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MERE MENTION OF MICHIGAN MATTERS.

Silverites and Part of the Populists Name a Fusion Ticket-Michigan Club Banquet, at Detroi an Enjoyable Occasion.

It required a whole afternoon's work to bring the silver. Democrats, the Silver party (mostly Republicans), and the Populists together on common and in convention at Grand Rapids and even then the middle-of-the-roa Populists kicked over the traces and nominated a ticket of their own. The ticket named by the tripartite fusion sts is as follows:

For supreme court justice—George L. Yaple (Democrat), of Mendon. regent of the University-Stanley E. Parkhill (Silver Republican), of

For regent of the University-Thorne

Ruppert (Populist), of Webberville.

The hall in which the Democrats as sembled was very slimly decorated and the number of delegates present was small, while the spectators were still Those present were quite enthusiastic for silver, however. Hiram B. Hudson, of Mancelons, occupies the chair and G. Walter Meade was secretary after the convention was organ-The resolutions accepted re-af firmed the Chicago National convention platform and indorsed Wm. J. Bryan and were greeted with vociferous applause. Speeches were made to fill in the time until the conference committees reported from the Populist and Silver conventions, which finally came in the following recommendations were unanimously adopted That no person be nominated who will not pledge himself publicly in favor of the restoration of silver; that each party be given one of the nominations, the Democrats the supreme court nomination and one of the regents going to each of the other parties; further that a joint convention be held, with the Democrats having a half of the total vote and the Populists and the Silverites each having a quarter. An adjournment was then taken for supper. Upon reassembling much enthus iasm was evoked by the reading of a message of commendation from J. Bryan. It was then noticed that part of the Populist force was missing. but the joint convention was formed with the Democratic chairman and secretary officiating, and the other chairmen occupying seats on the stage. On motion of Senator Hopkins of Mt. Pleasant, it was decided to name the

Silver ticket." Nominations were then made as above. The break in the Populist ranks was caused by a strong opposition to fusion which finally resulted in a number of the delegates organizing a bolting conelected a state central committee, with Sullivan Cook, of O. Zabel, of Monroe; for regents of the and Robert McDougall, of Hillsdale The middle-of-the-road Populists will claim the party name and will insist upon being counted.

Michigan Club Banquet.

ticket the "Democratic-Peoples'-Union-

The twenty-first annual feast of ora tory and other good things by the Michigan club, at Detroit, was fully up to any of the past events which made the enviable reputation of the club. The absence of the bright particular star-Hon. M. A. Hanna, of Ohio, chairman of the national Republican committee—disappointed many of those present, but the numerous other speak ers filled in the time and spirit of the occasion so well that the affair was highly appreciated. Gen. R. A. Alger, President McKinley's secretary of war was toastmuster, and after a few of his enlivening remarks had placed everybody in good humor-if needed such an inducement after their banqueting—Gov. Pingree was introduced and delivered one of his charac teristic speeches of welcome. Then followed Congressman Hopkins, of Illinois, whose subject was "Our Nation, Senator-elect Penrose of Pennsylvania spoke on "Washington's Influence of Modern American Politics." Curtis Guild, of Boston "The Republican Party." Then John A. Logan, Jr., the son of the famous "Black Jack" Logan. whom the old soldiers loved so dearly came before the assemblage in response to "Old-Fashioned Republicanism Patriotism" was allotted to G

toasts with "The Flag." During the afternoon preceding the banquet Gen. Alger gave a reception at his residence to the distinguished guests, who were to speak at the ben quet, and hundreds of Michigan Re publicans took the occasion to greet them, and congratulate the new secre

Corey, of Chicago; and Hon. Albion

Tourgee, of New York, closed the

tary of war The annual election of officers of the Michigan Club resulted as follows President, Col. John Atkinson, of D troit: vice-president, Col. H. M. Dufof Detroit; secretary, Fred E. Farnsworth, of Detroit; treasurer, T. C herwood, of Plymouth

Swallowed a Silver Dollar. Truman Hunter, a Grand Rapids plumber, was playing with a silver dollar, throwing it into the air and catching it in his mouth. The dollar ifter one throw, started down bi throat. Hunter felt it going and sought to stop it by grasping his neck and nearly cheked. He was taken to hospital, An examination showed that the dollar had gone clear down and that he had been choking himself. The doctors do not apprehend serious onsequences, and think that the and drove into the westbound fast mail money will soon be available.

apreme court justice and two candidates for regents of the University of PROCEEDINGS OF THE STATE Michigan involved the calling of a Republican state convention, which was held in the Auditorium at Detroit.

State Committee Chairman D. M. Ferry summary of the Principal Bills Introopened the proceedings and Rev. H. P. DeForest led in prayer. Gen. R.

Republican State Convention

The nomination of a candidate for

A. Alger, the new secretary of war, was made temporary presiding officer and Frank T. Lodge, of Detroit, tem-porary secretary. After the commitees had been appointed a recess was

resolutions, as adopted, congratulates the country upon the victory of last November and the return of the Republican party to power; re-affirms the principles of the last national platform; expresses the belief that Republican principles will restore the country to a condition of prosperity; congratulates the people of Michigan because the Republicans have control of state affairs and commends the honest, careful and economical manner in

which its affairs have been conducted.

Nominations for candidate for justice of the supreme court being in order the name of Chas. D. Long, for renomination was presented by Chas. Flowers, of Detroit, and without another name being mentioned Judge Long

was made the unanimous choice. one of them. W. J. Cocker, of Adrian, was re-named as senior regent by a same with Levi L. Barbonr, of Detroit Mr. Barbour is a sound money Demo crat and as such worked for the suc cess of the national Republican ticket last fall. Many of the delegates thought it a good opportunity to acknowledge the sacrifices of the gold Democrats, but the majority wanted simon-pure Republican named and for this reason Mr. bour was downed. Then another phase of the contest appeared. Thos Republicans not in strict accord with McLaughlin, of Detroit, while the governor's supporters went to Chas. D. with the result that on the third bal lot Mr. Lawton was nominated. E. D. Nelson, of Ironwood, and James M. Wilkinson, of Marquette, received 154 Lawton was made unanimous. A resolution was adopted thanking Presiden McKinley for the honor conferred upon Michigan by his selection of her favor-

Republican Clubs in Convention. convention. David Meginnity, Hartford, as chairman, and nominated secretary, reported a gain of 270 clubs act the Torrens land transfer system, for justice of the supreme court John and 62,500 members since the last which does away with abstracts. Rep. O. Zabel, of Monroe; for regents of the University, M. O. Graves, of Petoskey, had been received and \$214 expended. two-cent passenger fare on railroads in addresses were made by ex-President or firm for two cents a mile in the Colgrove, Atty.-Gen. Maynard and ex-Congressman O'Donnell. Offi cers elected: President, E. N. Dingley, of Kalamazoo; vice-president, Grant Fellows, of Hudson; secretary. Bingley place where the bank is located; Fales, of Detroit; treusurer Frank W Waite, of Sturgis; delegates at large Perry F. Powers, of Cadillac; John W. Burke, of Coldwater; L. G. Defoe, of Alpena; George V Candler, of Detroit,

and Fred J. Merriam, of Delta county. Several Wayne Firms Burned Out. Between 5 and 6 a. m. the Stringer block in Wayne village was discovere to be on fire. The portion of the block burned was the grocery store of John B. Murphy, the hardware store of J B. Kleabir, cigar factory of John Fitz gibbons and law-office of Edward M. Vining. The household furniture of C. Hogarth, who resided in the block was also destroyed. Mr. Vining, who was sleeping in a room adjoining his law office, barely escaped death and was compelled to jump from a second story window. Nothing in the building was saved. It is presumed that the fire was accidental.

Gov. Pingree's Military Staff. The governor has appointed his military staff, as follows: Eli R. Sutton, of Detroit, colonel and aide-de camp; Charles W. Herbst, of Detroit, colone and aide-de-camp; Geo. A Loud, of Oscoda, colonet and aide-de-camp Frank D. Buckingham, of Flint, col onel and aide-dêcamp; Willard K. Bush, of Detroit, major and military secretary.

Two Little Ones Burned to Death Mrs. Thos. Brosnoski locked her tw children in the house at Iron Mountain and went down town, to do some trad ing. While away, the house caught fire and burned down. Both children

Jerry O'Leary was killed at the Cleveland Cliffs furnace at Gladstone while repairing the signal bell on the

The Kalamazou companies of th Michigan National Guard are preparing a grand reception, ball and banquet be tendered Gov. Pingree and his staff Feb. 26.

Curtis Baird, who escaped from jail at Coldwater last July by making a wooden key and unlocking the door, has just been captured at Bronson an returned to jail.

Augustus Blurton, of Pittsford, wa fatally injured by the fast mail on the Lake Shore. Blurton was intoxicated train. He was frightfully mangled.

MICHIGAN SOLONS.

LEGISLATURE.

duced and of the Doings of the Both Branches-Pingree Reform Measures

Beginning to Cut Quite a Figure. Gov. Pingree's appointments are beginning to receive more respectful con sideration from the Senate. Col. Fred When the delegates returned to work H. Case, of Three Rivers, was con the permanent organization was ef irmed as inspector-general of the M feeted by retaining the temperary offi- N. G. by a vote of 18 to 8, but the opcers. The report of the committee on position made a hard fight. The appointment of A. C. Bird, of Highland to be a member of the board of control of the Agricultural college, was also confirmed. Senator Wagar noticed a oill making a wholesale reduction in alaries of state officials and which will make an annual cut of \$50,000 in the salary list. Senator Campbell wants to make a saving in the same ine by cutting down the capitol em-Other important Senate bills: ployes. reating the office of legislative proof reader and doing away with engrossing and enrolling clerks; to suspend the printing of all state publications for two rears except the state manual and laws; amending the village incorporation act so as to provide for boards of public works; for the examination of persons elected or recommended for The selection of the candidates for offices in the National Guard from regents was not so easy, at least on lieutenant up; providing for boards of county auditors for every county amending the law relating to mutual unanimous vote, but there was a fight fire insurance companies so that every when it came to an attempt to do the company must have \$100,000 works of insurance before beginning business amending the liquor law, making the closing hours 9 o'clock at night to 7 clock in the morning, provided that n cities of over 10,000 population, common councils may permit saloons to keep open on all holidays except Thanksgiving and Christmas, and open up at 4 a. m. and remain open until 12:30 o'clock. Among bills passed by the Senate were these: For the incorporation of labor organizations; fixing penalty of 20 for unlawfully wearing Gov. Pingree threw their votes to J. R. badges of the G. A. R. or the Loyal Legion. Pingree legislation got in on the ground floor of the House. The Lawton, of Lawton, Van Buren county, much-talked of move to get at the railroads appeared in a resolution offered by Rep. Widoe which was adopted by a vote of 36 to 6. It provides for the appointment by the speaker of a comand 132 votes respectively on the first mittee of three members to investigate ballot but they were deserted on the any violation of the law relative to succeeding votes. The nomination of freight charges on the part of the railways operating under the general law port remedial legislation with reference thereto. The committee is auite son—Gen. Alger—as his secretary thorized to subpoens witnesses, to examine books and papers, and to employ such assistants as may be necessary and is to report within 30 days. The The Michigan League of Republican civil service bill, affecting all counties clubs held a convention at the Hotel having a population of over 100,000 Cadillac, Detroit, and elected officers and all cities having a population of and delegates to the National League over 20,000, was noticed by Rep. Weththe perbee. Rep. Chamberlain wants to enthe shortage having been made up by a bill providing for the issuing of 500 closing saloons; to prescribe a course of the president and secretary. Short and 1,000 mile tickets good for family

lower peninsula and two and one-half cents in the upper peninsula. Other important House bills: Providing for he assessing of all bank stock in the to give township boards the same power to suppress saloons in any particular locality as the village cou now hold; to increase the tees for inorporating companies to about \$25 on \$1 for each additional \$1,000 of stock; providing that all property owners value of their property, and to do away with the township boards of review creating a county board of review; for bounty on kingfishers, for the better protection of trout; providing that un narried women who are led astray may secure a secret marriage license upor roper showing before the probat udge, and providing a \$100 fine for any official or newspaper publisher who makes the matter public; to make telephone stock only \$10 a share so that small companies can be organized: providing that verbal threats of injury o property can be prosecuted; for a \$10,000 appropriation to improve Kalamazoo river in Calhoun county; to pre vent the pollution of streams and lakes by sewage from cities, the Great lakes not included: providing that newspaper reporters need not divulge in court the ecret sources of their information; to prevent discrimination between shipers of freight on railroads; to amend the law relative to Sunday observance so as to keep theaters closed on that

day; to provide for more severe punshment of assault on women Bills by the dozen and bills by the ore. Every legislator seems to have whole pocketful he has been holding mack until the 50-day limit for thei introduction had almost passed. The most important new ones in the Sen ate are these: Making the one-sixth nill tax for the maintenance of the U of M. wholly dependent upon the removal of the homeopathic school to Detroit; providing that no member of the board of control of the Soldiers Home shall be eligible to reappoint nent or to the position of com: until at least two years after the expiration of his term of office as a mem per of the board; for the appointment records and books of all building and can associations; to make express com panies pay \$1 tax on each \$100 of gross | Goodell introduced a resolution author receipts and to compel them to file annual reports; a bill to permit insurance burglaries, robberies and loss of money by transmission in the mails; ting \$800 a year or over with a view to to protect heirs of depositors in savings

nothing is added or drawn from depos- pushed in the House provides that its, the fact shall be advertised by the bank; for an amendment to the constitution providing that the governor may require the supreme court to pass upon bills sent to him for his approval; strike. Other House measures: Making for a revision of the rape law so as to it a misdemeanor for anyone to require the prosecutor, when the girl attend a state political convention in the case is between the ages of 13 and as a delegate 6, and the carnal relation was had a citizen of the state; providing without force, to show that the girl for a bicycle corps for the Michigan order to secure conviction; to punish males and females over 15 years of age for debauching the persons and depraving the morals of boys under 15 years of age; permitting hotel keepers to sell chattels left by non-paying boarders; appropriating \$170,925 for the Michigan School for the Deaf; providing for the use of district school houses for religious meetings, where five people make the request; making void contracts made payable in gold; providing one-tenth of a mill tax in townships and cities for the support of soldiers' relief commissions, which the ect provides for; prohibiting the sale and manufacture of cigarettes; providing a penalty of a \$50 fine for lowering upper berths in sleeping cars when they are not actually in use; to amend the liquor law, raising the license for retail dealers to \$750, and for wholesalers to \$1,000 per year; to divide the state of Michigan into 12 congressional districts. Rep. E. W. Moore introduced a bill in the House to repeal the special charter of the Michigan Central R. R. so as to bring it under the two-cent fare law. A single tax measure was introduced by Rep. Stoneman. It provides for an exemption of \$5,000 on buildings and personal property or realty so as to reportant bill which provides for a state commission to regulate the assessed

valuation of property, real and per-sonal, by which it is hoped, as has been done in other states, to enforce a cash value assessed valuation on all property throughout the state. Other new House bills: Imposing a specific tax on persons, firms and corporations engaged in exporting minerals out of the state; to provide for proceedings in garnishment against persons who have embezzled property or money: to prevent the use of trap. stake. gill set net in waters, connecting Lakes Huron and Erie; to appropriate \$6,000 for the state board of health to comply with the act providing for teaching in public schools the modes by which the dangerous communicable diseases and spread; to provide for the display of U.S. flags over school buildings; to require county easurers to make monthly statements to prohibit the keeping open of photograph galleries on Sunday; an apprograph galleries on Sunday; an appropriation of \$50,000 for the U. of M.; to

clare unlawful and void all arrangenents, contracts and agreements, or combinations, made with a view to lessen competition; to provide remedy for persons aggrieved by overharging by railroad companies; punshing any person making false business reports; prohibiting the preference of creditors by means of mortgages etc.; to compel counties to take care of their indigents; for the publication of records of missing soldiers; to empower township boards to fix the time for tural college course; to provide for the inspection of trees, shrubs, vines, etc.. imported from other states; to prohibit shooting or hunting of wild game on Sunday. With only two bills passed in the

Senate and four in the House, and these of only local importance, there were introduced in one day a total of 150 measures in the House and 50 in the Senate. The most important of the first \$1,000 of capital stock, and to the Senate bills were these: For the formation of unincorporated telephone companies; allowing upper peninsula legislators \$5 per day while in session largely increase the governor's military staff by permitting the head of each military department of the state to make staff appointments of olonels to the number of three each, the positions being honorary; for a state examining board of seven members to be appointed by the governor for the examination of all appointees in the M. N. G., before they can hold office; to compel drug stores that sell liquors to buy liquor licenses; to pro vide for the electrocution of criminals who shall be convicted of murder in commended, and for the electrocution convicts convicted of murder of a fellow prisoner in state prisons; providing that bicycle insurance compan ies must have at least \$10,000 of paid up capital, and must always keep up securities to the amount of one tenth of the total amount of risk; to prohibit railroad companies from taking up their tracks; to provide for the appointment of a state board of health commissioners; to encourage and provide for military instruction in the public schools; to regulate the holding of meetings for running and trotting horse races, limiting them to 10 days; to require persons operating threshing machines to procure a license; to require notice to be given of ction to recover damages on account

of death or personal injuries; to amend the act relative to prize fighting, fixing a penalty for using less than five ounce gloves. Rep. Davis has begun a war roads within half a mile of any city. against plank roads, offering a resoluion to require the attorney-general to Speaker Gordon has appointed the receive all complaints made against plank road companies and personally nvestigate them, and if after such earings he is satisfied that there have been violations of charters, he is instructed to begin proceedings against the companies for a forfeiture. Rep. izing a committee to investigate and eport the names and occupations of all employes of the state who are geta complete revision of salaries. banks so that if at the end of 15 months labor arbitration bill which will be 35 years ago, to prevent it being stelen. strack.

commissioner shall investigate, and if necessary appoint an arbitration board of seven men to settle and adjust the when he is not

vas previously of a chaste character in National Guard, the corps to contain not more than 50 and not less than 30 members, to be located at Lansing, members to furnish their own bicycles and guns, the state to appropriate \$400 for the company; an amendment to the constitution whereby the governor can appoint a state commission to secure uniform legislation; for a state exam ining board of "tonsorial artists;" for the municipal ownership of telephones; for the appointment of two women on the Soldiers' Home board; for redistricting the congressional districts of the state; providing that employes of state, county and city governments are to receive their salaries weekly; to prohibit the killing of deer in the lower peninsula; to prohibit prize fighting, except it be done under the auspices of athletic clubs and with five ounce gloves; to license fishermen: to appropriate \$74,900 to abolish commission; the office of state geologist; to abolthe destruc the bounty for tion of sparrows; providing for town-ship system of roads; to provide for the examinations of all corporations by the commissioner of banking; to prohibit additional compensation to express companies for delivery of packages within limits of chartered cities; prohibiting the killing of beaver, otter or lieve the small property owners as far as possible. Rep. Atkinson has an imapointment of three attorneys to examine and report upon a revision of the legal procedure in this state in civil cases: prohibiting notary public rom taking any acknowledgment or oath of a member of a bank when the notary an officer of such bank; making it unlawful for any person to serve as an appraiser or commissioner of estates more than once in one town in a year; prohibiting pool selling in Michigan; providing for township commissioner for destruction of noxious weeds in highways; for emasculation of thirderm convicts and insane persons; es tablishing a lien on horses and other animals for the cost of storing the same; establishing uniform rules incorporation of churches religious or local taxation of railroads whether

perating under special charter or gen eral laws; to prohibit making contracts payable in gold alone; providing that only property holders may vote on questions involving expenditure of money: prohibiting express and freight comp nies from charging more than one rate, the maximum rate over their own jurisdiction, in transporting packages. ven though two lines have to be used o get the consignment to its destinaion; compelling railroad companies to give interchange of service of track; prohibiting discrimination in expres charges, the minimum rate to be 15 cents per consignment in the lower upper peninsula.

turned to Lansing at once after the held a night session. In the Senate 29 bills were introduced, among them the following: For the incorporation of military companies; to permit An Arbor to bond for \$100,000 for art galeries for the U. of M.; to restore For Mackinac to the U. S. government; fixing the rate for the transmission of dis patches by telegraph companies between any two points in the state at selle were late in convening this morn-10 words for 25 cents; exempting musting. ical societies from taxation; prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors .n the city of Albion; for the designation of dent Paul Vandervoort prevailed, but depositories of public moneys by the opinion was that the poards of supervisors; for the incorporation of bicycle insurance companies: for the registration of physicians and surgeons; to prohibit the sale of malt that nothing but the organization of a and spirituous liquors. Out of 95 bills new association was left open. Tempointroduced in the House the most important were these: For the taxing of meeting to order at 10 o'clock. mortgages on property in Michigan by persons outside of the state for defining diseases dangerous to the public health; to license big depart ment stores; for an entirely new law for the incorporation of fourth-class cities; to do away with the Detroit poard of health; to amend the charter of Bay City so as to allow that city to take in West Bay City and Essexville to tax bachelors; providing for a non-sectarian board of medical examiners; to nermit any railway company to buy o ease any street railway in any city and thus enjoy the same rights accorded the original company in its franchise for an excise commission of three mem bers, with deputies in all counties, to examine all applicants for saloon licenses and to see that liquor laws are enforced: for a state tax commission who are to report on the best system of taxation on all lines to the next legislature; to have the receipts from liquor taxes turned back to the town ships, villages or cities, instead of having all the money go to the county; providing a 1-100 of a mill tax for the support of the State Agricultural se ciety and the maintenance of state fairs to prevent the establishment of plank

railroad investigating committee as follows: Representatives Widoe, of chairman; Billings, of Marquette; Green, of St. Clair; Gustin, of Alpens, and Coad; of Ingham. It is re garded as a conservative committee. Joseph Omslicker, a farmer five miles south of St. Joseph is said to have found \$10,000 while digging a cellar for a new house. The money was mostly of gold coin. It is said the

GEN. LEE IS ANGRY.

SAID TO HAVE TENDERED HIS RESIGNATION.

Consul-General at Havana Is Unable to Make His Superiors at Washington Properly Understand the Cuban Situation-He Is Dissatisfied.

Washington, Feb. 24.- "Consul General Fitzhugh Lee has not resigned nor will he resign," is the information given at the state department to-day in reply to inquiries for confirmation of



CONSUL LEE

the reports that the Virginian had thrown up his position because his government at Washington would not back up demands which he considered necessary for the maintenance of the national honor and the preservation of the rights of American citizens in Havana.

Consul-General Fitzhugh Lee's demands upon the state department and upon the administration for enlarged powers to make good his demands upon the Spanish authorities for the protection of American citizens have been ignored. Time and again he has entered his protests with Secretary Olney and informed that official that the rights of Americans were being trampled upon, that American lives were being sacrificed and American property destroyed by the Spanish soldiers and by the direct order of Gen. Weyler and ssociates. He has stated in the most positive and emphatic terms that the authorities hold the United States in contempt, and have systematically and continually ignored his demands upon them looking to investigations into the cases of Americans whose lives and property were tyrannically and arbitrarily placed in jeopardy. He has stated that the Spaniards act as though assured that they would not be interfered with from Washington, and that they would be running no risks in proceeding with entire indifference to any demands which might be made upon them by Gen. Lee and other American consular officers.

The strained relations between Gen. Lee and the administration naturally causes no end of discussion in political cents per consignment in the lower and 25 cents per consignment in the circles in Washington. The official de-upper peninsula. Having but one more day in which to introduce bills the legislators returned to Lansing at once after the been with difficulty kept from resigning for six weeks past.

> WISH FOR HARMONY. Populist Editors at Kansas City Send

Message to Their Brethren. Kansas City. Mo., Feb. 24.-The reform press editors in session here under a call of Secretary-Treasurer Ro-

A general feeling of satisfaction over regards the attitude of the Kansas City gathering toward the southern meeting remained practically unchanged, and rary Chairman Leo Vincent called the

three, composed of General Master Labor, Congressman James Gunn of Idaho and National Secretary J. A. Edgerton, was appointed to draft a tele-gram of inquiry to be sent the Memphis convention.

South Pittsburg Under Water. Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 24,-The continued rains along the Monongahela and Allegheny valleys promise to cause a flood here greater than any since 1891. At noon the marks showed 26 feet of water in the channel and rising at the rate of nine inches an hour. Dispatches from all points at the headwaters report the rivers still rising and old river men predict from 28 to 30 feet here by nightfall. The low lands in this city, south Pittsburg and Allegheny are already under several feet of water, and the residents are moving to higher ground.

suicide of a War Veteran Jacksonville, Ill., Feb. 24.-James M. Landreth, a veteran of the Fifty-ninth Ohio Regiment in the late war, escaped from his watchers in a fit of insanity this morning and hanged himself. He was a man of good character, a brave soldier and a good citizen. He had been sick for some time, the result of exposure during his acmy life. He leaves a wife and one daughter.

Mrs. Beecher Is Much Weaker Stamford, Conn., Feb. 24.--Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher has railied from her extreme prostration of last evening but in a rusty iron box and consisted is weaker. She passed the night as mfortably as could be expected, but money was buried by an Indian chief fails noticeably after each recurring THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1897.

It is always easy to find reasons why somebody else should be liberal.

If you cannot lend money you can at least lend a helping hand to the suf-fering poor.

It is often hard to convince a just nan that it is right to do something hat he desires.

There are plenty of Nihilists in Russia who would be glad to lance the 'zar's boil for him

Some people seem to act on the supposition that things which are foolish are necessarily good.

We become partners with thieves when we make it impossible for men to earn an honest living.

Remember that recounting the weaknesses of other people does not make you any stronger.

If we were really aware of what ailed us, most of the people on earth would be better and get along faster.

There are few men on earth who do not nurse a secret belief that they were intended for greater things than they

There are people who would be better pleased with a tin can full of stones than with a purse of gold, because the former would make the louder noise. A woman and a red table cloth were

the saving instruments that prevented the wreck of the Chicago and West Michigan fast train from Chicago near Grand Rapids last Saturday night. A horse became tangled in a cattle-guard when the train was nearly due. Taking the red cloth from the table the woman ran through the storm to stop the train. She succeeded, and when the horse was extricated the train proreeded.

The constitution of the United States has been most cordially praised y Mr. Gladstone and by Lord Salisbury, and now another well-known Englishman, Mr. Lecky, pays tribute to it in his new book, "Democracy and Liberty." Mr. Lecky admits that in certain respects our government is superior to that of Great Britain, and e attributes the progress of the United States largely to the conservative and steadying influence, which our constitution has exercised.

Nations as well as individuals have repudiated progessive movements because if adopted the benefit would no wholly their own. One of the Pharaohs first suggested cutting a canal through the Isthmus of Suez, but refrained when the oracle told him it would be of greater service to the peo ple of the Mediterranean than to the Egyptians. De Lesseps, utilizing the same plan, won fame and fortune, and national selfishness as yet offers no obstacle to its use by the commerce of the world.

Hiram C. Wheeler, the lowa farm king, has sold his farm of more than 4.000 acres in Sac county and will move at once to Texas. He has purchased more than 7.000 acres of land fifty miles northeast of Galveston and proposes to establish the largest dairy farm in the world. To this end he ha ordered two milking machines, capable milking 200 cows each, at one time similar to the one successfully used upon his Iowa farm for more than a year, and proposes to deliver milk to lveston people as promptly as if the dairy was located only one mile from the city.

The name of Lawrence R. Wehr he

longs with that of John Maynard and Giles the engineer. On Christman day a trolley car carrying thirty pasngers was running from Bethlehem to Allentown, Pa. At the base of a hill where the electric road crosses tracks of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, Wehr, the motorman, stopped his car. The conductor ran ahead looked up and down the track, and shouted, "All right!" The motorman started the car. At the same moment a train which had been hidden by a curve, shot into view. Wehr saw his danger in time to jump, but he thought of the passengers and kept his post ped the car with its front platform on the railroad track, and the to a liveryman named Bohannon. The train six feet away. Not a passenger was killed, but Wehr's mangled body was found on the pilot of the engine. The country which is honored by such a deed ought to be proud to support the widow and eight children of this man who was "faithful unto death." But they were left penniless and are now in sad circumstances. The soulless corporation will give nothing. No millionaires' checks have came to brighten the saddened home. Perhaps the people with little mites will take the

James Corner, a telegraph operator in Montreal, claims to have discovered with his naked eye, a new star which shows up every evening at 5 and disappears about two hours later. If James didn't see the star till about 11 p. m. the mystery would be easily solved

The barbers of New York city have asked the state legislature to pass a bill changing the name. "barber" to This change may satisfy the barbers, but how will the "tonsorial regard it.

Nevada's secondary interest in opening its doors to pugilism has been of a financial character. It has fixed a stiff tax on the industry, and it will get in addition a large income of dollars from the thousands who will flock to the state when fights are held. Thus znoney is still the root of all evil.

One of the odd bills now before the legislature of Missouri is one introduced by Representative Dunn of St. Louis requiring street car companies furnish passengers with seats or carry them at half fare. of it in blue grass, which the Colonel

Manchester Enterprise HE SUCCEEDS PEFFER prises highly and in which he has

W. A. HARRIS THE NEW SENA-TOR FROM KANSAS.

Virginian by Birth and a Confederate Officer Under Longstreet-He Goes West in Pursuit of His Vocation as Civil Engineer.



ment displayed the Populists in the selection of a United States senator to It is the universal sentiment that the choice could not have fallen upon a nore satisfactory man than W. A. Har-

ris, who received the nomination in the

aucus of the controlling party. Mr. Harris may in truth be classed a moderate Populist. He was formerly a Democrat and is known to be conservative and reliable from every point of iew. He is an educated man, a pracical farmer and stock grower, and in thorough sympathy with western needs and conditions.

He is a Virginian by birth and was a soldier in the southern army during the civil war. His education was in the line of work as a civil engineer and it was this occupation that brought him to Kansas soon after the war, where he was employed in the construction of the Union Pacific railroad. He was quick to appreciate and take advantage of the agricultural possibilities of the new and thriving state. and his interests have since that time been closely identified with those of his

fellow farmers and stock raisers. He acquired a valuable tract of land in Leavenworth County, where he has resided since 1884, and is one of the most prominent and extensive stockmen in the state.

The Harris family consists of a wife and five children. Of the latter there are two sons and three daughters-Page Harris of Dallas, Texas; Craig | Yellowstone National park, says a but it is only comparatively recently

great faith in connection with the

The family residence is on a gently rising eminence situated nearly a quarter of a mile from the main road. It is distinctively a southern house, with broad and inviting porches, large halls. library, open fire-places, and everything suggesting convenience, comfort and refinement. There are delightful shade trees about the place, the buildings are all kept in excellent condition, and the broad lawn with its rusthe famous imported short-horns-the

a herd well known to stockmen all over ported direct from Scotland and are of the very best strains. Mrs. Harris has already spent one winter in Washington, while her husman-at-large, to which he was elected

band was filling the post of congressin 1892, defeating the Republican nominee, George T. Anthony, who had been a Union soldier. This was accepted in Kansas as a timely and complete burial of the "bloody shirt" issue politics, on which so many former battles had been fought and won. Twe years later, to show that the issue had not been entirely wiped out. Col. Harris was defeated for re-election to the same office by Col. R. W. Blue, a Republican and a distinguished soldier. This year the war again cuts no figure in the campaign between the two leading parties, and Kansas, the great soldier state, sends to the senate a Confederate officer who was a pupil Stonewall Jackson in the Virginia Military Institute and a member of Gen. Wilcox's staff in Longstreet's division. Col. Harris is counted upon by his friends to make a meritorious record during his term in the senate and to greatly strengthen the People's party in the state and nation

YELLOWSTONE PARK WOLVES. They Are Numbrous and Fierce and Are Driving Game Out.

There is only one class of hunters privileged to prey on the game of the

SOME TORPEDO BOATS OF THE NEW NAVY.

WHAT'S A PATTER/ N?

The Gypsy Method of Leaving a Trai Visible Only to Their Fellows "You don't know what a pattern is?" inquired surprisedly of the group about him a man at the Authors' club the other evening, says the New York Journal. Why, that was one of the first things I learned when I began to study the gypsies. The patteran, or patrin, is what the Romanies use to indicate the route taken by a party of their people journeying from place to tic seats and carpet of green give a place. It has a great many forms hearty welcome to the visitor. Not far which would pass unnoticed by those away are the houses of the herders of not initiated. In some instances a clod Cruikshanks-of which Col. Harris has of four cross roads, is sufficient to tell the United States. The cattle were im- direction to which his friends have

of turf, lying at the intersecting point a straggler from the gypsy camp the gone. Only last summer, out in Pennsylvania, I came across it many times. Once I remember just because some school children had kicked the clod into a ditch an old gypsy woman who had lingered behind to tell a fortune wasn't able to find her people for two days. Seeing the clod at the cross roads, you know, the straggler will glance down each of the different ways until he sees a similar sign which shows him the right one. In every ountry where there are gypsies, there you will find the patteran—among the Zigeuner of Germany, the Zincall of Spain, the Czijanyok of Hungary, all those roving tribes which are descended from the original wanderers from the East-and there is very little doubt that the patteran dates very far back in the history of their race. Sometimes t takes the shape of a cross, scratched on the ground with a sharpened stick, the longer line of the figure being drawn in the direction in which the trail leads. A cleft branch or two sticks so placed as to point in a certain direction is also used. Stones, leaver and handfuls of grass are occasionally

employed, and many of the gypsy families formerly had their own particular signs, understood by none but themselves. By following these patterans or trails the first gypsies on their way to Europe never lost each other. It is strange that this curious practice of the Romanies has so long escaped the attention of the romancist:

SCIENTIFIC CORNER.

CURRENT NOTES OF INVEN-TION AND DISCOVERY.

Novel Device for Lighting Bicycle Lamps Machine Turns Him Over in Bed The Proboscis Monkey-Various



use of cyclists that will save them much trouble and irruation is match gun for cycle lighting been recently brought out. It consists of a tube

NOVELTY for the

having a spring piston at one end and a groove at the terminating in a pair of clip spring jaws. It is neatly gotten up. easily manipulated, and only occupies about the same space as a pocket pen-The method of using it is shown in the accompanying cut. To put the instrument into action and light the lamp it is simply necessary to place in the channeled groove an ordinary match, insert the point through the shutter hole, press the button at the end and the lighting is effected, the chemical compound at the end of the match being ignited by friction in its passage between the clip jaws. In the cut the front of the lamp is open to show the match lighting the wick, but actually the front is closed during the operation, or with a high wind will be obvious to a practical cyclist) the match would have but a poor chance.

New Diseases.

There are a number of ills incident to the use of new appliances, and these have already become so clearly recognized that they are a matter of course in medical practice. Indeed, the vic tims have given names to them which have been adopted in scientific phrase ology. Bicycle back is a familiar ill and comes of the doubling-up position about which so much has been writter and said. It is akin to the disease known as miner's back, which comes upon men who work in mines and are in a stooped position for many hours at a time. Telephone ear is a not uncommon complaint. It is not an organic disease, but purely a nervous condition, and arises from nervous Almost without exception the trouble ceases with the discontinuance of the use of the telephone. Telegraphr's and typewriter's cramp has many This difficulty is not easily gotten over, as in many instances the nuscles become almost or altogether useless, and the patient is unable to is curable only after course of scientific treatment. One of the latest complaints is the trolley cot. The continuous use of the foot on the bell causes soreness, inflammation and nervous troubles, and very nany men have left the employ of the trolley roads in consequence of this dif-So it is seen that the higher grades of mechanics bring evils with them, and that the law of compensation obtains here as well as in álmost verything else in the world.

fachine Turns Him Over as He Sleeps The San Francisco Examiner tells bout a man who has invented an apparatus to turn him over in bed. The man is Walter Hyde. He lives in Ala-meda, Cal. Mr. Hyde is quite old and s troubled with an incomplete circulaion of the blood, causing sleeplessness. f he remains in one position long mild form of paralysis follows and he can not sleep at all. Mr. Hyde conclud-

Being somewhat of a mechanical turn of mind. Mr. Hyde concluded to experiment. The result of his tinkering and thinking is the mechanical contrivance which bourly turns him over without awakening him from his slumbers, and that his paralysis with accompanying sleeplessness is a thing of the past. The frame on which the mattress rests hangs from the bedsted by means of pinions, one at the head and the other at the foot. The frame is kept in posi-tion by being secured at the sides to a clock-like apparatus with cogs and le vers to tilt the mattress frame, the motion of the rocking being governed by the clock and spring apparatus. The tilting of the frame is so nicely graduated that the sleeper is unconscious o the change, but continues undisturbed



attached to the frame automatically changes his position during the hou to the right or the left side, as the case

ength-Testing Mach In the Massachusetts Institute of rechnology there is a machine for testing strength. This is one of the best of its sort ever set up in this country,

and it is capable of giving the strengt ends which had accompanied the old big blocks of granite. When the latter cup. It not only kept good time, but are experimented upon, everybody only needed winding every three or holds his breath. The granite block shows no signs of breaking until it reaches its limit, when it parts with report like a forty-pounder. In many instances the block is shattered info fragments. The machine has a strength of 300,000 pounds, and will pull an iron column apart as a small boy pulls molasses candy, or will crust an enormous iron pillar endwise without apparent effort. In testing-wooder beams by old methods, small pieces of the wood were bent or broken, and the strength of the entire beam calculated from the resisting power of these smal sections. It has been found by experimenting on the entire beam that this test is not at all satisfactory, and that in many cases beams tested by the old

process had been subjected to a strain IF YOU WANT that ran far past the danger point.

Amber and Its Production.

An enormous amount of ambercomes from Prussia, where it is mined by what is practically a monopoly. company controlling the greater part of the out put pay to the government over \$160,000 a year for the privilege of control. It is said that over \$5,000, 000 has already been paid by this firm in royalties to the government. The beach in East India, after heavy northwest winds, is often thickly strewn with amber, which comes up in the sea-weed that is often piled up to the height of three or four feet along the shore. After a storm men, women and lamps, which has children swarm over the beach, gathering amber and finding most profitable employment thereby. From a hundred to a hundred and fifty tons of raw amber are worked up every year in one city. The greater part of it is melted to make varnish and lac. Beads are made of many of the best pieces, and these are in demand all over the

The Proboscis Monkey.

The proboscis monkeys are so named because of their nose, which surpasses in length that of all mankind. This is a peculiarity which distinguishes them from all other known monkeys. are also recognized by their hair, which is more developed beneath the chin and around the neck than on the other parts of the body. These animals meas-



ure nearly four feet when standing upright. They are most ferocious, and but little susceptible of training. They inhabit the island of Borneo, and are found in numerous troops among the woods in the neighborhood of streams. It is rare_to see them on the ground, nearly the whole of their lives being passed in trees.

A Corn Chre.

As corns are one of the universal pests of suffering humanity, any remedy that promises relief is looked upon with approval. The world is full of so-called corn cures and corn eradicators, but nine-tenths of them are worthless and some of them positively injurious. The following is given by the Scientific American, which faccommends it to all persons who know the standing of that valuable paper: "Salicylic acid, 30 grm.; Cannabis In-dica (Indian hemp), 5 grm.; Castor oil, ½ dram; Collodion, ½ oz." result is a clear, light-green solution. There should be no difficulty in its preparation. To prevent it from evaporating keep the solution in a stoppered bottle. Be sure and use the Indian hemp, and not the American ar ticle: the latter is not easily soluble. Apply morning and evening for four days. Then soak the feet in warm

Salting Fruits.

It is the custom-in italy to ship fruits in large casks filled with salt in that the fruit prepared need not be so fresh as that which is shipped whole and wrapped in papers or packed in Fruits of this sort are subjected to the most rigid scrutiny, as one imperfect specimen may infect the entire parcel. The salted fruit upon reaching its destination is soaked in fresh water until all traces of salt have disappeared. While this method may be tolerated in emergencies, the flavor and quality are so much impaired that shippers are looking for some other way of preserving their

Evaporation of Moisture. Soil that is covered with vegetation vaporates a very much greater quantity of moisture than soil upon which here is no vegetable growth. It appears that the roots stalks and blosoms of the plants are constantly drawing up moisture from the earth and throwing it out. Experiments made by Professor Noliney demonstrate that are ground gives out only the quantity of moisture received from the atmosphere, but that wet soil covered with plants, whether it be swamp lands or irrigated, will, under favorable cirumstances, give out a much greater amount of water than that which coresponds to the precipitation that occurs during the same period.

Their Occupations

A middle-aged woman with an arm ful or parcels was walking along Mission street yesterday when she denly stopped and stared at a laborer shoveling dirt out of a trench in the street. As he straightened up she recognized her divorced husband. 'How are you, Moike? Phat are ye doin'?'

He tried to wither her with a glare but she continued to smile sweetly. "Ye want to know what I'm doin' eh? Well, I'm earnin' alimony. What

Sure. Moike, I'm a-spendin' it." He resumed his shoveling and she went on down the street, feeling pretty well satisfied with herself.—San ancisco Post.

Conflicting. "I think we are not cultivating the "I think we are not cultivating the Sette is therefore hereby given new neighbors as we should," said Mrs. law and the terms of said morig above and in mid-morinare due thereof as may be necessary the said at mable anormary the

"Well," replied her husband, "there's no use of trying to do too many things at once. It stands to reason that we can't expect to be suc vating the neighbors and Millicent's voice at the same time."-Washington

people to know that you are in business,

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a newspaper that is read by everybody because it has the LOCAL News of Washtonaw. Lenawee and Jackson counties,

Send For Rates.

Merigage-Sale.

(NTHE 25TH DAY OF JUNE 1887, ELLIAH
G. Carr 2nd and Manie L. Carr, his wife, hand
William S Carr and Mary Carr, his wife, exceuted
amortgage to Henry Br-ticewischer on that paced
of hand described in said mortgage as follows, vir.:

"All: that certain piece or parcel of land situate,
ying and benny in the township of Manchester,
Washtenaw county, and state of Michiana, known,
bounded and described as follows, to wit.: commercing at the south-west corner of the north-west
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thence south on said section has to the the piece of
bedinning." The mortgage was upon the 25th day
of June 1887 recorded in the office of the Register
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of mortgages at page 181.

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mortgage as well as the note running to connection
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DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE

Attorneys for Assignee, Jackson, Mich.

Mortgage Sale.

Mary Satterin ex-cuted a mortgage to "John Mary Satterin ex-cuted a mortgage to "John Smith A Smith (John Smith & Son)" on all of those creatin prees or parcels of land situate and bring in the township of Bridgewater, Washienaw county and state of Michigan, and described in said mortgage as follows, to wit: "Being the south-east quarter of action number twenty-five (23) and the east half of the north-east quarter of the north-east quarter of the north-east quarter of the contrast quarter of rection number thrity-six (38) all in township number of the north-east quarter of the north-east quarter of rection (4) east saddentialists in all sixty acres of land be the same more or less.

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A. F. & F. M. PRARMAR,
Attorneys for Mortagee and Executor,
A. F. & F. M. PRARMAR,

Berigage Sale.

ON THE INTH DAY OF MARCH A. D. 1888, John Immer and Mary Imper, his wrise, excrited a mortgage to "The standard Lite and Accident Issuarane-Company" (a charter) components used the issue of the distre of Michigan, and to those or rians believe or parcels of land intended and being in the township of Birdgewater, County of Wash. Inc. and State of Michigan, and timeted and being in the township of Birdgewater, County of Wash. Inc. and State of Michigan, and timeted with a said mortgage as follows, to wit: "The carcined in said mortgage as follows, to wit: "The fact half of the north-west quarter; the west half out half of the north-west quarter; the west half of the north-west quarter; the west half of the said on the north-west grant of the said on the said of the said of the said of the said of the said on the said of cast quarter of the north-west quarter of section number one alcowaid, which release was moorded in the office of the register of deeds for Washtenaw county, 1, isher 6 of discharges of mortgages at page 524 thereof, on the eighth day of March A. D. 1800. Said mortgage was afterwards and to wit, upon the 8th day of February A. D. 1802 day amigned by the seid mortgage was afterwards and to wit, upon the 8th day of February A. D. 1802 day amigned by the seid mortgages therein named, to desirph. Lowery, by deed of artigament basing said last named data, and which deed of amignament than the office of the resister of deeds for mid-county of Washtenaw is ther 11 of nestigaments of most pages at page 112 thereof, on the 18th day of February A. D. 1802. Said Lowery having thereafter died festing processed of and mortgages and the noterunning is connection theretich, and having nominated and appointed in his has mith and having

the sum of four thousand seventy-sideliars (\$4,878.16), and legal costs of and no proceeding in law or equity or taken to recover the same or any p

American torpedo-boat; the three torpedo-boats now in com- steel covering over the bow, the boat

The new sister boat, Number Seven, is now

Harris, Mrs. Isabella Byrnes of New York City, and Mrs. Elivabeth Finlay of Dallas. All are children of his first wife, who died three years ago. Another daughter, Miss Lavinia Harris,

committed suicide at Luray, Va., in 1894, shortly after a romantic marriage sad ending of the young woman's life was never satisfactorily explained further than that no blame was attached

SENATOR W. A. HARRIS to the husband or to her father, who had long before become reconciled to the strange marriage.

Col. Harris' present wife, whom he married in 1895, was a Mrs. Bernard Murray of Lawrence, Kas. She was divorced from her husband a short time before her marriage to Col. Harris and the husband instituted proceedings szainst Harris for damages on a charge of alienation, but the suit was subsequently compromised without serious reflection upon either of the parties.

The Harris home is at Linwood farm in Leavenworth County, twenty-seven miles west of Kansas City, on the line of the Union Pacific railway, and is one of the most beautiful and desirable locations in the state. The farm proper comprises 300 acres of land, much

now being fitted up for speed trial in that of Number Six. Her equipment ing placed below the water-line. How Narragansett Bay. With a capacity of of tubes and guns is very similar, dangerous the service will be can be only 186 tons, she will carry a crew of Three torpedo-boats, Number Three, determined only when a naval battle about twenty-five. She is fitted with Number Four and Number Five, are to shall have been fought by fleets of one bow tube and two deep tubes for be all of the same size—132 tons. They modern construction. An essential dynamite shells. She will also carry are now building at the Columbia Iron requisite for these boats is high speed. two small quick-firing rifle-guns. Her Works, Baltimore, and will be ready They must have the power to make this spring. Eleven other torpedo-boats sudden attack or rapid retreat. If once building at the same works and will are in process of construction. Service building at the same works and will are in process of construction. Service they are able to plant a dynamite proson be ready for launching. The on a torpedo-boat when in action will jectile against the hull of an enemy, Cushing, which appears in the back- be extremely hazardous. With the exground of the illustration, is one of ception of a very thin "turtle-back" withstand the deadly explosion.

> New York Sun, and these hunters are not prosecuted simply because they are as closely under the protection of the government as the rarest of the wild creatures of the park. The big park is infested with wolves and coyotes in Curious and Ancient Timepiece in the larger numbers than ever before, and they are said to be slaughtering the game animals of the park. Elk and deer have left the great game preserves and sought refuge in the vicinity of Cinnabar. Gardiner and Horr, their natural fear of man being overcome by their greater fear of the hungry beasts The wolves will not venture very near human habitations, but deer antelopes, elk and other game are taking their chances with men rather than the country for from twelve to fifteen miles north from the park toward this city is stocked with sible they should be converted into elk and deer, and the least experienced hunters can easily secure fresh venison at any time. Wolves come unler the same regulations against the killing of animals in the park that other animals do, and while there has been a little killing going on along the porders for some time, and several hundred have been killed and paid for by the state at the rate of \$3 apiece. they breed so fast that no impression is made on their numbers. Some families live well on the bounties who would otherwise have to depend on actual labor; but as for the wolves, they stay. Capt. Anderson, the military autocrat of the park, will soon be arnealed to to permit a grand wolf drive in its borders. If some way can

been had in the west. In places where soda water is made he atmosphere runs sometimes higher than 2 per cent of carbon dioxide, ye without harmful effect.

be devised to guard the game animals

this may be done, and general invita-

tions may be issued to all who car

Brittany is inhabited by the des ants of the original Britons or Bretons.

Number Six, is a fine type of the up-to-mission. She has been in use for about date war vessel. She was launched last from the famous Herreshoff.

September from the famous Herreshoff.

The new American torpedo-boat, the three torpedo-boats now in commission. She has been in use for about has no armament. A single well-dismeans to turn himself over hourly at in pieces and immediately put into the night he could go to sleep and not be under the necessity of awakening.

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Harris, now in school; Miss Frances Livingston, Mont., correspondent of the that a writer of detective stories made his astute man hunter track a gyps; iesperado by means of the patteran.

WATCH MADE OUT OF SCRAPS

Possession of the Czar. A very curious old watch is in the sion of the Russian imperial family. It was made by one Jules Cur zon, a Polish mechanic, many years ago, at the request of the then czar who, having heard great things of Cur zon's ingenuity, thought proper to put it to the test. So he forwarded to the mechanic's address a box containing a few copper nails, some wire, an old cracked china cup, some chips of wood, a piece of broken glass and a few crib bage board pegs, desiring that if poswatch. Undismayed at the strange request, Curzon, seizing the opportunity offered him of gaining favor at court set to in right good earnest and, after working steadily for eight hours, produced a wonderful watch. The czai was surprised and delighted, and ordered the maker to appear before him and granted him not only a pension. but a place at court. The case of the watch was made of china, while the

A Black Rescal. The raven is another "black rascal." from raven-keeping the novelist invest bird, who came to an untimely end through indulging too freely in glasier's

He is "sinister, sly, melancholy and grim-visaged," although mischievous. Yet there are people who keep ravens come to take part in what ought to be as pets. Dickens had one, from whom the greatest wolf hunt that has ever Grip, the famous raven in "Barnaby Rudge," was drawn and who died from eating white paint, anything even so

distantly approaching purity necessarily disagreeing with him. Undeterred d in another dark and melancholy Manchester Enterprice

BY MAT D. BLOSSER.

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 25, 1897.

IN AND ABOUT TOWN.

Brief Sews Items

Lent begins March Sml.

The banks were closed Monday.

Everyone should go to the caucuses an see that good men are nominated.

J. Roller & Co., have given a number of persons work this winter, sorting beans. There will be two village caucuses this

year-citizens' and young men's-both Baturday. . The annual report of the village treas-

urer, Wm Knebbe, will be found in an-Younn, Marx & Co., have new spring

gends to which they call your attention in another column. Friends, don't forget when you have

day printing to be done to call at the ENTERPRISE office. ence over Bobison & Koebbe's new

advertisement. It is a sort of casay on spring-a timely subject. We didn't know but that winter had

aken a fresh hold when we saw that snow storm Samurday morning. Chas. Uhl of Bridgewater will have an

pose of stock, farming tools, etc. Mack & Co., have a change of advertisement in another column, announcing

auction on Tuesday March 9th, to dis-

apecial sales in overcosts and shoes Geo. Huber, having leased his farm south-west of this village, will have an auction on Thursday, March 11, to sell

stock and farming tools. They are making from six to eight cheese a day at the cheese factory, consequently farmers' wagons containing milk cans are quite a conspicuous figure

The judge of probate will send any printing to be done for an estate to the ENTERPRISE if you request him so to do. Please remember this when you have business with him.

Ed. E. Root has adjusted the loss of \$18. caused by fire at Geo. Marz's bouse two weeks ago. The fire probably originsted from a match which had worked down into the couch.

The EXTERPRISE has printed bills for David Sell, who will sell his farming tools, etc., at auction at his place two miles north east of Norvell, on Tuesday March 2, at 1 o'clock p. m., Frank Meri

The March number of the young people's magazine, St. Nicholas, has reached our table. It is the same as ever-brim full of entertaining, amusing and elevat-- ing reading for young people and always claims considerable attention from the older members of the household.

A party of about 30 friends of Mr. & Mrs. Geo. J. Nisle gathered at their home Monday evening and gave Mrs. Niele a happy surprise. Cards were indulged in. refreshments served and the company sented a handsome oak rocker in remembrance of the fifth wedding anniversary of the host and hostess

People on exchange place whose nerves are set on edge by the squeaking of the wind-mill on the union savings bank building, threaten dire vengeance on someone if the machine isn't kept oiled. The other day it struck up a tune which was like the combination of a bagpipe and a steam calione and the aforesaid persons were tearing their hair.

Manchester star chapter extended an invitation to the Brooklyn chapter to make a return visit on Friday evening of this week, which was accepted, and no doubt there will be a good attendance, Supper will be served in the masonic banquet room at 6 o'clock after which degrees will be conferred upon two young ladies of this village by Manchester

"Didn't know that it was loaded," was what Fred Werner said when a shot from a revolver sent through a fi ger on his left hand on Monday. He had been repairing a small calibor weapon and snapped the thing to see if it worked right. and immediately resoluted it worked to perfection. The ball pawed through the fiesby part of the finger and lodged in a foor. The report caused consternation in the household for a few minutes.

Te-was announced in the ENTERPRISE last mock that Miss Maude Goodell of this village would teach the school at Prespect bill in theres; begreving March 1st. This district is a fractional and in Jackson coursey, and as Miss Goodell does not hold a certificate from that county the Jackson commissioner emphatically refused to accommedate her with a permit to begin teaching and take the Jackson county examination the latter part of the month, consequently she was obliged to give up the prospect.

Subject at the M. E. sharch Sunday morning: Best things.

Subject of C. E. Feb. 28: For what does Carist save men. Time 3:1-7. Fred

Subject of discourse in the universalist aday amorning: Giving

Topic of B. Y. P. U for Feb 28: The the of the grapel. Pi 118. Mrs.

Leland-Campbell Nuntials.

A very nicely arranged and most happy wedding took place at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Campbell, in Sharon, Mouday, when their daughter Jennie Lou oined fortunes with Prof J. G. Leland of Kirkwood, Mo.

About 50 relatives and friends of th contracting parties gathered to witness the ceremony and wish the happy couple Godspeed on their journey through life.

Promotiv at 12 o'clock, at the first strains of the wedding march executed by Mr. Renwick of Ann Arbor, the bride and groom elect took their places in the parlor, about which were tastily arranged carnations and potted hyacinths. The bride was attired in white figured silk and carried white roses. As the strains of music softened, Dr. Barnes of Tecum seh stepped forward and soon pronounced the words that made them man and wife the beautiful and impressive ring ceremony being used, in which Miss Louise

Allen of Yusilanti assisted. After congratulations the bountifu wedding dinner was served and then Mr & Mrs. Leland were driven to this village Mo., where Mr. Leland is instructor in school for boys.

They were recipients of many rich and valuable presenta.

present were: Mr & Mrs. E. P. Allen. Elmer and Louise Allen and Miss Hattle Lawrence of Ypsilanti, Mr. & Mrs Elmer Cushman and daughter Ruth and Lewel len Renwick of Ann Arbor, Mr. & Mrs Leland, sons thad and Claude and daugh ters Gertrude and Anna, and Dr. & Mrs Laraway of Emery, Dr. & Mrs. Barnes of Fecuinseb, Dr. F. W. Palmer of Brooklyn, Samuel Campbell of Grass Lake Marcus Rowe of Decatur.

Boll of Honor.

	SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.
	Number of boys enrolled15
	Number of girls enrolled17
	Total enrollment33
1	Average number belonging326.
	Average daily attendance317.1
1	Per cent. of attendance97.
	Aggregate tardiness2
1	P B 0

Pupils neither absent nor tardy for the nonth ending Feb 19th.

HIGH SCHOOL. Marie Kirchhofer, preceptress.

Minnie McAdam, general assistant. sie Aulls Claude Bowen, Winnie Bra nick, Sidney Case, Nellie Clark, Maria Farrell, Bertha Faurel, Bertha Green, Thos Guinan, Raynor Hacussler, Rolland Hall scar Kirchgessner, Bertha Kuhl, Fred Kapp, Lila Keeler, Jessie Kimble, Alher, look place at 9 a. m., Rev. Fr. Heidenreich Lowery, Frank Leeson, Helen Leeson, Net. tie Logan, William Martin Anna Marx Mina Middlebrook, Katie Naumann, Eflwin Niele, Elizabeth Nestell, Simon Neyer Floyd Pardee, Elizabeth Rawson, Frank Bawson, Charles Sloat, Atma Schmid, Mar tha Spencer, Amanda Schoettle, Fanni Saley, Emma Schaible, Arthur Tracy, Bessie Torrey, Edith Tracy, Anna Unterkirch er, Dena Van Winkle, Arton Yokom.

GRAMMAR DEPT. Nettie M. Gillett, teacher. Cynthia Bailey, Janet Blaisdell, Otto Bauer Bernie Brighton, Joseph Brighton, Elme Clark, Anna Dowling, Clara Fausel, Rickie Gross, Ida Grossman, Bernice Holmes, Rol land Lehr, Clyde Leeson, Mina Logan, Liz zie Neebling, Maude Ohlinger, Jennie Ryar Bertha Schaible, Carrie Stegmiller, Free Schaffer, Mae Stark, Pearl Teeter, Arthur Volland. Lawrence Wurster, Clara Wuerth ner, Frank Mabrle, Hugo Kirchhofer

Emmet Lowery. INTERMEDIATE DEST. Jennie E Saley, teacher. Arthur Bailey, Walter Briegel, Nina Clark-Carl Essery, Bertha Groseman, Heina Kirchhofer, Frances Lamming, Beatrice Lar

ming, Carrie Huber, Bernie Maloney, Char lie Morschheuser, Emma Never, Natio Schmid, Yetta Traub, Leila Wuerthner Emma Schaffer, Tommy Brannick, Phyllis Bowen, Frank Conklin, Herman Fauset Marjorie Kingsley, Julia Kensler, Car Lehr, Julia Landwehr, Charlie Miller, Em ma Morschheuser, Theamie Naumann, Leila Rooney, Nickie Senger, Donna Watkins Mamie Vogelbacher SECOND PRIMARY.

Orrell Grigsby, teacher. Bernice Blythe, Marie Blosser, Frankie Freeman, Leone Gieske, Fannie Goodyear Clara Haschie, Jonathan Holmes, Sarah Haarer, Julius Kern, Bertha Kuebler, Her man Morschheuser, Ina Middlebrook, Hulde Nanmann, Simon Nissley, Bertha Neyer Willie Pfeiffle, Lora Boot, Willie Steinkohl Julia Traub, Willie Uhr, Fred Uhr, Eddie Wiedman, Addie Vegetba

FIRST PRIMARY Henrietta Weir, teacher

Sherman Amaden, Clarence Blum, Bertie Blaisdell, Lelah Blythe, Roy Blythe, Claire Willie Brannicz, Verne Corev Essery, Clarence Graham, Earlie Hanham, Mary Haarer, George Haarer Marie Haschle, Paulie Jedele, Willie Kne bler, Julia Middlebrooks, Lily Meyer, Walter Parr, Herman Pfeiffle, Henry Pfeiffle, Ada Stringham, Clarence Staggemeier, Ec die Saley, Boy Lowery,

WARD SCHOOL Lucy B. Poucher, teacher.

Lewis Kensler, Rushy Ohlunger, Freddie Kern, Lewis Schleweis, Julius Schleweis Christina Schaible, Mabel Kreitner, Arthur Kreitner, Amanda Jenter, Herman Wurster Freddie Kuebbe, Winnifred Lebr. Louis Never, Lillian-Robison, Emma Freeman Georgia Wurster, Gertrude - Naumann, Marguerite Nisle, Amanda Schmid, Louiss Adrica, Sophia Vogelbacher, Albertine Mahrle, Laura Rauschenberger, Alfre Lahman. Othmar Fausel, Mary Senger, Lily Trant, Louisa Schaible, Emma Lehr, Alma Hildinger, Louisa Goodyear, Jalius Woerthser, Nullis Field, Louise Lehr, Lucy Schaf et, Wade Maginn, Clifford Glovery Adeas Lehman, Emma Lesson, Cora Keneler, Les Bowen, Rudolph Mahrie.

Salt Mackerel, Whitefah, I Trout, etc., at J. Roller & Co's

WHAT OUR NEIGHBORS DO. From Our Correspondents.

BRIDGEWATER.

Miss Maude Goodell of Manchester came ere last Friday to visit the Misses Hogau.

Col. Fenn's pet pig, which was badly cut by a buzz saw a few days ago, is recovering. Wm. Westphal will build an addition to his house this spring, making it suitable for two families.

Mr. Aulis has a very good run of feed grinding this winter. He has lately added

Miss Lucy Poucher of Manchester visited ner sister, Mrs. Dwight Walters, from Friday until Sunday.

he misfortune to have a cake fall on his oot, splintering a bone.

Next month Will Westphal will move onto the Norman Conklin farm and Jaspe Arnold who has been working the farm, will occupy one of Wm. Hanke's houses Mr. & Mrs. Bert Poucher and Fred o

Franklin drove over to attend the social Friwhere they took the train for Kirkwood, day evening and favored the company with some fine music with cornet, violin and org an. J. Van Gieson & Son, who have been

breeders and dealers in merino sheep for

many years, recently sold several rams to A. A. Wood of Saline for shipment to Aus tralia or South America The next meeting of the Bridgewater cen ter reading circle will be held at Wm.

Every's next Monday night, March 1st. This is to be a young people's meeting and it is expected a fine programme will be pre Among those from abroad who attende

he Gehringer-Dickerson wedding were Mrs E. Oesterlin and daughter Ida and Mrs. Ed. Schumaker of Ann Arbor, Mrs. Maggie Oesterlin of Grand Rapids and Henry Geb inger of Iosco.

The western Bridgewater club social held at the residence of Mr. & Mrs. Ruel John. on last Friday evening, was largely attendd An extensive and varied programme was rendered, including readings, recitaions, vocal and instrumental music and the reading of the club paper by the editor, Miss Kitty Hogan, whose witticisms created much merriment. Several musical instruments vere well played, viz., autobarp, mandolin, guitar, violin, banjo, cornet and organ, furnishing a pleasing entertainment. The next meeting will be held at Allen Bartlett's ext week Friday evening.

A large number of friends met at St rancis church in Freedom last Thursday o witness the marriage of Sebastian Gehringer and Miss Grace Dickerson which officiating. The bride was attended by Misses Ida Oesterlin and Anna Guinan, the groom by his brother John and nephew Henry Gehringer. Following the ceremon a reception was held at the bride's mother's which was attended by over one hundred elatives and friends, to whom an elegant inner was served and an elaborate supper in the evening. The happy couple were the recipients of many beautiful presents They will reside with the bride's mother and work

SHARON.

Geo. Peckins is little improved.

M. E. social at R. K. Fellows' Friday. The family of John Kuhl is having vere tussie with la grippe.

Miss Lydia Haselschwardt is slowly reovering from her severe illness.

Wm. Gage and Edgar Holden leave for Riverside, Cal, Saturday of this week.

Clifford Kendall's eyes have so far improved that he has discarded his glasses.

Miss Carrie Uphans of Manchester visited her sister. Mrs. Wm. Walker, over Sunday Mrs. N. Haskel fell last Wednesday morning striking the clothes-line pole, painfully acerating her face.

Henry Reno is able to be out again after being confined to the house several weeks with an attack of pleurisy.

A party will be given in honor of Miss Martha Kuhl Friday night, at the home of her father. About 80 young people are in-

Claude Raymond left for Kansas last week where he will remain with his grandparents for some time. His friends hope for a pe manent recovery from his ill health.

About 20 neighbors of Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Hall gave them a pleasant surprise last Wednesday evening. Instrumental and vocal music was a part of the progra and bountiful refreshments were served. All had such a good time they vote that the supervisor's house is a good place to go.

The remains of Jesse P. Gillett, brothe of Mrs Wm. Bowers and Mrs. John Robison and father of Mrs. Dan'l Burch, who died at his home in Marshall, were brought here or Monday morning The funeral took place at W.m. Bowers, at 2 o'clock p. m., Rev Yokom officiating, and the remains were interred in the Gillett cemetery. Mr. Gillett formerly lived in Sharon and removed to Calhoun county in 1863. His age was 82. He was a native of New York state and came to Michigan in 1833. His son Amantha resides at Bates, Grand Traverse county His daughters, Mrs. Van Ess of Marshal and Mrs. Altha Gillett of Grand Rapid and a grandson from Grand Rapids accompanied the remains.

IRON CREEK.

Herbert Witherell of the U. of M. spen Sunday with his parents here

Emil Filber has been spending the pa week at Leonard Herman's, where his wife has been ill so long, ashe is steadily re-

The members of the congregational church Tipton met at Mrs. Margaret Wellwood' last week Wednesday and had a very .

The electors of the village of Manchester will meet in caucus at the viltage terms cut to order by Magic Scale system hall building on Saturday Feb. 27th 1897 Work Guaranteed MRS E. J. WHITNOR at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various village offices and transacting such other wagon for corn or oats, also a two-eated ousiness as may come before the meeting. canopy top surrey for a good road horse BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

Born.

PARKER.—In Brooklyn on Monday, Feb. 22, 1897, to Mr. & Mrs. Will T. Parker a 6½ pound daughter.

Married

KOTTS-GIESKE -- At the home of the while handling ice, E. N. Randall had be misfortune to have a cake fall on his Kotts and Miss Hattie Gieske, both of

Commercial

Home Markets.

BUTTER—Good demand at 10c@11c fb. BEEF—Fair demand. Live steers and leifers, \$3 50@\$3.75; cows \$2.00@\$2.75 cwt. BEANS—Dull at 35c@40c \$ bu. Hand lighted 60c 38 bn.

bicked 60c % bu.

CABBAGE—Good demand at 4c % head
CALVES—Good demand at \$4.50@\$5.50

per cwt.

DRIED APPLES—Good demand, 2c ib
EGGS—Good demand at 12c \$\mathbb{Q}\$ doz,
HAY—Timothy in good demand. No 1
\$650; No. 2, \$6.00 \$\mathbb{Q}\$ ton. Clover \$\mathbb{A}\$ \mathbb{Q}\$ ton
HIDES—Beef, 4c ib; veal, 4\mathbb{Q}c ib,
IOGS—Live bogs are dull, light weights
\$3.00@\$320; heavy weights, \$2.75@\$3.00;
roughs, \$2.25@\$2.50 per cwt.
LAMBS—Good demand. Live, Shropshire, 4c@4\mathbb{Q}c ib

hire, 4c@41c lb LABD--6c@7c_per tb. OATS-Good demand, 15c@16c per bu

ONIONS—Good demand, 40c@60c \$\to\$ bu POTATOES—25c per bu. RYE—Best, 25c@28c per bu. Low grade ot wanted.
SHEEP-Old ewes, \$2.50@\$3.00; wethrs, \$2.75@\$3.50 per cwt. SHEEP PELTS—10c@50c.

TALLOW—3c per lb, WHEAT—Lower, No. 2 red 80c, Low grade 70c@75c ₺ bu.

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Kerseys, meltons and beavers, blue, black and brown \$15 ones for

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\$10 ones for

5.00.

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Blue, black, and gray mixed Chinchilla and Irish Friezes, \$12 ones for

6.00.

\$10 ones for 5.00, \$9 ones for 4.50.

After Inventory Shoe Sale.

2.50 and 3.00 Shoës at 1.25 a Pair. 100 odd pairs of Ladies' fine shoes made to retail at 2.50 and 3.00-in size 3 to 5-in width D, E, EE. To make a quick sale of the entire lot, your choice at 1.29.

Lion Coffee, 14c a pound, Saturday, Feb. 27.

Mrs. Doolittle's Little Girl

elected as her subject for an essay

"Spring." The same having such an effect upon the subject to bring about sunshine and early season, and in order to be in readiness for the growing demand for reliable make of Ready To Wear Clothing, we have now on our tables the entire assortment of Spring Outfits, consisting of Suits, Trousers, Hats and Furnishings. We have given the line of

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MRETS, must get the copy to use the work can be
done an early as Tuesday, else it will be set after the
paper is out and be neerted the next week.

Advertisers wishing additional space should in-orm us of the amount desired as many days before ublication day as possible, in order that we may arrange for it.

Notice of church socials and meetings, free; but notices of any kind where a fee or admission is charged must be paid for the same as other business announcements.

Those having business at the probate courtary somested to ask Judge Babbitt to send their print

Birth, marriage and death notices, free. Obituar otices, five cents a line. Card of Thanks, five cents aline,

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1897

intends to make speeches throughout the | day. state and illustrate his discourse by means of a stereopticon. He will preach about the "hard times" and create all the prejudice he can between the "classes and the masses."-News. Charley is a good talker and if he gets a stereopticon that doesn't smoke he will make a success

There will be a mass state convention of national democrate in Grand Rapids March 3d, beginning at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of taking measures to preserve and perfect the organization of the national democratic party, to nominate candidates for justice of the supreme court and two regents of the university and to transact whatever business may properly come before the convention The railroads have made a rate of one fare for the round trip, good going March 2d and 3d, returning March 3d and 4th.

The Washtenaw county annual Sunday school convention is called for March 17-18, at Ann Arbor. Provision will be made for the entertainment of delegates Every superintendent or bis secretary ought to send his name and the names of the superintendents of other schools in his neighborhood, to the county secretary Mrs. M. J. Warner, Ypsilanti, so that programmes, announcements and blank reports can be sent to them. We want a report from every school in the county.

Lenawee County.

Clinton lodge F & A. M., will have 3rd degree work Friday night.

The case against Jud. Manley and Ernest Spalding of Tecumseh for burglar-Henry Bissell's money, was dropped as they could find no evidence against them.

Fred Wood who was reared in Tecum seb, studied and practices' law there until his friends thought he was fit to prosecute the evil ones and sent him to Adrian. From there he went to old Virginia and located at Richmond, sold out and returned to Tecumseh and has making ready for the coming season. decided to open a law office there. Here's

Mrs. John Hicks of Tecumseh has been worthy matron of the order of the father's from Saturday until Tuesday. eastern star and has been an earnest worker. As she was to leave for Washington. D. C. on Thursday to visit friends, a large number of stars paid Mr. & Mrs. Hicks a visit Tuesday evening. which was pleasantly spent. They presented Mrs. Hicks a fine star pin.

The Freeze-Whittelsev company of Clinton will have one of the largest and threat carnet rooms in southern Michigan since having cut an arch in the partition which separated the cloak room from the carpet room in the second story of their F. Schofield. store. The firm carries an excellent line of carpets and cloaks and have always been cramped for room to show them the first of next week.

A Few Words from the Absent Editor. year. They will move this week.

A goodly number of members of the Michigan press association assembled inthe Turkish room of the hotel Cadillac at Detroit Monday afternoon, Among the papers which were read on topics of interest more or less vital to Michigan publishers and printers. The discussions zens of this great state may look for the proprietor of the botel. advancement in thought and improvement in quality of the local newspapers the association, or at least signified their to hear of a speedy recovery. desire to, on Monday. But to become members they must subscribe to certain the members present. The association the proprietors of the hotel Cadillac on Tuesday evening. It was a grand affair and thoroughly enjoyed and appreciated hy the publishers and their ladies present. The Michigan club banquet at the auditorium Monday was a grand affair though not as largely attended as we expected. Gen. Alger, who has been promised the portfolio of secretary of state by the new administration, presided as toast-master. and performed that duty most pleasantly Speakers were present from New York, Fashington, Illinois, Virginia, etc., and all spoke patriotically and with great nthuciasm. It was way past midnight what the exercises closed. Among those ment we noticed several from Washtenaw. A. F. Freeman of Manchester being og she number. We left Tuesday morplas for Port Huron to take part in esting of the high court of foresters

BROOKLYN

Miss Lona Kieber was in Jackson last Friday.

Miss Gale Wesh of Jefferson visited rela-A fine lot of pickerel and bass were caught

on Vineyard lake Sunday. Miss Lydia Boomer of Wampler's lake

visited in town over Sunday. Miss Blanche Coulson closes her school in

he guild hall Thursday evening. Several couples from here attended the lance at the Junction hotel the 22nd.

Thomas O'Leary and sister, Mrs Murry, risited relatives near Jackson over Sunday

Mr. & Mrs C. P. Johnson entertained riends from Hanover during the institute Dr. F. W. Palmer attended the wedding of ing to work a new campaign racket. He his cousin, Miss Campbell, in Suaron Mon-

> The mandolin club from Adrian gave fine entertainment at masons' hall Saturday

The G A. R social at Joseph Whitney's last Friday evening was an unusually pleas

Miss Nellie Young and Miss Howland eft last week for Ionia, to be gone for an

indefinite time. Mrs Joseph Goodyear of Manchester was the guest of her brother, Esrl Coulson, a

Bert Crane, Milton Parker and Edith Miller were extra help in Holcomb & Sons' store the past week.

Mr & Mrs. Herman Wesh, Mrs. Cruse and Miss Murry were entertained by friends in Jefferson Sunday.

The farmers' institute proved to be very interesting and instructive. The hall was crowded at each session.

A New England supper will be given at Ypeilanti Monday. Columbia hall Thursday evening by the members of unity church.

Miss Bertha Monogan of Tecumseh was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Herbert Reed, from Saturday until Tuesday.

That broad smile on Will Parker's genial face is 2' on account of the wee little girl that ca., on Washington's birthday.

Mrs Hess of Columbia, mother of Ernest Hess, went to Ann Arbor last week to have urned home without an operation.

NORVELL.

The celery company began filling their

Harry Watkins of Ann Arbor made a short visit in town last week.

Mrs. E A. Sheffield and Miss Vera Ashley are members of the sick list.

Mr & Mrs Porter Cole of Brooklyn visited Mrs Nancy Merrill last Saturday. Chas Koernig of Clinton visited at his

Pentecost's of Sand lake over Sunday. A. J. Austin went to Buffalo Saturday

with two loads of sheep, cattle and hogs. Mrs. J. G. Palmer of Ann Arbor has been visiting at S. B. Palmer's the past week.

Rev. Andrews of Stockbridge will deliver a lecture at the church next Wednesday

Norris L. Curtis of Perrysburg, Ohio,

spending a few days with his old friend H. C. Mahrle has his blacksmith shop nearly

completed. He intends to be ready for work

Mr. & Mrs. Ed Dean will occupy the tenant house of J. M. Horning the coming

John M. Klager has secured a situation there to commence work. Success to him

Addison Hunt is in a very precarious con the number were several ladies who had dition. He has been sick nearly two accompanied—their husbands to listen to Weeks. His daughter, Laura Hess of Ann Arbor came Monday to assist in caring for

Several of the young people attended a which followed the reading of those social hop at the stone hotel, Napoleon, on papers showed that Michigan editors are the eve of the 22nd. All report an enjoy- day to visit her son Merle. Fred and wide awake and progressive, that the citicable time with our old townsman, E. Hay, Myrta returned Monday and Mrs. Yokom

published in even the smaller villages of home helping care for him. Dr. Palmer of the state. A number of publishers joined Brooklyn has charge of the case and we hope

rules, pay a fee of \$5, and be voted on by the "calendar" used by the James Richwas given a complimentary banquet by short time ago at his farm near Dixboro. notches cut on them. Every Sunday the cut a notch on it. At the end of the week the peg with its seven notches was laid away in a box and a new peg brought

> The days are getting perceptibly longer. We now have 11 hours and five minutes daylight.

into requisition .- Sentinel.

We have a nice time of note and receipt books at the ENTERPRISE office.

office for school cards. New tablets at the ENTERPRISE Office

Teachers, come to the ENTERPRISE

SAYINGS AND DOINGS.

Personal Marters.

C. F. Clark of Clipton was in town

Fred L. Hall was in Clinton Saturday

on business. Wm. Rehfusa Jr., of Ann Arbor was in

town Sunday. Mr. & Mrs. Al, Kiebler visited in Ann

Arbor on Sunday. Mr. & Mrs. F. K. Steinkohl spent Sunday in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. O. H. Myers returned last Friday from a visit in Jackson.

Mrs. H. L. Rose visited her daughter

Hattie in Jackson last week. Miss Grigeby went to Dundee isst Friday to visit friends until Monday.

Mrs. B. W. Amsden went to Toledo last Friday to visit Mrs. Dr. Kotta.

Mrs. Will Hewitt of Grand Rapids is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. K. Gage.

Mrs. J. H. Martin visited her sister Mrs. C W. Nase at Clinton, recently.

day to spend a few days with relatives. Mrs. Fred Diermeyer of Brooklyn visited with her father, Henry Pfeifle, over

Miss Margaret Blosser returned last

Saturday from a four weeks' visit at Lansing. Mr. & Mrs. Kline of Chelses spent

Sunday with her parents, Mr. & Mrs John Hasg. Carl Wuerthner visited his sister Ross

and friends in Ann Arbor from Saturday until vesterday. Misses Edith Case. Edith Kapp, Julia

Conklin and Julia Martin returned to Mr. & Mrs. Lou Bollinger have bee spending several days with relatives and

friends in Brooklyn. Mr. Haab is again in Mack & Co.'s He was forced to take a vacation on ac

count of trouble with his eyes. Prof J. Stanley Grimes of Chicago will lecture at the M. E. church Sunday evening on the "Folly of Infidelity."

John C. Jones received a letter recent ly that his daughter who resides at Battle Creek was very low with consumption.

Henry Seckinger, who recently clerked for Mack & Co., in this village, is with the Seckinger boys in the meat market

Lester McCollum went to Hudson Sat urday where he expects to work for the Bean Chamberlain company in the manu-

facture of bicycles. Miss Lizzie Farrell returned today from several weeks spent with Miss Flor ence Thompson at Blissfield and with relatives in Toledo.

A surprise party was given Marjorie Kingsley Saturday evening, and was attended by about 30 of her young friends. All report an enjoyable time. Mrs. Wm. Brighton returned from

Lenawee Junction last Friday accompanied by her son Stephen. He is con Miss Line Jones of the Freese Whittel-

sey Co., Clinton, came here last Thursday to see her parents and brother George, who is very low with consumption.

A. F. Freeman went to Detroit Monconvention on Tuesday. He attended June 2 Cash from County, he Michigan club hanque Monday even-Mat D. Blosser left Monday for De-

troit to attend a meeting of the Michigan press association. From there he went to Port Huron to attend the high court A party of young people from this vil-

lage spent a most enjoyable evening with cards and in a general social way at the home of the Misses Herman in Iron Creek

Miss Œta Hall of the university accom panied by her friend, Miss Ida Jackman also a student, from Elgin, Ill., visited the former's mother here from Thursday until Monday.

Mrs. D H. Yokom, son Fred and daughter Myrta went to Albion Satur remained until Tuesday,

School Notes.

Miss Christins Wilson visited the A senior social will be given at the home of Bessie Torrey one week from

Friday night. Merdamen D. Stringham, A Lowery C. Knorpp. G. Miller, and Miss Minnie Walker visited Miss Weir's room last Friday afternoon and listened to the exercises by the little people.

Miss Œta Hall and friend Miss Jack man, and Mesdames J. J. Briegel, and G Unterkircher were present during chape exercises last Friday morning to hear the exercises in honor of Lowell. Lincoln and Washington.

There was a small attendance at the ociety Tuesday evening. The programme consisting of quotations from Longfellow; discussion, Resolved that money brings happiness, Affirmative Lizzie Nestell; negative, Martha Spencer Recitation, George Jedele; recitati Winnifred White; essay, Agnes Over smith; elmultaneous recitation, Fre Kapp and Katie Nazmann; chip be

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Notice of Village Cleation.

Regis ration Notice.

To) THE ELECTORS OF THE VILLAGE OF Mencheter, Consty of Washtens of State of Michigan: Notice is her-by given that the necting of the Beard of Registration of the Village of Manchuster will be held at the store of B W. Ameden, first door wast of the Post-Mine in said Village of Manchuster will be held at the store of B W. Ameden, first door wast of the Post-Mine in said Village of Manchester, on Saturday, March 6th A D. 1897, for the purpose of mistering all, such persons who shall be possessed of the recognity qualifications of Kleutors and who may apply for the purpose, and that said R-ard will be in session on the day and at the place aforesid from nine o'ckeck in the forenoon until cight o'clock in thartenoon for the purpose storesid Dated this 25th day of February A D 1897. By order of Village Board of Restatation

B W. AMSDEN, Village Clerk.

Beal Seate For Sale.

STATE OF MIGHIGAN, Courr or Wassra
Saw, as. In the matter of the estate of
Whitem? Completil deceased.

Notice is here'ny given that in pursuance of an
order granted to the undersloed administrator of
the estate of sand William? Completil by the Hon.
Judge of Probes for the Opunity of Washenaw on
the 18th may of Fernany A. D. 197, there will be
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F.G. BRIEGEL

Has the Exclusive Agency

NOTICE IN HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ANDERTVILLE NAME Williage of Manchester, County of Washtensaw, State of Michigan will be held at the Busice House on Clinton street in said village of Magnety Warch the Eighth A D. 1897, at which time the following officers are to be elected viz: One President, One Clerk, One Treasurer, Three Trustees for the term of two years, Une Assessor The polis of said election will be open at 7 o'clock A; M. and will remain open until bo'clock P. M. of said day of election By order of the Village Board of Election Inspectors Dated this 20th day of February A. D. 1897 **Snag Proof** of the Village Board of Election Inspectors Dated his 25th day of February A. D. 1897 B. W. AMSDEN, Village Clerk. **Boots and Rubbers.**

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Commissioners' Notice.

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antiless varieties, potatoes at \$1.50 a barrel. Salzer's seeds are bred to big America's greatest seed cataogue and 12 farm seed samples are sent you by John A. Salzer Seed Co. La Crosse. Wis., upon receipt of 10 cents stamps, worth \$10, to get a start.

It is reported among the legislators that the U. of M. will ask for an appropriation of \$100,000 this year, in addition to the one-sixth mill tax. The university officials claim that the institution greatly needs a new law library, an electric lighting plant and a hospital annex.

The Hot Springs located in the Black Hills of South Da-kota have wonderful medicinal proper-ties for the cure of rheumatism neuralgia, and kindred ailments, and should be investigated by all suffering from such troubles. First-class hotel accom-modations and baths. Tourist tickets on sale daily and especially low rates on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. Full information furnished on application to ticket agents C. & N. W. Rallway.

Albert R. Griffith, aged 62, was found seemed in the Ohio river at Cincin-ter. He was a cousin of Gen. Grant was a steamboat engineer. It was a murder.

"I was troubled with that dreadful disease called dropsy; swollen from head to foot. Burdock Blood Bitters has completely cured me. It is a most wonderful medicine." Joseph Herick,

The office of the Pittsburg Post, was almost totally destroyed by fire causing a loss to the paper of about \$60,000 and about \$40,000 to the building; well

Thousands of the victims of consumption owe their death to the simple neglect of a cold. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs and colds, bronchitis and all throat and lung

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once; delays are dangerous. Dividends of 20 per cent have been declared to creditors of the First Na-tional bank of Mt. Pleasant.

Anyone who suffers from that terrible plague, Itching Piles, will appre-ciate the immediate relief and perma-nent cure that comes through the use

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SHATTERED FAITH LAST SUNDAY'S SUBJECT.

From the Text: "And Same Are Broken ter XLVII, Verse 44 - Saving the Wrecked on Life's Tempestuous Ses-



EVER of Goodwin Sands, or the Skerries, or Cape Hatteras, was a ship in worse predicament than, in the Mediterranean hurricane, was the grain ship on which two hundred and sev

were driven on the coast of Malta, five miles from the meropolis of that island, called Citta Vecchia. After a two-weeks' tempest, when the ship was entirely disabled, and captain and crew had become completely demoralized an old missionary small, crooked-backed and sore-eyed, according to tradition. It was Paul, the only unscared man aboard. He was no more afraid of a Euroclydon ossing the Mediterranean sea, now up the gates of heaven and now sinking t to the gates of hell, than he was afraid of a kitten playing with a string. He ordered them all down to take their rations, first asking for them a blessing. Then he insured all their lives elling them they would be rescued and, so far from losing their heads, they would not lose so much of their hair as you could cut off with one click of the scissors: nay, not a thread of t, whether it were gray with age or colden with youth. "There shall not hair fall from the head of any of

on the fourteenth night black with ship strikes it will not strike so heavily. At daybreak they saw a creek, and in their exigency resolved to make for in the two paddles they had on those old boats, and hoisted the mainsail so that they might come with such orce as to be driven high up on the beach by some fortunate billow. There she goes—tumbling toward the rocks, now prow foremost, now stern fore now rolling over to the starboard, now over to the larboard now wave dashes clear over the deck, and seems as if the old craft has gone prever. But up she comes again. Paul's arms around a mast, he cries: 'All is well, God has given me all those that sail with me." Crash! went the prow, with such force that it broke off the mast. Crash! went the timbers till the seas rushed through from side to side of the vessel. She parts amidships, and into a thousand fragments the vessel goes, and into the wave two hundred and seventy-six immortal are precipitated. Some of them had been brought up on the seashore, and had learned to swim and with their chins just above the waves and by the strokes of both arms and propulsion of both feet, they put out for the beach, and reach it. But alas for those others They have never learned to swim, or they were wounded by the falling of great for them. And others had been

weakened by long sea-sickness. Oh, what will become of them? Paul to one. "Take that fragment of a spar," says Paul to another. "Take that image of Castor and Pollux." "Take that plank from the lifeboat." 'Take anything, and head for the beach." What a struggle for life in the breakers! Oh, the merciless waters, how they sweep over the heads of men, women and children! Hold on there! Almost ashore; keep up your courage. Remember what Paul told you. There, the receding wave on the beach leaves in the sand a whole family. There crawls up out of the surf the centurion There, another plank comes in, with a life clinging fast to it. There, another piece of the shattered vessel, with its freightage of an immortal soul. They must by this time all be saved. there comes in last of all, for he had been overseeing the rest, the old missionary, who wrings the water from his gray beard and cries out: Thank God, all are here!"

I believe in both the Heidelberg and westminster Catechisms, and I wish spar! "Some on broken pieces of the you all did; but you may believe in nothing they contain except the one idea, that Christ came to save sinners, and that you are one of them, and you are instantly rescued. If you can come in on the grand old ship, I would rather have you get aboard, but if you can only find a piece of wood as long as the human body, or a piece as wide as the outspread human arms, and either of them is a piece of the cross, come in on that piece. Tens of thousands of people are today kept out of the kingdom of God because they cannot be-

I am talking with a man thoughtful bout his soul who has lately traveled through New England and passed the night at Andover. He says to me: "I cannot believe that in this life the destiny is irrevocably fixed; I think there will be another opportunity of re-pentance after death." I say to him: My brother, what has that to do with Don't you realize that the man who waits for another chance after death when he has a good chance before death is a stark fool? Had not a jungle of thorny scepticisms into a thrown to you now and head for shore, rather than wait for a plank that may by invisible hands be thrown to you after you are dead? Do as you please, joys of time and eternity offered me run the risk of such other chance as either of these great men-of-war, their portholes filled with the great slege-

Says some other man: "I would at- blind eye and said: "I really do not ligion if I was quite sure see the signal." Oh, my hearer, put

Those things used to bother me, but see, but put it to your other eye, the I have no more perplexity about them; eye of faith, and you will see Christ. for I say to myself: "If I love Christ and live a good, honest, useful life,

I am elected to be saved; and if I do not love Christ, and live a bad life, I Pieces from the Ship" - Acts, Chap. will be damned, and all the the logical seminaries of the universe can not make it any different." I flounder-ed along while in the sea of sin and doubt, and it was as rough as the Mediterranean on the fourteenth night when they threw the grain overboard but I saw there was mercy for a sinner, and that plank I took, and I have been warming myself by the bright fire on the shore ever since.

While I am talking to another may about his sou; he tells me: "I do not become a Christian because I do not believe there is any hell at all." Ah! don't you? Do all the people of all beliefs and no belief at all, of good morals and bad morals go straight to a happy heaven? Do the holy and the debauched have the same destination At midnight, in a hallway, the owner of a house and a burglar meet; they both fire, and both are wounded, bu the owner of the house lives a week after; will the burglar be at the gate of heaven, waiting, when the house owner comes in? Will the debauched

Herod is playing on the banks of the sacred: I wonder if Charles Guiteau and John Wilkes Booth are up there shooting at a mark. I do not now controvert it, although I must say that for such a miserable heaven I have no admiration. But the Bible does not say "Believe in perdition and he saved." Because all are saved, according to your theory, that ought not to keep you from loving and serving Christ. Do not refuse to come ashore because all the Knowing that they can never get to others, according to your theory, are the desired port, they make the sea going to get ashore. You may have s different theory about chemistry, about astronomy, about the atmospher from that which others adopt, but you are not therefore hindered from ac tion. Because your theory of light is different from others, do not refuse to pen your eyes. Because your theory of air is different you do not refus to breathe. Pecause your theory about the stellar system is different, you do

> theological theories are different himder you from acting upon what you know? If you have not a whole ship fastened in the theological drydocks to bring you to wharfage, you have at least a plank. "Some on broken pieces of the ship." "But I don't believe in revivals!" Then go to your room, and all alone with your door locked, give your hear

to God, and join some church where the

thermometer never gets higher than

star. Why should the fact that you

fifty in the shade. "But I do not believe in baptism!" Come in without it and settle that mater afterward. "But there are so many inconsistent Christians!" Then come in and show them by a good example how professors should act. "But don't believe in the Old Testament!" Then come in on the New. "But come in on Matthew or Luke. Refus ing to come to Christ, whom you admit to be the Savior of the lost hecana the mast, or the nervous shock was too you cannot admit other things, you are like a man out there in that Mediter ranean tempest, and tossed in the Melita breakers, refusing to come ashore "Take that piece of a rudder," says until he can mend the pieces of the broken ship. I hear him say: "I won't go in on any of these plants until I know in what part of the ship they in the right place, and the sails set, and that keel-piece where it belongs, and that floor-timber right, and these ropes untangled, I will go ashore. I am an old sailor, and know all about shins for forty years, and as soon as I can get the vessel affoat in good shape I will ce of wood overhears him and save-You will drown before you get that ship reconstructed. Better do as I am doing. I know nothing about ships, and never saw one before I came on board this, and I cannot swim a stroke, but I am going ashore on this shivered timber." The man in the offing, while trying to mend his ship goes down. The man who trusted to the plank is saved. O my brother let your smash ed up system of theology go to the bot-

You may get all your difficulties settled as Garibaldi, the magnetic Italian, got his gardens made. When the war hetween Aperria and Serdinia broke out he was living at Caprera, a very rough and uncultivated island home But he went forth with his sword to achieve the liberation of Naples and Sicily, and gave nine million people free government, under Victor Em-manuel. Garibaldi, after being absent two years from Caprera, returned and, when he approached it, he found that his home had, by Victor Emmanuel, as a surprise, been Edenised Trimmed shrubbery had taken the place of thorny thickets, gardens the place of barrenness, and the old rookery in which he once lived had given way to a pictured mansion. And I tell you if you will come and enlist under the banner of our Victor Emmanuel, and follow him through thick and thin, and fight his battles, and endure his sacrifices, you will find after awhile that he has changed your heart from better take the plank that is garden all abloom with luxuriant joy that you have never dreamt of. From a tangled Caprera of sadness into a

tom, while you come in on a splintered

paradise of God. I do not know how your theological but as for myself, with pardon for all system went to pieces. It may be that my sine offered me now, and all the your parents started you with only one plank, and you believe little o now, I instantly take them, rather than nothing. Or they may have been too run the risk of such other chance as rigid and severe in religious discipline, wise men think they can peel off or and cracked you over the head with twist out of a Scripture passage that a pselm book. It may be that some has for all the Christian centuries been partner in business who was a member interpreted another way." You say: of an evangelical church played on you a trick that disgusted you with reNew Haven theology, or Andover ligion. It may be that you have assotheology." I do not ask you on board ciates who have talked against Christianity in your presence until you are "all at sea," and you dwell more on things that you do not believe than on sak you to take the one plank of the things you do believe. You are in one clospel that you do believe in and strike respect like Lord Nelson, when a sigout for the pearl-strung beach of nal was lifted that he wished to disregard, and he put his sea-glass to his

about the doctrie of election and free this field-glass of the Gospel no longer agency, but that mixes me all up." to your blind eye, and say, I cannot

and he is all you need to see. If you can believe nothing else, you certainly believe in vicarious suffering, for you se it almost every day in some shape. The steamship Knicker bocker, of the Cromwell line, running between New Orleans and New York was in great storms, and the captain Cranmer, of Philadelphia, in distress The weather cold, the waves mountain high, the first officer of the steam ship and four men put out in a life boat to save the crew of the schooner and reached the vessel and towed it out of danger, the wind shifting so that men of the steamship coming back. their boat capsized, yet righted again and came on, the sailors coated with The boat capsized again, and three times upset and was righted and a line thrown the poor fellows, but their hands were frozen so they could not grasp it, and a great wave rolled over them, and they went down, never to rise again till the sea gives up its dead. Appreciate that heroism and self-sacrifice of the brave fellows all who can, and can we not appreciate the Christ who put out into a more biting cold and into a more overwhelmand the libertine go right in among the families of heaven? I wonder if ing surge, to bring us out of infinite peril into everlasting safety? The wave of human hate rolled over him from one side and the wave of hellish fury rolled over him on the other side. Oh, the thickness of the night and the

thunder of he tempest into which Christ plunged for our rescue! You admit you are all broken up, one decade of your life gone by, two decades, three decades, four decades, a half-century, perhaps three-quarters of a century gone. The hour hand and the minute hand of your clock of life are almost parallel, and soon it will be twelve and your day ended. Clear ouraged are you? I admit it is a sad thing to give all our lives that are worth anything to sin and the devil. and then at last make God a present of a first-rate corpse. But the past you cannot recover. Get on board old ship you never will. Have you only one more year left, one more month, one more week, one more day, one more hour-come in on that- Por you go out on some great mission to some other world, where you can somewhat atone for your lack of service in

From many a deathbed I have seen the hands thrown up in deploration something like this: "My life has been wasted. I had good mental faculties and fine social position and great op-portunity, but through worldliness and neglect all has gone to waste save these few remaining hours. I now accept of Christ and shall enter heaven through his mercy; but alas, alas! that when I might have entered the haven of eternal rest with a full cargo, and been ected by the waving hands of a multitude in whose salvation I had borne a blessed part, I must confess I now enter the hartor of heaven on broken pieces of the ship."

IN LENBACH'S STUDIO.

It Is Filled with Rare, Beautiful and Historical Things. For years he worked in an unpretentious back building on the site where he has now erected the magnificent house of which his brother, well known in his special branch, was architect, says the Century. The studio is divided into three spacious rooms and occupies the whole of the second story. The ceilings are richly decorated with medallions and bas-reliefs in dark woods picked out with gold; the walls, also dark in tone, are hung with valuable tapestries and copies of well-known pictures during his Wanderjahre, with here and there an authenticated work of an old master. An about Simon's powers, which were not unlike those of so-called "medlums" now-nadays. 1. Even the true Church, and adays. 1. Even there was a false disdio with objects of esthetic and his-toric interest. There are marble stat-ues and friezes of ancient Greece and Rome, busts and bas-reliefs dating toric interest. There are marble statfrom the renaissance, crucifixes and in heart and life. He carried w reliquaries breathing the mystical afflatus of the middle ages, priceless and historic brocades, rugs and hangings from the east-everything, from the beautiful shell grotto adjoining the studio, with its elaborate mosaics, to a rare bit of brocade from some suped monastery, giving evidence of the unerring taste of the master. The whole building is illuminated by a complete system of electric lights, enabling him to paint, as he often does. until far into the night. He is in consequence a late riser, breakfasting at

10, and rarely going to his work before 11 o'clock. The Porcupine's Quills. The current opinion that a porcupine throws its quills at an enemy is not supported by facts, says the Portland Oregonian: The spines of the porcupine are very loosely attached to the body and are very sharp as sharp as a needle. At almost the slightest touch they penetrate the nose of a dog or the clothing or flesh of a person touching the porcupine, and stick there, coming away from the animal without any pull being required. The facility in catching hold with one end and letting go with the other has sometimes caused people to think that the spines had been thrown at them. The outer end of the spines, for some distance down, is covered with small barbs. These barbs cause a spine one imbedded in a living animal to keep working farther in with every move

Theory About Quining.

It is claimed that the tree from the bark of which quinine is obtained furnishes no quinine except in malarial regions. If the tree is planted in a me larial district it will produce quinine if it is planted in a non-material district it will not produce quinine. It is, therefore, inferred that quinine is malarial poison, drawn from the soil and stored up in the bark of this tree

In a New York civil justice's court he other day, a witness testified to the existence of an American bologue

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON IX, FEB. 28-ACTS 8:1-17-DISCIPLES DISPERSED.

tered Abroad Went Everywhere Preaching the World"-From Acts, Chapter & Verse 4-The Good Samaritans,



N the summer of 37 A. D. the events here related took place. Places, Jerusalem and Samaria. The text of the lessen follows:

son follows: 1. And Saul was consenting unto his death. And at that time there was a great persecution which was at Jeru

salem; and they were all scattered abroad throughout the regions of Judea and Samaria, except the apostles. 2. And devout men carried Stephen to his burial, and made great lamentation over him. 3. As for Saul, he made havoc of the church, entering into every house and halling men and women, committed them to prison 4. Therefore they that were scat to prison, 4. Therefore they that were scattered abroad went everywhere preaching the word. 5. Then Philip went down to the city of Samagia, and preached Christ unto them. 6. And the people with one accord gave heed unto those things which Philip spake, hearing and seeing the miracles which he did. 7. For unclean spirits crying with loud yolce came out Philip spake, hearing and seeing the miracles which he did. 7. For unclean spirits, crying with loud voice, came out of many that were possessed with them; and many taken with palsies, and that were lame, were healed. 8. And there was great joy in that city. 9. But there was a certain man, called Simon, which beforetime in the same city used sorcery and bewitched the people of Samaria, giving out that himself was some great one: 10. To whom they all gave heed, from the least to the greatest, saying. This man is the great power of God. 11. And to him they had regard, because that of long time he had bewitched them with sorceries. 12. But when they believed Philip preaching the things concerning the kingdom of God, and the name of Jesus Christ, they were baptized, both men and women. 13. Then Simon himself believed also; and when he was baptized, beholding the miracles and signs which were done. 14. Now when the apostles beholding the miracles and signs which were done. 14. Now when the apostle which were at Jerusalem heard that Sa which were at Jerusalem heard that Sa-marla had received the word of God, they sent unto them Peter and John: 15. Who, when they were come down, prayed for them, that they might receive the Holy Ghost. HINTS TO THE TEACHER.

The lesson opens with the picture of the Persecutor. 1. He was sincere. Saul's fierce and apparently bloodthirsty conduct is set in its true light by such state ments as Acts 23, 1: Acts 26, 9, 10: 1º Tim ments as Acts 23, 1; Acts 26, 9, 10; If Tim. 1, 12, 13. Such bigots have been seen in every age, honest, but mistaken. Such was the spirit of Dominic of Calvin against Servetus, of the Puritans in New England. 2. He was intense, because it was his nature to be earnest in everything. Sanl, like Paul, could do nothing by halves. What aroused the persecution was the doctrine, launched by Stephen, that Jews and Gentiles were to become one in the Gospel. 3. He was, nevertheless, fighting against conviction. What less, fighting against conviction. What were "the pricks" against which he was kicking (Acts 9, 5) but a feeling which he could not overcome, that Stephen was

right, that Jesus was the Christ, and that the salvation was for all men? The next picture is that of the Church. The time to estimate a church or a character is not when it is prosperous, but when it is in the midst of trial. Notice here the traits of a true Christianity. 1. It has is in the midst of trial. Notice here the traits of a true Christianity. 1. It has growth-germinative power: it propagates itself. It is a seed which springs up wherever it is dropped, whether in Judea. Samaria. or Antioch: in America or in Japan. 2. It has breadth. Verses 5. 6. It overcomes the prejudices of race and nation. breaks the bonds of sect, and brings Jews and Samaritans into one fellowship. 3. It has power. Verse 7. The physical miracles of the apostolic age were pictures of its spiritual working in all ages. Even now the Gospel drives out unificant spirits and gives-power to the impotent. 4. It brings joy. Verse 8. Everytruity converted soul tastes the joy of salvation, and has within a fountain of happiness. 5. It has discipline. Verses 14-16. The Church was a unit, whether in Judea or Samaria. It recognized the central authority of the apostles, and submitted to it. The last picture is that of Simon the Sorcerer, showing the traits of a false Christianity. We need not waste much time in the profitless inquiry about Simon's powers, which were not units that one of excelled insulting the second.

aims and methods into the Church. 8. H supposed to to the disciples were on hi own plane, and offered money to the than power with God.

Consul Jones and Queen Margherita The Washington Post tells this story of Col. Wallace S. Jones, United States consul general at Rome. Italy now on visit to this country. a Floridian, and has been in the consular service in Italy for the last - ten years. He is a gentleman of wit, tac and culture, and his ability to make a And Pump Repairing. happy response at the right time brought him into the good graces of Queen Margherita on his first appearance at court. The queen asked him from which state he hailed, and on being told said that she had often heard Florida described as a very beautiful country. "Yes," your majesty," was the prompt reply. "We call it at home The neat comthe Italy of America." pliment was not lost on royalty, and the colonel was rewarded with a charming smile from one of the lovelies women in Europe.

HEALTH AND BEAUTY HINTS.

Gloves worn at night too constantly are apt rather to yellow the hands than whiten them. Vaseline yellows the skin.

Glycerin and lemon juice soften and whiten the skin. Mixed in equal pro-portions it is an excellent remedy for chapped hands.

A good lotion to use for perspiring ands is made of cologne water and belladonna, using about seventy-five grammes of cologne to twelve of bellaattent

To cure white canker seres in the mouth get at a druggist's five cents' worth of gold thread and steep in warm water and sweeten with honey or loaf sugar; wet the canker spots with a swab dipped in the tea every half hour and take a little of the tea.

Vaseline rubbed thoroughly into the roots of the hair prevents it from falling. It is said to preserve its color Brushing the hair with a stiff brush fifteen minutes every night, then once The devil has an iron-collar on in the day, makes it soft and glossy, every man who thinks more of the Do not use borax water on the hair, as it fades and injures it.

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Comes to Tell This Story. (From the Battle Creek Moon.) mong the moulders at the works of

Among the moulders at the works of the Michigan foundry company can be found Mr. Amos Maynard; he has lived in Battle Creek for over ten years, is honored and respected by all who know him; such is the man who makes this statement, he says: "I have had kidney trouble for years, and it has made my life miserable. The heavy lifting, necessity there were the man who was made my him to be the man who was a man was the man was lite miserable. The heavy litting, necessary in my business, made me worse. I have been compelled to lie in bed in a helpless condition for as long as nine days at a time; the greatest pain was from my back, which sometimes felt as though a bayonet was being run through me in the region of my kidneys; many citizens of Battle Creek knew how bad I was. I could not was without the greatest caution, for Creek knew now bad I was. I could not move without the greatest caution, for as soon as I attempted to stoop over, bend to one side, or even turn in bed, the pain was simply unbearable. I wore porous plasters constantly for the little temporary, which they brought me. When plasters constantly for the future ten-porary elief they brought me. When-ever I study the slightest cold it went straight to my kidneys and made me worse. I was advised to try Doan's Kid-ney Pills, and got some. I have taken in active as ever. A few months ago I would have ridiculed the idea of being cured so quickly, and being able to work as I can now. All the long-standing points All the long standing pains are and the former traces of kidney disgone, and the former traces of alune, un-orders found in my urine have disap-peared. I have recommended Doan's Kidney Pills to many friends who were trou-bled as I was, and in every case I have learned they proved as beneficial as with me. Doan's Kidney Pills would be cheap

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When geuius attains to a dress-suit it has Unbelief is the egg out of which all sins are hatched

In reply to a correspondent asking Mr. Speer about his Oporto Grape Juice, he says he will warrant it to keep any length of time in bottles if they are kept full and well corked. The juice is not likely to keep long after allowed to come in contact with atmosphere over 40 degrees temperature. It is excellent for invalids.



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formed, and kept trying the medicines that I saw advertised. At last I tried yours. After takbottles I felt like a new Woman. I re nd it

to every wo ough, for it saved me from the surreon's knife."-MES. MARR BUCK, Dolgeville, N. Y.

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WAR CLOUDS GROW.

CRETAN TROUBLE IS CAUSING SERIOUS THREATS.

Blockade of the Port of Athens-Geeks Continue to Send Troops and

Ismail Bey has been appointed the

the commanders of foreign warships have notified him that they have addressed an ultimatum to the commodore of the Greek fleet requesting him to withdraw from Cretan waters. They requested Ismail Bey to find a way of notifying the insurgents of this fact, and of summoning them to yield up their arms, also of informing them that the powers had taken measures to prevent Greece from interfering in the affairs of Crete. The insurgents replied that they would not surrender, but would continue the fight. They have sworn lovalty to Greece and be lieve that Greece will take care of them. Over 1,400 more Greek troops, with six field guns, have landed at Kolunbari, seven miles from Canea, and have been joined by 8,000 Cretans Grecian government has officially informed the powers that Greece is un-

British Block the Plan of the Powers The powers addressed a collective note, originating with Germany, to Greece demanding the withdrawal of her naval and military forces from the sland of Crete within 48 hours, failing which, the port of Piraeus (Athens) would be blockaded and general hos-tilities commence. Later however the scheme was vetoed by Great Britain, and there is little prospect of its being

able to reverse her policy in the mat-

ter of the occupation of Crete.

The newspapers of Berlin reflect the bitter resentment felt by Emperor William at the rejection by the marquis of Salisbury of his majesty's personał.

M. Skouses, the Greek minister for foreign affairs, has replied to the last ommunication from the representatives of the powers, saying it is impos sible for Greece to recall her torpedo fleet, so long as the excitement continues in Crete.

Greeks Capture More Towns.

Notwithstanding all the outward show of opposition on the part of the powers the Greeks continue to send troops and supplies to Crete and they are steadily driving the Turkish troops to the three points occupied by the warships of the powers. Col. Vassos, commander of the Greek troops, has aptured another important 'position. the village and fort of Vouklies. Cot. Vassos in the name of King George, is establishing a system of administra-The municipal elections are already proceeding and mayors have been installed in the towns and villages outside of Canea, Heraklion, Retimo and Sitia.

Col. Vassos has been ordered by King George not to retire unless the powers fire on him, when he must reire inland without replying to the fire. He is, however, to resist the Turkish roops. The government sent instructions to the consul at Canea declaring that as the four towns which the pow ers occupied were not held in behalf of Turkey they must, like the rest of Crête, be regarded as Greek territory. Powers' Warships Fire on the Cretans A dispatch from Canea says: At 4:30 o. m. Sunday signals were made to the British warships Dryad Harrier and Revenge, together with one Italian, one German and one Russian ship, to open fire on the Cretan position on the hills above Canea where the Greek flag was hoisted some days ago. The Brit ish ships fired 40 and the foreign ships 30 shells at the village and ruined the house held by the Cretans. The flag was soon lowered and the order, "cease fire -- sounded after 10 minutes. Thereupon the flag was rehoisted. The rocks around were crowded with retans. The Turks, encouraged by the fleets, now opened a lively fusilade, while the Cretans were removing the wounded. The Cretans had not replied during the whole performance. It was a somewhat melancholy and de-

rading spectacle. McKinley's Cabinet Complete. President elect McKinley's cabinet is ow complete, as follows:

Secretary of state. John Sherman, of Secretary of the treasury, Lyman J lage, of Illinois Secretary of war, Gen. Russell A

Alger, of Michigan. Secretary of the navy, J. D. Long, of Massachusetts

Secretary of the interior, Joseph Mc Kenna, of California Postmaster-general, James A. Gary of Maryland

Attorney-general, John J. McCook. of New York Secretary of agriculture, James Wil-

on, of lowa. James Mitchell, aged 97, the father of John Mitchell, of Reed City, was found in a swamp near Big Rapids. badly frozen. The old man was on his way to visit his brother Henry, but probably lost his way. He will prob

ably die The Sunday Lake Mining Co., at Bessemer, has reduced wages 10 per cent. This is the third Gogebic mine that has made reductions from 10 to 15 per cent to meet the Norrie mine scale. Miners now get on company account

from \$1.15 to \$1.35. John Jaskewicz, one of the guards at St. Stanislaus Polish Catholic church at Bay City, was taken with cramps while on duty and died soon afterward in great agony, tearing the clothing from his breast. He was a leader in the anti-Bogacki faction and was apparently strong and healthy. The coroner will investigate.

The Michigan Trust Co., which made a receiver for the R. G. Peters Sait and Lumber Co., and R. G. Peters, of Manistee, when Peters failed six years ago, report to the U. S. court at Grand Rapids that every creditor has been paid in full and there remains about \$1,000,000 for Mr. Peters. When the failure occurred a committee of creditors examined the assets the declared that not 50 cents on the dollar could be paid.

DAILY DOINGS OF CONGRESS

SENATE. - 50th day. - The immigraion bill now goes to the President, the last legislative step having been taken in the Senate by an agreement to the conference report on the bill. Strong opposition was made to the report, but the final vote was yeas 34: nays 31, There was little else of general interest in the session. House. - After two hours of debate the bill was passed opening up to individuals and corpora ons 138 reservoir sites reserved by the geological survey in the arid region of the west. The conference report on the legislative, executive and judicial new Turkish governor of Crete and appropriation bill was agreed to, and to a contested election case of the Tenth Kentucky district.

SENATE. -51st day-The arbitration treaty was again the only matter of general importance before the Senate. and no action was taken. House-The House unseated J. M. Kendall, Democrat, of the Tenth Kentucky district and seated N. T. Hopkins, Republican. Private pensions filled in the day.

SENATE-52d day-And still another day was spent in executive session considering the arbitration treaty, with Senators Teller, of Colorado, and Daniels, of Virginia, strongly opposing it, and Senators Lodge and Platt arguing for immediate ratification. House-An Athens dispatch says that the The general deficiency appropriation bill which, carries \$8,441,027, was under consideration, but was not passed.

> SENATE. -53d day. -A resolution of ympathy with Greece in the present conflict was promptly adopted. An at tempt was made to pass a bill to pro-vide for a commission to look into labor problems, but it was displaced by the ndian appropriation bill which proved rich source of discussion, particularly on the amendment to reverse the po icy of last year for the abandonment sectarian schools on Indian reserva tions. No vote was taken on the mendment. House.—The general deiciency appropriation bill was under liseussion and gave Mr. McMillin, of Cennessee, an opportunity to make a litter attack on Justice Shiras, of the . S. supreme court for his action in he income tax decision.

> SENATE. - 54th day. - Washington's farewell address was read in an imressive manner by Mr. Daniel, of Virginia. The Indian appropriation bill discussion was then resumed and the Senate finally agreed to a clause directing temporary contracts with sec-tarian schools on reservations where no government schools have been established. A veto from Mr. Cleveland on a private pension bill caused a sharp criticism by Mr. Gallinger of the President's course. The Loud bill, providing for one cent letter postage and for closer restrictions on secondlass mail matter so as to limit it strictly to newspapers, was under disussion but no action was taken. House. - The general deficiency appro priation bill was passed and the conideration of the naval appropriation bill begun.

> > War Seems Inevitable.

A dispatch from Vienna says that a eport has been received from Salonica to the effect that a collision occurred etween the Turkish soldiers and the Greeks at Naszlitza, near the Greek rontier. The Turks were defeated with loss and withdrew for reinforce-The Turkish governor of Salonica has ordered the troops to the where the disturbance took -The population along the olace. reck frontier, is eagerly awaiting the signal to rise against the Turks.

A dispatch from Athens says that the National league has addressed a trong letter to King George and Premier Delyannis, declaring that if Europe tries to cancel the fait ac-accompli of the union of Crete with Greece, the league, through its powerful resources in Macedonia and elsewhere in the Balkans will provoke general uprising of Hellenists.

Greece Threatens the Powers. A dispatch from Athens says that Preece has declared that if the bombardment of the insurgents' positions in the Island of Crete is repeated she will break off diplomatic relations with the powers. It is also stated that As-Bey, the Turkish minister at Athens, threatens that Turkey will break off her relations unless the Greek troops are withdrawn from

Dispatches from Canea say that 15 Christians, including three nuns of the St. Elias convent, were wounded by the hombardment, by the foreign war ships. Five thousand insurgent troops arrived within half an hour after the firing commenced.

Hanna Goes Into the Senate.

Gov. Bushnell, of Ohio, has given out the following statement: "It had been my intention to make

no announcement in relation to the action I would take in the matter of an appointment to fill the prospective vacancy in the Ohio representation in the United States senate until the vaancy actually existed, but on account manifest interest of the people I deem it best to say that when Sena tor Sherman resigns to enter the cabinet of President McKinley I will apoint to succeed him Hon. Marcus A Hanna, of Cuyahoga county, to serve until his successor is chosen by the seventy-third general assembly of the state. I trust this action will meet with the approval of the people."

Bay City has given half of her Washngton park to the Detroit & Mackinao railro**a**d. Chas. Caughell, a deaf man,

killed while walking on the railroad track near Carsonville. The industrial school committee has recommended an appropriation of

\$159,000 for that institution.

George Hart's two-year-old son fell on a knife at Greenville, and was killed, the knife piercing his heart. Patrick McCormick felled a large oak tree, near Caseville, but was struck by flying splinters and instantly killed The House passed the Senate joint resolution increasing the salary of the attorney general to \$3,500 and requiring him to reside at Lansing. The measure must yet be signed by the governor and then submitted to a vote

of the people. The people of school district No. 1 Algoma township, Kent county, are divided over the question of holding religious services in the school house. One faction is holding revival services every night and the others have tried The new \$60,000 St. John's Orphan asylum at Grand Rapids was dedicated by Bishop Richter and a dozen priests.

repeatedly to break up the services, but did not succeed until they turned a skunk loose during a service. Prosecutions will probably follow.

Were Not in Harmony and Jarred the Fair Girl's Mind.

was a young woman with a musical ear sitting in a corner of the cable car, says the Washington Star. Several times she looked up with curious surprise as the conductor rang the bell to register fares. The bell did not always sound the same. Sometimes it had a dull, clanging tone, and every now and then it came out sharp and clear. She was a demure little creature with blonde frizzes, and-she became so interested in the variations played on the bell that she quite neglected the paper-covered novel which lay in her lap—a novel which she was evidently not reading for the first time, for she had dropped it to listen to the bell she never troubled herself to find the place. But in the course of time she reached a more interesting portion of the work. There were things that she apparently desired to remember, for she took a lead pencil from a small bag and began to mark passages here and there. The old gentleman with white side whiskers who sat opposite her hoped that it was a proper book for a young woman to read and the angular woman, who was somewhat flurried, owing to an unsuccessful effort to pass an out-of-date soda-water ticket for car fare, was sure that it wasn't. She rode almost to the had a dull, clanging tone, and every successful effort to pass an out-of-date soda-water ticket for car fare, was sure that it wasn't. She rode almost to the end of the line. Just before the car finally stopped she took out a notebook. The conductor happened to come to the front of the car and he glanced at what she wrote. It was the suffering and seeking a remedy. The lady number of his car. As she walked to-specified: glanced at what she wrote. It was the number of his car. As she walked to replied:
ward the railway office he opened the door that looked out on the front platform and said to the motorman: "It's body, as I believe they are a wondeful medicine, and I think I should let others with the country to body as I believe they are a wondeful medicine, and I think I should let others are a wondeful medicine, and I think I should let others are a wondeful medicine, and I think I should let others are a wondeful medicine, and I think I should let others are a wondeful medicine, and I think I should let others are a wondeful medicine, and I think I should let others are a wondeful medicine, and I think I should let others are won

38-caliber. Just as Capt. Roberts drew a head on a stalk of ironwood and pulled a trigger Rufe moved into range from behind a gravel bank about 275 feet away. There was a cruck from the rifle and an exclamation from Rufe. The heavy ball had hit him on the forehead, somewhat above the eyes, with all the force of a heavy charge of powder. The negro did not even fall down. He wiped his brow with an oid a reporter about it.

"Yessir, somethin' hit me in der river bank. The morning after he told a reporter about it.

"Yessir, somethin' hit me in der it felt kinder that way."

"Did you fall down; Rufe?"

"Naw, sir; but de bullet sort of pushed my head over ter one side, but it all tay. My head's peeled a leetle bit leave the side of t

ached a leetle, but I'se been workin' all day. My head's peeled a leetle bit and skinned up, but not 'nuff ter hurt.

A Watch That Winds Itself.

From The Chicago Tribune.-The latest novelty in the line of time-keep of commerce. Prof. Salisbury of the ers will appeal to lazy and forgetful University of Chicago, after examining people. It consists of a watch which the localities where the ash is found, does not require any winding. All that concludes that it was deposited in is necessary for its owner to do, in order to have the time with him always, is to walk half a mile a day. The watch does the rest. These novel watches are tertiary period, and the ash elieved got out in several varieties of cases, some of them extremely ornamental, but the kind most commonly seen in Chicago is made with a plain black case and an open face. The winding mechanism consists of an ingenious contrivance by which a small weight is raised of air is caught in a stream of water and lowered from the jar of walking The motion of the weight works a small of speed of the stream is more ratchet arrangement, which winds the han a foot a second, the bubble will be spring to its full tension, and then is imprisoned and will be carried down automatically held until more winding is needed. A course of shaking up and with the stream. This phenomenon may be observed in all waterfalls. down for a few minutes will answer the same purpose as a stroll afoot, while all the jolts and jars of ordinary existence are likewise made useful as a means of winding. The possibilities which this new watch opens up for forgetful and lazy people are enormous. The man who comes home late at night by an irregular course of progression down the street will no longer need to have his wife wind his watch in order to keep it going, and the more tempestuous and full of ups and downs his evening has been the better the watch will be wound. The student, college-professor and the young woman in love will all be blessed with a perfect running timepiece, no matter how often they forget to wind it before going to bed at night. Above all, society will be delivered from the necessity of hearing the remarks of the fool man who says he doesn't carry a watch simply because he is too lazy to wind it.

An item of news comes from a village near Tomsk, where lives a blacksmith named Temeyadoff. His wife had been persistently unfaithful, and finally her husband dragged her to his forge the other day, tied her up by the hair, then shod her with a pair of iron shoes, which he had specially made for the purpose. The woman naturally fainted when the nails were driven in to her feet and would have died had she not been rescued by the villagers. The rescuers contented themselves with turning the husband over to the local authorities, who released him after two days' imprisonment. The news comes by cable—from London.-Ex.

A Useful Invention

To hold a cake of soap ready for use a new device has an indestructible open-mesh net, a hanger into the lower part of which the mouth of the net is gathered and a locking device for securing the ends, the whole being fastened to the back of a scrubbing or flesh brush.

Wesley Dorsey, an aged colored man, who was once the slave of Peter Shaffer of Frederick county, Md., has just been declared the principal heir of his former master, and is to receive \$175,-

CATARRH OF THE INROAT.

A WOMAN'S TERRIBLE SUFFERING WITH IT AND ITS ATTENDING EVILS.

After Treatment She Finds Herself Free From all Symptoms of Catarrh and

Headaches Are Only a Memory. From the Courier-Herald, Saginaw, Mich. The number of remedies for the ills tha human fiesh is heir to which are placed o the market is almost innumerable, and the public at large is prone to class all these remedies as worthless. The public is not always right, however, as some of these rem-

all up. Jim!"

"I told you somebody would note the difference in the sound of those two bells."

A PRETTY TOUGH SKULL

Hit with a Riffe Ball, but It Was Only a Triffe.

Rufe Bronson (colored) recently drove below the Illinois Central incline to dump a load of trash in the river, says the Paducah News. Capt. New!—I say the rouse they are the well-known steambers.

Buddy as Peterte test and I while It was troubled with a hould pet up in the morning my threat would pet up in the morning

says the Paducah News. Capt. Newt. and the headaches do not bother me. I was also troubled with female weakness and the morth side to try a new Winchester of 38-callber. Just as Capt. Roberts drew a head on a stalk of ironwood and many recome.

Extensive deposits of ancient volcanic ash in southwestern Nebraska have lately been turned to useful acount as a source of pulverized pumice, which has become an important article water at a time when that region of country was covered by a lake which is supposed to have existed late in the

to have been borne thither b Long ago it was discovered that bubbles of air rising through water do not move with great speed. This, excepting for great depths, is not more than a foot a second. If, therefore, a bubble which flows downward, and the rate may be observed in all where the whiteness of the water is due to the air which is carried down in

POISONING THE FOUNTAIN.

It founds the first sery source, and the body.

It is the body.

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escribing all the trouble to super-

ficial causes; he may prescribe for neuraling in indigestion, insomina, or headache, when these are merely symptoms of some deep-rooted malady of the distinctly feminine organs.

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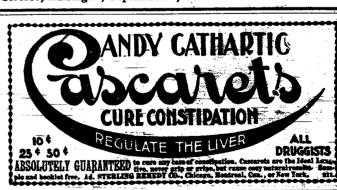
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