GOVERNOR WARNER __ IN YUCATAN

LAND OF SISAL AND PARKS ON ROCKS.

Many Ways.

or Warner gave a very interesting sells the milk, delivered in bottles, to secount of his trip down in the the wealthier families of the city. Yucatan county, a part of which the The poorer class buy the cheaper

permanent supply of sisal for our streets and milks only the amount Michigan prison-twine plant. We that a customer wants " assuredly can. It's a fine country, 1s-Tucatan, as far as we saw it. The area lacabout twosthirds that of A Chicken-Tale That Amuses Our Michigan, although the population is only about one-eighth of our own About twenty per cent of the population, are whites and practically all of the whites Spaniards. or Spanish descent. The rest are haftve Indians and mixed. The whites possess the wealth of the country. The sisal crop for export this year is about 650,000 bales, and a bale averages 400 pounds. It is setching few nights ago seventeen of Curtis' evening. The funeral occurred Wed this year tweeve cents a pound; barred Plymouth Rock fowls came nasday Rev. N.E. Musser officialing Mexican money, which is six cents American. This means that the 1900 crop will bring Yucatan \$15,000,000 of our money, for most of the sisal is sold fo the United States. There are some 300 stsal plantations in the state and 60,000 Indian laborers find employment on them

"The sisal plant grows eight feet or so high and its leaves, two to ${\bf a}$ cactus-like appearance. The leaves are not developed until the plant is seven years old. After that the Merry-Go-Round club is also next leaves can be cut every month in the year for twenty years. Bareheaded about the time of the loss and gain and barefooted sun-bronzed natives etrip the leaves from the sharp spines with long, eglistering blades. The leaves are then crushed and the pulpy matter extracted This wet mass of stringy fibre is dried in the open air, combed, and the strands, which are often a yard or more long, are compressed by machines into bales oLa uniform size. So profitable is the growing of sisal that many planters formerly engaged in raising corn, cotton and cultivating the richer lands of the state have abandoned these crops and turned their attention to the raising of the twine and rope fibre. Sisal thrives best where the limestone is close to Ahe surface.

"We were the guests one evening at the home of Senor Camera, one of the prominent sisal growers, who has a magnificent residence in the suburbs of Merida. He blasted out about one acre and filled it with dirt. On this acre he has oranges and bananas growing, and all together sixty-four different varieties of trees, besides about 150 different varieties of flowers and shrubs. There are fine walks through it, electric lights rigged in the trees, and sprinklers connected with underground pipes in all parts. John Haggerty said it was the nearest to bis idea of what Paradisc must be like, according to the books he used to read in his school days, than anything he has

Piano Lessons.

Thorough method. For terms apply at my home, 52 Main street. 13tfp ARBUTUS M. WOLF

heretofore discovered. None of us FRANK GUTHERAT doubted him. In fact I guess we all felt the same way.

"Senor Camera is a live one. Although a Spaniard hespeaks English as fluently as if he were born and grew up in Michigan. Comparatively few of the planters and business men can converse in English, although many of their young sons, Old Country But Is Up-to-date in who were educated in colleges in the United States, know English. Camera, among other things, has on his plantation a herd of eighty Jersey and Holstein cows which he import-In Sunday's News-Tribune Govern- ed from the United States and he milk which comes from the native ecord reproduces:
"We went to Yucatan primarily to cowe and goats The falls peddler sea it we could count on getting a drives his cowe and goats along the

C. C. Chad wick of this place, clerk ot-fudge Durfee's court in Detroit, is the victim of a lot of joshing over a remarkable chicken epîsode,

S. W. Curtis, publisher of the Detroft Legal News, is a next door neighbor of Chadwick's here and a the remains to the home here Sunday barred Plymouth Rock fowls came nesday, Rev. N. E. Musser officiating. up missing. Someone had captured the bunch, and the very next day Chadwick's hennery was increased this place. by sixteen new members of the very mane breed of blrds. Chadwick really purchased them of Frank Durfeer a Novi farmer, but to add to the "josh" and Chad's confusion, the wags put Durfee next, and now Durtee claims he didn't sell Chad any three feet long, are prickley and have poultry. Curtis is also mean enough to ask Chad what he did with the odd hen as he lost seventeen. The The club was entertained at Chad's and the members claim that fried chicken was the lunch and thus account for that seventeenth chicken.

1910 Calendars 1910.

The Northville debating club will

later be called upon to settle the

question. - Detroit News.

The Record will be ready to give out the 1910 souvenir calendars commencing Monday morning, December Finest line and largest assortment ever shown. Will only be given to Record subscribers. None given out to children. Enough for every-

body. First comers get first choice. Auction Sale.

From bills printed at the Record office we notice that Wm Melow will have an auction sale of horses milch cows, farm implements, wagons, etc., on the premises onehalf mile east of Phoenix, Wednesday Dec. 29, commencing at 12 o'clock. Erank Boyle auctioneer.

Peerless Laundry Notice.

Last wash day next week is Thursday. Laundry must be in not later than Wednesday evening. F. B. MACOMBER.

Allen, the Stove Man.

Am located in Northville and am pre-pared to do all kinds of repairing: Stoves, lawn mowers, clothes wringers and sewing machines. Castings for all stoves 12c per lh. in stove. Second hand gasoline stoves for sale. Phone residence, 177 x.

G. P. ÁLLEN

SCHOOL CHILDREN'S EYES

School children who complain of poor vision, headache, etc., should have their eyes examined. Many eyes that are clear and beautiful are weak at times, and need attention. Impaired vision unfits a child for study and places him or her in lower classes, there they are looked upon as a dull scholar, whereas it is nothing but a curable affliction interfering with their progress.

Parents, consult us in regard to your children's eyes and we will advise you for the

G. W. & F. DOLPH

Dr. Swift Bidg. OPTGHETRISTS.

DIED SUNDAY A. M.

UNDERWENT AN OPERATION AT

HARPER HOSPITAL TUESDAY.

Thought to Be Improving Until . Early that Morning.

Frank Gutherat, a well known Northville citizen whose late home year: is on Church street near Béal avenue. dled suddenly at Harper hospital Sunday morning of heart failure.

He had undergone an operation at the hospital last week Tuesday by Dr Angus McLair assisted by Dr. Henry of this place and was apparently getting along nicely. Early Sunday morning the nurse noticed her patient was sloking and immed. tately called the house physician but before anyone could reach his room

he had passed into the great beyond. Mr Gutberat was an ôld soldier and had lived in: Northville for som vears where he-had a host of friends He leages a wife but no children.

Schrader Bros., utidertakers, went to Detroit Sunday noon and brought The burial was at Redford where the family lived previous to coming to

Christmas Cantala.

A beautiful Christmas cautata, 'The Everlasting Light," will be given Sunday evening, Dec. 19th, by the choir in the Presbyterian church at 7 o'clock. There will be a silver collection taken for the benefit of the organ fund. Everybody invited.

W. C. T. U. Notes. (By Press Correspondent)

The meeting of December 20th wili be held in the Baptist church parlors at 2:60 o'clock p m. These meetings are not only for theemembers but for any one interested in the cause of temperance.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hutton.



celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary tomorrow, Saturday.

New Inter-County 'Phones. Ed. Holden

Edgar Smith

Martin Smith E. B. Thompson David Gage Edwin White (res.) 80 2R Edwin White (store) 80 3R Cloise Hosmer 20 L7 Dorsel Benton 107 L2 E. J. VerDuyn Martin Cryster J. A. Stilson 171 J3 J. W. Perkins Mrs. D. W. Killett 173 L3 Filo Clark 170 L6 Steve Clark 170 L6 Robert Pickell

Notice to Subscribers.

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North-lile Public School

C. L. Dubuar Lumber Co.

Under the U. S. Postal laws no newspaper can be mailed to a sub scriber after he or she is more than one year in arrears. About a dozen of our friends are now in that condition. Please look at the label on your paper this week and see if it reads '08.

Notice to Taxpayers.

Beginning Friday, Dec. 10, I will be Beginning Friday, Dec. 10, I will be at the store of Carpenter & Huff and every Friday and Saturday up to, and including, Jan. 10, to receive and including, Jan. 10, to receive at taxes.

J. A. Huff J. A. HUFF,

W. R. C. Officers.

The following are the elective officers of the W. R. C. for the ensuing year:

Pres.-Mary L. Ambler S. V.—Mary Bradner J. V.-Jennie McCullough Chaplain--Ólive Charter Treas.-Zella Meseraull Con.-Mary Cook Guard--Emma Dolph

-New Officers.

The L. O. T. M. M. elected the following officers for the ensuing

Com -Nettie M. Ely P. Com.-Fmma Dolph Lieut. Com -Mae Kator R. K. -Jennie McCullough -F: K -Myrta Brown Chap =Sarah Palmer Sergt. Bordell Arthur M. at A .- Clafa Hicks Sent.-Anna Scott = Picket-Eile Tafft Pianist-Georgia Tinham

CALENDAR = PADS FOR 1910

The Record office-has on sale a lot of 1910 calendar pads of all sizes and celora. Cheap Come early.

Wanted, to Rent, For Sale, Etc.

For Rent, For Sale, Lost, Found Wanted notices inserted under this head for 1 cent per word for first insertion and 4-cent per word for each subsequent insertion

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—the A L Tatt farm (51 acres) ½ mile southeast of village Inquire of N. L. Clark, Northville 14tf

FOR SALE—The house and lot on Main street, owned by the late chas, D Waterman, 92 it frontage on Main street, 211 ft. deep The property has been ordered sold by Probate Court to close the estate Wm H Ambler, Executor. 36tf

LOST- Dec. 5 an umbrella between T. G. Richardson's and James Cork's residences Finder please leave at Record office 20w1p

FOR SALE— CHEAP. Good extension diffing table; also kitchen table and some common diffing chairs Apply to Geo Baker, D. U. R. depot or Home phone 105 R.

FOR SALE—3 good cows, all fresh this month. Frank D Clark, Novi. Ind. 'phone 307.

HRISTMAS -PRESENT-Anyone wishing a useful Christmas present for a housekeeper call on Mrs. G. W. Gillis at Feed store, Northylile.

WANTED-Hides, pelts and furs for which I will pay highest market price. N L Clark. 20w1ptf

FOUND— On Center street Dec 8th one man's kid mitten. Owner-may have same by paying for this ad.

FOR SALE- House and lot at 137 Main street, across from High school. For particulars write C. J. Sessions, Ann Arbor, Mich.

WANTED—Real bright boy or man.
Steady job for all—winter. Good position for right party. Carmi Benton. 19tf

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174 FOR SALE—500 cords good stove
wood. Price reasonable and wood
delivered A. N. Wixom, Novi.
Bell 'phone 110 L5. 14tt

FOR RENT - House on south Wing street, third door from Main. Home 'phone 312 2R. 17ti

FOR RENT— House south of Ladles' Library. Electric lights, furnace, every room heated; hot and cold water in bath room and kitchen Large basement. Two large rooms in "Annex" building. Inquire at house or of A M. Randolph. 16th

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

List of Northville property for sale:
Two houses on Main stret; several on
Dunlap street: also in Bealtown and several;
in Northside. Prices \$550 to \$3,500. Also
farms and readences in Farmington.
Wayne and Oakland. (Also western land.)
Farm to exchange for good house and
tot in Northville

O. S HARGER.

Northville

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

DR. T. B. HENRY, PHYSICIAN AND Surgeon. Office and residence 31 Main street. Office hours 8.00 to 9:00 a. m. and 12:00 to 2:30 and 6:00 to 7:30 p. m. Both

DR. T. H. TURNER, HOMEOPATHIC Physician and Surgeon. Office next door west of Park House on Main street. Office hours 1:00 to 3.00 and 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Both Telephones.

Woman loves a clear, rosy complex ion. Burdock Riooa Bitters purifies the blood, clears the skin, restores ruddy, sound health.

J. A. HUFF,

Township Treasurer.

DR. RODERICK B. WILSON, OSTEO-pathic Physician of 212 Stevens Bidg. Detroit, Mich. will visit Northville Monday and Thursday of each week. Appointments can be made by 'phone or call. 'Phone, Home 145-X. Office at W. F. Johnson's ruddy, sound health.

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Santa Claus Headquarters

For Your Christmas Presents call on us.

We are Headquarters for Pocket Cutlery, Shears, Razors, Table Cutlery, Carving-Sets, 1847 Silver Ware, Nickle Tea and Coffee Pots, Nickel Tea Kettle, Carpet Sweepers, Skates and Sleds, and many other useful articles.

- Look in our Windows for Bargains.

CARPENTER-& HUFF

NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN.



"WELCOME"

once again, Mr. Santa Claus. Though you visit us _but once a year you are a generous patron of this bank.

A GOOD BANK ACC'T COMES HANDY XMAS TIME.

It's handler paying by check than by the old way of carrying more with you than you want.

OPEN AN AC-COUNT HERE THIS HOLIDAY TIME.

Northville State Savings Bank.

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MOVING* **PICTURES**

Opera House Bldg., Northville

Four Performances Weekly THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY EVENINGS

Matinee = Saturday Afternoon at 3 p. m.

Admission, 5 Cents. SPECIAL ATTENTION

TO LADIES AND CHILDREN.

EXTRA PERFO'M'NCE 10 Cents

"Seaside Oyster Dishes"



This is the name of our new book which gives many shore receipts, unknown inland. Every housewife is welcome to a copy at our store. -

We are handling only Sealshipt Oysters this year. We are registered agents of the Sealshipt Oyster System

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Straight from the Oyster Beds Under Seal.

Both Phones. NORTHVILLE, MICH.

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For Alcoholism or Drunkenness.

Send for Pamphlet and Literature. Literature sent in Plain Envelope. DR. W. H. YARNALL. NORTHVILLE, MICH

Wish You All a Merry Xmas

REMINDERS Royal Chocolates (high grade)......25c lb Choice Cream Mixed. very fine... 20c lb

NUTS Good Mixed Nuts, all sound.... 15c lb Choice Mixed, lets of Almonds & Walnuts, ... 20c lb Brazil Nuts..... 15clb Almonds......20clb Eng. Walnuts....20c lb Peacans......20c lb Filberts......20c lb Hickory Nuts...10c qt Oranges 25-30 40-50c doz Grape Fruit .. 10c ea

Malaga Grapes, Bananas, Catawba Grapes. Christmas Bells 10, 50, 100. Peanuts 100. Figs, Dates, etc.

Both Phones.



A PROMPT, EFFECTIVE REMEDY FOR ALL FORMS OF RHEUMATISM 250; Solatica, Kerralgia, Idney , Trouble and Kindred Diseases.

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DR. C. L. GATES

Large Size Bottle "5.DROF8" (800 Doses) \$1.00. For bale by Druggists SWANSON RHEUMATIC CURE COMPANY, Dept 80 174 Lake Street, Chicago

SWANSON PILLS

THE BEST REMEDY FOR CONSTIPATION Meadache, Sour Stomsch, emburn, Bolching, Liver Trouble, etc. 25 Cents Per Box AT DRUGGISTS

When visiting Detroit don't fail to see the finest Vaudeville Theatre in the world

THEATRE

Two Performances Daily 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

Splendid Seats at 10-20-25c

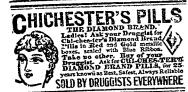
EXCURSION

Pere Marguette

Christmas and New Years Holidays

One and one half first-class fares for the round trip. Date of sale, Dec. 24-25,31, Jan. Ist. Good to return to January 3rd.

H. F. MOELLER, G. P. A.



The Daily Health Hint, A New York scientist has discorered that wienerwursts are dangerous o one's health. Beware of the dog!-Princeton Tiger.

Status of the Child.

What constitutes a child? Want of nstruction; for they are our equals so ar as their degree of knowledge per nits.—Epictetus.

Language.
Some people talk as if languages were intended only to be used for the arrose of making unnecessary noises.

ENTOMBED BENEATH TONS OF ROCK AND ORE IN NEGAUNEE IRON MINE.

TUNNELLING FOR BODIES

Suspected Case of Leprosy at Calumet-State to Borrow \$100,000 More. Making a Total of \$175,000 Bor rowed.

Four Men Buried Alive.

Four men were buried alive Negaunee in a cave in, which oc-curred in the third level in the Negaucurred in the third level in the Negatinee iron mine, owned and operated by the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company. The entombed miners are Peter Mondi, Francisco Cundeto, Oscar Mattela and Victor Maki.

Mattela and Victor Maki.

The miners are either dead or perishing, as they are entombed beneath

tons of rock and iron cre.

A large force of men is tunneling for the bodies and it is feared that they will not be reached for several days. Crowds of men, women and children crowd around the mouth of mine and great excitement pre vails in the city over the disaster Small hopes are entertained for the recovery of the four bodies alive.

Leprosy at Calumet.

Cail Jensen, not Stanislaws Sqzuppa, is the Calumet man believed to afflicted with leprosy, and an investigation of whose case is to be made in the near future by a government expert

Jensen is a Norwegian, and has lived in Centennial Heights, a small suburb of Calumet, the past few years, coming from Alaska, where, as has been stated, he was engaged by the federal government as one of the has been stated, he was engaged by the federal government as one of the caretakers of the big reindeer-herds imported from Lapland It is be lieved he contracted the disease in

State to Borrow \$100,000 More. The state board of auditors decided to borrow \$100,090 more, preferring to incur that size obligation in preference to securing \$25,000 at a time as has been done heretofore since the

as has been donc-heretofore since the putch in the state treasury made itself felt. This will make a total of \$175 000 borrowed, at 3 per cent Of the \$100,000 loan, \$25,000 will go for the \$100,000 loan, \$25,000 loan, \$25,000 loan, \$25,000 loan, \$25,00 salaries and \$75,000 to meet inat nave accumulated since July It is expected that this will be the last loan. The loans will be repaid with tax money, which will soon begin to come in tnat have accumulated since July It

Girl Accuses Father and Brothers.

come in.

One of the most revolting cases ever started in the courts of Ingham county was heard at Leslie in Justice court in a preliminary examination of Charles Frederickson, aged 61. George, aged 33, and Michael, aged 23. The three men are charged with The three men are charged with a statutory offense and have demanded a further examination; which will be given them Lucy Frederickson, aged 16, is about to become a mother. Charles, the oldest of the tric, is her father, and the other two men are her brothers The authorities have in their possession confessions signed by the trio The mother of the girl

Burt Raps Federation.

In a signed statement, W R Burt Saginaw's philanthropist, takes a fall out of the Michigan Federation of Labor for the stand it has taken against prohibition and local option. He takes particular exception to the year-book of the organization, which, he says, is an "advertisement for the brewers and liquor interests." He uses strong the properties of the pr terms in expressing his disapproval of the federations stand and declares "I am through with it so long as it continues to hold such ideas'

Self With Bible Before

Hangs Self With Bible Before Him.

"May this always be your guide my darling boy.—Nother" With this injunction, written in the five leaf of a Bible, before his eyes, William H Carson, 35. a conductor of shoe store sales, hung himself in his room in Grand Rapids Despondency over firancial reverses is thought to be the cause. Carson leaves a widow and five children in Batavia, N Y. He went to Grand Rapids last spring from Detroit, where he had conducted sales for several shoe firms. He was Lowland Lowe, of Grand Rapids. sales for several shoe firms. He was arrested for wife desertion and was taken back to New York, but vindica-

State Fair to Taboo Liquor.

Sacrificing \$7,000 for the privilege, the Michigan State Fair association will not longer allow the sale of liquor on the fair grounds A L Doherty, general superintendent of the fair to'd the Grangers and Farmthe fair to'd the Grangers and Fainers' c'ubs in convention at Lansing
that he would do everything in his
power to abolish the privilege, and
James Slocum, general manager of
the association, stated in Detroit
Friday morning that what Mr. Doberty
fold the meeting would be carried out
become any question of a doubt. beyond any question of a doubt.

The new Michigan Central depot at The new Michigan Central depot at Wolverine has been opened It is the finest depot north of Bay City. The grounds are laid out in walks, gardens, etc

Edward Harris, of Big Beaver, found a legacy of \$1,100 in gold and currency buried under an old shed which he rezed last week It is believed that Harris's grandfather, who occurrent Harris's grandfather, who occurrent that Harris's grandiather, who occu-pled the property until his death, 30 years ago, and who was known as a miser, buried the money. The re-mainder of the ground is being care-fully gone over in a search for more

Hilton V. Richardson, of Vassar, Hilton V. Richardson, of vassar, has been appointed circuit court commissioner of Tuscola county, to fill the vacancy caused by the failure to qualify of H. P. George, who was closed to the office last spring.

It has not yet been decided whether mrs Bertha Haker, the Laingsburg woman who killed her aged husband, will be tried at this term of court.

BRIEF MICHIGAN NÉWS

Ferguson, Joseph guilty to a charge of selling a drink of whisky in a Fint restaurant, has been sentenced to 65 days in the Detroit house of correction.

J. Schram, a salesman from Escan-aba, while eating an oyster diner at Vegaunee; found a pearl as large as a pea, and appraised by jewelers at 160 in page of the overtee. \$60, in one of the oysters.

Curits, Guild, Harold Jarvis of Detroit, and all the gubernatorial candidates are slated on the program for the banquet of the Gridley Republican club to be held in Ionia Jan. 28.

Grief over the sentencing of his son, George, to a term in Jackson prison for larceny, is believed to have hastened to death of William Branchord 70 c. well before formers. 70, a well known farmer of Laingsburg.

The Northern Michigan Millers' ccluo, as branch of the state organization of mill owners, will hold its first annual meeting in Saginaw Dec. 21. It is expected that 75 mills will be represented.

Thrown ten feet by a Grand Trunk engine and alighting on his back, Clarence Hawkins, of Pontiac, aged 20, got up unaided, to the surprise of the train crew, and walked away. He

Because her husband told her to "go to hell and get warm" when she ask ed him fer fuel, Mrs. Orpha M. Wheaton, of Kalamazoo, was granted a divorce from Glenn C-Wheaton, a civil engineer.

3 John McAllister, president of the Bay City Mine Workers' union, is being, held by the police pending a proposed settlement by friends of the alleged appropriating of \$224 belonging to the lodge.

ing to the louge.

The Bunck Motor Co. has completed a water works system of its own at Filint. The plant, which cost \$560-500, will furnish water from Filint river to all the factories in the north end of the city.-

A high east wind blew the eight inches of snow which covers the ground at Traverse City onto the railroad tracks, and the snow plows were sent out Sunday for the first time this season.

The Athens Electric Light & Power Co's plant was destroyed by fire Sun day morning, and the village is in darkness The grist mill with water power will be secured by the company for a new plant

Miss. Lucille Conklin, 24, of Cold was the victim of a peculiar water, was the victim of a peculiar accident When she slipped and fell on the steps of the porch at her home, a hairpin fell across her nose, and was driven into the cheeks

At a recent meeting the Excelsion Grange of Carney indorsed a set of resolutions to the delegates to the state convention at Traverse City The members went on record as being opposed to the levying of a tonnage tax on ore. The Ionia lodge of Odd Fellows has

The Ionia lodge of Odd retions has signed a lease, for ten vears, of the Union block, for a lodge-room During the ten years there will be an annual per capita tax of \$1 levied and the fund so obtained will be used for the erection of a temple.

George Fears, of Plymouth, has received a letter from a brother telling him that he and his brother have fallen heir-to a fortune of \$4,000,000 left them by an aunt in Pennsylvania Fears is an orphan and remembers nothing of parentage or relatives Norman Anderson, a wholesale beer

distributor of Cadillac, who recently a case of beer outside his door, where a patron secured it, has been convicted of violating the local tion law, and will have to pay a fine of \$200 and spend 60 days in jail

After a search of many years, Dr D G Sutherland of Sagmaw has located his brother W J Sutherland, two days after the latter's funeral in Texas His whereabouts were learned through a former business, associate, and inquiry developed that he was dead two days

Representatives of the Smith Automobile Co of Topeka, Kan., are practically assured of securing a site for their proposed new plant at Monroe In case of the removal from the west

Lowland Lowe, of Grand Rapids, has received two sets of lacquered wooden trays of the finest workmanwooden trays of the Japanese government, through the imperial consul at Chicago. During the Russo-Jap war Lowe cago. During the Russo-Jap war Lowe was traveling in the east and furnished a great number of cirarettes to the wounded Japanese soldiers. It is in recognition of this kindness that the presents from the government are

sent

It has been learned that Samuel Frisbie, who was acquitted at Port Huron of the charge of slaying Louis Rosenburg, at the Flats, had deter mined to end his life if the vertict had been against him After his release Frisbie showed Sherif Wagensell 12 strychnine tablets which he had concealed in his cell, and which he stated he would have swallowed in case of a conviction. It is believed It has been learned that Samuel

The state supreme court has hand-The state supreme court has handed down a decision affirming the recent finding of Judge Steere in circuit court in the so-called Munoskong club case. The decision means, as it is now interpreted, that St. Mary's riverends at the lower end of Ncebishisland, that vaters below that point are a portion of Lake Huron and that island, that waters below that John are a portion of Lake Huron and that hereafter the Munoskong Huuting and Fishing club cannot legally interfere with the public hunting or fishing in any of these waters.

COUGHING BURST BLOOD VESSEL

Danger Avoided and Cures Coughs in 5 Hours.

Coughs in 5 Hours.

A writer for the medical press states that coughing is responsible for the bursting of blood vessels quite frequently. A cough or cold means inflammation (fever) and congestion, and these in turn indicate that the body is full of polisons and waste matter. Simple relief, as found in patch cough medicines, and whiskey often result in more harm than good; as they cause more congestion. A tonic-laxative cough syring will work marvels and here follows a prescription which is becoming famous for its prompt relief and thorough cures. It rids the system of the cause, except it be consumption. Don't waft for consumption to grasp jits victim, but begin this treatment, which cures some in five hours. Mix in a bottle one-half ounce fluid wild cherry bark, one ounce compound essence cardiol and three ounces syrup white pine compound. Take twenty drops every half hour for four hours. sence cardiol and three ounces syring white pine compound. Take twenty drops every half hour for four hours. Then one-half to one teaspoonful three or four times a day. Give children was a compound that the compound the compou dren less according to age. The Vacant Chair.

What sad memories linger around the old vacant chair. Sitting in the middle of the floor, with a plaintive look about its frayed and seemingly weary back, it brings back a fumultu ous riot of sad recollections that time Volumes of bitter can never efface. anguish come to me when I arrive time to catch the milkman swiping the loose furniture around the place, and take off my shoes to avoid publicity, and strike my best toe against the rocker of the old vacant chair. Then, forgetting for the moment my unclad feet, I kick the chair on the other rocker. That is when the sadness and suffering that lingers around the old chair comes out with an extra edition and great chunks of gloom settle over me like a herd of illnatured flies.—Oregon Journal.

AGONIZING ATCHING.

Eczema for a Year-Got No Relief Even at Skin Hospital-In Despair

Until Cuticura Cured Him.

"I was troubled with a severe itching and dry, scrufy skin on my ankles, feet, arms and scalp. Scratching made it worse. Thousands of small red pimples formed and these caused intense itching. I was advised to go to the hospital for diseases of the skin. I did so, the chief surgeon saying: "Inever saw such a bad case of eczema." But I got little or no relief. Then I tried many so-called remedies, but I became so bad that I almost gave up in despair.

After suffering agonies for twelve months, I was relieved of the almost unbearable itching after two or three applications of Cuticura Ointment. I continued its use, combines with Cuticura Soap and Pills, and I was completely cured. Henry Searle, Little Rock, Ark., Oct. 8 and 10, 1907." Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston

Fishing Extraordinary.

Representative Flood cof Virginia tells a good story in which one of the characters was Gen. Reuben Lindsay Walker of the confederate army. On one occasion the general was wait ing for his breakfast, and his faithful negro servant had gone to catch some fish for the feast. When the servant-was away an unusually long time the general called to him impatiently:

"Why don't you come here with that fish,_Sam?"

Sam in the meantime had caught a flounder, which is white on one side, with a whiteness that looks like raw fish meat

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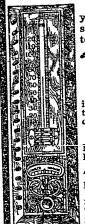
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CHAPTER XXIV.—Continued. $_{\approx}$

Whispering Smith's brows rose protestingly, but he spoke with perfect amiability as he raised his finger to bring the good eye his way. ought to change your hat when you change your mind. I saw you driving a bunch of horses up that canyon a few minutes ago Now, Rockstro, do you still drag your left leg?"

The rancher looked steadily at his new inquisitor, but blinked like a gopher at the sudden onslaught. Which of you fellows is Whispering Smith?" he demanded.

"The man with the dough is Whispering Smith every time," was the answer from Smith himself. "You have about seven years to serve. Rockstro. haven't you? Seven, I think. Now what have I ever done to you that you should turn a trick like this on me? I knew you were here, and you knew I knew you were here, and I call this a pretty country, a little smooth right around here, like the people, but pretty. Have I ever bothered you? Now tell me one thing—what did you get for covering this trail? I stand to give you two dollars for every one you got last night for the job, if you'll put us right on the game. Which way

'What are you talking about?

"Get off your horse a minute," suggested Smith, dismounting, "and step over here toward the creek." anan, afraid to refuse and unwilling to go, walked haltingly after Smith.

"What is it, Rockstro?" asked his termenter. 'Don't you like this country? What do you want to go back to the penitentiary for? Aren't you happy here? Now tell me one thing—will you give up the trail?"

"I don't know the trail."

don't know the trail."

'T believe you; we shouldn't follow it anyway. Were you paid last night or this morning?" "I ain't seen a man hereabouts for

"Then you can't tell me whether

there were five men or six?" 'You've got one eye as good as mine and one a whole lot better"

"So it was fixed up for cash a weel

Everything is cash in this country. "Well, Rockstro, I'm sorry, but we'll

have to take you back with us." The rancher whipped out a revolver Whispering Smith caught his wrist.

The struggle lasted only an instant. Rockstro writhed, and the pistol fell to the ground.

"Now, shall I break your arm?" asked Smith, as the man cursed and resisted. "Or will you behave? We -are going right back and you'll have to come with us. We'll send some one down to round up your horses and sell them, and you can serve out your time-with allowances, of course, for good conduct, which will cut it down. If I had ever done you a mean turn I would not say a word. If you could name a friend of yours I had ever done

HISPERING SMIT By Trank H. Spearman. ILLUSTRATIONS BY ANDRE BOWLES

making only the rule I make for every-I had a perfect right to when you pulled; I haven't broken your arm, as I would have done if there had been a doctor within 25 miles; and I haven't started you for the pen--not yet. Nov I ask you one fair question only: Did you need the money?"

you need the money?"
"Yes, I did need it."
Whispering Smith dropped the
man's wrist. "Then I don't say a word.
If you needed the money, I'm nof go ing to send you back-not for mine. "How can a man make a living in this country," asked the rancher, with a bitter oath, "unless he picks up everything that's going?"

"Pick" up your gun, man! I'm not saying anything, am 1?"

"But I'm damned_if I can give a double-cross to any man," added Rockstro, stooping for his revolver.

"I shou I think less of you, Rockstro, if you did. You don't need-money anyway now, but sometime you may need a friend. I'm going to leave you here. You'll hear no more of this, and I'm going to ask you a question: Why did you go against this when you special, and, loading their horses at

is my judgment. And aren't we five body-to let the railroad alone. This able bodied jays, gentlemen? Five is my thanks. Now, I'll ask you just strong arm suckers? It is an inelegant one question. I haven't killed you, as word; it is an inelegant feeling. No word; it is an inelegant feeling. No matter, we know a few things. There are five good men and a led horse; we can get out of here by Goose river. how much they got, and pick them up somewhere around the Saddle peaks if they've gone north. That's only a guess, and every man's guess is good now. What do you think, all of you?"

"If it's the crowd we think it is, would they go straight home? That "If it's the crowd we doesn't look = reasonable, does it?' asked Brill Young. "If they could put one day between

them and pursuit wouldn't they be safer at home than anywhere else And haven't they laid out one day's work for us, good and plenty? remember one thing: There is some times a disadvantage in knowing too much about the men you are after We'll try Goose river."

It was noon when they struck the railroad. They halted long enough to stop a freight train, send some tele-grams, and ask for news. They got orders from Rooney Lee, had an empty box car set behind the engine for a

rode that evening from Tower W. through the south pass; the fifth man had already left the party. The four men were headed for Williams Cache and had reason to believe, until they sighted Banks' men, that their path

They halted to take counsel on the suspicious looking posse far below them, and while their cruelly exhausted horses rested. Du Sang, always in Sinclair's absence the brains of the gang, planned the escape over Deep creek at Raggs' crossing. At dusk they divided; two men lurking in the brush along the creek rode as close as they could, unobserved, toward the crossing, while Du Sang and the cowboy Karg, known as Flat Nose, rode down to Baggs' ranch at the foot of the pass:

At that point Dan Baggs, an old locomotive engineer, had taken a liomestead, got together a little bunch of cattle, and was living alone with his son, a boy of ten years. It was a hard eountry and too close to Williams Gache for comfort, but Dan got on with everybody because the tough st man in the Cache country could get a meal a feed for his horse, and a place to sleep at Baggs', charge, when he needed it.

Ed Banks, by hard riding, get to the crossing at five o'clock, and told Baggs of the hold-up and the shooting of Oliver Sollers. The news stirred the old engin<mark>e</mark>man, and his excitement threw him off his guard Banks rode straight on for the middle pass, leaving word that two of his men would be along within half an hour to watch the pass and the ranch crossing, and asked Baggs to put up some kind of a fight for the crossing until more of the posses came up—at the least, to make sure that nobody got any fresh horses.

The boy was cooking supper in the kitchen, and Baggs had done his milking and gone back to the corral, when two men rode around the corner of the barn and asked if they could get something to eat. Poor Baggs sold his life in six words: "Why, yes; be you

Du Sang answered: "No; we're from Sheriff Coon's office at Oroville; looking up a bunch of Duck Bar steers that's been run somewhere up Deep creek. Can we stay here all night?" They dismounted and disarmed

suspicions, though the condition of their horses might have warned him had he had his senses. The unfortunate man had probably fixed it in his mind that a ride from Tower W to Deep creek in 16 hours was a physical impossibility.
"Stay here? Sure! I want you to

stay," said Baggs, bluffly. "Looks to me like-I seen you down at Crawling Stone, ain't I?" he asked of Karg. Karg was lighting a cigarette.

used to mark at the Dunning ranch," answered, throwing away his match. "That's lut. Good! The boy's cook-

ing supper. Step up to the kitchen and tell him to cut ham for four more. "Four?"

"Two of Ed Banks" men will be nere by six o'clock. Heard about the hold-up? They stopped Number Three at Tower W last night and shot Ollie Sollers, as white a boy as ever pulled a throttle Boys, a man that'll kill a locomotive engineer is worse'n an Indian; I'd help skin him"

"The hell you would!" cried Du ang. "Well, don't you want to start Sang. in on me? . I killed Sollers. Look at for Sleepy Cat. At three o'clock they me; ain't I handsome? What you going to do about it?"

> Before Baggs could think Du Sang was shooting him down. It was wanton. Du Sang stood in no need of the butchery; the escape could have been made without it. His victim had nulled an engine throttle too long to show the white feather, but he was dving by the time he had dragged a revolver from his pocket. Du Sang did the killing alone. At least, Flat Nose who alone saw all of the murder, after ward maintained that he did not draw because he had no occasion to, and that Baggs was dead before he, Karg, had finished his cigarette. With his right arm broken and two bullets through his chest, Baggs fell on his face. That, however, did not check his murderer. Rising to his knees Baggs begged for his life. "For God's şake! I'm helpless, gentlemen. I'm helpless. Don't kill me like a dog! But Du Sang, emptying his pistol threw his rifle to his shoulder and sent bullet after bullet crashing through the shapeless form writhing and twitching before him until he had beaten it in the dust soft and flat and

Banks' men came up within an hour to find the ranchhouse deserted. They saw a lantern in the yard below, and near the corral gate they found the little boy in the darkness, screaming beside his father's body. The sheriff's men carried the old engineman to the house: others of the posse crossed the creek during the evening, and at 11 light. When they had done, the boy colock Whispering Smith rode down had a violent crying spell, but Whisperfrom the south pass to find that four ing Smith got him to he down beside of the men they were after had taken him on a blanket spread on the floor, fresh horses, after killing Baggs, and where Smith got his back against the passed safely through the cordon sod wall and took the boy's head in his

the house when Whispering Smith arrived. He found some supper in the kitchen, and the tired man and the giant ate together.
Whispering Smith was too experi-

enced a campaigner to complain. His party bad struck a trail 50 miles north of Sleepy Cat and followed it to the Missions. He knew now who he was after, and knew that they were bottled up in the Cache for the night. sheriff's men were sleeping on the floor of the living room when Smith came in from the kitchen, down before the fire. At intervals sobs came from the bedroom where the body Tay, and after listening a moment, Whispering Smith got stiffly up and, tiptoeing to still the jingle of his



"The Heil You Would!" Cried Du Sang.

spurs, took the tandle from the table pushed aside the curtain, and entered the bedroom.

The little boy was lying on his face with his arm around his father's neck talking to him Whispering Smith bent a moment over the bed, and, setting the candle on the table, put his hand on the boy's shoulder. He disengaged the hand from the cold neck, and ting dewn took it in his own. Talking attention after much patient effort and got him to speak. He made him, though struggling with terror, to unfriend, and after the child had sobbed his grief into a strange heart he ceased to tremble, and told his name and his story, and described the two horsemen and the horses they had left. Smith listened quietly. "Have you had any supper Dannie? No? You must have something to eat. Can't you eat anything? But there is a nice pan of fresh milk in the kitchen"

A burst of tears interrupted bim. Daddie just brought in the milk, and I was frying the ham, and I heard them shooting.

"See how he took care of you till the last minute, and left something for you after he was gone. Suppose he could speak now, don't you think he would want you to do as I say? I am your next friend now, for you are going to be a railroad man and have a

big engine."

<u>Dannie looked up.</u> "Dad wasn't afraid of those men" 'Wasn't he, Dannie?"

"He said we would be all right and not to be afraid."

"Did he?" 'He said Whispering

coming."

"My poor boy." "He is coming, don't be afraid. Do you know Whispering Smith? He is coming. The men to-night all said he

was coming." The little fellow for a long time could not be coaxed away=from his father, but his companion- at length got him to the kitchen. When they came back to the bedroom the strange man was talking to him once more about his father. "We must try to think how he would like things done now, mustn't we? All of us felt so bad when we rode in and had so much to do we couldn't attend to taking care of your father. Did you know there are two men out at the crossing now. guarding it with rifles? But if you and I keen real quiet we can do something for him while the men are asleep; they have to ride all day to-morrow. We must wash his face and hands, don't you think so? And brush his hair and his beard. If you could just find the Lasin and some water and a towel-you couldn't find a brush, could Could you honestly? Well! I call that a good boy-we shall have to have you on the railroad, sure. We must try to find some fresh clothes these are cut and stained; then I will change his clothes, and we shall all feel better. Don't disturb the men; they are tired."

They worked together by the candle-



lifted his head in a confidence. "Did you know my daddy used to run an engine?"

"No. I did not; but in the morning you must tell me all about it."

Whenever there was a noise in the next room-the child roused. After some time a new voice was heard: Kennedy had come and was asking questions. "Wake up here, somebody! Where is Whispering Smith?"

Dancing answered: "He's right there in the bedroom, Farrel, staying

with the boy."

There was some stirring. Kennedy talked a little and at length stretched himself on the floor. When all was still again, Dannie's hand crept slowly from the breast of his companion up to his chin, and the little hand; feeling softly every feature, stole over the strange face "What is it, Dannie?"

"Are you Whispering Smith?"
"Yes, Dannie. Shut your eyes."

At three o'clock, when Kennedy lighted a candle and lõoked in, Smith was sitting with his back against the wall. The boy lay on his arm. Both were fast asleep. On the bed the dead man lay with a handkerchief over his

CHAPTER XXVI.

Williams Cache. Ed Banks had been recalled before daybreak from:the middle pass. of the men wanted were now known to have crossed the creek, which meant they must work out of the country through Williams Cache.

"If you will take your best two men. Ed," said Whispering Smith, sitting down with Banks at breakfast, "and strike straight for Canadian pass to help Gene and Bob Johnson, I'll undertake to ride in and talk to Rebstock while Kennedy and Bob Scott watch Deep creek. The boy gives a good de scription, and the two men that did the job here are Du Sang and Flat Nose. Did I tell you how we picked up the trail yesterday? Magpies. They shot a scrub horse that gave-out on them and skinned the brand. It hastened the banquet, but we got there before the birds were all seated. Great luck, wasn't it? And it gave us a beautiful trail. One of the party cressed the Goose river at American fork, and Brill Young and Reed followed him. Four came through the Mission mountains; that is a cinch and they are in the Cache-and if they get out it is our fault personally, Ed, and not the Lord's." Williams Cache lies in the form of

a great horn, with a narrow entrance at the lower end known as the Door, and a rock fissure at the upper end leading into Canadian pass; but this fissure is so narrow that a man with a rifle could withstand a regiment. For 100 miles east and west rise the granite walls of the Mission range, broken nowhere save by the formation known as the Cache. Even this does not penerafe the range, it is a pocket, and runs not over half-way into it and out But no man really knows the Cache; the most that may be said is that the main valley is known, and it is known as the roughest mountain fissure between the Spanish sinks and the Mantrap country. Williams Cache hies between walls 2,000 feet high, and within it is a small labyrinth of can-A generation ago, when Medicine Bend for one winter was the terminus of the overland railroad, vigilantes mercilessly cleaned out the town, and the few outlaws that escaped the shotgun and the noose at Medicine Bend found refuge in a faraway and unknown mountain gorge once named by French trappers the Cache. Years after these outcasts had come to infest it came one desperado more ferocious than all that had gone before. He made a frontier retreat of the Cache, and left to it the legacy of his evil name, Williams. Since his day it has served, as it served before, for the haunt of outlawed men. No honest man lives in Williams Cache, and few men of any sort live there long, since their lives are lives of violence; neither the law nor a woman crosses Deep creek. But from the day of Williams to this day the Cache has had its ruler, and when Whispering Smith rode with a little party through the Door into the Cache the morning after the murder in Mission valley he sent an envoy to Rebstock, whose success as a cattle thief had brought its inevitable penalty. It had made Rebstock a man of consequence and of property and a man subject to the anxieues and annoyances of such responsibility.
(TO BE CONTINUED.)

. Had Taken Notice.

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It was while H. H. Rogers, Standard Oil magnate, was working at his first job, delivering the village newspaper, that his inborn capacity became evident. He brought in the name of a new subscriber, Isaiah west. Mr. Anthony, the publisher, wrote down the name Then he turned to the boy: "How do you spell Isaiah, Henry?" he asked. "I-s-a-i-a-h," said Henry. "You'll do," said Mr. Anthony, with a chuckle. He told the story to a skeptic neighbor. "But how did you know how to spell it, Henry? asked the neighbor. "I saw him write



"Now Shall J Break Your Arm?"

knew you'd have to square yourself | the chute, made a helter-skelter run with me?"

of before it was pulled off."

"They lied to you, didn't they? No matter, you've got their stuff. Now I am going to ask you one question that an going to ask you one question that I don't know the answer to; it's a fair question, too. Was Du Sang in the penitentiary with you at Fort City? Answer fair."

"Yes."

"Thank you. Behave yourself and keep your mouth shut. I say nothing this time. Hereafter leave railroad matters alone, and if the woman should fall sick or you have to have a little money, come and see me." Smith led the way back to the horses.

"Look here!" muttered Rockstro, following, with his good eye glued on his companion. "I pulled on you too quick, I guess-quicker'n I'd ought to.'

"Don't mention it. You didn't pull quick enough; it is humiliating to have a man that's as slow as you are pull on me. People that pull on me usually pull and shoot at the same Two distinct movements, Rock stro, should be avoided; they are fato success. Come down to the Bend sometime, and I'll get you a decent gun and give you a few les

Whispering Smith drew his handkerchief as the one-eyed man rode away and he rejoined his companions. He was resigned, after a sickly fashion. "I like to play blind-man's-buff," he said, wiping his forehead, "but not so us half-way to the Grosse Terre mountains on a beautiful trail, too beautiful to be true. Farrell—too beautiful to be true. They have been having fun with

struck porth for tains.

CHAPTER XXV.

The Sunday Murder.

Banks' posse, leaving Medicine Bend before daybreak, headed northwest. Their instructions were explicit: To scatter after crossing the Frenchman watch the trails from the Goose river country and through the Mission mountains, and intercept everybody riding north until the posse from Sleepy Cat or Whispering Smith should communicate with them from the southwest. Nine men rode in the narty that crossed the Crawling Stone Sunday morning at sunrise with Ed

After leaving the river the three white-capped Saddles of the Mission range afforded a landmark for more than 100 miles, and toward these the party pressed steadily all day. The southern pass of the Missions opens on the north slope of the range into a pretty valley known as Mission Springs valley, and the springs are the head-waters of Deep creek. The posse did not quite obey the instructions, and following a natural instinct of safety five of them, after Banks and his three deputies had scattered. bunched again, and at dark crossed Deep creek at some distance below the springs. It was afterward known that these five men had been seen entering the valley from the east at sundown far from good water. They have pulled | just as four of the men tnev wanted rode down South Mission pass toward the springs. That they knew they would soon be cut off, or must cut their way through the line which Ed a mean turn to I would not say a word.

Can you name one? I guess not. I the Topah Topahs toward the Mission overy gateway to Williams Cache, was along Deep creek. Bill Dancing, who to go to sleep, but Dan was afraid the saked the neighbor.

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The Topah Topahs toward the Mission overy gateway to Williams Cache, was along Deep creek. Bill Dancing, who to go to sleep, but Dan was afraid the saked the neighbor. The bad ridgen with Banks' men, was at murderers would come back. Once he it down," said Henry.

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NORTHVILLE.

Purely Personal.

(Contributions to this column are surnestly solicited. Hyou have visitors, or are visiting elsewhere, drop a line to that effect in the Eccord Item Box in the postoffice.

Mrs. Benlah Thompson of Wixom was in town Wednesday.

Miss Bessie Wells spent Fuesday and Wednesday in Detroit.

George Neal of Detroit was the guest of Northville relatives Sunday. Mrs. Tom Pattinson of Detroit spent Sunday with Mrs. W. L Tinham.

Governor Warner and son, Harley, vere callers at T. G. Richardson's Sunday.

Robt. Smitherman and wife of Commerce visited at H. 3. Green's this week.

Mrs. C B. Bristol is visiting friends and relativés in Pontlac and Roches ter this week. The Misses Lizzle and Edith Brock

of Dearborn were guests of Miss Ednā Sterling Sunday. Mrs John Tinham was in Flint Tuesday to attend the funeral of her

sister's mother in law. Mrs. sidney Liddell of Milford spent Friday and Saturday with her

mother, Mrs L W. Simmonos. Mrs. Folley, the nurse, who has been visiting in the east the past five

months, has returned to Northville Charles Sessions, Jr., who has been spending the past six months in

England, returned home Friday. John Fisher and daughter, Vera; of New Hudson-were guests of the former's sister, Mrs. G. W. Hills,

Sunday. Mrs E B Alder and daughter, guests of the former's sister, Mrs Rose Little, and daughters this

Baptist Lauren notes.

IBy the Paster 1 The B. Y. P. U meeting as usua

at 6 p. m. Sunday evening. The Silver Medal contest is post

The bible study topic for Thursday

evening is "The Relation of Salva tion to Law ' Usual services sunday. The mora-

ng topic is, "Should Christian Women Take Active Part in Church Services?" Evening theme is "The Baptism of the Holy Spirit" All

The annual meeting of the church wili be held Monday afternoon and evening of Jan 3, 1910, when two trustees, one deacon, a clerk and a treasurer will be elected. We urge all members to be present

Methodist Church Notes.

TBy the Paster.7

Sub committees to care for the various parts of the Christmas exer cises were announced Sunday

The pastor will conduct the usual services Sunday. A cordial welcome to everybody at all services

Epworth League meeting Sunday vening at 6 o'clock We had a good attendance and a fine meeting-last Sanday, and can have the same nex Sunday

Christmas exercises will be held in this church next Friday evening, Dec. 24. An excellent program has been prepared and a good time is expected.

Last Sunday morning the congregation heard Mr. Van Valkenburg render a solo composed by our organist Mr. Guy Filkins. It was entirely creditable to the composer,

Presbyterian Cnurch Notes.

The Sunday school Christmas exercises will be held on Christmas Eve, Friday evening of next week at 7 o'clock. A nice program is in preparation and Santa Claus will be on hand to distribute the presents.

Wallace Ross attended the Christian Endeavor convention at Pontiac Saturday and was elected treasurer of the district.

The Lord's Supper will be observed on Jan. 2 and new members received into the church.

Next Sunday evening, Dec 19, the choir, assisted by outside talent. will render the beautiful Christmas Cantata "The Everlasting Light." early date is made necessary by the expected absence of some of the singers at Christmas and New Years. It is hoped there will be a large attendance. The offering will be for the benefit of the organ fund.

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V. C.-C. M. King Prelate-M. H. Slown M. of W.-W. L. Tinham K. of R. & S .- L. L. Ball M. of F -F. E. Fenn M. of E. E. Miller M. at A. H. B. Clark I. G.—Geo. Whipple O. G -Frank Green Trustee-Chas. Coldren

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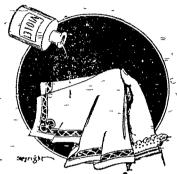
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The City in Brief.

The Fleur-de-lie whiet club met with Mrs. S. W. Knapp on Monday

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sutton on Treeday, Nov. 30, a daughter.

Three children of Mr. and Mrs. M. Kinyon have a light attack diphtheria.

Glenn Mesegauli, who has been ill the past three weeks with grip, is able to be out.

The students of the M. S. N. C. and M. A. C. will come home teday for the Christmas vacation. Allan M. Harmon Post-G A R

recently endorsed 8. J. Lawrence for Department Commander. Miss Hazel Palmer, who had been

lli with grip for a week, regumed her duties as teacher Monday.

The "Eirst 500" club met with Mrs L. W. Simmons Tuesday evening and had a most enjoyable time.

On Tuesday the employees of the Bell Coundry gave Miss Inza Lee, the stenographer, a "granite" shower.

Colon C. Lillie, present dairy and lood commissioner, is being touted as a possible candidate for lieutenant governorship honors.

The annual meeting of F. & A. M No 186 will be held on Monday even ing. Dec 20. Election of officers and other important business.

The state crop report, issued by the secretary of state, gives the condition of wheat at 92 per cent of normal, as compared with 75 per cent one year

Large bilis announcing the Annual Christmas Sale of T. J. Perkins & Co. were recently printed at this office Mr. Perkins has a fine display of holiday goods.

Good sleighing all day Sunday as the result of four inches of the beautiful which fell Saturday night. The rain that followed Sunday night and Monday simply raised the dickens with it.

Patrick H Kelley, lleutenant gover oor and candidate for gubernatorial honors in 1911, delivered, the Elks' memorial address at Travers City Incidentally he met many of his friends and supporters in that section of the

The Northville City Band will give a dance in Princess Rink Thursday evening, Déc 23. Prof. Chaffers, who instructs the band, will be here with an orchestra of seven pieces and has promised the best music of the season.

An Orion man made a bet that he could invent a question to which fifty men would give the same answer He won the bet. The question was: 'Have you heard that Smith has committed sufcide?" The answer was ineach case, "What Smith?"

Did you ever pick up a paper pub lished at a strange town and see a large showy advertisement without thinking to yourself or saying to your neighbor: "That man must be doing an immense business," or forming a resolution to visit that firm the first opportunity?

Or Dec. 11th State Oil Inspector Neal sent to the state treasury \$2,000 more as an additional portion of the surplus fees derived from oil inspection this year. This makes \$10,900 thus far sent in and Mr. Neal says by the end of the year the total net amount will reach over \$13,000

in the home paper, I thought this Bassett and George Bassett, Novi. would be as quiet a place as I could find, so I just dropped in for a few

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Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA Mrs. Guy Jackson is on the sick

Mrs. Robert McCully, who has been

ill the past two weeks, is still very Myron Tayler, Luguet Miller and Louis Van Valkenburg have been drawn to serve on the January term

of the circuit court in Detroit. . The old proverb. "Where there's will there's a way." has been revised to suit the situation. It now reads. 'When there's a bill we're away:"

The Silver Medal contest, which was to have been given in the Baptist church this (Friday) evening, sketches are also commendable. holidays.

If you desire to see extra nice displays of Christmas goods, look at the windows and go into the stores of the meschants who are advertising in today's Record.

Mrs E. H. Lapham and Mrs. C. C. Yerkes very pleasantly entertained wenty-four guests at a luncheon and cards Saturday afternoon at the home of the furmer.

The Stereopticon lecture on "Our Western Wonderland" given by Rev. I. W. Turner in the Methodist church Wednesday evening was both intereting and instructive. These illus. rated léctures are deserving of better egâcontaç

A half dezen little girls and boys vere entertained at the home of Mr and Mrs G W. Hills Tuesday after chool in honer of the seventh birth day of their little son, Reginald. They just had bushels of fun and lots of nice things to eat.

If the dirty hog in the shape of a man who makes a practice of spitting filthy tobacco juice on the sides of buildings will make himself know: we will see that he is landed in jali for thirty days and gets a jim dandy write up in the Record

George : Rattenbury commenced uit against George Stanley Tuesday or \$25,000 damages for alleged slander. The trouble grows out of some misunderstandings and "scraps" occurring during an auction sale at the Exchange hotel barns here Dec. 2

About twenty-five young ladies ttended the "Miscellaneous" shower Wednesday evening given in honor of Miss Inza Lee by the Misses Lottle Ware and Ruth Vradenburg at the bome of the latter. A very pleasant evening, was spent in games and ight refreshments served.

A man who believes in the old savng. "See a pin and pick it up, and all that day you'll have good luck," saw a pin in front of the postoffice the other day. Bending down to get it, his hat tumbled off and rolled into the gutter; his eyeglass fell and broke on the pavement; hissuspenders gave way behind; he burst the buttonhole on the back of his shirt collar, and he all but lost his new front teeth. He got the pin.

Northville people would much like to have Detroit settle the street car problem in some shape or other. Every time a scrap is on in that city work on the-big gravel pit here is shut down and the thousands of dollars per annum that otherwise is paid out for labor here is cut off The scrap is always on in Detroit just previous to every election The aldermen and mayor must have it for a stock in trade as a campaign

In the notice of Mrs Lovisa Norton's death and burial in last week's Record it was stated that the interment was made in Rural Hill ceme tery. should have read Yerkes cemetery. The following relatives A nervous looking man went into from out of town were in attendance a store the other day and sat for at the funeral: Henry W. Norton, half an hour or so, when a clerk Mr. and Mrs. Olin Kenyon, West asked him if there was anything he Unity, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. C H could do for him. He said there Norton and daughter, Josephine, wasn't anything. The clerk went Aurora, Ill., H. P. Norton, Calgarry, away, and the stranger sat an hour Alberta, Ca, Miss Lucy Norton, or so longer, when the proprietor Mt. Pleasant, Mich., Dr. G P. Winwent to him and asked him if he chell, Ionia, Alfred W. Holmes. didn't want to be shown anything. Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. ginger on the stove the effect was 'No," said the nervous little man; Blackwood and George L Holmes, "I just want to sit around. My Detroit, Miss Heien Norton, Howell, physician has recommended quiet to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Norton, C. E. me, and says above all things I Gallup. Virgil Guthrie and R. B should avoid being in a crowd. Teal, Ann Arbor, David Lisenring, Noticing that you do not advertise Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel

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School Notes. "[By & Pupil.]

School closes next Thursday, Dec 23; and reopens Turaday, Lanuary & The Sontor Magazine will be out either immediately before or after the Christmas vacation.

The Juniors wish to thank thos who were in atnendance at their musical Tuesday evening. A neat little sum was realized by the class.

Several very fine reproductions and Original drawings have been made in the High school Cartooning class. The lettering by the Mechanical class as well as the charcoal and pencil

Through the courtesy of the Bell telephone people call up number 147 on that line for the school house. Those who have been calling the Record office for the school house on the Independent will please call 111 for the latter:

Next Wednesday night the High school "Tigers" will play a Detroit High school team A preliminary game, which will be played with Hills' "Rogrers" vs Ely's "Cubs" promises to be a great deal of excite ment. General addinssion fifteen cents, no seats reserved. Joure early and get a good seat.

The amount received in the school Savings bank last Friday was \$16 73 against \$1172 of last week making a total of \$28 45 now deposited in these two weeks by our-school. The parents will make a serious mistake if they do not encourage their boys and girls to make a deposit even if it s only three or four cents." -

Mr. Dolph gave the High school ouplis both an entertaining and profitable talk on the "Advantages and Disadvantages of Manufacturing" Wednesday morning Hecalled attention to the fact that specialization was the order of the day and showed how manufacturing was an advisable answer to this call.

By the grades each contributing a amāli sum two small 'phones will be installed in the grade building and connected with the superintendent's office. By means of these grade pupils may be called to the 'phone with little trouble, whereas before the press of High school affairs sometimes made it inconvenient to call

The first outside game of the girls will be played here tonight with a trong and explerenced team from Baltimore. Great claims are made for that team but we feel sure their feet will have to twinkle more than ever before if they move faster than our girls. Come and help our girls to win the game with your presence Usual price of admission.

The Friday morning exercises in the High school were in charge of the Seniors last Friday. Current Events by Hazel Nevison were followed by a debate on "Resolved, that the city offers more advantages to the young man or woman than the country Affirmative, May Woodmansee and Cecil Johnston, negative, Eva Brad ley and Gladys Angell The judges. Miss Welbourne, Hazel Perkins and Bert Clark, decided in favor of the negative side.

One of the most interesting of High school debates is that which has been carried on for three days in the Agriculture class upon "Resolved, that a silo is an expensive luxury for the average farmer." Harold Tib bitts and Don Ball headed the affirmative and negative sides respectively. When the points were added up the result was a tie Another debate on "Resolved, that a cream separator is profitable investment age farmer," is now being planned and anyone having points on this will please inform the class.

The basket ball game last Friday evening, Holly vs. Northville, resulted in a score of 27 to 22 in Northville's favor. In the first balf affairs looked pretty dubious for our boys. but when some one, in the second half, threw about a half pound of simply marvelous and the way those boys played was a caution. The Holly boys were good losers however. Things would have been more even if two of the players had not spoiled what otherwise would have been good work, by their roughness. The girls vs the boys, which was the feature of the evening, resulted in a score of nine to six in the latter's

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the money. Let's both get busy and both be satisfied.

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NORTHVILLE, MICH

through a trellised lane that alter-

nated crimson_ramblers and purple

ret's brown-robed figure preceding us

The open sky, the fresh airs of morn

ing, the bird-song and the smell of

Sabbath benediction. I challenged all

my senses as I heard Helen's deep

voice running on in light banter with

an impossible thing; the thought was

unehivalrous and baworthy of any

one so wholly beautiful, no one with

her voice, her steady tranquil eyes,

could, I argued, do ill. And yet I had seen and heard her; I might have

touched her as she crossed my path

She wore to-day a white and green

gown and trailed a green parasol in

hat with its sharply upturned brim im-

parted a new frankness to her face.

Several times shê looked at me quick-

and there was no questioning the per

fect honesty of her splendid eyes.
"We hoped you might drap in yes

terday afternoon," she said, and my ears were at once alert.

"We were playing chess, and almost came to blows!" said Helen.

played from tea to dinner, and Sister Margaret really had to come and tear

I had now learned, as though by her

own intention, that had been at St. Agatha's, playing a harmless game with her aunt, at the very moment

that I had seen her at the canoe-

maker's. And even more conclusive was

the fact that she had made this state-

ment before her aunt, and that Miss

We had reached the church door

and I had really intended entering

with them; but now I was in no frame

of mind for church: I murmured an ex-

about having letters to write. "But this afternoon we shall go for

a ride or a sail, which shall it be, Miss Holbrook?" I said, turning to Miss

Pat in the church porch,
She exchanged glances with Helen

"As you please, Mr. Donovan,

night be that we should be safer on

I was relieved. On the lake there

served by Henry Holbrook than in the

highways about Annandale It was, to

had encountered at the canoe-maker's

was really her brother; that question

was still to be settled The presence

of Gillespie I had forgotten utterly;

but he was, at any rate, the least important figure in the little drama un-

"I shall come to your pier with the

launch at five o'clock," I said, and

with thanks murmuring in my ears

turned away, went home and called

I repeated my journey of the night

before, making daylight acquaintance

with the highway. I brought my horse

to a walk as I neared the canoe-ma

ker's cottage, and I read his sign and

the lettering on his mail, box and set

isfied myself that the name Hartridge

was indisputably set forth on both. There was no one in sight; perhaps

night had caused Holbrook to leave

bût at any rate I was bent upon ask ing about him in Tippecanoe village.

This place, lying two miles beyond

the cance-maker's, I found to be a

sleepy hamlet of perhaps 50 cottages, a country store, a post-office, and a

blacksmith shop. There was a water

trough in front of the store, and

dismounted to give my horse a drink while I went to the cottage behind the

I found him in a garden under an

apple tree reading a newspaper. He

was an old fellow in spectacies, and

the summer colony, he greeted me

courteously. I questioned him as to

the character of the winters in this

region, spoke of the employments of

the village folk, then mentioned the

"Yes: he works the year round down

there on the Tippecanoe He sells

his canoes all over the country-the

Hartridge, that's his name. You must

have seen his sign there by the cedar

hedge. They say he gets big prices for his canoes."

"I suppose he's a native in these parts?" I ventured

he comes from-or cares. He works

"He's an industrious man, is he?"

"Oh, he's a steady worker; but he's

a queer kind, too. Now, he neve

votes and he never goes to church;

and for the sake of the argument neither do I"—and the old fellow

winked prodigiously. "He's a might; odd man; but I can't say that that's

against him. But he's quiet and peace

able, and now his daughter-"

"Oh, he has a daughter?"

pretty hard, but I guess he likes it.'

"No; but he's been here a good

I guess nobody knows where

canoe-maker.

while

closed store to seek the shookeeper.

the adventure and warning

sure, a question whether the man I

was much less chânce of her being ob

us away_from our game."-

Pat had acquiesced in it.

before replying

folding before me

for my horse.

the water—'

laughed Miss Pat,

"Yes," were

-she was almost my own height-

white-gloved hand. Her small round

man calling himself gentleman.

and ran down to the houseboat!

earth in themselves gave

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Dated December 6 1909.

WILLIAM YERKES, LEWIS C. MEAD.

Commissioners. C. C. Yerkes, Attorney, Northville.

Wm. H. Ambler, Administrator.

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COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE—In the matter of the estate of LOUISA BARRETT deceased We, the undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Count for the County of Wayne, State-of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust an iclaims and demands of all persons 'against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the office of Win H Ambler in the Village of Northvilla, in said county, on the twenty fourth day of January A D 1910 and out the twenty-fourth day of March 1910. Auten o clock a m of each of said days. for the purpose of examining and allowings said claims, and that six months from the twenty-fourth day of Norember A D 1905 were allowed by said count for creditors to were allowed by said court for creditors to cyresent their claims to us for examination and allowance

Dated November 24, 1909 ORSON EVERITT, WM J LAYNING.

Commissioners

C. C. Yerkes, Attorney.

COMMISSIONERS' NCTCE—In the matter of the estate of RICHARD M JOHN'ON, deceased We, the undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court, for the Tounty of Wayne,—State of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the residence of Mrs R M Holmson, 112 N Center St. in the Vidage of Northville in said county, on the 21st day of Eabruary A P 1910 and on the 21st day of Eabruary A P 1910 and on the 21st day of sund days, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that six months from the 22nd day of November A, D 1900 were allowed by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance Dated, November 2, 1909

IAMES TAYLOR

AREA HARD PIPER

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It is ordered, that the eleventh day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Court Room. be appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeke previous to said time of hearing, in the Northville Record, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne.

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SERIAL STORY C

RED GATE

MEREDITH NICHOLSON

Illustrations by RAY WALTERS

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Miss Patricia Holbrook and Miss Helen Holbrook, her niece, were entrusted to the care of Laurence Donovan, a writer, summering, near Port Annandale Miss Patricia confided to Donovan that she feared her brother Henry, who, ruined by a bank failure, had cristantly threatenedher for money from his father's will, of which Miss Patricia was guerdian. They came to Port Annandale to escape Henry Donovan sympathized with the two women. He learned of Miss Helen's an inchings suitor. Donovan discovered and captured an intruder, who proved to be Reginald Gillespie, sultor for the hand of Miss Helen Holbrook. Gillespie disappeared the following mortung. A rough sailor appeared and was ordered away. Donovan saw Miss Holbrook and her father meet on friendly terms. Donovan fought an Italian assassin. He met the man he supposed was Holbrook, fut-who saild he was Hartridge, a canoe-maker. CHAPTER V.—Continued.

CHAPTER V .- Continued. He spoke the name carelessly, his manner and tone implying that there could be no debating the subject was prepared for evasion, but not for this cool denial of his identity.

"But this afternoon, Mr Holbrook, chanced to follow the creek to this point and I saw--'

'You probably sawe that houseboat down there, that is my shop As I tell you, I am a maker of canoes They have, I hope, some reputation-honest hand-work; and my output is limited. I shall be deeply chagrined if you have never heard of the Hartridge canoe

He shooke his head in mock ogrief walked to a cabarette and took up a pipe and filled it. He was carrying off the situation well, but his cool-

ness angered me.
"Mr Hartridge, T am sorry that I must believe that heretofore you have been known as Holbrook The fact was clenched for me this afternoon, quite late, as I stood in the path be low there I heard quite distinctly a young woman call you father

"So? Then you're an eavesdropper as well as a trespasser!"—and the man laughed.

We will admit that I am both," flared, angrily

"You are considerate, Mr. Dono van''

"The young woman who called you father and whom you answered from the deck of the houseboat is a person

'The devil'" He calmly puffed his pipe, holding the bowl in his fingers, his idle hand

thrust into his trousers pocket. "It was Miss Helen Holbrook that

I saw here, Mr. Hartiidge" He started, then recovered himself and peered into the pipe bowl for a second; then looked at me with an amused smile on his face

'You certainly have a wonderful im agination The person you saw, if you saw any one on your visit to these premises to-day, was my daughter, Rosalind Hartridge Where do you

think you knew her, Mr. Donovan?" "I saw her this morning at St. Agatha's school. I not only say her, but I talked with her, and I am neith-

er deaf nor blind" He pursed his lips and studied me, with his head silghtly titlted to one side, in a cool fashion that I did not like

"Rather an odd place to have met this Miss—what name, did you say?
—Miss Helen Holbrook,—a closed schoolhouse, and that sort of thing"

"You may ease your mind on that point; she was with your sister, her aunt, Mr. Holbrook, and I want you to understand that your following Miss Patricia Holbrook here is infamous and that I have no other business but to protect her from you."

He bent his eyes upon me gravely and nodded several times.

"Mr Donovan," he begin, "I repes that I am not Henry Holbrook, and my daughter—is my daughter, and not your Miss Helen Holbrook. Moreover, if you will go to Tippecanoe or to Annandale and ask about me you will learn that I have been a resident of this community, working at my trade that of a canoe-maker. That shop down there by the creek and this house, I built myself."

But the girl-"Was not Helen Holbrook, but my

daughter. Rosalind Hartridge. She. has been away at school, and came home only a week ago. You are cleary mistaken; and if you will call, as you undoubtedly will, on your Miss Holbrook at St. Agatha's in the morning, you will undoubtedly find your young lady there quite safely in charge of what was the name, Miss Patricia Holbrook?—in whose behalf ou take so praiseworthy an interest.

He was treating me quite as though her aunt. It was not possible that I had seen her through the dusk only were a stupid schoolboy, but I rallied sufficiently to demand:= = the day before, traitorously meeting her father, the foe of this dear old lady who walked beside me. It was 'If you are so peaceable and only

a boatmaker here, will you tell me why, you have enemies who are so anxious to kill you? I imagine that murder isn't common on the quiet shores of this little creek, and that an Italian sailor is not employed to kull men who have not a past of some sort hehind them?

His brows knit and the jaw under his short heard tightened. Then he smiled and threw his pipe on the cabarette.

"I have only your word for it that there's an Italian in the wood-pile. I have friends among the country foil. here and in the lake villages who car vouch for me. As I am not in the least interested in your affairs I shall not trouble you for your credentials; but as the nour is late and I hope I have satisfied you that we have no acquaintances in common, I will bid you good night. If you care for a boat

"Than ou, no!" I jerked.

He boal with slightly exaggerated courtesy, walked to the door and threw it open. He asked where I had left my horse, wishen me a pleasant ride home, and I was striding up the highway in no agre-able frame of mind before I quite realized that after narrowly escaping death on his house boat at the hands of his enemies, Henry Holbrook had not only sent me away as ignorant as I had come. but had added considerably to my perplexities. ~

CHAPTER VI.

A Sunday's Mixed Affairs. The faithful Ijima opened the door of Gienarm House, and after I had swallowed the supper he always had ready for me when I kept late hours established myself in comfort on the

terrace and studied the affairs of the



Brought My Horse to a Walk as Neared the Cottage.

of Holbrook until the robins rang up the dawn On their chint l went to bed and slept until Ijima came in at ten o'clock with my coffee An old hymn chimed by the chapel bells reminded me that it was Sunday Services were held during the summer, so the house servants informed me, for the benefit of the cottagers at Port Annandale, and walking to our pier I soon saw a flotilla of launches and canoes steering for St. Agatha's I entered the school grounds by the Glenarm gate and watched several smart traps approach by the lake road, depositing other devout folk at the chapel.

The sight of bright parasols and modish gowns, the semi-urban Sunday that had fallen in this quiet corner of the world, as though out of the bright blue above, made all the more unreal my experiences of the night. And just then the door of the main hall of St. Agatha's opened and forth came Miss Pat, Helen Holbrook and Sister Margaret and walked toward the

It was Helen who greeted me first "Aunt Pat can't withstand the temptations of a day like this We're chagrined to think we never knew this part of the world before!"

'I'm sure there is no danger," said Miss Pat, smiling at her own timidity as she gave me her hand. I thought that she wished to speak to me alone but Helen lingered at her side, and it was she who asked the question

that was on her aunt's lips.
"We are undiscovered? You have heard nothing, Mr. Donovan?"
"Nothing, Miss Holbrook," I said;
and I turned away from Miss Pat—

whose eyes made lying difficult-to Helen, who met my gaze with charm ing candor.

And I took account of the girl anew

and they never have any visitors. The as I walked between her and Miss Pat. daughter just come home the other day, and we ain't hardly seen her yet She's been away at school." "I suppose Mr. Hartridge is absent

sometimes; he doesn't live down there ali the time, does he?"

"I can't say that I could prove it; sometimes I don't see him for a month or more; but his business is his own, stranger, he concluded, point-

edly. = "You think that if Mr. Hartridge had a visitor you'd know it?" I persisted, though the shopkeeper grew

Well, now, I nfight; and again I mightn't. Mr. Hartridge is a queer man. I don't see him every day, and particularly in the winter I den't keep track of him.' With a little leading the storekeepe

described Hartridge for me, and his description tallied exactly with the man who had caught me on the canoe maker's premises the night before. And yet, when I had thanked the storekeeper and ridden on through the village, I was as much befuddled as ever. There was something decidedly incongruous in the idea that a man who was, by all superficial signs, at least a gentleman, should be established in the business of making ca noes by the side of a lonely creek in this odd corner of the world. From the storekeeper's account, Hartridge might be absent from his retreat for long periods; if he were Henry Hol-brook and wished to annoy his sister. it was not so far from this lonely creek to the Connecticut town where Miss Pat lived. Again, as to the daugh-ter, just home from school and not yet familiar to the eyes of the village, she might easily enough be an invention to hide the visits of Helen Hol-brook. I found myself_trying to account for the fact that, by some means short of the muraculous. Helen Hol brook had played chess with Miss Pat at St. Agatha's at the very hour I had seen her with her father on the Tippecanoe. And then I was baffled again as I remembered that Paul Stoddard had sent the two women to St. Agatha's, and that their destination could not have been chosen by Helen Holbrook.

My thoughts wandered into many blind alleys as I rodo on. I was thor oughly disgusted with myself at finding the loose ends of the Holbrooks affairs multiplying so rapidly. The sun of noon shone hot overhead, and I turned my horse into a road that led homeword by the eastern shore of the lake. As I approached a little country church at the crown of a long hill I saw a crowd gathered in the highway and reined my horse to see what had happened The congregation of farmers and their families had just been dismissed; and they were pressing about a young man who stood in the center of an excited throng Drawing closer I was amazed to find my friend Gillespie the center of attention.

"But, my dear sir," cried a tall, bearded man whom I took to be the minister of this wayside flock, "you must at least give us the privilege of thanking you! You cannot know what -so far beyond our dreams."

Whereat Gillespie locked bored shook his head, and tried to force his way through the encircling rustics. He was clad in a Norfolk jacket and knickerbockers of fantastic plaid, with cap to match.

A young famer, noting my curiosity and heavy with great news, whispered to me.

"That boy in short pants put a \$1,000 bill in the collection basket. All in one bill! They thought it was a mis-take, but he told our preacher it was free gift'

(TO BE CONTINUED) MUST HAVE PLANNED AHEAD.

Willie's Deep Reasoning Concerning Good Old Santa Claus.

"Mamma, did Santa Claus get in his sleigh on Christmas eve and drive around to all of the houses of the lit-tle girls and boys?" asked Willie.

"Yes, dear," answered his mother. 'An' did he stop at each chimney as he went along, and did he have just the right thing for everybody?"

"Why, of course, dearne."
"Well, mamma, he must have been mighty quick to visit all the places in one night."

"He is very quick, dear." "I don't believe he did it that way." said Willie, after a moment of deep thought.

"How do you think he did it?" asked his mother.
"Why, I think he planned ahead."

"What makes you think that, dear-"'Cause—'cause he had all my pres

ents put away in the closet under the stens two days before Christmas."-Harper's Weekly.

Prosaic.

"Well, I do think New York should have been named Washington," said a visitor. "Every time I look out of a high window I see nothing but lines upon lines of washings hung between brick walls or on roofs. In fact, 1 think of New York, as seen from the skyscrapers, as consisting of windows "Yes; and that's all he has, too; and washings, isn't it so?"

marching toward the altars of the

ot one of you will open your mouth," said the speaker of the evening. Every mother's son of them prom

Every mother's sun of them broke They were all yawning before the

SOUNDS LIKE A FAIRY TALE

THE FARMERS OF CENTRAL CAN-ADA REAP WHEAT AND RICHES

Up in the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the provinces that compose Central Canada have such a quantity of land suitable for the growth of small grains, which grow so abundantly, and yield so handsomely that no fear need be feared of a wheat famine on this Continent. The story reproduced below is only of the hundreds of proofs that could be produced to show the results that may be obtained from cultiva-tion of the lands in these provinces. Almost any section of the country will do as well.

With the country recently opened by the Grand Trunk Pacific, the latest of the great transcontinental lines to enter the field of the development of the Canadian West, there is afforded added ample opportunity to do as was done in the case cited below: To buy a section of land, break ft

up and crop it make \$17,550 out of the yield and \$10,880 out of the increase value all within the short period of two years, was the record established by James Bailey, a well known farmer within a few miles of Regina. Mr. Bailey bought the 640 acres of land near Grand Coulee two years ago. He immediately prepared the whole section for crop and this year has 600 acres of wheat and 40 acres of oats. The wheat yielded 19,875 bushels, and the oats yielded 4,750 bushels. The whole of the grain has been market. ed and Mr. Bailey is now worth \$17,550 from the grain alone. He bought the land at \$18 an acre, and the other day refused an offer of \$35 an acre, just-a \$17 advance for the time of his purchase. The land cost \$11,320 in the first instance. Here are the fig-ures of the case.—Land cost, 640 acres; at \$18, \$11,320. Wheat yielded 19,875 bushels, at 84 cents a bushel, \$16,695. Oats yielded 4,750 bushels at 28 cents a bushelf, \$855. Offered for land, 640 acres at \$35 an acre, \$22,400, Increase value of land, \$10,880. Total earnings of crop, \$17,550, together with increase in value of land a total of \$28,540.=

It is interesting to note the figures of the yield per acre. The wheat yielded 33½ bushels to the acre, and oats 1187 bushels to the acre. The figures are a fair indication of the average throughout the district

Agents of the Canadian Government in the different cities will be pleased to give you information as to rates, etc.

OFF DUTY.



Miss Smiff-Oh, dector, do you know you look perfectly killing this

Doctor-Thank you, but I am not. I'm off duty, you know.

Anti LaGrippe Remedy.

It is now claimed by several west-ern medical men that a whiskey mix-ture obtainable at any drug store is an absolute preventative and quick cure for bad colds and lagrippe. To make this powerful system tonic add one camee of compound fluid balmwort and two ounces of glycerine to a halfpint of good whiskey. Dose, a table-spoonful three to six times a day.

Better a poor man at large than a rich man in iail.

Syrupor

Cleanses the System Effectually: Dispels colds and Headaches due to Constipation; Acts naturally, acts truly as

a Laxative. Best for Men. Women and Child ren-Voung and Old.

To get it's beneficial effects, always buy the Genuine.

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.

SOLD BY ALL LEADING DRUGGISTS one size only, regular price 50° per bottle.

Best for Baby and Best for Mother THE BEST NEDICINE FOR QUEHS 40 QLDS

Is fine for children and adults, very pleasa to take and free from opiates. It soothes and heals the aching throat and assures restful nights to both mother and child.

All Druggiets, 25 cents.

Lesson for the Whole Race

Harmony That Might Be If Each Would But Do His Part.

There is no prettier sight in the world than a column of choir boys entering a church and singing the processional as they slowly march to the altar, declares a writer in the Columbus Journal. There is youth in its

all their health and hope, engaged in a beautiful religious ceremony, stepping in harmony to the fairest ideals of worship. But it is more than a mere ceremony. It has a lesson for all—a lesson of the happiest import. See that little boy in the processioncaped in white, the sunrise on his brow, and singing out of his heart a sweetest aspect-bright-faced boys in noble melody. He is only a part of a and lose himself in the procession Yonkers Statesman.

great harmony, and modestly he does his part, content to be simply one to blend his voice in the sweet strain of worship.

The lesson touches closely human experience. Here we are, a great crowd gathered on the earth, each one engaged in some service, to his coun try, to humanity, to home, to business, or perhaps some poorer one-how like that little boy in the processional might it be, if every one would add a beautiful note to the harmony of life

common good.

A Rash Promise. "Now, you must promise me that

ised.

his word.

speaker had talked for five minutes,-

SUFFERED TERRIBLY.

How Relief from Distressing Kidney

Trouble Was Found. Mrs. Elizabeth Wolf, 388-W. Morgan



St., Tipton, Mo., says: "Inflammation of the bladder reached its climax last spring and I suffered terribly. My back ached and pained so I could hardly get around and the secretions were scanty, frequent of passage and painful. I was

tired all the time and very nervous. I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, and after taking a few boxes was cured and have been well ever since."

Remember the name Doan's, Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

WANTED IT FOR HAIR WASH

No Trouble at All for Retired Singer to Account for the Carbolic _ Acid.

I was on my way home one night, said the retired baritone, according to Illustrated Bits, "and the hour was late. - As I turned a corner at a lonely spot a wild-eyed man stepped out in front of me. In his right hand he carried a pistol and in his left a gleaming knife. With a law, mocking laugh he thrust his burly form achiers

my path, and said:
"At last I have you in my power. I have sworn to kill the first man I met after 3 a. m. You are he also it. Would you rather be shot or stabbed?

Immediately 1 saw I had to do with a madman. Quick thought was necessary. Right there and then my long training stood me well in hand. Tak ing a pint bottle of carbolic from my overcoat pocket, I remarked

'Old scout, I greef thee as a friend Kill me if thou wilt, but first let us drink success to the crime.'

"It made a hit with the bug. He grabbed the bottle and took a swallow like a stage hand. As he fell writhing on the sidewalk I stepped over his body and continued on my way."

"How did you happen to have a bot tle of carbolic acid with you?" asked

the incredulous press agent.
"I was taking it home to put on my hair," answered the retired baritone.

Duty Society Owes to Unfortunates. Consumption is primarily a poor roan's disease. Dr. Woods Hutchinson of New York city says: "Roughly speaking, the incipient tuberculosis pa tient can buy as many chances of fresh air and cure as he has money. The percentage of deaths from consumption among the poor is 100 per cent, higher than among the well-to-do and the rich. Sixty-five per cent. of the consumptives in the United States are too poor to provide proper means for treatment. They must either be placed in a sanitarium or a hospital where they can be cured of their disease and where they will be removed from the possibility of infecting other members of their families, or the loss resulting from neglect to care for these poor consumptives will be twice or three times as great as would be the case if they are properly housed in institutions."

The Exception.

In a home where the mother is somewhat aggressive and the father good-natured and peace-loving, a child's estimate of home conditions was tersely expressed the other day. While dressing, the mother paused in the act of putting on her shoes and "I certainly am easy on shoes, I have worn these for four months. I don't know what you would do, John, if I were not. I am easy on every-thing." The little girl looked up from dolls and remarked: father."-Success.

Miss Giddigosh-Oh, uncle, have you seen the Williamses' baby? Do describe it to me.

Uncle Snark—Description! Um!— ah! very small features, clean shaven, red-faced, and looks a hard drinker.

HABIT'S CHAIN Certain Habits Unconsciously Formed and Hard to Break.

An ingenious philosopher estimates that the amount of will power necessary to break a life-long habit would, if it could be transformed, lift a weight

of many tons. It sometimes requires a higher degree of heroism to break the chains of a pernicious habit than to lead a forlorn hope in a bloody battle. A lady writes from an Indiana town:

"From my earliest childhood I was a lover of coffee. Before I was out of my teens I was a miserable dyspeptic, suffering terribly at times with my stom-

"I was convinced that it was coffee that was causing the trouble and yet I could not deny myself a cup for breakfast. At the age of 36 I was in very poor health, indeed. My-sister told me I was in danger of becoming a coffee drunkard.

"But I never could give up drinking coffee for breakfast, although it kept me constantly ill, until I tried Postum. I learned to make it properly according to directions, and now we can hardly do without Postum for breakfast, and care nothing for coffee.

"I am no longer troubled with dys pepsia, do not have spells of suffering with my stomach that used to trouble me so when I drank coffee."

Look in pkgs for the little book, "The Road to Wellville." "There's a Reason."

Zeer rend the above letter? A new one uppears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

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LAKE ERIE LIFE

FRIGHTFUL LOSS OF LIFE AND FIVE BOATS DESTROYED IS THE RECORD FOR LAST-WEEK.

9 FROZEN IN YAWLBOAT

Elght Bodies Sixting Over Prostrate Form of Companion, First to Succumb to Bitter Cold-One Man Had Probably Jumped From Boat,

The terrific storm which passed over Lake Erie Wednesday night and Thursday reaped a deadly harvest and laid waste more than \$1,000,000 worth of vessel property. -

Late reports show that 52 lives were lost, that 20 sailors were rescued, that five boats were destroyed, and that one is aground and sustained heavy

The summary shows: Steamer Cla-The summary shows: Steamer Clarion—Burned; 15 lives lost, 6 saved. Steamer W. C. Richardson—Sunk; 5 drowned, 14 saved. Car ferry Marguette & Bessemer No. 2—Wrecked; 32 lives fost. Steamer Josiah G. Munro—Aground, attempting to rescue sallors from the Clarion. Tow barge Sunk; no lives lost. Barge Charles Spademan—Sunk.

2---The last doubt concerning the fate of the car ferry Marquette & Bes-semer No 2 was removed Sunday when the state fish tug Commodore Perry towed the ferry's life hoat No. 4. containing nine deal bodies, into the port of Erie. Eight were sitting on the seats, and one lay huddled up in the bottom of the craft. All were frozen stiff.

rere frozen stift. For 48 hours the Commodore Perry had been scoufing the waters of eastern Lake Erie for traces of the car ferry, but until a tiny 10-man yawl was sighted 15 miles off Erie, men on the little state fish craft had almost given up hope of being able ever to tell a portion of the

story of the fate of the big ferry. As the lookout on the Perry sight ed a tiny, half-sunken vawl, forders were given to steam down upon the object. The use of glasses discov ered the boat to be loaded with nine

As the Perry came abreast of the drifting and half water-logged yawl, the men gathered at the side of the fish hoat saw that they had arrived too lots.

Joseph Shenk, of Conneaut, the smallest man in the party, was left to succumb to exposure Others of the shipwrecked crew, evidently with the intention of keeping the spark of life in the frail body huddled on top of and about Shenk and were found frozen in that position when

\$200,000 From Hill for U. of M. A \$200,000 gift for an auditorium

or the University of Michigan is one of the bequests made by the late Ar-hur Hill- Mr. Hill was a regent at the time of his death. His will was deposited with Probate Judge Crane pending the hearing on the filing of a petition for its admission to pro-bate. The amount of the estate has not been made public, but some inter-esting figures.

large public bequests besides the one

mentioned, are announced as follows: For a manual training school for Saginaw, west side, public schools, \$20,000; for the Saginaw General hospital, \$50,000, Home for the Friendless, Sagmaw, \$25,000, and a like amount for perpetuating the Arthur Hill high school scholarship in the U. of M Competition for the latter is open only to graduates of the Arthur Hill high school, in West Sag-

Supreme Court Bars Wire Trust.

A supreme court-decision handed demes the application of the American Telegraph & Telephone Co. for a writ of mandamus to compel the secretary of state to admit the corporation to

The court says it is the policy of the state to keep telephone and tele-graph lines under separate control graph lines under separate control for the benefit of healthy competition and that the legislature m passing the anti-trust law, under which admittance was refused, plainly intended that the two agents of communication should be kept independent. According to this decision, the company will not be allowed to enter Michigan unless they give up one branch of the business. They may operate either a telegraph or telephone business, but cannot conduct both. The ness, but cannot conduct both. The action which the concern will take will be watched with interest, as this is the first case under the new law governing foreign corporations.

President to Hear Them.

Senator Smith, of Michigan, has arranged for President Taft to give a hearing some time in the future to fishermen of Saginaw bay and a part of Lake Huron who object to the report of Dr. Davis Starr Jordan on international fisheries

The Michigan fishermen say that conditions in Saginaw bay and part of Lake Huron are unusual and should be handled in a different way from other fishing grounds along the Canadian borders.

Carrying a blazing oil stove down-stairs and out of the house, Miss Mastairs and out of the house, whish ma-zie Salsbury, a high school girl of Saginaw was terribly burned. The stove exploded while she was using it in the bathroom, and without think-ing of her peril she carried it down-stairs. She will recover,

At the meeting of the board of con-At the heeting of the board of con-trol of the union at Jackson, the members discussed a plan for loasing the Blake farm near the city, on which to beep the convicts who are now idle, employed Blake says he will lease the farm of 200 acres, we' stocked, if he may act as overseer.

TRAINS CRASH; THREE DIE GOOD WORK IS LOVED WORK

New York Central Fast Train Dashes

Into Passenger Cars.
The New York Central limited train eastbound, second section, en route from St. Louis to New York, was in a réar-end collision with a passenger train-on the Lake Shôre railway at Northeast, Pa., 16 miles from Erie,

Only three persons were killed, seven seriously injured and 25 cut and

Plunging forward through a blizzard at the rate of over 60 miles an hour, the St. Louis section of the limcrashed into the rear of the Chi-

cago & Boston special.

All those killed and injured were occupants of the smoking car of the special. None of the passengers on the limited was severely injured.

King Leopold Operated On. -King Leopold of Belgium was oper ated upon successfully Tuesday.

The surgeons found no trace of a tumor, the presence of which in the intestines had been feared.

His majesty's trouble was due to a simple obstruction. - - The king is resting quietly.

At 3 o'clock the physicians issued this bulletin: "The king's condition is very good as the result of the op-eration." ration.

When following the operation, his majesty regained consciousness, he was told of what had been accomplished, and expressed great satisfaction He said the operation had af-

Chief Red Cloud Dead. Red Cloud, the famous old Sioux

forded him marked relief.

dian chief, is dead. This information was received at Washington by Superintendent Brennan, of the Pine Ridge Indian agency, who is in Washington attending the meeting of those interested in the education of the Indian.

Cloud belonged to the old type of Indian He was 86 years old, and for the past 25 years had lived at the Pine Ridge agency

Ask for Two Battleships,

If congress approves the navy department's proposed building program of two battleships and one repair ship a total of \$12,844 122 additional will be required for the fiscal year end-ing June 30 1911 Supplementary es-timates to cover this amount were submitted to the house today by the secretary of the navy Of this amount \$4,900,000 will be for construction and machinery, \$7,594,622 for armor and armament, and \$349,500 for equipment.

Gen. Domingo Vasquez former pres ident of Honduras, and one of the most prominent men of that country, in Honduras, December = 9. ac cording to a cablegram received by Luis Laso, the Honduran minister,

The "Monastery" at Los Angeles, the home of the scientists and at taches of the Mount Wilson observa tory, was destroyed by fire Monday All the valuable records and papers of the observatory and the scientific library of Frof. Hale were burned.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit—Cattle—Market active and 25c higher than last week on all grades Extra dry-fed steers and helfers, \$5; 5cters and helfers, \$6; 560 steers and helfers, 80; 60 steers and helfers, 800 to 1000, \$4.75, \$6; 55. grass steers and helfers, 800 to 1000, \$4.75, \$6; 55. grass steers and helfers that are fat, 500 to 700, \$3.50, \$6, choice fat cows, \$3.75, \$6, 4.00, \$6, 4.00, \$6, 4.00, \$6, 4.00, \$6, 4.00, \$6, 4.00, \$6, 4.00, \$6, 4.00, \$6, 4.00, \$6, 4.00, \$6, 4.00, \$6, 6.00, \$6

\$20035 Veal calves—Market active at last week's opening best \$850@9 others, \$375@750, milch cows and springers, \$3 75@750, milch cows and springers, steady

Sheep and lambs—Market active and 25c to 50c higher than last week, best lambs \$7 50@775, fair to good lambs, \$6 75@7 light to common lambs, \$6@650, fair to good sheep, \$4@475, culls and common \$3@350.

Hogs—Market 15c to 20c higher than last week Range of prices Light to good butchers \$8.30@850 pigs \$3; light yorkers, \$8.20@830, stags 1-3 off.

East Buffalo—Cattle—Market 15@25c lower Christmas cattle, \$50@8.25 export steers, \$650@7. best shipping steers \$6.50@5. best 1000 to 1200-lb shipping steers \$5.50@6. medium 1050.to 1.150-lb steers \$5.000. medium 1050.to 1.150-lb steers \$5.000. medium 505.000. for the steers \$4.75@5. best fat cows \$4.5000. \$3.5000.375. \$450\(\text{0}\) fair to good \$3\(\text{50}\) 375, trimmers \$2\(\text{50}\) 02 75; best heifers \$5\(\text{0}\) 35\(\text{25}\) 375, trimmers \$2\(\text{50}\) 02 75; best heifers \$5\(\text{0}\) 35\(\text{25}\) 450 common, \$3\(\text{50}\) 40, best feeders \$4\(\text{50}\) 450 85 bologna, \$3\(\text{50}\) 450 85 bologna, \$3\(\text{50}\) 450 85 bologna, \$3\(\text{50}\) 45\(\text{60}\) 5, tock bulls \$3\(\text{0}\) 32\(\text{2}\) 5, best fresh cows, \$4\(\text{50}\) 655 fair to good, \$3\(\text{0}\) 40, common, \$22\(\text{0}\) 25

122@25
H0gs-Market 10c@15c lower heavy;
855@870. medium \$850@8.55, 30rKrs \$750@8.60. light vorkers and pigs
825@2 40, roughs, \$780@790, stags,

\$7007.25 Sheep and lambs—Market active, best lambs, \$860,6865; fair to good \$8, 5.50, culls, \$707.50, yearlings, \$6,736 7.25 wethers \$550,6575; towes \$7, \$525, Calves steady, best, \$950,610, fair to good, \$869, heavy, \$4,6450,

Grain, Etc.

Detroit—Wheat—Cash No 2 red.
\$121½ bid, May opened with an advance of ½c at \$121½, advanced to \$1.24½, and closed at \$124½, July opened at \$1.02¾, advanced to \$103 and closed at \$1.02¾, No. 1 white, \$121½.

Corn—Cash No 2 =60 No.

and closed at \$1.02%, No. 1 white \$1.21%.
Corn—Cash No. 3. 59c, No. 3 yellow, 60 asked: No. 4 yellow, 5 cars at 57c
Onts—Standard, 1 car at 45c. No. 3 white, 1 car at 44c, clossing at 44½c bid Rye—No. 1 cash 3 cars at 76½c
Beans—Cash. \$2.05 bid, January \$2.07
Cloverseed—Prime spot. \$3.95. March. \$9.10, sample 8 bags at \$8.75. 94 at \$5.50. 9 at \$8; prime alsike, \$7.85, sample alsike, 8 bags at \$7.25 sample alsike, 8 bags at \$7.25 cm. \$2.50. for middlings, \$25.50. fine middlings, \$25.50. fine middlings, \$25.50. fine middlings, \$25.50. rocacked corn and coarse cornmeal \$77; corn and oat chou \$23.50 per ton
Flour—Best Michigan patent, \$6.25 crdinary patent, \$5.95 straight, \$5.85; clear, \$5.80; pure rye, \$4.85, soring patent, \$6.15 per bbl in wood, jobbing lots.

For the purpose of impressing upon the 330 census supervisors President Taft's desire for a non-political, accurate and economical census, Director Durand has arranged for a series of conferences with them.

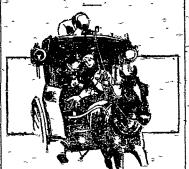
Application was made to Judge Smith McPherson, of the United States supreme court, by J. C. Robinson & Son, contractors, for an injunction to restrain bricklayers' and mason's unions of St. Louis from interfering with bricklayers at work on the \$2000,000 Roman Catholic cathedral at Lindell boulevard and Newstead ayenue. I stead avenue.

And Therein One Should Find the Contentment That Is Chief Part of Life.

If a man doesn't love his work, he had petter get something else to do. But the trouble is that such people will hardly love any kind of work. The trouble is in them. They lack intelligence. If they knew enough to know good work, they would soon learn to love it. The manual-training scheme has this in view-to sur round the job a man is doing with such intelligence and taste as will make it attractive to him.

"The man who is in love with-his job gets more contentment out of life than any other, says Brander Mat-thews; and he gets a great part of his contentment in doing his work right. No man can love his work who shirks No man can be contented who is dishonest about his work. This is shirking or doing it negligently. So these things always go together-hones work, contentment and love of the job.

NOT-HAVING ANY.



Bertie-But, my dear, there's = no arm in a kiss. Nellie-No. Well, but then, where's

Safe Place for the Author. "In a small town where the audience calls for the author of the piece to come before the curtain, he always of local advertisements on it," said

he manager.= "Why so?" asked his friend. "Why, the people in the audience are not going to throw eggs and take a chance on spoiling their own adver-

tisements, are they?"-Yonkers States Every Little Bit Helps.

The lecturer raised his voice with emphatic confidence. 'T venture to "that there isn't a man in this audience who has ever done anything to prevent the destruc tion of our forests."

A modest-looking man in the back of the hall stood up. "I-er-I've shot woodpeckers," he said —Everybody's Magazine.

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Precocious. The little girl was acting naughtily before company. Her mother warned

her sharply
"If you do that again, I'll smack you," she said.

"No you won't," replied the pert daughter "I'll sit down on myself and then you can't"

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to be without neighbors

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Mrs. Crabshaw-I'm keeping them for comparison, my dear. I'm sure to catch him in a lie-Judge. Our idea of heaven is a place big

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Now and Then. He is a capitalist now-in an Ohio town, but he was not always thus.

He has progressed along various lines, and one mark of his progress is the open-back shirt, a comparatively mod-ern invention. To this he is yet new, and recently commented upon at to a friend who was in his room while he was dressing.

"Look at me," he said, sticking his head through his shirt. "When I came to this town I hadn't a shirt to my back, and now-now, I haven't a back to my shirt."

Detected, 2

The consul in London of a continental kingdom was informed by his gov ernment that one of his country women, supposed to be living in Great Britain, had been left a million of money: After advertising without result, he applied to the police, and a šmart young detective was set to work.

When a few weeks had gone by his chief asked him how he was going on. "I've found the lady, sir." "Good! Where is she?"

"At my place. I got married to her yesterday!"--

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Woman's Daring Deed.

In southern Tunis lies an extensive salt march desert called the Shott Jerid, of which the Arabs stand in ter ror, for many a caravan has been lost in the salt incrusted morass, which according to De Lesseps is as much as 1,200 feet deep in places. This region has been crossed for the first time in a small automobile by a woman, Myriam Harry, a well-known French novelist.

Financial. Stella-Isn't Mabel going to marry

the duke? Bella-No, he rejected the budget.

WESTERN CANADA What Governor Deneen, of Illinois Says About Jts



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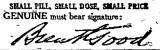
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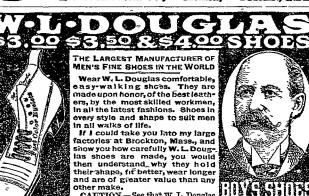


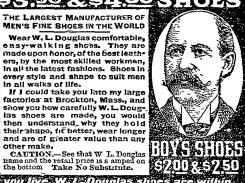
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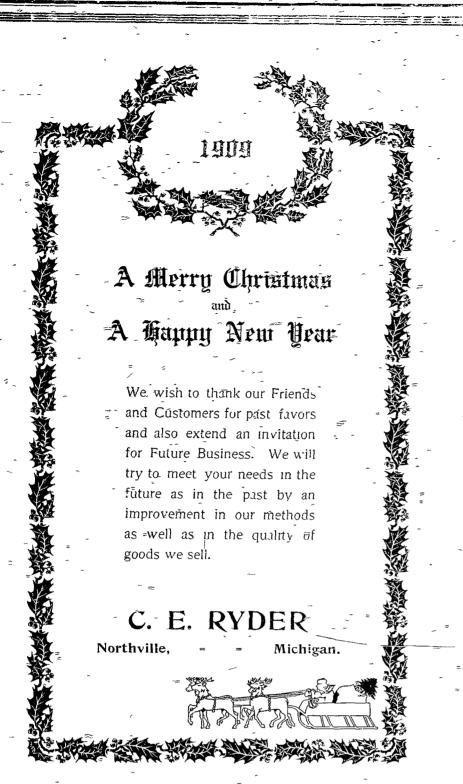
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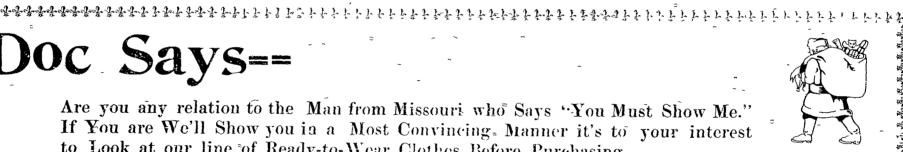
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DETROIT.

NOVI NEWS.

Mrs. Brent Harding is much worse Born to Mr and Mrs Wm Lunger Dec. 8 a son

Mrs Fred Cooper spent part of last

week in Detroit. Miss Irma Perry has returned from

ı visit at Vernon. Mr. VerDuynê spent Saturday and Sunday in Wayne.

Mrs Chas. Deer is the proud possssor of a new plane.

Miss Nettle Kent of Farmington pent Sunday with Mrs. F. E. Blery. Mr. and Mrs. Terry were over Sunday guests of her sister in

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Blery attended the Silver Medal contest at Farmington Saturday evening.

By special request the Silver Medal contest will be repeated in the West Novi School house Saturday evening,

Daniel Monro of Chesaning and Bedent Monro of Plymouth are the guests of their brother James Mouro, and family.

There will be a union Christmas tree of the two Sünday schools here in the Bapist church, Dec. 23. A. very nice program is being prepared by the two schools.

Mr and Mrs Samuel Bassett enter tained Henry Norton of Ionia, Pear lle Norton of Alberta, Canada and Mr. and Mrs Olin Kenyen of West Unicy Ohio, Friday and Saturday.

Mr, and Mrs Ed Burt entertained Dr. Holcomb and family, Mr Ver Duyne and family, P. J. Taylor and wife and George Dandison and wife last Friday at a six o'clock dinner in honor of their son, Lon's, birthday,

A Waste of Money. Hub-Reckless and extravagant-I? When did I ever make a useless purchase? Wife-Why, there's that fire extinguisher you bought a year ago, we've never used it once

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WALLED LAKE NEWS.

Mrs. Thos Gilchrist has gone to Detroit to see her sisters, who are til Mrs Frank Kinney and children of Big Rapids are spending some time with her brother. Fred Day.

A J. Church, Joe Dickerson, H. F. Andrews, Amos Bentley and Clark Jones spentlast week in Chicago.

Mrs Dye son and daughter of Davisburg have come to make their home with Mrs. Dye's slāter,- Mrs. A L. Bone, for the winter.

A musical and literary entertainment will be given Wednesday even ing. Dec. 29. in charge of Mrs. Rex Angeli, president of the Social and Literary department.

Mrs. A. J. Church has returned home after three months spent in tion, organization, art, music-they California visiting relatives Her are all dangerous Civilization exntece, Amy Strong, came home with poses her to remain indefinitely.

There will be a Christmas tree in the Methodist church Friday evening Dec. 24 The Sunday school is preparing an interesting program. Anyone is welcome to put gifts on

There was a good attendance at the husiness meeting of the Epworth League at the home of Mr. and Mrs.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA Chas. Green Tuesday evening. It was voted to prepare a box of clothing, toys, etc. for the poor in Detroit. The arrangements were jeft in the bands of Mrs. Susie Mairs, president of the Mercy and Help department

LIVONIA -NEWS. -

Harmon and Charley Landau spent sunday at home.

Will Pankow of Detroit spent Sundev with his parents.

Mrs. Dell Rice of Oklahoma City was visiting in this vicinity last week. Something is making a noise like a wedding in this vicinity in the near

Since the snow came there is more nunters to be seen than there is game to hunt.

FARMINGTON NEWS.

Because - Carl Hatton, a farmer living one-mile-west, did not have an auger and decided to bore a hole in a beam in his bare with a red hot iron, he is loser to the extent of \$2,500. The beam caught fire from the crude tool and the flames spreads destroying the barn and its contents. the season's crop of hay and grain. The building was insured for a small part of its value.

์ Civilization - Defined. An inquirer wants us to define civilization. Suppose we say it is the

process of learning to use dangerous tools-liberty, luxury, wealth, educaus to them Weekly.

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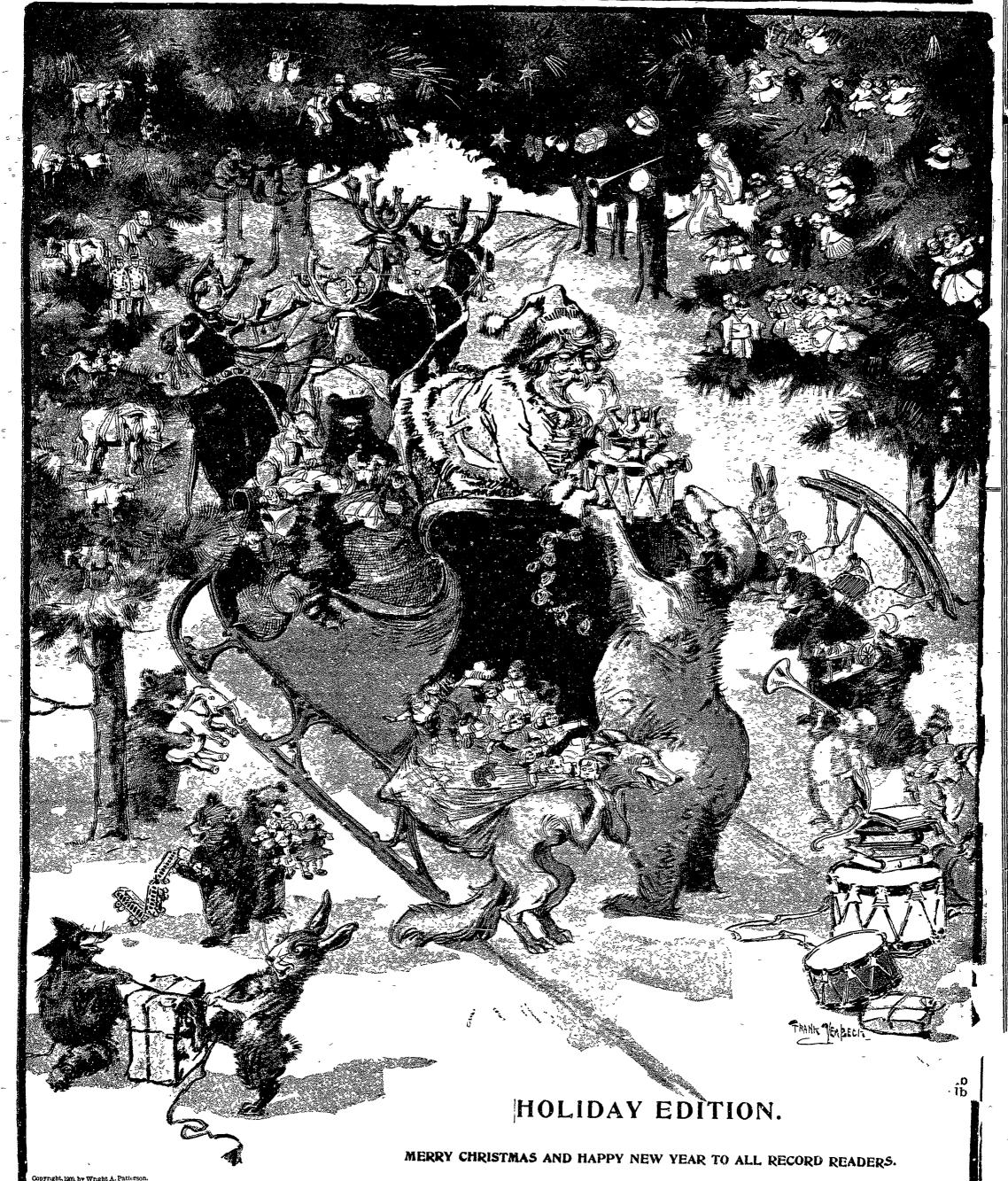
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- The year has been a successful one for nearly everybody, including your humble servant. Wishing you a-Merry Xmas and a Happy-New Year, I am, yours sincerely, W. H. CATTERMOLE, Northville, Michigan

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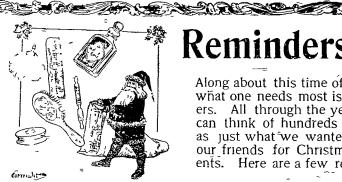


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Reminders

Along about this time of the year what one needs most is remind-All through the year we all can think of hundreds of things as just what we wanted to give our friends for Christmas Presents. Here are a few reminders.

Perfumes, Box Letter Paper, Candies

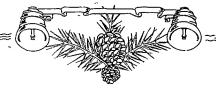
The Best Kinds in Bulk and in Fancy Packages.

We also have a Fine Line of Brushes, Combs, and General Toilet Articles. Come in, we will find you something that you want.



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CHRISTMAS SELECTIONS

We have a Choice Selection of all the delicacies, things that go to make the home delightful and the table complete for the Holidays. Apples, Oranges, Celery, Cranberries, Grapes, Cheese, etc.

And then we have for the Children — and even Bigger Folks like 'em-Candies, Bananas, Figs, Dates, Chocolates, Creams, Nuts, Popcorn, etc. Great Variety and Elegant as well as toothsome.

In addition of course we have a Big and First-Class Line of All Kinos of Groceries, sucit as Teas, Coffee, Sugar, Spices, Flour, Butter, Eggs, etc.

J. S. HADDOCK

Michigan.

Center Street.



Christmas Presents!

What makes a better or more useful Xmas present than a Pair of Shoes or Slippers. Wehave them and right up to the minute in style. We carry the best lines of Shoes for the price, ave can find.

Kenn's \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4 and \$5 Shoe for Men Ford's \$2.50, \$3.00, and \$3.50 Shoe for Ladies Vemo-\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2 Shoe for Children

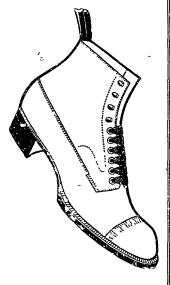
Have one of the best lines of \$2.50 Shoe made, for Men..... \$2.50

Men's and Ladies' Slippers of all kinds to select from..... 6oc to \$1.50

Rubbers of all kinds. liget and heavy.

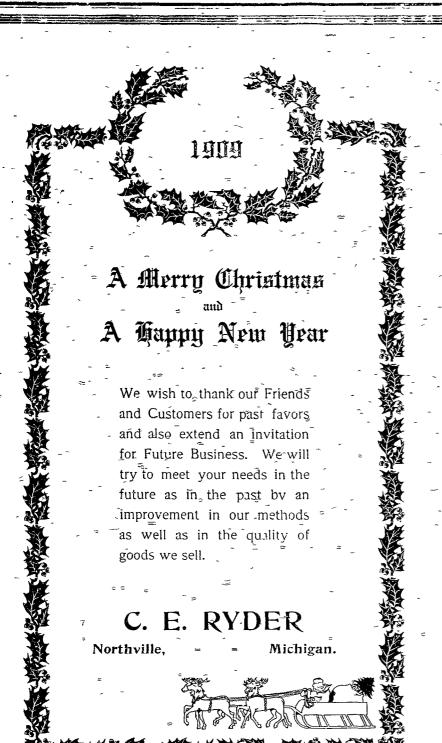
We keep everything that goes to make an up-to-date Shoe Store.

Come in and let us show you that we have the goods at the right prices. We want to please our customers-and will try in every way to do so.



Exclusive Shoe Store.

NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN.





CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

The All Important Question These Days.

A Store full of Useful Christmas Gifts at Reasonable Prices is what we have to offer you as an answer to the question.

Ladies' and Gents' Fine Shoes and Slippers

Make a Very Desirable Christmas Gift. We have many styles to select from

Ladies' Fur Trimmed, Warm Lined Slippers at \$1.00 to \$1,25





The Moulton Wireless Umbrella for Men at

> \$1.00 \$1.50 \$2.00

Men's Fancy Suspenders, put up one pair in fancy box ăt ..25c, 50c pr

Men's Neckwear, ali styles and colors, put up in Xmas boxes..... 25c, 50c

Men's and Boys' Gloves and Mittens, Sweater Coats and Many Other Useful Articles at Our Store.

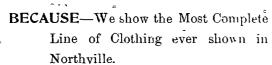
STARK BROTHERS THE SHOEMEN

Main Street.

NORTHVILLE, MICH.

Doc Says==

Are you any relation to the Man from Missouri who Says "You Must Show Me." If You are We'll Show you in a Most Convincing Manner it's to your interest to Look at our line of Ready-to-Wear Clothes Before Purchasing.



BECAUSE—Our Fall Line is Largest and Strongest in the Popular Priced Grades.

BECAUSE—Our Prices demonstrate positively-and our Finished Garments confirm conclusively we give you Better Values in Eabrics and Workmanship than you get elsewhere.

BECAUSE-Our 15 years experience at the head of one of the largest Clothing concerns in the country has put us in direct touch with the best there is to be had

BECAUSE-Our policy of All-Wool and Fast Colors is certain to please.

THE HOME OF

Kirschbaum's Clothing The Dudley Suit The Monarch Shirt The Arrow Collar The D. & C. Collar The Newland Hat The Howard Hat The Just Right Gloves Delta Slumbering Robes AND THE

Carhart Working Clothes

UNDERWEAR == All we need say for Combination Suits, they are Superior.

SHIRTS == The Monarch Coat Shirt need no description—all styles.

SUSPENDERS == Especial Holiday Line now showing.

NIGHT SHIRTS == Combine Muslin or Flannelette—we have them all.

NECKWEAR == For every taste or whim -- the greatest the market affords.

HANDKERCHIEFS==the Great Holiday

HOSE == Every Variety and Fabric wanted in Men's Hose you will find here.

GLOVES -- The Most Re'iable Makes.

COLLARS==All Popular Styles in Arrow and D. & C. Brands.



Vm. GORTON

77 Main Street, North Side. Whipple Store.

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are Contented with Small Profits - Our Prices Are An Inducement.

OR the past Twelve Years we have greeted you with Special Xmas Offerings. This year we have spared neither time or pains to make this the Banner Sale. We have been selecting goods for several months for this event Past experience has given us knowledge of your wants, this we have benefitted by, and selected goods suitable for our Christmas trade. They are man ental and useful (more especially the latter). You will find our stock the Largest and Best Selected in the town. Anticipate your wants now and Visit Our Store Any Week day up to Christmas Eve. Come early in the day. Come the first days of the sale-early pickings are the best. STORE OPEN EVENINGS.



HANDKER-CHIEFS

WONDERFUL

An inexpensive and usefui Christmas pres We have had the honor for several years of showing the

best selections and alues. This year, as usual, we are still in the lead: you will say so when you see them. Our prices are the same as elsewhere, the difference le in the quality and patterns. Prices from lo

Ladies' Fancy Embroidered and Figured Hardkerchiefs, all Linen and Sheer Lawns, large assortment, handsome patterns, over 100 styles, popular pieced Ladies' all Linen, Memstitched 5c, 1oc, 15c, 25c Ladles all Linen Fancy Embroidered, Beautiful Designs

adies' all Linen Fancy Initial 10c, 15c, 25c Ladies' Hemstitched Hdki-20, 50, 100, 150 Motto and Picture Hokks to please the Children, each

Gents' Handkerchiefs

Assortment at its best Sarge Size Hemstitched 📖 Large Size Hemstitched . . 10c, 3 for 250 All Linen Fine Hemstitched . . 250 All Linen, Extra Fine, Hemstitched Large

All Linen-Juitial 10c, 15c, 25c



Are very much higher insprice than when we purchased our supply We are selling them at ess than the old price

104 Blankets II 4 Blankets, Gray or Tan, worth \$1, S P 11 4 Blkts. Grav or Tan, worth \$1-25, S.P. 98c

24 Blankets, Gray only, Extra Size and weight, worth \$160, S P handle the famous Beacon Blankets, look like wool, fine and heavy, good size, Gray or White, with Blue and Pink Borders, regular price \$2.25, S. P. \$1.98



Are a very useful article. also make an inexpensive Christmas present. You will find our assortment extra good and priced to please the prudent buyer All Linen Huck or Damask, Good

Size, each All Linen Damask -Good Size .. * . 3750 Unen Damask, Extra I me and Large

... 500, 750, \$1.00 rge Assortment of Turkish Towels

Timely Christmas Suggestions

From and about the several departments adies' Golf and Suede Gloves Duting Flannel Night Robes, Ready to Wear Outing Flannel and Black Mercerized Skirts, Knitted Scaris Sand Shawls, Knit Mufflers, Ladies' Fancy Stock Collars, Jewelry Cases, Brooches, Beauty Pins, Triplex Mirrors, Toilet Sets, etc

Table Linens and Napkins



You will do well to lay in your supply at present prices. After Januaryist the new Pariff on Linens will advance the price at least 25 per cent Out stock as complete. purchased at old prices You get the benefit now if you take ad-

vantage of it. Table Linens at

per yd = . 50c, 60c, 65c; 75c, 90c \$1, \$1 25 Napkins per doz \$1, \$1,25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, \$4



Ladies' Knit Underwear

We are exclusive agentfor the Celebrated live-City VIII make better, few as good quality considered price _are pleasing

angle pe Garments, tine Fleeced, all sizeat per Garments angle pe Garments. Extra Tine Fleeced

Regular sizes, each Single pc Garments Extra Fine Fleeced Extra sizes single pc Garments, Silk and Wool, very Elastic, Regular Sizes, each

ray Wool Single pc Garments, very serviceable, each

Union Suits

Not the shoddy kind, but a very Satisfac Garment, all sizes, each Fine Fleeced, extra Quality, Good Weight

Regular sizes, each Fine Fleeced, Extra Quality, Good Weight Extra sizes White Wool, Regular sizes, Medium Wt

Fine Garments, each Natural Gray Suits, Warm and Serviceable Regular sizes atural Gray Suits, Warm and Serviceable

Extra sizes Misses Suits Fine Fleeced, Extra Quality. Regular sizes Musses Suits Fine Fleeced, Extra Quality

Extra sizes Misses Single pe Garment-, Gray or Ecrn

Gents' Neckwear

New Goods justarrived You will get the first showing of the latest styles and Patterns It certainly is the Smartest Line Shown in the town

In-Hands Pannel Crochet and Effects 4 In-Hands, Good Assortments and Styles Club Ties, Black, and a Variety of Colors

Shield and Band Tecks in Black and Colors Bowsin Black and Fancy Colors, New Shapes You get a Fancy Christmas Box with Every 50c

Are useful as well as ornamental for Christmas presents. We can supply your wants in this Ladies Knitted Mufflers Line in Colors or Price that ought to please you

Colors in Tan, Pearl or Black 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50 Golf Gloves Gloves Fleeced Lined for Cold Weather



The Heavy & Fleeced Shirts, Double Front and Back, Very Warm and Serviceable, rer Garment .45 I lot. Fleeced " Shirts, Single Front and ⇒ Back, each ... 1 lot Gray Wool Gar-

ments. Made by the eiebrated Stagley Mills, None Better. Sizes 36 to 59, a Bargain at per pc 90 Jersey Ribled Shirts and Drawers, each

Union Suits

The So't Fleecy, Elastic Kind at per Suit ... 🗢 90c _\$2.00 and \$2.50 Wool Juion Suits at ..

Suit Cases and



Very desirable for Christmas Gifts, \$1.00 tc \$6.00 Good Assortment, price -A Good Strong Case, Regular Frame Complete . 2.... ...\$1.00 with Lock Exceptional Values on Cases

\$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 All Leather (ases Never Wear Out \$5.00 to \$6.00 Ladies Cases Light and Durable Made of Fine Imported Matting -. \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00



Shell Goods, etc.

Large assortment newly purchased, tatest styles useful and ornamental Back ombs, Side Combs, Hair Pins Hat Pins, Belt Pins, Barrettes, etc. Small Prices. Large Values

Ladies' and Misses Knit Coats

One or more of them would-make a very pleasing Gents, Youths and Bovs Christmas present. We have them in Ladies' Misses and Uniform's, especially priced for our Christmas trade.

\$1.75, \$2.25, \$2.75, to \$5.00 Ladics' **\$1.00, \$2.00, \$3.00** Misses (hildren's



550

23c



Make a useful present New Goods especially purchased for (hristmas Sale. Novelty or Handies, Quality in Materia Economically priced 50c to \$4

Ladies' Silk Scarfs

are very popular this season. What could please your Lady Friend more for a Christmas present. Good assortment Plain and Fancy Cofors, Economically priced

50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 25c and 50

NOTICE.

We Cannot Redeem Coupons During This Sale.



In Colors and White; Plain and Pleated Bossoms. A good fitting one is a pleasure to the wearer. Ours Are That Kind. Lion Brand, conceded by all Good -Dressers to be Perfection, Fit and Workmanship.

Priced to please our Christmas Trade......90c

Gents' Silk Scarfs

We are showing a Very Attractive Line for our-Christmas Sale, Colors, Black, Blue, White, and Pearl, priced to suit everybody. at 1 _50c, \$1.00, \$1.30 and \$2.00

We are showing large variety, and well selected Christmas pressents would be in order in this department. A very special offering:

1 lot, Extra Size 81x90, worth \$1.75, S. P..... \$1.25 A Good Quality Fair sized Spread986 Cut Corner Fringe Spreads, Extra Quality in Satin Marsalus Spreads, very handsome

..... \$3.00 to \$4.00 = Patterns



And Hand Bags

Selected especially for our Christmas Sale. Modestly priced assortment, large. Your choice is our choice.

. 25c to \$2.00 Hand Bags Pocket Books25c, 50c and 75c Coin Purses ...

Knit Coats for

They would make a pleasing remembrance for hristmas Girts.

Gents' come in a variety of colors and prices\$1.60 to \$3.50 from. 50c to \$1.00



lot All Silk, Sizes, 16 to 40 12⅓c to 20cyd S. P. yd.....10 Yuletide and Miseltoe for Chaistmas packages per Bolt 29c 25c Regular Stock complete in all Widths and Colors.

Fancy Decorative Lineas

Sperially Purchased and Specially Priced for this sale. Rare and Handsome Patterns for your selections. Dresser Runners, Buffet Scarfs, Table Mats, Tray Cloths, Lunch Napkins, Fringe Doilles, etc.

Store Open Evenings During This Sale.

Thanking You for Past Favors and Trusting to Merit a Continuance of Your Patronage, We Wish All Our Customers A Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

The Leading Dry Goods Store.

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