentlemen of my own profession, evidently thinking that there was hardly room for them and for myself in this continent began to assail me, and became so violent in their assault that the chief newspapers of America put special correspondents in my church Sabbath by Sabbath to take down such reply as I might make. I never made reply, except once for about three min utes, but those correspendents could waste their time and so they telegraphed the sermons to their particu-lar papers. After awhile, Dr. Louis Klopsch of New York systemized the work into a syndicate until through that and other syndicates he has put the discourses week by week before more than twenty million people on both sides of the sea. There have been so many guesses on this subject; many of them inaccurate, that I now tell the true story. I have not improved the opportunity as I ought, but I feel the time has come when as a matter of common justice to the newspaper press that I should make this statement in sermon commemorative of the two thousandth full publication of sermon and religious addresses, saying nothing of fragmentary reports, which

> more. There was one incident that I might mention in this connection, showing how one insignificant event might influence us for a lifetime. Many years ago on a Sabbath morning on my way to church in Brooklyn, a representa tive of a prominent newspaper met me and said: "Are you going to give us any points today?" I said "What do you mean by points?" He replied. 'Anything we can remember." I said to myself, "We ought to be making points' all the time in our pulpits and not deal in platitudes and inanities." That one interrogation put to me that morning started in me the desire of making points all the time and nothing but points.

would run up into many thousands

And now how can I more appropriately commemorate the two thousand h publication than by speaking of the newspaper press as an ally of the pulpit, and mentioning some of the trials

of newspaper men. The newspaper is the great educator of the nineteenth century. There is no force compared with it. It is book. pulpit, platform, forum, all in one. And there is not an interest-religious, literary, commercial, scientific, agricultural or mechanical—that is not with n its grasp. All our churches and schools and colleges and asylums and art galleries feel the quaking of the printing press.

The institution of newspapers arose in Italy. In Venice the first newspaper was published, and monthly during the time Venice was warring against Solyman the Second in Dalmatia, it was printed for the purpose of giving military and commercial information to the Yenitians. The first newspa per published in England was in 1588, and called the English Mercury. Who can estimate the political, scientific, commercial and religious revolutions roused up in England for many years past by the press?

The first attempt at this institution in France was in-1631; by a physician, who published the News, for the amusement and health of his patients. The French nation understood fully how to appreciate this power. So early as in 1820 there was in Paris 169 journals. But in the United States the newspaper has come to unlimited sway. Though in 1775 there were but thirtyseven in the whole country, the num ber of published journals is now counted by thousands; and today—we may as well acknowledge if as not the religious and secular newspapers are the great educators of the country.

But alas! through what struggle the newspaper has come to its present development. Just as soon as it began to demonstrate its power, superstition and tyranny shackled it. There is no-

writer in the south of Europe deciared that the King of Naples had made it unsafe for him to write on any subject save natural history. Austria could bear Kossuth's journalistic pen leading for the redemption of Hungary Napoteon L, wanting to keep bis iron heel on the neck of nations, said that the newspaper was the regent of kings and the only safe place to keep an editor was in prison. But the great battle for the freedom of the press was fought in the court rooms of England and the United States before this century began, when Hamilton made his great speech in behalf of the freedom of J. Peter Zenger's Gazette in Ameri ca, and when Erskine made his great speech in behalf of the freedom to publish Paine's "Rights of Man" in Eng land. Those were the Marathon and the Thermopylae where the battle was fought which decided the freedom of the press in England and America, and all the powers of earth and hell will never again be able to put upon the printing press the handcuits and the hopples of literary and political den potism. It is remarkable that Thomas Jefferson, who wrote the Declaration of Independence, also wrote these words: "If I had to choose between a government without newspapers, and newspapers without a govern ent, I would prefer the latter." Stung by some new labrication in print, we come to write or speak about an "unbridled printing press." Our new book ground up in unjust criticism, we come to write or speak about the "unfair printing press." Perhaps through our own in distinciness of utterance we are report ed as saying just the opposite of wha we did say, and there is a small riot of semicolons and hypnens and com mas, and we come to write or talk about the "blundering printing press, or we take up a newspaper full of so cial scandal and of cases of diverce and we write or talk about a "filthy, scurrilous printing press." But this morning I ask you to consider the immeasurable and everlasting blessing of a good newspaper. I find no difficulty in accounting for

the world's advance. What has made the change? "Books," you say. No, The vast majority of citizens do not read tooks. Take this audience or any other promiscuous assemblage and how many histories have they read? How many treatises on con sfitutional law, or political economy of works of science? How many elaborate poems or books of travel? No In the United States the people would not average one such book a year for each individual! Whence then, this intelligence, this capacity to about all themes, secular and ligious; this acquaintance with science and art; this power to appreciate the beautiful and grand? Next to the Bi ble, the newspaper, swift-winged and everywhere present, flying over the ferce, shoved under the door, tossed into the counting house laid on the work hench, hawked through the cars! All read it: white and black, German, Irishman, Swiss, Spaniards, American old and young, good and bad, sick and well, before breakfast and after tea Monday morning, Saturday night Sunday and week day. I now declare that I consider the newspaper to be the grand agency by which the gospel is to be preached ignorance cast out, oppression dethroned, crime extirpated. the world raised, heaven rejoiced, and God glorified. In the clanking of the printing press, as the sheets fly out, l hear the voice of the Lord Almighty preclaiming to all the dead nations of the earth, "Lazarus, come forth," and to the retreating surges of darkness. "Let there be light!" In many of our city newspapers, professing no more appeared during the past thirty years come of the grandest appeals in behalf religion, and some of the most effective interpretations of God's govern-ment among the nations. One of the great trials of the news

paper profession is the fact that they are compelled to see more of the shams of the world than any other profession Through every newspaper office, day by day, go the weakness of the world, the vanities that want to be puffed, the revenges that want to be wreaked. all the mistakes that want to be corrected, all the duil speakers who want to be thought eloquent, all the mean-ness that mints to get its wares noticed gratis in the editorial columns in order to save the tax of the advertising column, all the men who want to be set right who never were right, all the crack-brained philosophers, with story as long as their hair and as gloomy a their finger-nails, all the itinerant bores who come to stay five minutes and stop an honr. From the editorial and reportorial rooms all the follies and shame of the world are seen day by day, and the temptation is to be lieve neither in God, man, nor woman, It is no surprise to me that in your profession there are some skeptical men I only wonder that you believe any thing. Unless an editor or a reporter has in his present or in his early home a model of earnest character, or he throw himself upon the upholding grace of God, he may make temporal

and eternal shipwreck. Another great trial of the newspaper profession is the diseased appetite for unhealthy intelligence. You blame the newspaper press for giving such prominence to murders and scandals. Do you suppose that so many papers would give prominence to these things if the neonle did not demand them? If I go into the meat market of a foreign city and I find that the butchers hang up on the most conspicuous hooks meat that is tainted, while the meat that is fresh and savory is put away without any special care. I come to the conclusion that the people of that city love, tainted | lyle. meat. You know very well that if the the population of the present republic. hater as the printing press. A great great mass of people in this country get | ror and lies are associates.

hold of a newspaper, and there are in no runaway matches, no broken-up families, no defamation of men in high position, they pronounce the paper They say, "It is shockingly insipld. oull tonight." I believe it is one of the trials of the newspaper press, that the people of this country demand moral slush justead of healthy and intellectual food. Now, you are a respectable man, an intelligent man, and a paper comes into your hand. You open it, and there are three columns of splendidly written editorial, recommending some moral sentiment, or evolving some scientific theory. In the next column there is a miserable, contemptible divorce case. Which do you read first? You dip into the editorial long enough to say, "Well, that's very -ly writ-ten," and you read the divorce case from the "long primer" type at the top to the "nonparell" type at the bottom, and then you ask your wife if she has read it! Oh, it is only a case of supply and demand! Newspaper men are not fools. They know what you want, and they give it to you. I be-lieve that if the church and the world bought nothing but pure, honest, healthful newspapers, nothing but pure, honest and healthful newspapers would be published. If you should gather all the editors and the reporters of this country in one great convention, and ask of them what kind of a paper they would prefer to publish, I believe they would unanimously say, We would prefer to publish an elevat ing paper." So long as there is an inquitous demand, there will be an iniquitous supply. I make no apology for a debauched newspaper, but I am saying these bings in order to divide the responsibility between those who rint and those who read.

fact, no one seems to care for their souls. They feel bitterly about it, though they laugh. People sometimes laugh the loudest when they feel the worst. They are expected to gather up religious proceedings, and to discuss eligious doctrines in the editorial columns, but who expects them to be saved by the sermons they stenograph or by the doctrines they discuss in the editorial columns? The world looks up on them as professional. Who preaches to reporters and editors? Some of them came from religious homes, and when they left the parental roof, who ever regarded or disregarded, they came off with a father's benediction and a mother's prayer. They never think of those good old times but tears come into their eyes, and they move through these great cities homesick Oh, if they only knew what a helpful thing it is for a man to put his weary head down on the bosom of a sympa thetic Christ! He knows how nervous and tired you are. He has a heart large enough to take in all your interests for this world and the next. Oh, men of the newspaper press, you sometimes get sick of this world, it reems-so hollow and unsatisfying.

Another trial of this profession is the

there are any people in all the earth that need God, you are the men, and you shall have him, if only this day you implore his mercy

A man was found at the foot of Canal street. New York. As they picked him up from the water and brough him to the morgue, they saw by the contour of his forehead that he had great mental capacity. He had entered the newspaper profession. He had gone down in health. He took to artificial stimulus. He went down further and further, until one summer day, hot and hungry, and sick, and in despair, he flung himself off the dock. They found in his pocket a reporter's pad a lead pencil, a photograph of some one who had loved him long ago. Death, as sometimes it will smoothed out all the wrinkles that had gathered premature ly on his brow, and as he lay there his face was as fair as when seven years before, he left his country home, and they bade him good-bye forever. world looked through the window of the morgue, and said, "It's nothing but an outcast;" but God said it was a gi gantic soul that perished, because the

world gave him no chance. Let me ask all men connected with the printing press that they help us more and more in the effort to make the world better. I charge you in the name of God, before whom you must account for the tremendous influence yourselves to higher endeavors. You are the men to fight back this invasion of corrupt literature. Lift up your right hand and swear new allegiance to the cause of philanthropy and religion. And when, at last, standing on the plains of judgment, you look out upon the unnumbered throngs over you have had influence, may it be found that you were amongst the mightiest energies that lifted men upon the ex alted pathway that leads to the renown of heaven. Better than to have sat in the editorial chair, from which, with the finger of type, you decided the des-tinies of empires, but decided them wrong, that you had been some dun-geoned exile, who, by the light of window iron-grated, on scraps of a New Testament leaf, picked up from the earth spelled out the story of Him who taketh away the sins of the world. In eternity, Dives is the Beggar! Well. my friends, we will all soon get through writing and printing and proof-reading and publishing. What then? Our life is a book. Our years are the chapters Our months are the paragraphs. Our days are the sentences. Our doubts are the interrogation points. Our imitation of others the quotation marks. Our attempts at display a dash Death the period. Eternity the perora tion. O God, where will we spend it?

A thinking man is the worst enemy the Prince of Darkness can have .- Car-

Truth and facts always agree. Er-

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Written Off. Probably in the history of the conprosperity enjoyed by any country as the Dominion of Canada is being fa-voyed with. That portion of Canada known as Western Canada is attracting thousands of people, who are seeking thousands of people, who are seeking homes on the arable lands of that
new but rapidly developing country.
Possessed of exceptionally good railroad privileges, the best school system in the world, churches in every small settlement, while in the towns and cities all denominations are represented and with markets in close proximity to the grain fields, most of the requirements for a comfortable existence are met. The development that is now taking place in the mining districts gives an impulse to agri-culture, and good prices, with good crops, bring; about a, sate of affairs that the growded districts of more populous centers are taking advan-tage of. The Associated Press dis-

tage of the Associated Press dis-patches a few days since had the fol-lowing telegram:

Toronto, Feb. 4.—(Special.)—Loan companies that made advances on Manitonia property years ago report that the returns from the west during the next three months have exceeded. that the returns from the west during the past three months have exceeded expectations. One company has taken from Manitoba over \$20,000 interest, and discharged mortgages, many of which had been written off a year ago. Directors of leading loan companies are taking a greater interest in business of their institutions, and are inquiring into many properties on which advances have been made.

advances. have been made.

The climate in the western provinces of Manitoba, Alberta, Assinbbia and Saskatchewan is excellent, there being no healthier anywhere. The Canadian government is now offering special interpreta cial inducements for the encourage-ment of settlers, and they have their agents at work throughout the United States for the purpose of giving information and distributing literature. Among those going to Canada are many ex-Canadians, who have failed to make as good a living as they exceed in the United States. pected in the United States.

Wherever souls are being tried and riperied, in whatever commonplace and homely ways, there God is hewing out the pillars for his temple.

OH, WHAT SPLENDID COFFEE. Mr. Goodman, Williams Co., Ill. writes: "From one package Salzer's German Coffee Berry costing 15c 1 grew 200 lbs. of better coffee than can buy in stores at 30 cents a 1b."

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THE LADIES KLONDIKE

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COMMANDER SIGSBEE OF THE CRUISER MAINE.

in the Harbor of Havans-An incident Showing His Correct View as to Value of Human Life as Related to Property.



APTAIN Charles D. Sigsbee, who is in command of the war ship Maine, which has been sent by the navy departto guard ment American interests in Hayana, is one of the most popular officers in the navy His record since he

was graduated from Annapolis in 1863 is fine. He is by no means a stranger to the smell of powder and he knows what a ship looks like when it is in action. He served in Mobile Bay, was an active participant in the work of the North Atlantic blockading squain 1865, and helped in the attacks and in the final-assault upon Fort Fisher, Captain Sigsbee knows how to handle a ship when she needs handling, and when quick action and promp decision are necessary. This he learn ed as a boy in the days when the "old line" officers were the flower and pride of the navy, and before the engineers, who now, in their quiet way, are carrying all before them, came to the front with modern invention and machine y

Not long ago the Maine, with Sigs bee in command, found herself bearing down on an excursion boat in the East River. Ahead was the excursion boat full of human beings. On either side was a barge. The only clear way showed a pier. The old commander ordered his engines reversed, and so the amazement of the beholders he steered straight for the pier and ran into it amuck. The pier was badly torn up, the Maine's nose was bruised but several hundred human lives were saved. The excursion boat ran clear, but ten loaded freight cars, that were standing on the pier, went to then bottom of the river. There is no doubt as to Captain Sigsbee's relative valuation of Burnan life and property. About man, was good old Miss Lennie Ab-\$4,900 in property was destroyed, but shire who lived single all her long

TWO TERMS ARE CONFOUNDED OUR BUDGET OF FUN. Contanious Disease and Infectious. Diseases Not the Same.

The terms contagious and infectious are not synonymous. A disease is contagious when it is transmitted from the sick to the well by personal communication or contact, more or less intimate, and all contagious diseases are infectious-i. c., they are due to the introduction into the body of a suscep tible individual of a living germ says Popular Science Monthly. But all infectious diseases are not contagious. Thus small pox, scarlet fever, measles, diphtheria, influenza, etc., are infec tious which are contagious, while malarial fevers, typhou fever, yeilow féver, cholera, pneumonia, péri-tonitis, etc., are infectious distonitis, etc., are infectious dis-cases which are not contagious—at least, they are only contagious under very exceptional circumstances, and those in close communication with the sick, as nurses, etc., do not contract these diseases as a result of such close association or contact. The generalization that all infectious diseases are germs, capable of reproduction, is based upon exact knowledge, gained chiefly during the last twenty years, as regards the specific infectious agents or germs of a considerable number of the diseases of this class. In some injectious diseases, however, no such positive demonstration has yet been made. The investigations which have been made justify the statement that each infections diseare is due to a specific—i-e. distinct—micro-organism. There are however certain infectious diseases which physicians formerly supposed to be distinct, and to which specific names are given which are now known to be due to one and the same infectious agent or germ. Thus puerperal fever and erysipelas are now-recognized as boing causes by the same germ; the germ which is the usual cause of pneumediatis also the cause of a consider alle proportion of the cases of cerebrospinal meningitis, etc.

AT SCHOOL AT 72.

The Old Lady Was a Most Tractable

The oldest pupil-I ever taught in an experience covering over sixty years in the school room," said Uncle Rector Williamson, the well-known mountal≅ pedagogue, to a Louisville Post



CHARLES D. SIGSBEE.

1.000 lives were sayed. That was not a life at her little home in the mountains bad ten minutes' work for a man whose business it is to kill.

CROMWELL'S HEADQUARTERS.

One of the places in which tourists in England revel is Bull's tavern. It looks to-day just as it did when it was erected in 1612. When repairs were necessary they were made with the idea of carfully preserving the appearance of the old place. It was here that



MUCH VISITED BY TOURISTS. Oliver Cromwell made his headqua ters for nearly a year. Ten births and six weddings are dated here and there is a story of a murder to lend a charm for those who love the morbid.

One for the Britisher. Some of the British troops in the rish rebellion did not fight particularly well. A certain general, at a lord licutenant's party in Dublin, was admonishing a begging woman to leave the place, when she said: "It is that I am glad to see your honor here in the red coat you wore the very day when you saved the life of my boy, little Mickie!" "Indeed!" replied the general, not sorry to hear something to his credit on such a distinguished occasion, "I had forgotter all about it. How did I save his life?" your honor, when the battle was at its hottest your honor was the first to run, and when me little Mickie saw the general run he ran too, the ord be praised!"

of Eastern Kentucky, At the age of 72 she did not know B from bull'scloot She stopped me late one morning in winter about fourteen years ago as I trudged across the mountains on my way home from the little log school way nome from the integrols school house, and told me she was coming to school the next day. I thought she meant she was going to drop in to amuse herself by hearing the children recite, but she startled me by announcing that she was tired of living in ignorance and wanted to learn how to read. I taught her two three-month terms, and, strange to say, the 72-yearold spinster picked up her primary ed-ucation rapidly. The last time I saw the kind-bearted first year graduate she was reading her Bible and told me she was prouder of being able to read than she was of her little farm and all else she possessed. She died seven or eight years ago, but I will never cease to remember Miss Lennie kindly, for she was my oldest and most tractable pupil."

"Wine for Thy Stomach's Sake." I had occasion to call on a lady whose temperance views were as strong as were ber dislike to the church. At once she asked if I were a tectotaler, and my confession that belonged to the much-abused class of moderate drinkers brought down a storm upon my devoted head. In the course of my defense I quoted Paul's advice to Timothy: "Take a little wine for thy stomach's sake." Now, every man knows the joke about the reply-a story as old as the hills; but my tectotal friend made the famous answer in perfect good faith and in anything but a spirit of joking, "I am surprised that you, a clergyman, don't know that Paul was speaking of wine for outward application only." And not only this, but the good lady proceeded to defend her peculiar interpretation. There was an old woman I knew who used to say that nothing did her so much good as Queen Anne (quinine), especially when she had the headache or the toothache.-The Cornhill

GOOD JOKES, ORIGINAL AND SELECTED.

Dry-tioods Store-Life on the Kloudike-Sare Sign of a Highly Respectable Newspaper -- Flotsam and Jotnaue.

In a Dry-Goods Store, HERE are the linens kept?" she asked. "Down stairs,"

was the repla She sweetly smiled andgrabbed her train And quickly nastened by. Once down she ventured to in

"The linens, are they here?" Just three rooms over to the right, And straight back to the rear. At last she reached the point pro posed.

"The liners?"-like a crash The answer came across the store, "They're six rooms over—cash!

Again she jostled through the crowd, And faintly asked the clerk: The linens, please?" "Upstairs," he said.

.With a tantalizing smirk. She reached the top, quite out breath;

"The linens, sir?" she said. In the annex building, five floors up, And then walk straight ahead.' complishing the long ascent,

Her temper sorely tried, he sharply asked the man in charge, With wrath she could not hide: Will you tell me where the linens are Or if they're in the store?" We used to keep them, ma'am."

smiled. "But do not any more."

A Natural Break

It was the first time he was being married, and he was naturally a little nervous and upset; but he managed to Yes" all right, and to keep time to Mendelssohn, sailing down the aisle, and to sign his name in the register without making more than a dozen

He thought then that it was finished, but when they got to the church door they found it was raining.

"Confound it," he cried, putting up his umbrella, "another nuisance now. And then though he cannot guess why, the people all around laughed, and his mother-in-law bridled, and his wife refused to speak.—Punch.

The Agent and the Colonel. "May I ask your attention one moment sir? You may not need it for yourself, sir, but if you have some friend who is addicted to the whisky habit you will be interested in knowing that I have here a preparation guaranteed to remove the craving most effectively. It might be called, in fact, a substitute for whisky-

"Sah!" "I beg your pardou. I see I have made a mistake. Good afternoon." Chicago Tribune.

Consplcuous Example.

"Shiftless as ever, Thomas," said the wealthy uncle. "Still making a failure of life, as you always have done? "I don't know that I'm such a ter-

poor relation. Why, you have nobody but yourself to support, and you can't make both ends meet."

"Well, the rainbow has only itself to support, and it doesn't make both ends meet, either."-Chicago Tribune.

One Discusted American.

"The further north you go," remarked the returned Klondiker, "the more gold there seems to be." "That's what disgusts me with these

north polar expeditions," replied the free silverite. "I'm willing to bet the north pole itself is nothing but a single gold standard."-Chicago Tribune



Dawson Dave-Thunderation! You've get genuine butter on your table. How'd you get it?

Placer Pete-I bought it of Juneau Jake yesterday. The blamed pumpkinhead thought it was nothing but a nugget.-Up-to-Date.

An Attorney's Opinion. Lawyer-It's too bad the way old Squirt's fortune has been squandered in litigation.

Laymen-It is, indeed. Lawyer-Why, fully nine-tenths of it has gone to his heirs in witness fees. New York Truth.

Hard Cash

"Are you going to use bricks in the construction of your house?" asked a

"No," replied the owner of the property, as he glanced over the estimate furnished by the contractor, "rocks."-Chicago News.

A VICTOUS BATTLE From the New Era, Greensbury, Ind.

The following is a straightforward state-ment of facts by a veteran of the late war. No comrado will need further proof than their friend's own words, as here given. Squire John Castor, of Newpoint, Ind., is Squire John Castor, of Newpoint, Ind., is the nurrator, and an houset, re-pected citizen he is too. He said: "I have been troubled with rheumatism in all my joints, ever since I wents the war. It was brought on by my exposure there. It came on me gradually, and kept getting; worse until I was unable to do my work. I tried set e af physicians, but they old me negood. They said my froulle was rheuma ism result ng in disease of the heart, and that there was no cure for it. Nevertheless I had lived and for git the disease for thirty years, and did not intend to die, simply because they said.



I Want to Swear to Than.

I want to Swear to Than.

I must, so Thunted up some remedies for myself, and finally happened on Dr. Williams, Pink Pills for Pale People. I sasked come of my neighbors about the medicine, for it had been used by several persons in the community, and they recommended it very highly. Lprecured a box. The pills helped me right away, and I continued taking theor. I commenced taking them last fall, and finished raking the sixth box a few mouths ago. I am not bothered with the rheumatism now,—the medicine has cared me. I can most certainly recommend Dr. Williams, Pink Pills for Pale People."

These pills are not only good for rhematism, but are valuable for any disease These pills are not only good for theu-natism, but are valuable for any disease that arises from impoverished, or bad olood. They do Nor act on the bowels.

Most people would succeed in small things if they were not troubled by great ambitions.

Balled Many Times but Success Come ć at Last.

(From the Grand Rapids Press.)

The following incident would be hard to believe if it had not occurred right here in Grand Rapids, and investigation by our representative has placed it beyond the reach of doubt. These are the facts to detail. Mir J. H. White of No. 25 Haifley Place, has been an instructor in penman-ship in different business colleges for the past fourteen years. He says: "Last Oc-tober I was suddenly taken ill. I consulttooer I was sundent then in: I consun-ed a physician, who said the pain was from: 'gravel' stones; gradually grew wase; the pain was in my back and side warse, the pain was in my back and side. My back swelled up in a great ridge, and I finally grew so bad that I was taken to bed, as helpless as a child. I passed, blood, and when the pain was at its worst. I was like one crazy. The doctor injected morphine, to give me relief, but further it an that he said he was powerless, and nothing would do me any good but a surgical operation. I believe my flesh was ridged, cooked in the attempts to relieve my agony, everything was used, mustard plasters, turgentine, her cloths and all such things. I was in this condition, given plasters; turpentine, but cloths, and all, such things. Lyws in this couldition, given up by the elector, and almost out of my mind with suffering. I commenced taking Doan's Kidney Fills, and railly I felt easier in 20 minutes. After about two hours I had a passage of urine, and passed blood and some gravel stones which greatly relieved me. I rapidly improved. I took. in all six boxes; and I feel to day entirely well. Mine has been a wonderful case. If feel that I cannot say anything strong enough for Doan's Kidney Pills. My great wish is that they may become well known. They will prove a boon to man

kind.

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N. Y., sele agents for the U.S. Remeinber the name, Down's, and take no other.

kind.

A cost of arms is a good thing to trade on to have no other capital.

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On March 15 we will open our store at No. 103 Main street, (Savings Bank building) and show the finest line of High and Medium Grade Wheels ever offered in Northville.

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PURELY PERSONAL.

NORTHVILLE

H. E. C. Daniels is in Texas this

B. F. Emery was out-from Detroit Fred Bennett of Salem visited in

Miss Frances Adams of Newport is

he guest of Mrs. Neal. G. H. Baker of Elsie was the guest of his brother-in-law, Mr. Neal, this

Miss Addie Hoisington of Detroit s visiting her sister, Mrs. T. B

Miss Rock of Detroit has been spending the week with Mrs. A. K.

Carpenter. Mrs. M. S. Nichols and Mis. W. II Nichols have been visiting in Ypsilan-

Mrs. C.A. Wright of Hancock was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. John Sands, over Sunday.

ti this week.

Miss Mable Whipple of Novi and a party of friends visited the U.S. fish station here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lewis of Plymouth were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Dickerson over Sunday.

Rev. W. H. Lloyd of Farmington ind family were guests at the Methdist parsonage on Tuesday.

John Rooke has returned to his home in Chelsea, after a three weeks risit with his aunts, Mrs. Wood and

Mrs. William, Kay, through the advice of Dr. Burgess, has gone to Dr. Garrow of Ann Arbor, to have

Harry Mc Cullough who has been visiting his cuncle A. B. Mc Cullough for the past few weeks has returned to his home in Bradford, Canada.

E. W. Balch and his father-in-law. Mr. Gillis, late of the Plymouth Mail were in town Monday looking for a building in which to start a feed and

Hew To Look Good.

Good looks are really more than skin deep depending entirely on a health condition of all the vital organs. If the liver beingstive, you have a binous long; if your ground be disordered, you lous; il your stomach be disordered, yen have a dyspeptic look; if your kidneys be affected, you have a pinched look. Secure good health, and you will sure ly have good looks. "Electric Bitters" is a good. Alterative and Tonie. Acts directly on the stomach, liver and kidneys. Purifies the blood, cures pimples blotches and boils, and gives a good complexion. Every bottle guaranteed. Sold at Geo. C. Haeston's Drug Store. 50 cents per poule.

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Sunday Disturbance.

Every one was every for those people n church last Sunday, who were off ring with a distressing cough. A full dose of Downs Elixir on going to full dose of Downs Elixir on going to bed at night and small doses during the day will cure the most persisient cough. Whenever there is a tickling sensation in the throat take a few drops of the Elixir on the tongue and let it run slowly down the throat and and immediate relief will be the result. We guarantee it to cure any cough, cold, croup or lung trouble or money refunded. G. G. Heuston, Murdock Bros., Northville.

High-school Notes.

The second secon

Commissioner T. Dale Cook visited the school last week Friday.

The German II class has read 375 ines of Hermann and Dorothea.

Some of the young people who ave not been taking hold of the Lyceum work as they should have been called upon for extemporaneous speeches in chapel. Some very good nes have been given so far.

Monday was visitors' day at the High-school. Those who visited are Thad Knapp, Claude Bargess and Mr. Pettit from the U. of M., Miss Millard of Plymouth, Miss Burgess of this place, and Miss Emery from Detroit.

Beg pardon, Novi correspondent we wouldn't have made the sweeping assertion that there was to be a oint debate between the West Novi Debating Club and the Northville High-school had we had a little more time to go into particulars. of course the West Novi debaters are the youngest of the society, but as wo of these speakers are presiden and vice president of the WNDC, i the society, they ought to be.

If the Northville people wish to lear a good joint debate they should not wait for the one with Plymouth or there is no telling when that will ome off. It was stated last week that it would occur March 2, but since then the Plymouth people have asked for more time. Don't wait for that, but attend the debate between three members of the WNDC and three members of the High-school at the YMCA hall Monday evening. The egular Lyceum meeting order will oe observed, and the following in eresting program will be rendered

Music Roll call and minutes. Dialogue—Floy Simmons, Maud

Oration-Virgil McNitt.

Music.
Talk—Ada Wolfe.
Talk—Ada Wolfe.
Discussion—Resolved that capital punishment as a penalty for murder should be restored in Michigan.
Aff. May Porter-Will Dolph and A. P. Capell of Northville. New Harry Bogart, J. W. Clapp and A. F. Rogers of WNDC.

Admission, 10 cents. All-invited.

Farmers Around Durand Have Al Bought Harvesters :

(Special to Detroit Free Press.)

Special to Detroit Free Press Durand, Mich. Tebenary 13.—One of the best evidences of the prosperity of the formers of this section was with the section was with the section was the prosperity of the formers to farmers of this county that he has sold this tear. The purchasers of the machines were banqueted at the Juncian House and lif the afternoon eighty teams, each hitched to a wagon leaded with a harvester paradied the streets headed by the Durand Buckskin band.

These machines were Derring Bind-

These machines were Deering Bind rs and Mowers. C. C. Chadwick i gent for Nor hville and vicinities and vill be glad to show samples to all farmers whether they intend to buy or

Auction Sales.

Geo. Rattenbury will sell at public auction at the Park House barn. Wednesday March 2, about 25 good iorses, draft and roadsters.

The Spencer Heirs will sell at public auction, on the Harry Spencer arm, situated one half mile east of Novi corners, Tuesday March 1st, a quantity of implements, stock, etc

Having rented their farm, the Rodgers sisters will sell at public auction, on the premises, one mile north and one half mile west of Northville, Monday, February 28th commencing at 1:00 o'clock, a quantity of household goods, farm imple ments, stock, etc.

FARMERS ATTENTION, If you contemplate planting any fruit trees or small fruits of any kind, send us a list of wants for prices, or send for Thustrated entalogue and price list, and SAVE SOME MONEY All stock warranted true to name as represented or money refunded. EBe sure and ge our prices before placing an order THE HAWKS NURSERY CO., Roch

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne, ss.—At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Wayne held at the Probate Office, in the City held at the Probate Office; in the City of Detroit, on the list day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and winety-eight. Present, Edgar O. Durfee, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of JAMES D. COVENT, deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Belle Covert praying that administration of Belle Covert praying that administration of Said estate may be granted by James D. Melvarith or some other suitable person It is ordered, that the twenty-second day of March next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for hearing said petition. And it is, further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said days of hearing, in the Northville Record, a newspaper print ed and circulating in said County of Wayne.

EDGAR O. DURFEE,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.
HENRY S. HULBERT,
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There were 326 marriage licenses There were 326 marriage licenses issued last year by the Washtenaw county clerk. As there were 32 divorces granted, it will be seen that on an average one couple in the secure a separation, and as 70 divorces were applied for it will also be seen that one couple in five tire of hymen's bonds, and endeavor. of hymen's bonds and endeavor to shake them off. Perhaps if it were more difficult for divorced people to get married again there would be fewer divorces.—A. A. Courier.

A Stickler for Ethics.

Northville, I'eb. 19, 1893;
Editor Record: I was greatly surprised to find in your last issue a "write up" in regard to my practice in this town. Not only was this done without my knowledge, but against my expressed wishes. The gentleman called and wished to do so but I informed him that it was against the code of ethics of, our profession, to which I had subscribed and was altogether, up professional and, would shad nothing to do with it. I wish the state to the public that I am decidedly opposed to advertising, other than by a professional card.

By inserting this short letter you will greatly oblige. Northville, Feb. 19. 1898;

reatly oblige, F. CARROTHERS, D. D.S.

Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual election of the Village of Northville, Wayne county, Michigan, will be held in the Village hall in said Village on Monday, March 14, 1898 from Talm. to 5p. m., where the electors will vote for a President, three Trustees, Clerk, Treasurer, and Assessor for said Village for full

Morris S. Nichols, clerk. Dated Northville, Mich. Feb. 25, 98

Registration Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Registration of the Village of Northville, Wayne county, Mich. gan, will meet at the office of the Clerk, S. W. Knapp's store, on Saturday, March 12, 1898, from 9 a.m. to 8 p. in., for the purpose of completing the registration of electors of said village.

Monris S. Nichels, clerk. Dated Northville, Mich., Peb. 25, '98

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Ice Cream by the gallon in large or small nantities, and all kinds of Fancy Creams, to Milk for Infants from One Cow in

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AGENTS : PLANTS AND SMALL FRUITS

of ell kinds. HEWARN, NEW JERREY. GOOD WAGES P'd E. M. Peck is recovering from his

The Young Men's club will give

Co., of Northville, has not missed a

work day since New Years, making

two trips daily between Plymouth

and Northville on his bicycle.—Ply-

made flour" as advertised by L. E.

McRobert should have been priced at

error was in the Record office: Mr.

All the hands employed in shovel-

ing snow on the town clock went on

neither arbitration nor persuasion

could effect a resumption of labor until Tuesday when Old Sol came to

tlie rescue. It was a regular freeze

applied for a divorce from her bus-

band, william. They were married

hildren of 24,21 and 17. Mrs. Wesley

avers in her bill for divorce she has

The BYPU are to have a Roll Call

and social time in the church next

Wednesday evening, commencing at

7:30 o'clock. It is earnestly desired

that each, and every member be

present and respond to the roll call

An interesting program will be rendered, and a pleasant time is anticipated. No charge for admis-

At a meeting of the Northville Telephone Co., this week Chas. Booth, W.-G. Yerkes and E. H.

Lapham were elected directors and

Dr. R. M. Johnson vice-president in

Company is now having a new

directory printed and it will contain

the naiges of more than sixty sub-

The France-Rella Comedy company

will hold forth in the opera house

here all text week. They are play

ing in Plymouth all this week and

come here well recommended. Prices

10, 15, and 20 cents. The opera house

bas lately been equipped with new heaters and electric lights throughout and this will be the initiatory

It is reported that a young lady

claiming to hail from Northville has

been taking subscriptions, and col

lecting the cash for various periodi

cals in South Lyon and since her

departure her customers have seen

neither money or periodicals. It is quite certain that the lady is not from Northville. It is more likely

she is from Plymouth or Wayne and has given a fictitious address

When you hear a man finding fault

with the Record, look it over and

ten to one he doesn't run an adver

tisement in it; five to one he never

patronizes its job department, three

to one he doesn't take the paper-or

if he does he is a delinquent who is

agrieved because he was requested

to pay up—one to two he never does

anything to assist the publisher to

run a good paper, and forty to one

he is the most eager to see it when

it comes out and makes a practice of

borrowing it of his good natured

It is quite evident that President

Whitbeck of the County farmers'

institute is looking for some kind of

chean notoriety and he is wading

through the right kind of a furrow

to get it. His "poetic" effusion de-

livered at Wyandotte was too much

for him and his "poetic" overflow,

if the Detroit Courier quoted him

correctly last week in what he said

that the Record said, was too much

for his bump, of veracity. There is

such a thing as poking around in a

fire till you get burned.

neighbor.

performance since improvements.

place of Fred M. Warner.

been, almost continuous

ecent illness

church near Orion.

in uth Mail.

Roller flour for 65c.

get left.



Corset News...



Our usual custom to hold a Special Corset Sale in the early Spring has been so well patronized each year that we are encouraged to make a greater effort to provide a larger assortment and in the better makes. We have thoroughly searched the market and submit for your approval what, in our judgment, are the best grades.

This Sale differs from the ordinary, in the fact that we offer

good first-class makes, in large variety, not simply a lot of cheap Corsets at a cheap price.

We Head the List

with what experience has proven to be the best general purpose Corset made to-day.

It comes in Short, Medium, Long and Extra Length, Black or Drab, fits closely and gives the waist that pretty effect so much desired by well dressed

- Right here we might say that we are exclusive agents for this celebrated make of Corsets, the Thompson Glove-Fitting,

Corset Waists.

When you buy a Corset waist it is usually for comfort.

We place in stock three different well-known makes:

The "Jackson Waist" with the latest improvements, fills many requirements. It is durable, good shape, and sold at a popular price,

75 cts.

The "Chicago Style" Corset Waist costs a little more, is made of finer goods and has several good points found in no other

The "Century" Corset Waist is light weight, made on good forms and-good for the price.

: East fall we were urged to place an order for Corsets to be made during the manufacturers dull season. Our offer was ac-cepted for a large quantity. So many Corsets being sold at a price below \$1:00 we had no fear of overloading. They are here; a few dozen of each lot will go nto this sale.

For 25c we sell a drab Gorset, good shape. Will year many weeks.

For 39c we sell a fairly good not particular, these will give good

For 50c we sell several kinds of feliable Corsets, in hook, 5 hook and 6 hook, black, drab white, including a good high bust

Specialties:

The stock here is never complete without the Specialties, such as a cfirst-class long waist, high. bust cut, an especially good abdominal corset, a comfortable easy-fitting nursing-corset; Nazareth Waist, the only article of its And. We also sell that little "corset repairs" the Pearls Corset Shields make your old broken corset almost as good as



Ferris' Waists.

The peer of all Corset waists in America today, never excelled nor equalled. The Ferris company has stood at the head of the procession since the invention of Corset Waists. All others are compared to the Ferris. As 'good as the Ferris' is the striving point of all other makes. We have selected the number that the Ferris Co. claim the best. The lacings on the sides make the waist a better fit than other waists. We have it in stock; may we show it to you? It is of interest to Ladies desiring comfortable clothing, yet perfect

Misses' Corsets. and Waists.

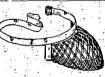
An item that should be selected with care. When a Miss gets through wearing the Nazareth Children's Waist, it is important that a flexible, good shape and proper fitting waist or corset should be selected.

On the waist order we have the Kalamazoo Jean Waists at 25c, in white and drab, sizes 18

The Featherbone Waist comes next, in sizes 18 to 26; a firmer, better make waist, which has many good points and is very good for the purpose. Next to the Ladies' waists comes

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Correct dressers demand this style Bustle. Our corset saleslady will show them to you. The leading dress makers recommend them: They come in black or white; weigh about

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is a corset that meets the requivements of people who want one that will not break down at the side. It is made on new models of the best shape, and is thoroughly well made, good fit-ting for the forms for which it is intended.

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is not a corset but is designed to replace a corset when the lattər is tiresome and uncomtortable. It gives the form grace and sup-



As to Prices.

We name below a few wellknown makes and our regular prices on the same.

as to their good qualities.

Jackson waists:	
Close Fit Corse	t
Century waists	
Coraline Corse	
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General Corset Information.

Don't buy nor wear, a Corset that don't fit you. There is not form so shaped that there is not

a corset made to fit that form, a Comfort is entirely absent if a corset don't fit. Therefore we say do not wear a like that don't fit you. They won't wear as long and cause constant irrita-Again, don't blame the store, but take it back. Perhaps the clerk who sold it to you knows less about corsets than you do about electricity. In every corset department there is some one who knows. If unable to satisfy yourself try on several styles; you will then know what you want.

HOLMES, DANCER & CO., NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN.

NORTHVILLE LOCALS

Lent commenced Wednesday.

The opera house orchestra played at Clarenceville Tuesday The nice fall of snow of Sunday and Monday has made excellent

sleighing. R. C. Yerkes has purchased the place in March next. Frank N. Clark house, corner Dunlap

and High streets. The ladies of the Eastern Star will give a Cake Walk on March 11. Fur-

ther particulars next week. Special communication Northville lodge No. 186 Monday evening Feb.28. Plymouth Rock lodge will confer the

third degree. Mrs. W. H. Nichols has purchased Mrs. C. O. Dickerson's millinery store and will conduct the same the

coming season. Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock a Men's meeting will be held in the Detroit property. Mr. German has YMCA Rooms. An address will be given by C. G. Curtiss of Plymouth. The program also includes a few selections by the phonograph.

Workingmen's caucus Monday night and Citizens' Trassday night. Rev. B. S. Taylor, a former resident of Northville and well known by all old residents, died at Albion on

Tuesday. -Arthur Nichols of this place is to represent the Olympic society in the Normal News contest debate to take

The BYPU gave a sleigh-ride sociable at the home of Hiram Holmes Wednesday evening. Over 100 were present and enjoyed a pleasant social time.

H. P. Whinney of Adrian, the artist who was so avorably received in Northville last fall, will return here again in about 10 days to resume his teaching in drawing, oil painting and water colors.

L. W. Simmons has exchanged one of the best farms in Wayne Co., with his son-in-law, Henry E. German, for a smaller farm near Franklin and already moved on his farm just east of this village.

There are three little things which do

a piece of chalk. He drew some important lessons at the Men's meetng last Sunday.

C. J. Bradner will not move to Plynouth as stated last week but will continue to reside in Northville and manufacture cigars.

Christian Science service in sike a. m. Subject: "The woe of rejectng, the joy of receiving, Truth."

placed new phones this week in the office of the J. A. Dubuar Mig. Co. and the residences of W. G. Yerkes and Rev. J. H. Herbener.

The third number of the C.E. lexture course was given by Prof. Mc. Clery Wednesday evening and it was both well attended and enjoyable. Morgan Wood comes March 14.

Lost In front Beach Northrop's Saturday afternoon a double gray shawl, dark border. Picked up by man with one horse double wagon, going west. Please return to Wm.

this world and can think of no pleas

Rev. Mr. Rhiel is very handy with

WCTU ha'l next Sunday at 10:30

The Northville Telephone company

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PENINSULA MATTERS

RELATED IN A BRIEF, CONCISE MANNER.

Michigan Had Several Boys on the Maine

-State Bank Commissioner Just Dead -League of Republican Clubs Meet

-Michigan Press Association.

Michigan Men in the Maine Disaster. Elmer Meilstrup, George Mattison and Howard Hawkins of West Bay City were aboard the warship Maine at the time of her destruction. The young men-culisted last fall. Word has been received from the navy department that the body of Elmer Meilstrup had been recovered. The parents are griefstricken over their boy's fate. They were opposed to his enlistment, but finally consented. The mother is prostrated.

The young man had become tired of life on the battleship and was making an effort to secure his releas.

Howard B. Hawkins is among the dezd, but his body has not been recovered yet, while George Mattison was one of the few sailors whose lives were

George Fox, son of Dr. George Fox, of Grand Rapids, was a lamplighter on the ill-fated Maine, but was among

Richard Andrews; a Detroit boy, had been recently transferred for service on the Maine, but two days after the disaster it was learned that he had ar-zived at Key West too late to board the Maine before she sailed for Havana and he was taken aboard the Texas,

thus possibly escaping death.

Letters received by the parents of
Elmer Meilstrup and Howard B. Haw kins, at Bay City, state that the bottom of the harbor is covered with torpedoes and that the Maine lies right under the guns of Moro castle. Meilstrup thought that if Spain did not de-sire to let the Maine out, she could hold the boat in the harbor by means of the torpedoes. He would not be of the torpedoes. He would not be suprised if she should be blown up any day, and because of the torpedoes the Maine could not leave the harbor nor move about without the consent and direction of Spain: Picket boats, he said, were out all night watching the Maine = Spanish sailors claim they could do no the Maine in an hour, but young Meilstrup thought the Maine could whip the whole outfit in three

Death of Bank Commissioner Just. Josiah E. Just. state hank commis sioner, died at his home in Ionia of heart disease

Mr. Just was born December 20, 1847, in Ionia county. He attended the com mon schools until 12 years old, after which time he only had opportunity to attend school during the winter, the rest of his time being devoted to farm His first banking experience was in the Prist National bank of Lowell, where he was employed as clerk for three years. In 1870 he entered the banking house of S. W. Web ber & Co. at Muire as cashier, and in 1872 filled the same position af Lyons until 1873 when he returned to Muir as cashier until the Muir bank was merced into the name of Webber. Just & Co. in 1878, he being associated with Mr. Webber for 21 years. Mr. Just moved to Ionia in 1887 and organized the Ionia County Savings bank, of which he was cashier up to the time of his appointment as state, bank commissioner in February. 1897. by Gov. Pingree. February. 1897. by Gor. Pingree,

Mr. Just was married in 1875 to Ella V. Fox, of Muir, and she, with one daughter 12 years old, survives him. Deceased sang for 11 years in the M. E. church choir at Ionia. He was a past chancellor of the Knights of Pythias and in politics was a Republican.

State League of Republican Clebs. The annual convention of the Michigan League of Republican clubs, held at Detroit, was not very largely attended and was not of particular interest. Resolutions were adopted con-gratulating the country on the return of prosperity; reaffirming the financial plank of the St. Louis platform; expressing confidence in President Mes intention and ability to handle the Cuban matter satisfactorily: expressing profound sorrow at the appalling Maine disaster, favoring the annexation of Hawaii, favoring equal and just taxation, and the enactment and enforcement of just laws.

Officers were elected without a strug gle as follows: President, Grant Felows, of Hudson; vice-president, Wm. A. Hurst, of Detroit; secretary, Edgar J. Adams, of Grand Rapids; Freasurer Frank W. Wait (re-elected), of Sturgis. The selection of delegates to the na tional league meeting at Omaha, June 14-16 resulted in naming the officers of the league, and delegates from each district were chosen to represent the

Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

The Michigan Brotherhood of St. Andrew met in its fourth annual con vention at Bay City. Rev. Thomas W. MacLean, rector of Trinity church, delivered a very cordial address of wel come. Two days were spent in conferences and listening to matters pertaining to the work of the Brotherhood.

The car barns of the Menominee Elec ric Light & Street Railway Co. were totally destroyed by fire together with contents, enfailing a loss of \$25,000, partly covered by insurance. The fire broke out during the blizzard and nearly every car was destroyed.

In the matter of separating the grades of the railroad crossings at Detroit, Railroad Commissioner Wessellius announces that he will make a persona examination of the crossings, but will not assume to exercise any function of the state crossing board unless the law clearly gives him power to do so.

The annual meeting of the Michigan ress association was held in the Hotel Cadillac at Detroit. As the association s to hold its literary meeting in Muskegon this summer there was little business transacted in addition to the election of officers. An invitation from the Canadian Pacific road to take the editors and their families to the Pacific coast was accepted and the executive committee was instructed to make arrangements. The treasurers report red a balance of \$165 on hand.

Officers elected: President H. R. Pattengill, of Lansing Timely Topics: vice president, B. J. Lowrey, of How ard City Record: secretary, H. C. Blackman, of Hillsdale Democrat; treasurer E. D. Conger, of Grand Rapids Herald.

MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS.

The state board of pardons has deied the applications of 14 convicts for ardons.

A vein of coal 42 inches thick was struck near the bay shore seven miles north of Bay City.

A St. Joseph colony will be started n Washington state. Several families vill go there soon.

Bay City officials who had their salcries cut 20 per cent last spring have ad them restored. A. E. Evarts, a Clarkston farmer

vas înjured in a runaway accident and died of his injuries. Business men of Addison and the

farmers of the vicinity will co-operate o build a creamery. H. M. Charlesworth, aged 60, was

ound cut to pieces on the C. & G. T. ailroad tracks near Flint. John Atkinson a Bay City fireman,

fire and was badly injured. Chas. Steadman, an Owosso saloon oper, died from injuries received by

building at a

being thrown from a sleigh. The property of an Onekama man is advertised for sale for delinquent taxes

to the amount of eight cents. Saginaw Christian Endeavorers eet from 1.200 to 1.400 visitors at the

tate convention in their city. Capt. and Mrs. W. P. Spalding of Sault Ste. Marie celebrated their

rolden wedding anniversary. Burglars secured \$750 in_eash and iotes by blowing open the safe in Hoyt & Clark's grocery store at Lansing.

Patrick Farnum, a farmer near Shepherd, shot a large cagle which meas ured 7 feet 4 inches from tip to tip.

James Webb, aged 17-of Vassar, was ailled by logs rolling upon him, near Frout Lake, in the upper peninsula. Coal will be prospected for all along the Rifle river in Arenac county.

eral veins have already been found. Arden Aldrick a jockey employed by Jesse DeLong, was fatally injur being thrown from a horse at Niles.

Senate Ferguson dropped dead while trying to start a balky horse at Hanwer. He was subject to heart disease. John Rickle, aged 75: Joseph Hay wood: aged 75; Mrs Lalond, aged 90; three Bay City pioneers all passed away

in one day The playsicians of Berrien county have formed an organization with Dr. John Bell as president, to fight against fake doctors.

Bertha I. Krull. of Three Rivers, is in jail at Laporte. Ind., charged with complicity in the murder of a man named McClellan.

A cow owned by Levi Davis, of Deckerville, gave birth to three calves on one day. This makes six calves for this cow in three years.

There is a project to connect the in dependent telephone systems of Grand Rapids and Saginay, by way of Howard City. Edmore and Alma.

Wm. McPherson, an F. & P. M. em pleye, while climbing down from a box ear af Saginaw, was thrown under the wheels and lost his right arm.

Physicians have examined David Seeley, the old man under arrest at Kala-mazoo for having so many wives, and pronounce him-perfectly same.

Wallace Walters, a young farmer a mile from Clarkston, attempted suicide and is now in a dangerous condition. III health made him despondent.

Chas. Montgomery, aged 21, of Port Huron, was one of the crew of the Clara Nevada,, which went down on the Alas kan coast without a soul being saved.

Jacob Dinoman, a retired farmer liv ing in Fowlerville, was kicked in the stomach by his horse while visiting at his son's farm, and died in half an hour.

Mrs. John Lane, who lives south of St. Joseph, claims she is heir to a fortune of \$300,000 deposited in the bank of England 100 years ago by her grand-

Mrs. John Gregg: of Sanford, stooped to = pick up some wood and knocked down a loaded musket. The charge shattered her leg so that it had to be amputated, and she died from

James Hackett, a boy tramp, dropped dead on the street at Mason from cossive digarette smoking. He was given a decent burial, his poor mother rriving in time for the funeral after selling part of her furniture to pay for

transportation from Chicago.
Miss Gertrude Dobson, school commissioner of Branch county, charges districts with maintaining extremely filthy school houses and said the average school stove is covered with the fust, dirt and dust of years. She said verily, all the heathen do not reside

m foreign countries," George Voice, of Northport, has procured government patents to portions of Traverse City and several tarms in the vicinity. The owners acquired the vicinity. The owners acquired title from Indians, who gave quitclaims, but it is now claimed the Indíans gave no valid ownership. Expensive litigation is expected.

Gov. Pirgree has notified the Typoraphical union that hereafter he have the union label attached to all printed matter pertaining to the exec

utive office. Forty years ago Anton Grandjean, of Sarinaw, lost a deed to his property which not recorded. He recently found

it and has sent it to the register of deeds' office. Peter White of Marquette, while on a visit at Washington urged, the g ernment to take control of the Mack-

inac island reservation and locate a garrison there

-Fred Smith, a farmhand, went on a hunting expedition near Mt Morris and failed to return. He was found shanty, nearly dead and with one leg badly frozen.

Mrs. Wm. H. Phillips committed suicide at Grand Rapids by taking poison. She was 40 years old had no children and the cause of her action was trouble with her husband.

Rev. B.S. Taylor, aged 78, who for over 10 years has been librarian of Albion college, is dead. He leaves three sous, one of whom is Prof. F. M. Taylor, of the U. of M.

Dr. David Eugene Smith, of the chair of mathematics of the state Normal school at Ypsilanti, has been elected principal of the Brockport, N. Y., Nor nal school at \$3.000.

A syndicate of Alpena capitalists will ry and close a contract with Pennsyl nia coal companies to operate a mine at Stony Point, where a six-foot vein of hard coal has been found.

Wheeler & Co., of Bay City, have consented to arbitrate their troubles with the riveters, and will allow the men go to work pending the decision, without signing any agreement.

The livery barn of Thos. Cheetam was almost destroyed by fire at Flint. The horses were rescued; but a quantity of feed and personal property was detroyed. The loss is over \$2,000.

Bert Hellenthal, aged 45, of Zeeland, lied as a result of taking carbolic acid aid to have been administered by Fillmore doctor by mistake. Sheriff. anry has papers to serve on the doctor.

The Belt Toltic, Ridge and Knolton mines in Ontonagon county have been purchased by copper capitalists and vill be reopened in the spring The Ridge was secured on tax titl claims.

Ex-Gov. Luce, of Branch county, has been holding his wheat crop until he could get a certain price. Recently he sold three carloads, about 1,800 bushels, and the price advanced one cent the

The body of Mrs. Catherine Lenz, an aged widow who lived alone in Hamtramck township a short distance from Detroit, was found under the rails of a tence in a field near her home. Murder

s-suspected___ Little Mary Wolford, after a short lness, died of heart failure at Ithaca. Before death she was bled and nine quarts of blood were taken from her eins. She balled the physicians and

leath resulted.

It is reported that the 19th regiment U.S. Infantry now at Detroit and Ft. Brady will be transferred to Washing barracks to relieve the Fourth artillery. It is one of the finest posts n the United States.

The dead body of Chas. A. Molsberry, an old man, was found in his room where he lived alone at Niles. From indications he had been dead about three days, and rats had begun to guass his body. The cause of death is thought to be heart failure.

The second unnual ball and recep ion to the governor by the Grand Rap ids batialion M. N. G. was a great So The governor ent, and, escorted by Maj. Abbey, of Kalamazoo, and the captains of the local companies led the grand march.

The large flouring mill of E. Rutan & Co. at Belding burned to the ground. It was one of the best equipped mills in western Michigan, with a capacity of 500 barrels per day. The loss will reach \$25,000, as the mill was full of stored grain. Two cars of flour on the track ready for shipment were also consumed.

There was a year-end collision on the C., M. &-St. P. tracks at Carney's spur. six miles south of Iron Mountain. way freight crashed into a logging train which was switching. Twenty cars and an engine were wrecked and Conductor Anderson of Iron Mountain. and Brakeman John Tews, of Green Bay, Wis., were killed.

Joseph Lapeer, aged 16, who lived with his parents near Cumber, was fatally wounded while sitting by a stove.
A double-barreled shotgun fell from the wall in an adjoining room and both barrels were discharged through the partition, one charge entering the boy s back. Joseph is the second boy accidentally shot in this family.

The latest snow storm seems to have een general all over the state and was the heaviest Michigan had experienced n many years. In the towns street car service was practically stopped and country roads were impassable. railroads gave up the attempt to get trains through on time and thought it great luck to get through at all. some places snow drifted from 10 to 20

The attendance at the annual Michiclub banquet at Detroit was quite large and the speeches particularly enjoy able. Senator Burrows acted as toast master; Gov. Pingree took opportunity to roast trusts and monopolies; Senator Fairbanks paid the Republican party a glowing culogy; Senator Davis, of Minnesota, spoke upon Cuba, Hawaii and other interesting subjects and advised patience and conservatism in passing judgement as to the cause of Maine disaster: W. F. Curley, of Nebraska, said that the Republicane would after the Populiague would are said that the Republicans would win

again in 1900. Gaylord Catholics are about to erect a fine stone church.

AN INVESTIGATION

OF THE CAUSE OF THE MAINE

CATASTROPHE Is in Progress at Havana and Will b

Thorough-Uncle Sam, Preparing to Demand Satisfaction if There is any Evidence of Spanish Treachery.

Havana: Officers of the Maine state that the explosion was in the central magazine and that the Maine was raised out of the water and then went partially to pieces. All but the surgeon were in the ward room at the moment of the explosion. Then came the stupendous shock. All the officers be low rushed on deck, but could get no further forward than the middle of the uperstructure on deck. Only a pitia ble few of the 300 blue jackets ever got from below. The water rushed over them and many were stunned and drowned. The officers on deck mar rowly escaped. In the junior officers mess all had to clamber out through water and wreckage waist deep. agree that a double explosion occurred

Washington: Secretary Long, when asked whether he had reason to suspect that the disaster was the work of an enemy, replied. I do not. In that I am influenced by the fact that Capt. Sigsbee has not yet reported to flic navy department on the cause. He is evidently waiting to write a full report. So long as he does not, express himself I certainly cannot. I should third from the indications, however, that the magazine exploded. How that came about I do not know. For the present no other warship will be sent to Havana.

Public men expressed their opinions with reserve when approached for interviews, but everywhere there was a demand for an investigation and full details in the light of which the horror nay he justly viewed. Secretary Lonundoubtedly summarized the general opinion of the majority of naval experts in finding it impossible just now state the cause of the destruction of There are a great number of theories, but most of them are of a character that makes it easy to prove or upset by a single investigation by a Secretary Long has taken immediate steps to mak an investigation.

The effort of the government officers o remain calm in the face of the shock ing disaster and its attendant mystery apparent and a number of nava officers volunteered theories in suppor of the accident hypothesis, all of which in the absence of any facts on which to se a reasonable opinion were decid-

edly unsatisfying. As for the Maine herself, not with standing discouraging reports as to her condition the navy department will make the effort to raise her While this is required by every credit able sentiment, they are that they are bound to remove the hull from the har bor in any case and it may be as east destroy the hull and machinery by the

use of divers and dynamite.

Every confidence is felt at the navy department in the commander of the Maine, Capt. Sigsbee, and until it is really established otherwise there is very disposition to charge the accident. if accident it was that destroyed the Maine, to some cause beyond the usual range of human discretion

Rey West: It is known from reliable cources that Capt. Sigsbee is under the impression that the warship Maine wa lown up by a floating torpedo and that he has communicated his impressions to Washington asking at the same time that the naval department should send naval engineers and mo chanics to investigate the explosion.

The steamship Olivette arrived at Key West with 62 survivors of the Maire. Of the number 20 are wounded 10 seriously and one fatally. vers were, as a rule, reticent and say that the cause of the explosion could only be ascertained by divers, but many of the sailors were outspoken in their declaration of believe that the explosion was a deep laid plot of the

It is well known that there has been very bitter feeling among the Spaniards in Cuba against the Maine. Can-alejas' own paper, the Heraldo, has rereatedly sta that the Mairie was a menace to peace, and it was to the same editor of this paper, it will be remembered, that De Lome wrote his famous letter insulting Pres ident McKinley. At a bull fight in Havana the Spaniards openly insulfed men from the Maine, and the feeling against them had gradually grown to

be very bitter.

Washington: The government has settled back into a waiting attitude in respect to the terrible marine disaster in Havana harbor. The great shock caused by the news has given way to a calmer and more judicial state of mind. The naval officials are now resigned to await the results of an inquiry by a court named by the navy department, as follows: Capt. Samson, commander of the battleship Iowa, now at the Tortugas, president of the court Capt. Chadwick, commander of the New York, at Key West: Lieut.-Com. Schroeder, executive officer of the Massachusets, now at Tortugas; Lieut.-Com. Mariv executive officer of the Vermont. formerly on the Maine.

Washington: Consul General Lee tel-egraphs: "Profound sorrow expressed government and municipal authorlies, consuls of foreign nations, organfized bodies of all sorts and citizens generally. Flags at half-mast on governor-general's palace, on shipping in harbor and city. Business suspended, theaters closed. Officers' quarters being in rear and seamen's forward where explosion took place, accounts for greater proportional loss of sailors. Officers Merritt and Jenkins still missing and undoubtedly lost. Hope our people will repress excitement and calmly await decision"

Developments of the Maine Disaster. Naval experts and engineers are unnimously in favor of raising and rebuilding the Maine. They say the plan

is entirely feasible, unless she is shettered more than they at present believe. Secretary Long coincides with their views, but adds that if the warship proves to be absolutely useless a new Maine, finer and faster, will be built. The Spanish authorities at Havana

equested of Consul-General Lee that they be permitted to join with our own people in making an investigation into the cause of the disaster to the Maine. Gen: Lee forwarded the request to Washington where it was discussed by President McKinley, Secretary Long and Assistant Secretary of State Day and the conclusion was reached, and Gen. Lee was so notified, that while this government is willing to afford the Spanish authorities all reasonable facilities for conducting an investigation, yet it is thought best the first in-quiry shall be made by her own commissioners. The request of the Span-ish government, therefore, was respectfully declined. Capt. Sigsbee will be ecognized as the one to direct operations and to send down the government divers for such inspection as he sees proper to make.

For a short time it appeared that the Spanish were likely to attempt to pre-vent any work on the wreck of the daine other than they should direct but a stiff demand that our right be recognized resulted in the Spanish acknowledging that the wreck of the Maine is extra-territorial and a part of he sovereign soil of the United States. This decision promises to establish ax important precedent in international

Associated Press correspondents claim to observe great preparations for war in the manning of various portions of our modern system of coast defense at this time, but the war department says it is but the carrying out of plans which have been maturing for two or three years. It is also alleged by the correspondents that the U.S. infantry forces at Fort Sheridan (Chicago), For Leavenworth, and Fort Riley (Kansas). have been armed and equipped more completely and are ready for call at a moment's notice. A new 20-knot torpedo hoat has just been launched Herresschoff's yards, Bristol, R. I., all completed Extra large forces of marines have been sent to the Nortolk navy yards to put into commission two ree fighting boats there. Secre tary of War Alger is said to be hurry ing troops to the forts about New York

Read Admiral Thos. A Selfridge has just returned from a two years absence in Europe and was met at the steamer by a telegram ordering him to report

at the Brooklyn navy yard at once.
The first report from Capt. Sigsbee a to the work of the divers about the wreck of the Maine was as follows: Only most experienced wrecking divers can do effective work on the Maine ers. First investigation and a party

of the Maine especially the superstructure and connections, are one confused

Divers recovered the cipher code book, the log of the Maine, many official and private papers. The silver ser ice of the Maine, End considerable

other salvage. Another brief telegram from Capt. Sigsbee read: Havana — Bache. Which meant that the coast survey has arrived at Havana the diving apparatus sent from the North Atlantic squadron. Another dispatch announces the arrival of the lightship telder Mangrove with the court of inquiry and additional divers and apparatus. The court promptly began its investigations, but the regul lations under which the proceedings take place absolutely precludes the conveyance by any member of the cours or the court as a body to any person ven the secretary of the navy, of any facts developed during the progress o the inquiry, unless the action of the de partment was necessary upon some de velopment to further the investigation.

Gladstone Goes Home to Die.

London: It is said that Mr. Gladstone is coming home to die. An eye-wines who saw his departure from the Riviera and his arrival at Calais reports a striking change in the old statesman's appearance. Arrangements had been made at Calais to carry his chair from the train to the hotel, but Mr. Gladstone was determined to walk the distance, 30 yards, and was carefully as sisted down the steps, enveloped in coats and rugs. Heavily leaning on the arms of two gentlemen, he slowly tottered to the hotel.

Miss Frances E. Willard Dead.

Miss Frances E. Willard, president of the Woman's Christian Temperance union of the world, died as the Hotel Imperial, New York-City.

Miss Frances E. Willard, was founder of the World's W. C. T. U., and for many years was president of the National W. C. T. U. She was born Sept. 28, 1839, at Churchville, N. Y.

The final step in the program of the sale of the Kansas Pacific railroad was taken at Topeka, Kas., when the entire line from Kansas City to Denver was sold under the consolidated mortgage for \$8,000,000 it being bid in by Alvin W. Krech for \$8,000,000 on behalf of the reorganization committee.

London: It is asserted on good authority, that the Royal Niger Co. has been instructed after trying all peace-able means to compel the retirement of the French from British tecritory by force. The sultanate of Sokoto is feudatory of the company and it was recently placed under British protec-tion. The situation is extremely grave Great Britain's forces in the protectorate district number between 5,000 and 6,000 men under British officers.

President McKinley was the Wash ington day orator of the annual celebration given by the University of Pennsylvania.

DOINGS OF CONGRESS.

A Paragraphic Chronicle of the Acts of the Nation's Lawmakers.

The House interstate and foreign advocates of the establishment of a department of commerce. A statement vas presented which declared that other departments were established by the demands and exigencies of the busincs of the government and that the time had arrived when another department should be created. The commercial interests could be greatly benefited by a seat at the cabinet table and it would be a relief to other depart-

The Senate committee on equal suffrage granted a hearing to a large delegation of ladies from the National Woman Suffrage association in convention at Washington. The House committee also accorded the delegation a hearing Miss Susan B. Anthony, the president of the association, made a trong plea.

The day following the Maine disaster the House adopted the following resolution, offered by Rep. Boutelle, of Maine: Resolved, That the House of Representatives has learned with profound sorrow of the great calamity which has caused the destruction of the United States battleship Maine, and appailing loss of more than 250 lives and the wounding of many others of the gallant defenders of our flag, and that the House expresses its sympathy for the injured and its sincere condo ences with the families of those who have lost their lives in the service of

After four days of consideration the House passed the committee on judiciary ported by the committee on judiciary the Nelson bill passed by the Senate at the extra session last summer. The bill is known as the Henderson bill and contains both voluntary and involuntary features. It is considered less drastic than the measure passed by the last House.

The bill to increase the U.S. artillery force by two regiments passed the

Senate by a vote of 52 to 4.

The bill passed the House to pay
Newberry college a Lutherau institution in South Carolina S15 000 for damages done by troops during the war

The Senate so amended the bill for the taking of the twelfth and subsequent censuses as to place the work under the secretary of the interior.

A resolution offered by Mr. Allen, of Nebraska, directing the committee on naval affairs to make an investigation of the disaster to the battleship Maine was adopted by the Senate without de-bate. The House joint resolution ap-propriating \$200,000 for the recovery of the Maine was also passed. A sweeping reduction of over \$5,000.

000 from the amount carried by the our from the amount carried by the current law is made in the sundry civil. appropriation bill reported to the House, the aggregate appropriation carried being \$44.749.893. The total is carried being \$44.749.893. The total is a \$12004.541 less than the regular and supplemental official estimates made to the fiscal year 1899 and \$8,861,890 less than the appropriations made for the current fiscal year. A reduction of \$5.307.590 is made in the appropriation for river and harbor work and this

greatly affects Michigan. John Bull Talks War Nov

The situation in East Africa is reported to be an aggravating one to both France and England. Young officers command both forces, and a col-lision is probable at any time unless England yields ground. This it is said, she is not likely to do, as a budget for \$750,000 for the support of West African forces is likely to be passed early next week. On the other hand, M. Hanotaux, the French minister of foreign affairs, is, in a trying and peposition, as the coming elections enliar face him and the slightest sign of yielding on his part would mean utter defeat at the polls. The freedom of commerce and not the acquisition of property, is said to be the real bone of

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CHAPTER XV.-(Continued.) Halby House was, as ramor said, one of the most magnificent mansions in London. It had been closed for some years, the earl's affairs not permitting his residence there. Now circum-mances were different. Arley Ransome—to whom this spring was to bring the keen enjoyment of his ambition-had undertaken to have it redecorated and refurnished. Halby House was talked about for its splender and magnificence; even before the earl and countess came to town crowds of people went to see it. It was considered a triumph of art. The earl had not asked his young wife it she would go up to town; he had taken her consent for granted. He knew that she must be presented—that if he failed in that duty Arley Ransome would be indignant; and he was fairly caught in the toils. He was not particularly ashamed of his wife; he was not proud of her; but he had ceased to feel annoyed by the reflection that he had married a money-lender's daughter. The Duchess of Morley was to present her; and, once under the shadow of her grace's protection, a triumph was sure to follow

A proud day for Arley Ransome was that of his daughter's presentation at court. He drove to Halby House to see her before she went, and to him his daughter looked like a miracle of beauty. Full dress enhanced her love-liness wonderfully, her neck arms and shoulders were beautifully molded, and they were shown to the greatest ad-Fantage, as was the perfectly rounded figure. The court dress was one of anusual magnificence—a silver procade elaborately trimmed with rich lace She wore a parure of diamonds; the waying plumes that lend so grotesque an effect to some faces gave her an air of majesty. The lovely Spanish face and dark eyes were a study in them-

She was alone with her maids in her dressing-room when Arley Ransome came. He sent up a little penciled

rote, saying:
"Hildred, can you come into the drawing room for a few minutes? I want to see you in your court-dress.

There was no elation in her heart as she raised her magnificent train in her hand and threw it over her arm. went downstairs, grave, collected, almost sad.

Arley Ransome started as she cu-cred then he made a low bow. "My



"I CONGRATULATE YOU." dear Hildred," he said, "I congratulate you. How beautiful you look! You

were born to be a countess."
"Then I was born for very little purpose," she replied hastily.

He would not notice the petulent re-

ply.
"I must repeat that you look very beautiful, indeed, my dear child," he

said. "I am surprised—gratified."

"I am glad that you are pleased." sho replied. He was her father, and she was compelled to honor him; but she

felt that she could never forgive him for having sold her-sold her for a "I think, my dear," said Arley Ran-

some, nervously, "that it would be quite well if you could try to—to look a little bright. You do not look happy.

How is it?" "Did you ever expect that I should be happy, papa?"

"Of course. Most certainly you have everything to make you so."

She made no reply. The lawyer's eyes glistened with keenst satisfaction

as he looked at her.
"It is a proud day for me," he said -"the day on which I see my daughter in her court dress. Throw down

the train: let me see the full effect. Without a smile on her face she complied, standing before him, calm, beautiful, self-possessed. At that moment the earl, not knowing she was there, entered the room. He stared at

the loyely apparition.
"Hildred, I did not believe that you were here. You are ready, I see,"
"Quite ready," she replied, briefly.
"Then we will start at once," he

said. Arley Ransome went up to him.
"You must feel pleased and proud,

he said. "The most beautiful woman presented today will be your wife. I predict for her a signal triumph." "Which will add considerable to my domestic happiness," remarked the

Yes, he was pleased. He saw people | light of the lamp,

whose opinions he valued turn to look at bo wife; he heard her name whis pered; he saw admiring glances follow her; he felt that amongst fair pink and-white English girls she looked like some southern queen. But the knowledge of all this did not in the least warm his heart to her. And she? She had ceased to feel any great interest in his opinion. The time had been when she would perhaps have stood before him, and have said, "I hope you are pleased with me, Lord Caraven." She would not now, she was proudly; superbly indifferent. Indeed she would have given much for the impulse, the desire to please him. It had faded away-died of neglect.

CHAPTER XVI.



face, with its look of proud reserve, appeared out of place. She was very popular, very much liked, but not quite understood. Fair ladies whose lives were one gay round of pleas ure wondered why smiles did not come as readily to her lips as to theirs why she was graver, more thoughtful, more abstracted.

It was so strange a life, the world around her was so brilliant, there seemed no room in it for any-thing but laughter and song. There were times when she looked wonder ingly at the bright faces of others, cry ing from the depths of her soul. "My heart is empty!"-

One morning she was restless and could not sleep. She had been think ing about her strange lot in life until her head ached. The pillow was hot; she longed to be up and breathing the sweet, fresh morning air. She touched the repeater; it was just four. She thought a book might soothe her, and she was much interested in a new about her servants. Many ladies would have rung for her maid, and have sent her for what hev required his Ledy Caraven rose and put on her dressing-gown, intending to go into the draw-ing-room herself. Then the dear, cold water in her dressing-room looked so tempting that she stopped and bathed her face and hands in it, She drew her wealth of dark hair behind her pretty, shell-like ears. She had no thought of the lovely picture that she presented her beautiful face glowing with roses from the cold water her hair falling in most picturesque disorder, the graceful lines and curves of her figure showing to the greatest advantage.

She went down stairs, and was sur-

prised to see the large lamp still burning in the hall. She thought it had been forgotten, and went forward with the intention of putting it out. To her still greater surprise, she saw Adolphe, her husband's valet, asleep in the great arm chair. She spoke to him:

Adolphe," she said, "what are you doing here? Why is this lamp still alight? It is morning."

The tired man-servant looked round him with an air of stupefaction half a minute, then arose, and, seeing the young countess, grew puzzled and half alarmed. What was he to say if she repeated the question?

"What are you doing here?" she asked again.

He dared not say that he was waiting for his master, but before he had time to raply, there came fortunately a knock at the hall door, and the next moment the earl stood before her In amazement he looked at the vision before him. "Hildred," he cried, "what are you

doing here?"

"I came down to find a book, because I could not sleep, and, seeing the lamp burning, I intended to extinguish it."

Lord Caraven took out his watch.
"Four o'clock," he said. "I am late or rather early. I have been playing at billiards since eleven."

She looked contemptuously at him. "I believe," she said, "that your whole soul is engressed in billiards." I have played the best game tonight that I have ever played in my life," he told her, laughingly.

She made no reply. He continued: "I will quote a popular line-if you're waking, call me early that is, some time after noon. We shall have a grand match at the club tomorrow evening, and I have staked a small fortune on the champion billiard play-er of England."

Hildred looked at him-the handsome face was worn and haggard, the eyes were tired and dim. The picture was a striking one—the girl-wife in all the fresh beauty of her youth; the busband, still in his evening aress, haggard, pale, yet handsome even in his fatigue; the lovely light of the morning struggling with the garish

Rildred spoke at last-the valet had discreetly disappeared,

"I had no idea that you stayed out so late," she said gravely. "I do not

think it is right." "If I were you," returned her hus band, "I would not waste any time in thinking about it. You know the old

song:
"The best of all ways to lengthen our Is to steal a few hours from the night,

my dear.

"It must be hard for your servants," she said. "though perhaps very delightful to yourself." You forget our compact, Hildred,

he said; his face clouding. "You go your way, and I go mine; but I will allow no inverference: my outgoing and incomings have nothing to do with you—do not forget." "I do not forget," she told him

haughtily. "I will never allow anyone to make

any comment upon my actions." said. "I please myself and I always shall."

"I make no comment," rejoined his wife

He recovered his good humo was impossible to look at her and co "We both, it appears, steal a few

hours from the night, but mine are taken from the beginning, yours from the end. Good morning, Hildred, the next moment she was standing in the hall alone.

It was not until dinner time the same day that she saw her husband again, and then he did not look very well pleased

"Hilured," he said, sharply, "I hope you do not intend to repeat this morn ng's performance. If you want books take them upstairs with you. It is like a scene from a French drama to open the hall door and find one's wise waiting there."

"It was quite an accident," she replied. "How can you imagine it to have=been otherwise?"

He appeared rather ashamed of his harshness "I have heard so many stories," he

"I thought perhaps that some one had been telling you that I spent whole nights at billiards, and that you wished to find out for yourself whether it was true."
"You do not understand me,"

refurned, haughtily, "if you think that I would allow any one to speak evil of ou to me."

He looked pleased. "That is right," he said, "I see it was accidental. Do not let it occur again, Hildred. I should not like it. After all, you know, liberty of action is the one great thing. I will let no one interfere with mine."

"I can assure you, Lord Caraven,"



"HILDRED!" HE CRIED. she answered. "that I for one shall

never try to do so "That is right," he said. "If you keep to that, we shall be good friends." (To be continued.)

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them and made every effort to vince everybody interested that they had no desire to form the acquaint ance of the rodent. The other lady who, by the way, is nearsighted, sat quietly in her rocker with a smile of appreciation on her face. When the excitement had subsided she calmly remarked that it was "very good," much to the mystification of her companions. It developed that she thought that the small boy had thrown a toy rat on the floor and that his mother and the other callers were assisting to make the performance realistic. Nevertheless, she is regarded as quite a heroine

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It is feared that James Monroe may eventually lose all use of his arm which he had the mistortune to have injured some time ago.

The Literary club met with their president George Taylor on Tuesday evening. The next place of meeting will be at the home of Harry Har- Elmie for a few days:

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rice are making preparations for building a new Airs. Palmer Sherman. house this spring on his parents' farm, the stones being already drawn to the site.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Wait who formally resided on their farm west of Novi are now both sick at their home in Northville Mr. Wait is suffering from a stroke of paralysis and his wife is seriously ill and not expected to live.

The mick social holf at Lee West's Thursday night was in every respect a decided success. Besides the David Adams has returned to his Novites who usually attend these gatherings there were people from Milford and Farmington present. Quite a number were exmask and it afforded no end of samusement for from Northville where she has been the rest of the crowd.

Alfred C. Church, impersonator gives a recital in the Novi Baptist church next week Wednesday evening. Mr. Church comes highly recom- board of Farmington, were at Ponmended and Novi people are assured time Tuesday attending circuit court. of a fine entertainment. In addition to Mr. Church he will be assisted in be given this briday evening in the a musical program by Messrs. Kim- Methodist church under the auspices mis, Plint; Mesdames Loren Fiint, of the Literary department of the Anna Rice; Misses: Nellie, Tibbitts and League. Hazel Coates. Admission 25cts per couple, or single tickets 15 cents. Children 10 cents

ted for the WNDC meeting tomorrow many friends. (Saturday) night.

Usual Business
Reading—Mrs. Stella West
Recitation—A. Rogers
Imprompti—D. Gage
Music, Quartet—Mrs. Minnie Dun-

Author, Mrs. Richardson, Messrs. Bog art and Kinunis. (Alternative Mrs. Zadah Dunbam) Essay—Mrs. Harmon Queries

Coll. queries
Debate—Resolved, That under existing circumstances the United States would be justifiable in demanding of Spain immediate cessa-tion of nostilities in cuba. Aff. Bogart, Gage, Kimmis, Johns and Wilson. Neg. Eogers, Leavenworth, Clapp, J Clapp, Courter.

The joint debate at the town hall Seturday evening brought out another big houseful offolks, although the evening was a stormy one. There was a good, literary and beneat of the senior class of the Frank Lombard. The cornet, and musical program, followed by the debate, which was interesting and instructive. The judges were Jay Dunham, chosen by the W. club, and represented the affirmative of the the audience with her recitations another meeting between the two societies, as the WNDC has won in It was also a success financially. two out of the three already held. one late last winter-and two this season-and the ENDC is anxious to

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C E. Goodell,

get even. These meetings are pleas ant and profitable to all concerned.

The Union Sunday-school in the riswold distict will hold an entertainment in the school house next week Saturday evening, consisting of dialogues, recitations and music. Admission five cts. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Meads Mills News.

Mrs. H. S. Green visited friends in Novi a part of last week.

Louvendia Greene of West Ply mouth spent Sunday at Mr. Sowles' Mr. and Mrs Eddie Frisbee of Plymouth spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eckles of stockbridge are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Eckles.

Mrs. Jennie Wheeler of New York ity has been visiting her mother. Irs. Mary Loud, for the past week Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Aines, and daughter Vila of Grass Lake visited at ar. and Mrs. Harry king's last

Farmington News.

Mrs. M. A. Woodman is now able to sit up some each day.

Miss Gertrude Lowe of Hudson is the guest of Mrs. C. B. Allen. Miss Florence Bigelow left Tuesday

norning for Bad Axe to live with Jas, P. Allen and wife have been entertaining their oldest daughter

Mrs. David Ross of Buxton, Can. is the guest of her parents, are and

Mrs. C. F. White and son Glen accompanied by Mrs. L. C. Philbrick were Northwille visiters Puesday.

Subject for League devectional meeting sumar evening: ... remper are in all things." Leader, nev. D Leader, Kev. D. M. Ward.

Little Bessie Ley has been very sick with lung trouble. One is at tins date somewhat better. Dr. E. r. Avicoid Faciones ner.

David Adams has returned to his ed visit with his sister, Ars. Fidena Pnelps and other relatives. 🖘

Mrs. Olive Sprague has returned visiting at the nomes of exected Dingman and Herbert Lee.

Supervisor Hogle, John Thayer and Hueson Wicox, the township

A Washington entertainment will

Dr. E. F. Holcomb and wife were Detroits visitors this week. The doctor's eyes are improving all the The following program is submit- time, much to the satisfaction of his

> The Enterprise states that 'Robins have come.". It must have been a kobin-who visited the Enterprise only, for no one else has seen one. How is its onice boy?"

> A surprise party was given on the evening of Feb. loth at the home of James Conroy in honor of his birthday. About twenty were present and as usual a pleasant, time was enjoyed.

> Nate Eisenlord, and family who have been living at Farmington the cheese factory.

The home of Dexter Riley will come all, and have a good time.

church Saturday evening was quite after which those who wished re-H. Ingersoll and W.A. Whipple in well patronized and proved to be all baired to Stanbro's hall and joined behalf of the other. Their decision and more than was anticipated, with the sons of Terpsichore until a was given in favor of the ENDC who Miss Tickner, completely captivated question discussed. There is talk of and as usual the Ladies quartet was greeted by enthusiastic listeners

> On Feb. 19 about ten little girls met at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Lloyd to give their little niece Belle a surprise in honor of her eighth

the day. It is a good thing for others in his community. Dr. King's Farmington that the decision of the New Discovery is guaranteed for longes does not effect the contemporation of the promoters. The plation of the promoters. The judges' work certainly does coincide with their decision, at least judging from outward appearances.

Buy a King's Durgaters' cook book.

Tuesday. Harry Robins of the U. of M. spent

he Sabbath ah home. Mrs. Hattie Chase of Salem is an

Mrs. N. H. Caverly and master Roy were Detroit visitors Tuesday and

Mrs. N. E. Ryder has been spending several days with her sister, Mrs. H. B. Thayer.

A progressive pearo party was given at the home of P. H. Murry on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. J. A. Robins who for the pas two months has been visiting her home.

The beaviest fail of snow of the eason came Sunday night and Monday. The sleighing is again superb.

The March meeting of the Salem Farmers club will be held at the home of Mr and Mrs. Frank-Rider on Wednesday March 2. -

The Salem KOTM degree team, y special invitation, go to New Hudson March 3rd to exemplify the to get to a party, so he got his

There was a Measure sociable held in the Baptist parsonage last even change of apparel in the shadow of ing. It was a unsque affair and the yacht storecastle. He threw his proved a success in more ways than onie.

and Martin Boyle, Jr. attended the kepublican club banquet at Ann Arbor last week.

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The young republicans of Salem who attended the Republican banquet at Ann Arbor last week, came iome well pleased with the entire the farmer's watch; quit at 11, got proceedings, the menu and the least dinner ready, and was out in the of reason and flow of soul that field again by 1. I kept the team a followed it. At a business meeting going till dark. I generally got my of the club, Salem was honored by work done by 9 or 10 at night. the choice of one of her citizens as its treasurer, John Mann.

The many friends of Rev. and Mrs. two weeks. I stayed up till 12 at Hannaford, not all of them but a lot night, and done it for her. My father of them, surprised them by calling is blind in one eye and too old to on them at the parsonage Wednes work, so I brought home my wages day. The dinner, though not fur in flour, pork and groceries. My big nished by Tom Swan, was those up brother used to buy them a pig every to the Michigan club banquet, as year, but he has quit helping altoto display of cuisine ability. The gether now. "If father would reut a remarks, by visiting ministerial farm could run it so it would pay brethren were models of brotherly already. Where was nired man love and good will. All had a good

Salem Tent No. 417 KOTM gave their 2nd annual enterteinment on Neignbors verby the came partic instructions by Mail.

Friday evening of last week. The ular white for Catalogue. open Friday evening, March 4; for a pleasing and made humorous by "Clothes pin" and box social for the interspersing comic songs sung by Farmington High-school. Comeone, trombone duet was a marked feature of the entertainment. Supper was The entertainment in the Baptist served in the hall to about 300 people,

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Belle a surprise in honor of her eighth birthday. It proved to be a happy levent and the little hostess conducted herself in a very attractive manner has been anny succeeding birthdays is not only the wish of her little friends but of her older cales as well.

At the debate Monday evening on the question, Resolved that in clear trice on would be detrimental to ramington, the affirmative won the day. It is a good thing for Farmington that the decision of the New Discovery is guaranteed for

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Walled Lake News.

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The Walled Lake Farmers' club will meet at the home of Clark Jones next week Wednesday.

In the notice of the funeral of Mrs Horner last week, the name of the paster should have read J. E. Munroe

of our Methodist church, will preach sn that edifice next Sunday morning and in the evening will give a lecture on Palestine.

parents in Canada, has returned home of Joseph Tuttle last Friday evening-a surprise for the young people. A generous repast was served and games and music helped to make the evening pass pleasantly.

One of the members of the Rock wood orchestra working with the D. Peerless didn't have time to go home and clean up the other events in order work according to the new ritual. "Sunday best" sent up by a buggy coming to the Rock, and made his fold duds on Dr. Turner's fence. where they were noticed at about 12p,m., and gave rise to rumors of Messrs Fred Wheeler, Frank Hav. 12p.m., and gave rise to rumors of wood, John Munn, N. H. Caverje, suicide, murder, robbery, and various other awful things. The "duds" were removed for safe keeping. Bright and early next morning mixious inquiries were made by the young man for his clothes, and after ome hustling lie found them at the drug store - Flat Rock News.

TIS SAD, 'TIS TRUE.

Tough Experience of Minnie Becker As a Bread Winner.

ton, has had an experience as a bread-winner for her myalid mother, wo little brothers and a sister which is probably unequaled in Michigan. Minnie came from Ger many when 6 years old, and has worked as hired girl and farm hand ver since she was 10. She is now 16 but is of small stature and appears

I worked as hired girl and hired man for Wallace Grace of Livonia, last season," said she. I got 75 cents a week; got up at 4 in the morning. had the housework done by 7 and then took my team out to the plow or cultivator.

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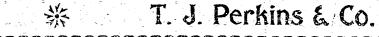
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instead of J. E. Aldrich. Rev. A. G. Blood, a former pastor

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