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It is on Call at Ann Arbor for Monday One of the Accused Was a Youthful Musical Prodigy.

Ann Arbor, Oct. 8 .- The famous Richards murder case is on call for Monday in the circuit court. The three young men, Larkins, Lyons and Jones, charged with the murder of Richards, have been confined in the county jail since February 13th last, the delay in the case being due to the inability of the prosecution to secure evidence. The men would not talk shout the case to a representative of the Journal further than to declare that they can prove their innocence when given chance. Public sentiment seems to be veering in favor of the young men.

Rupert Jones, one of the accused men, when but 10 years old, challenged any ne of his own age in the state of Michigan through the columns of the Journal to compete with him on the piano, but no one answered his challenge. During his stay in the jail he has received and anwered more than 600 letters. He has saved the stamps, pasting them on a strip of paper, four in a row. The string now reaches from the top to the bottom of his cell a distance of six feet.—Detroit Journal, Oct 8th.

Orop Report. -

The number of acres of growing wheat in the State last May as shown by the supervisors' returns was 1,513,919; the average yield per acre as found by threshing is 16.46 bushels, and the total yield in of acres in each county by the average per acre in the same county and footing the products. The average per acre in the southern counties is 17.74 bushels; in the central, 13.35 bushels, and in the northern, 9.33 bushels. These averages are based upon a return of 117 250 acres threshed in the southern countles, more than 30,000 in the central counties and more than 4,000 in the northern counfies.

The total number of bushels of wheat reported marketed by farmers since the September report was published 9s 2,447,-282, and in two months, August and September, 3,635,032. This is 1,463,775 bushels more than reported marketed in the same months last year.

Oats are estimated to yield 25.79 bushels per acre, barley 21.18 bushels, and corn 64 bushels of ears, per acre. This estimate for corn is about three bushels less than the average yield in 1896. The yield of oats is from threshers' records. Considering the control of the con Oats are estimated to yield 25.79 bushels bushels of ears, per acre. This estimate for corn is about three bushels less than able corn fodder has been injured by

Beans are estimated to yield 86 per

eent of an average crop.

The percentages for winter apples are: no more than that the crop is a failure. The percentages for late peaches are

Southern counties 8, central 32, northern 16 and State 12. It is probable that the ground was never so dry in Michigan at the usual time of wheat sowing as this year. The average rainfall in the state in August was 2.04 inches, and in September 1.30 inches While these figures show a deficiency each month as compared with the normal they do not convey any idea of the severi-ty of the drouth. • The rainfall during the latter part of August and most of September was mostly in the northern countie and upper peninsula. Since about the middle of August the average rainfall n the central" and southern counties where ninty-six per cent. of the wheat is grown, has not been sufficient to be of ap-preciable benefit. The ground is thorough ly dried out. Wheat sowed early has ome up, but unevenly. was "dusted in," and much of it will hard Hot Time in the Old Town Day and ly grow, at least not until rain comes Many farmers had not yet sowed on the first of October. They were still waiting for rain.

The Farm Statistics for 1896-7, report ed by supervisors, furnish the following statistics in live stock six months old and over, in the State in May, 1897, and sheep and wool sheared in 1896. Horses 494 821: milch cows, 402,103; cattle other than milch cows, 253,261; hogs, 393,093. and sheep, 1,225,661. Sheep sheared in 1896, 1,333,127; pounds of wool, 8,392,742; average per head, 6.30 pounds.

Washington Gardner,

Secretary of State.

U. V. U. and Women's Relief Corps Meeting at Urbana, O., October 19th to 21st.

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Orosby-Ourtiss.

The beautiful home of Mr. C. B. Crosby was rendered still more attractive or Wednesday evening of this week by being neatly and tastefully decorated with a profusion of flowers and wreaths of smilax and asparagus. Pink and white carns tions, with satin ribbons of the same tint furnished the prevailing colors used in the the decorations.

The occasion was the marriage of Miss Nellie Crosby and Mr. Geo. S. Curtiss The ceremony occurred promptly at eight o'clock, and was implessively performed by Rev. Lee S. McCollester, of Detroit, in the presence of about one hundred in vited guests. Congretulations followed, supplemented by effeshments, after which the bride and proom left on a brief wedding trip. The presents were both

Notes From the School Room.

The floors in the rooms occupied by Misses Durfee and Entrican have been oiled by a preparation, which, when the room is swept will allow no dust to rise. It also prevents the rise of dust through the day. Very tine particles of dust floating in the air are often the cause of very serious lung and throat difficulties.

The paper on current events read by Norman Miller Tuesday a. m. was enjoy

Miss Jayne Corwin called at the school Wednesday noon

Plans for some work of a very practical nature in the line of thetoricals have been announced. For the fall term members of the ninth grade are to give recitations before the high school at morning exer cises. The members of the tenth grade are to write reproductions of short standard selections, which, after correction, are to be read before the school. The aim is two fold-for pupils to become familiar with the best literature of our language and to attain some facility in rendering productions before an audience.

Work is slowly progressing in the ar ranging of the library. Many books are worn out and are useless; many can be remedied with a very slight expense and be made to stand service for a number of

The following out-of-town people attended the Crosby-Curtiss wedding Wednesday evening: Mrs. S. E. Curtiss, Lyons, N. Y.: Miss Curtiss, Manistee: Mrs. Wagoner, Cleveland; Miss Blanch.

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"What is the necessary preliminary to breaking off the liquor habit?" said a Covington Sunday-school teacher to

"Learning to drink," replied the pupil.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

She—What do you think of the proposition to tax be balors with a view to encouraging matrimony? He—I think it would be much better to give a bounty with www.—Truth.

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The latest rules of the postoffice department require employes to use the utmost civility in all their dealings with the public. Civil service will leave no room for a demand for civil service reform.

They told how he ate, drank, slept talked, walked, winked, smiled, dressed and undressed. The result, we believe, was the supremest disgust the city ever If it was not flunkeyism it was the silliest of all possible slush by way of personal revenge of political opposi-tion; and the only man of the crowd who didn't suffer from it was Mr. Cro-

Wilhelmina, the young girl who will presently be queen of Holland, refuses to marry the prince her mother picked out for her and insists on choosing her own time for marrying and likewise the man who is to be her husband. That is sheer rebellion. No prospective queen and no real queen has any right to such privileges. They are reserved solely for the young sovereigns of the world who have nothing to do with affairs of state.

An east end of London boy of eight An east end of London boy of eight years who was put on the witness stand said he did not know what a lie was. "Do you go to school?" "Yes, sir." "Don't they teach you that it is wrong to tell lies?" "No, sir." "What do they teach you, then?" "Sums, sir." What a picture of a mechanical education which cares for figures and not for faith; for marks and not for manfor faith; for marks and not for manliness; for catch question more than for a clear setting forth of the fun-damentals of morality!

The Boston subway, one of the most interesting experiments in under-ground rapid transit, was opened, in part, September first. The section in use is somewhat less than a mile long, and extends from the entrance in Public Garden to the corner and Tremont streets. It is practically an underground street, holding a part of the way four tracks, and a part of the way two, so constructed that there is no crossing of tracks at the same grade. Fourteen street car lines, running ninety cars an hour, are using it, to the great relief of surface travel en Tremont and Boylston streets.

The "Mad Mullah."-The great mutiny in India forty years ago was largely indicated by the preaching of a fa-natical priest, the Moulvie of Fyzabad. Another fanatical priest, the so-called "Mad Mullah," or Moulvie, of Haddah, Is the most conspicuous leader in the present troubles on the northwestern frontier of India. He expects a powerful influence over the Momand and other Mohammedan tribes, and the Brit-ish agent at Cabul estimates his disciples at one hundred thousand. The known as Najam-uddin Ahkoond-zada -that is, disciple of the Akhoond,-is at Haddah, in the Jelelahad district. He was relive in fomenting the hos-tility to the English which was the cause of the Chitral expedition of 1895. Lately he has been preaching a holy war against them, and he led in person the tribesmen who attacked Malakand last month.

It has been estimated, says the Loco-motive Firemen's Magazine, that the present producing capacity of the world present producing capacity of the world is such, by the aid of improved machinery, that if operated to its full extent ten hours per day sufficient can be produced in six months to supply the world's demand for one year. This being the condition with which the people are confronted, it remains for them to provide some means of greatly increasing these demands, or else so control methods of production that all who depend upon labor for means of subsistence shall have an opportunity to secure employment. If half of the population by working ten hours or more a day-can produce sufficient to lation, and this half insists on retain ing a monopoly of employment, what is to become of the other half-the half who are unemployed? There are but three courses to pursue: Those who earn wages must contribute as charity sufficient to sustain the unemployed: the employed can join with the unem-ployed in dividing such employment so that all may work ten hours or more per day for half the number of days; or, as is now advanced by trade unionists, the remedy can be found by shorts ening the hours of labor, so that all the people can find some employment all

Before the Woman's Temple in Chicago stands a charming fountain known as "the little cold water girl," of whom it is said that though her face is hard and her heart stone, she hee done more good than any other little Chicago girl of the same age.

The editor of the Brooklyn Eagle suts the new woman in bloomers and then, oddly enough, calls her a rowdy in petticoats. One ought to know the difference between breeches and skirts if one is going to discuss such a sub-

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Her charming lips did curl—
She laughed, and straight delirious went
His brain all in a whirl.

They silent sat: their souls did thrum
In rhythm sweet and soft
The refrain of their love and did
Repeat it oft and oft.
Now was the time, it would be thought.
For him to say the word.
But not a sound did pass his lips
Nor was one by her heard.

They silent sat; it did seem strange
On her part, if not his;
Nor did a word from either come
When he stole a sudden kiss.
No occult wave did voice their thoughts.
Nor did it keep them mum—
Their finger ends they used, you see,
For both were deaf and dumb.



She-"Oh. Mr. Smith, won't you re cite for us this evening? He—"Really there will be so many strangers present that—ah—"
She—"Oh, don't mind them, they'll be gone before you're half through."

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Smithkins-Oh, shut up emme me alone! I'm going to take this will round to the president of the Pokeville National Bank and have him witness it. I've got to overdraw my account there for \$27 next week.

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"Yes."
"Anyway, her weeds have disap-

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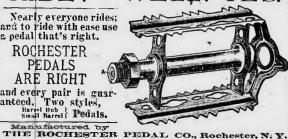
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CHAPTER XXVII. - (CONTINUED.) Presently the object of his search entered, being no other than the fairy prince he had admired so much from prince he had admired so much from the first. Seen closely, she was a young woman of about five-and-twenty, with bold, black eyes, and a petulant mouth, significant of ill-temper. Directly she saw him she tossed her head and made a grimace.

you were dead, and buried."

"And you did not mourn me?" turned Caussidlere, softly, with his most winning smile. "Well, I have come to ask you to sup with me tonight at the Cafe des Trente Etoiles."

"I shall not come! I am engaged!"
"Nonsense, Seraphine! You wi

"Of course she will come," cried the w comedian, breaking in. "My children, live in amity while you can, and drink of the best, for the Germans are approaching. Papa Corbert commands you—be merry, my children, while you may. Seraphine, Caussidiere is a king tonight; you will join him and drink confusion to the enemies of France."

"Why did you not come before?" demanded Seraphine, sharply. "It is a week since I have seen you. Were you nursing the baby at home?"

"Ah, Caussidiere is a model hus-band," exclaimed Mademoiselle Blanche; 'he rocks the cradle and goes to bed a

"Ladies." said Corbert, with mock solemnity, "I conjure you not to jest on such a subject. I am a family man myself, as you are aware. Respect the Venerate the household!

since the Germans are approaching—"
"Bother the Germans!" interrupted
Seraphine. "Let them come and burn Paris to the ground. I should not care. I tell you, Caussidiere, I have an engagement.

'Don't believe her!" cried Corbert. "Seraphine will sup with you. She loves Brunet's oyster pates too well to deny you. Think of it, my child! A little supper for two, with Chambertin that has just felt the fire, and cham-

An hour later Caussidiere and Made moiselle Seraphine were scated in one of the cabinets of the Cafe des Trente Etoiles amicably discussing their little

When the meal was done and the waiter had brought in the coffee, the pair sat side by side, and Caussidiere's

arm stole round the lady's waist.
"Take your arm away," she cried, laughing. "What would Madame Caus-sidiere say if she saw you?"

Caussidiere's face darkened.
"Never mind her," he returned.
"Ah, but I do mind! You are a bad man, and should be at home with your wife. Tell me, Caussidiere," she continued, watching him keenly, "does she know how you pass the time?"

"She neither knows nor heeds." re-plied Caussidiere. "She is a child, and stupid, and does not concern herself with what she does not understand."

Seraphine's manner changed. The smile passed from her face, and the cor-The ners of her petulant mouth came down. Frowning, she lighted a cigarette, and, leaning back, watched the thin blue wreaths of smoke as they curled up

toward the ceiling.
"What are you thinking of?" asked
Caussidiers, tenderly.
"I am thinking—"

'Yes.'

"That you are incorrigible, and not to be trusted; you have given this per-son your name, and I believe she is wife after all; and if that is so. what will become of your promises to me? I am a fool, I believe, to waste my time on such a man."
"Seraphine!"

"Seraphine!"
"Is she your wife, or is she not?"
"She is not, my angel."
"Then you are free! Answer me
truly; no falsehoods, if you please."
"I will tell you the simple truth,"

replied Caussidiere, sinking his voice and nervously glancing toward the door. "In one sense, look you, I am married; in another, I am not married What nonsense you talk! Do you

think I am insane?"

"I think you are an angel."
"Pshaw! Take your arm away

"Listen to me, Seraphine. The affair is very simple, as L. will show you." "Bien! Go on!"

"In a moment of impulse, for reasons which I need not explain, I married her of whom you speak, according to the English law. It was a foolish match, I grant you, and I have often repented it from the moment when I met you. Apres?" murmured Seraphine

a contemptuous shrug of her little shoulders.
"Apres? Well, the affair is clear

I am a French citizen, my

eraphine!"

He looked at her smilingly, with an appreciation of wicked meaning. She appreciate the smiling petulantreturned the look, laughing petulant-

"What of that?" she asked. "Do you not perceive? So long as I remain in my mother country, where no ceremony has taken place, this person is not my wife at all. The law is very convenient, is it not? A marriage rery convenient, is it not? A marriage in England with an English subject is no marriage unless it has been proper-ty ratified in France." Oh but you are traitreux," she cried.

"It is abominable. Why do you not do what is right, and acknowledge her according to the French law." "For a very good reason. There is

some one I love better, as you know But the actress drew herself angrily

You love no one. You have no love "You love no one. You have no been in your heart. I tell you, Leon, I am sorry for her and for her child. There is a child, too, is there not?"
"Yes," replied Caussidiere.

"Does she know, this poor betrayed, what you have just told me?

rtainly not. It would only-dis-

"It is infamous!" exclaimed Sera-"Not at all," he answered. "She is

very happy in her ignorance, I assure When the time comes, and it may come when you please, I will tell her the truth and she will quietly go

There was a long pause. Seraphine continued to smoke her clgarette and to glance from time to time with no very admiring engerness at her companion. It was clear that the frank confession of his villainy had not raised him in her esteem. Seeing her coldness, and anxious to change the subject, he rang for the waiter and or-dered the bill. While that document was being prepared he opened his was being prepared he opened his purse and looked into it. The act seemed to remind him of something he had forgotten. He felt in the pocket of his coat, and drew forth a small cardboard box.

"I have something to show you," he said, smiling.
Scraphine glanced up carelessly.
"What is it may?"

"What is it, pray?"
"It is this," replied Caussidiere, opening the box and showing a gold bracelet richly wrought. "Do you think it pretty? Stay! Let me try it on your

So saying, he clasped the bracelet on Scraphine's left wrist. Holding out her arm, she looked at it with assumed carelessness, but secret pleasure, for she was a true daughter of the theater, and loved ornament of any kind.

"I see," she said, slyly, "A little pres-"Diable! No, it is for you—if you will accept it."

"No, thank you. Please take it

away. . I will not take what belongs 'Then I will throw it into the

street!' At this moment the waiter returned with the bill. It amounted to a considcrable sum, and when Caussidiere had

settled it, and liberally feed the bringthere was very little left in "You will wear the bracelet for my

sake," said Caussidiere, softly, as he assisted theactress to put on her cloak. "No, no," answered Scraphine, but

"No, no, answered scraping, out without attempting to take the brace-let off. "Apropos, Leon, where do you get your money? You do not work much, I think, and yet you spend your cash, sometimes like an English mi-

"I wish I were twenty times as rich for your sake!" cried Caussidiere, evading the question. "Ah, my Seraphine, I adore you!'

He drew her toward him and kissed her on the lips. The present of the bracelet had prevailed, and she suffered the salute patiently; but there was an expression in her face which showed that she rated her admirer exactly

A few minutes later Caussidiere, with the actress hanging on his arm, gayly quitted the cafe.



N the morning after her strange interview with Marjorie, Adele of the Mouche d'Or, dressed in the wildly extravagant costume of a petro-leuse, and holding

a flaming torch in her hand, was standing in an ar-tist's studie—a grimy ensugh apartneighborhood of the Madeleine.

She was posing for the benefit of the artist immediately in front of her, but her eyes were fixed not upon him, but upon the figure of a young man who was working hard at the other end of the room. Ever since she first came to the studio, just three days before, Adele had watched the young man very curiously.

His behavior interested her. seldom spoke, but worked at his picture with quiet pertinacity. Presently the young fellow dropped his brush and walked silently from the room. Adele turned her eyes upon her companion. "Who is your friend, monsieur?" she

asked abruptly. The artist, deeply engaged in his work, failed at first to notice her ques-

"Who is he?" she asked again.

Yes; the young man who works always and never speaks.'
"He is a friend."

"Naturally, monsieur, since he zhares your studio. But where does he come from?"

The artist smiled.
"You seem curious about him, made-

to know concerning him?

The girl shrugged her shoulders.
"Wish to know!" she exclaimed, "Ma

"Then I don't mind telling you. He is a countryman of mine. He was born in a village near where I was born. I knew him when he was a boy; and when he came to Paris a few months ago, determined to work hard and compelled to live on slender means, I offered to share my studio with him and he is here. There, you have lost your fierce look and got quite a tame one into your eyes. You are no longer a wild creature of the Revolution. You are also stiff, I perceive. Take a few turns about the rooms, mademoiselle, then we will so on"

then we will go on."

The artist walked over to a table lit-tered with all kinds of debris, filled a with all kinds of debris, filled a well-colored briar-root pipe, and began to smoke.

He was a tall man, slight in build, rather good-looking, but very carelessly dressed: when he walked, he did so with a slight limp, though he appeared to have well-knit limbs; and when he spoke French, he did so with a very strong insular accentuation. himself Adele had learned nothing of his personal history, for he was chary of giving that kind of information, and at times more inclined to work

Having received permission to rest, Adele shook herself like a young pan-ther, and leaped lightly from the ros-trum, while her employer, having lit his pipe, strolled off and left her in sole possession of the studio. She stood for a moment to stretch her limbs, already cramped with posing, then strolled thoughtfully to the fur-ther end of the studio, where the younger of the two men had been working. There stood the picture at which he worked so assiduously, covered with a green fold of baize. Adele longed to have a peep at it. tened; returned to the door; there was no sound; then she ran lightly across the room, lifted the loose baize and

exposed the picture to full view.
"Holy Mother!" she excla exclaimed starting back with raised eyebrows

and hands. "You are startled, mademoiselle," said a voice. "Do you consider the picture a bad one?"

Adele turned and saw her employer gazing at her from the threshold of the room.

"If you please," he continued, advancing, "We will return to our work. Your face has got some expression now: the rest has done you good." Without a word she turned from the picture, mounted her rostrum and fell

irto her accustomed pose. For a time the artist worked again silently, and Adele, glancing from him to the picture, seemed deliberating as

"How long has he been in Paris?" she said, indicating by a sidelong movement of her head the person who usually occupied the other end of the

room. "Several months, as I informed you," returned the artist, without look-

ing up from his work. 'Who is his model?'

"Which one?"
"For that picture."

to what she should do.

"No one. He paints from memory "Ab, then, he has known her? He is a compatriot of madame?'

"Of whom?" "Of the original of that picture

Madame Caussidiere."
"Ah, you think you trace a likeness

to a friend. "I do not think it, monsieur; I know it. It is madame, not as she is now —ah, no—but as she must have been years ago, before she married chouan of a Caussidiere!

HAND TO MOUTH.

In America People Leave Nothing for

Their Children to Spend. In America it is the custom—very nearly the universal custom—for parents to spend upon the luxuries and pleasures of the family life the whole income, says the North American Re-view. The children are educated according to this standard of expenditure and are accustomed to all its privileges. No thought is taken of the time when they must set up households for them selves-almost invariably upon a very different scale from the one to they have been used. To the Am parent this seems only a natural downfall. They remark cheerfully that they themselves began in a small way and it will do the young people no harm to it will do the young people no harm to acquire a similar experience, forgetting that in most cases their children have been educated to a much higher standard of ease than that of their own early life. They do not consider it obligatory to leave anything to their children at death. They have used all they could accumulate during their own lifetime—let their children do the same. The results of the system are cyrstallized in the American saying, "There are but three generations from shirt sleeves to shirt sleeves." The man who acquires wealth spends what he makes. His children, brought up in luxury, s'ruggle unsuccessfully against conditions to which they are unused, and the grand-children begin in their shirt sleeves it toll for the wealth dissipated by the children begin in their shirt sleeves to toll for the wealth dissipated by the two preceding generations.

Negro Marvel

J. R. Thompson, a negro boy, 11 years of age, living near Savoyard, Ky., has already mastered the common school rudiments of his scholastic education, and is always up in algebra, geome try, astronomy, calculus, and the higher branches. He is said to be a lightning calculator, and a marvel in many respects,

moiselle," he sai_. "What do you wish | JAPAN'S GREAT ENTERPRISE IN AMERICA.

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Several months ago, the Japanese Tea Guild sent to this country a special commission, composed of Mr. S. Mitsubashi, president of Shizuoka Prefectural Assembly, and Mr. J. Ohara,mem-ber of Japanese parliament, to investigate the condition of the Japanese tea trade in the United States and Canada, and to co-operate with Mr. T. Furuya and Mr. T. Mizutany, the American representatives of the Japanese Tea Guild, in giving publicity to the merits of Japanese teas and the method of preparing them for drinking which would insure the best results.

Mr. Furuya and Mr. Mizutany are planning to open tea bazars in many of the principal cities in the United States and Canada, where ladies can enjoy a cup of fine Japanese tea made by experts, and at the same time re-ceive instructions which will enable ceive instructions which will enable them to make it equally well at home More than half the tea consumed in the United States and Canada is of Japanese growth, yet, the majority of Americans apparently do not under-stand how to prepare it so as to develop the delicious qualities which it contains. It is believed by these gentlemen that when Americans are in tea, the consumption in this country will fully equal that of Europe in pro-portion. The Japanese government has appropriated a large fund to aid the Japanese tea growers and tea merchants in prosecuting this educational work, and it is hoped that American ladies will be apt students. The main bureau of the Japanese Tea Guild has issued an official recipe for making Jap anese tea, the translation of which is

as follows: First—Use a small,dry and thorough

ly clean porcelain teapot.

Second—Put in one teaspoonful of

tea leaves for each rup of tea desired.
Third—When using Japanese teas,
pour on the required quantity of fresh boiled water, and let stand with closed tild from 2 to 3 minutes. Never, boil the leaves. In order to retain the nat-ural flavor, Japanese tea leaves should be kept in tight can or jar, free from

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the farmer, 40 cents, and the consumer the delirium tremens.

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a regular place of business, can sell his

Wayne Review. When Daniel Cotcher, of Flushing. Mich, was in Palestine a few years ago he brought home some of the corn, such as came to pass on the second Sabbath after the first that he went through the corn fields and his disciples did pluck the ears of corn and did est, rubbing them in their hand." . T. V. Rogers, of Flushing, planted some of the corn in his garden last spring and it is now nearly matured. The stalks and leaves resemble our own, but the grain instead of growing on ears grows in clusters on the top, and resemble in appearance the tassel of our corn. The kernels are spherical and smaller than the kernel of wheat. They are covere only by a thin chaff and are very palata ble. We can understand better this passage of scripture when we know the na-ture of the corn mentioned.—Chelses

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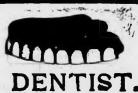
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"Years ago my little girl fell and dis-located her hip. Doctors set the bone, but it worked out again and an abscess came on one of her limbs. The doctor said it was caused by dead bone, and he took out four inches of bone. He came to see her every day and washed the would, but it would not heal. Finally the doctor gave up coming. Then I gave her Hood's Sarsapa-rills and it proved to be worth its weight in gold. It built up her system, healed wound and she is now able to walk. She has gained 15 pounds in weight since taking Hood's Sarsaparills." MRS. SYLVIA R:CHAED¹. Rogers, Michigan.

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Is the best-in fact the The Blood Purifier. Sold by all druggists. Be sure to get Hood's,

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NEWS OF THE WEEK

LOCAL HAPPENINGS AND PERSON-AL MENTION

What Our Scribe Gathered on the Out side .- Other News

Items.

Rev. L. N. Moon, of South Lyon, will exchange pulpits with Rev. J. B. Oliver next Sunday

Dell Knapp has again resumed duties as brakesman on the F. & P. M. between this place and Toledo. Ed. Crosby says it was a mistake about

trying to balance on his wheel when he fell, that he was trying to turn a short

On Friday evening, Oct. 15th, the Ypsi-lanti Corps of the Salvatlon Army will hold a meeting in the Baptist church. All are welcome.

A careful investigation will convince purchasers that Plymouth is the place to trade. Carefully peruse the advertise ments in THE MAIL and you will certain

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E Wright died on Saturday night last of neuralgia of the bowels. The funeral was held Monday afternoon at the M. E. church, and the remains interred in Riveride cemetery.

While in town last week August Wolff, of Detroit, ordered a fine surrey of Chas Brems, as did also J. G. Streng. Mr. Brems has an enviable reputation as carriage builder and will no doubt out-do all previous efforts on these jobs.

H. W. Tuttle, of Plymouth Grange, was elected at a meeting of the Wayne Co. delegate at the state grange to be held in Lansing in December. Mr. Tuttle is well qualified to ably represent the granges at that meeting.

warning to the newsboys and others, who are in the habit of frequenting the depot in the evering, that the railroad company has issued forders to the effect that any ungentlementy conduct on their part will resented by prosecution.

Thomas McGraw, a former resident and business man of Novi, died in Detroit Monday night from injuries received by being run down by a street car Sunday afternoon. He was 78 years of age and had resided in Michigan since 1835. He was a brother of Geo. McGraw, a forme resident of Plymouth

At the meeting of the board of super visors Tuesday in Detroit, L. J. Christian was elected to the office of auditor for Wayne county. There is no doubt but what Mr. Christian—as his name indicates is a good man and well qualified for the mition to which he was elected, although we regret that he was chosen instead of man, W. H. Hoyt, than whom an in the county or state is better and or more capable of satisfactorily g the office. Mr. Christian is a man erling qualities, and will make the to an efficient and palastaking officer.

The Brighton faw has attracted many Plymouth people this week

The Courtenay-Morgan Company came here from Northville well recommended Here all next week.

Admission reduced to 10 and 15c for the week's entertainment.

Born, on Monday last, to Mr. and Mrs Willard Bain, of Stark, a daughter.

Compliments may be silly, but that man or woman never lived who didn't like

Born, Monday forenoon, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shields, a son; weight, 11 pounds.

The Courtenay Morgan Comedy Co. are playing this week in the Northville opera

Plymouth Rock Lodge, F. & A. M., will go to Ypsilanti Monday evening next to onfer the third degree.

L. C. Hough & Son have put in World" cash register in the elevator. It is an ornament, as well as a time sayer.

Roy Lane has been waking on crutches the past few days on account of coming in contact with two logs badly crushing his

On account of sickness F. E. Lamphere was unable to attend to business yesterday. Will Travis attended the wants of

E. L. Riggs is again flooding the country with large bills, announcing the arrival of his new fall stock and the great bar

New correspondents have been secured at Stark and Northville, and hereafter our readers may look for an interesting letter from those places each week.

gains he is offering.

M. S. Miller is now the owner of wheel, and has so far conquered it that he rides up town. He will not attempt to break any records—nor his neck—but will

use the machine to facilitate business, B. H. Rea, who has been in the laundry business here the past year, departed yes terday morning for Ohio, where he will

start a new laundry. His brother, Frank, will continue the business at this place. Fred Bath lives over in Plymouth, but the Plymouth people don't make a great fuss like the Ypsilanti folks, and call pub

lic meetings to advertise their Bath house. Still it wouldn't be of any use for more than one lady to try and get a Bath over at Plymouth.—Adrian Press. E. K. Bennett is the pussessor of som "jumping beans," or at least a good finita-tion of their movements, in the form of a capsule. There is no "now-you-se it-and-now-you-onn't" about them, but it is great sport to watch their life-like

vements when let loose on the counter Some dirty sneak stole 70 feet of ho (not ladies hose) from in front of E. L. Rigge store one night last week. The hose was sowned by E. L. Riggs, O. A. Fraser and J. R. Rauch & Son and was nearly new. A person that is mean would steal the pennies off from his dead

they were not dollars. Monday Marshal Nowland received no tice from the Bay City chief of police that burglars were headed for here and Mr. Nowland, who is also night watch kept a close look-out that night and every night since, but as yet the night maraud ers have failed to materialize, and it is hoped they will not. Should they visi our town there is no doubt but what they

grandmother's eyes and swear because

would meet with a warm reception. The Courtenay-Morgan Company play ng here this week is universally con ceded by the public to be the best com-bination that ever visited Milford. The fair star, Miss Courtenay Morgan possesses great personal charms and has evidently peen a close student of her chosen are Richly robed, she appeared Monday nigh in the part of "Felicia" and invested that character with the varied moods of scorn hate and maternal love. Her voice is fresh and liquid, her every pose a picture. In the lighter roles, such as Polly" in "Wanted, a Wife," and "Sweetheart" in the play of the same name, she was chic and piquant, and has proved herself to be an actress of wonderful versatility. The company has rendered her throughout an toire.-Milford (Mich.) Times, Oct. AS THEY COME AND GO!

Purely Personal Paragraphs Promiscuously

Picked:

Claude Briggs was in town over Sun-

Fred Dibble and wife spent Sunday in

Mrs. Thos. Perry visited friends here

E. S. Roe and Miss Burch spent Sunday in Pontiac

F. T. Peck, of Willoughby, O., is visiting old friends in town The Courtenay Morgan Company at the

opera house all next week F H McLain, of Northville, was in town a short time Monday.

Clay Hoyt returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit at Ann Arbor.

Miss Mamie Conner is visiting Brighton friends and attending the fair.

Master Walter Sumner is spending a

August Wolff and wife, of Detroit, were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. J. G "Jim" Huff of Northville is again

working for M. Conner & Son in their Mrs. Rasch, of Northville, has been vis-

iting her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Nevison, this week. R. L.-Root has been entertaining his

sister, Mrs. Kate Covert, of Lexington, the past week. Mrs. Hannah Barker, of Bay City, is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Shattuck for a few days.

Mrs. E. A. Shafer, of Northville, has

been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shafer a part of this week. John Potter departed Monday for De

troit, where he will again take up studies in the Detroit Business college.

J. D. Murdock and I. Wright attended a meeting of the supreme lodge of the Columbian League at Detroit Tuesday.

M. H. Briggs has gone to Detroit to attend his mother, who has been there the past five weeks being treated for a cancer Miss Isle Atchinson, of Plymouth, has been the guest of her friend, Miss Libbie Johnson, this week .- Farmington Enter

A. B. Smith, publisher of the Milan Leader, was a pleasant caller at this office Tuesday. He was on his way home from a visit with Farmington friends.

Mrs. Alken, of Chicago, and Mrs. Feigle, of Minnesota, who have been vis-lting their sister, Mrs. G. E. Brownell, for the past four or five weeks, have returned to their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Clark, of Grandin, N. D., are visiting Mrs. Clark's uncle, Ira Kinyon. They will leave next Monday for Staten Island, N. Y., where they will visit Mr. Clark's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradner called on Plymouth friends last Tuesday going wagon road. Mr. Bradner states that had the dust been a little thicker they would but as Mr. Bradner ontemplates going to Klondike he drives to Plymouth in order to become familiar with (gold) dust .-Northville Cor. Courier.

Wednesday was clearly F. & A. M. day n Plymouth, as on that day a school of instruction was held in their hall under the supervision of State Lecturer Arthur M. Clark. Northville, South Lyon, Wayne, Belleville and Farmington lodges were well represented. In the evening the third degree was exemplified, F. E. Lam-phere being the candidate, after which, according to custom, a banquet was serv-ed. The banquet of course, was one of the features of the evening, and was heartily enjoyed by all in atten-Such occasions not only instruct members in the duties implied in their order, but bring and bind them closer togeth the bonds of friendship and fr

The following is the market report for Plymouth as corrected every Thurstlay: Wheat, No. 2 red, Wheat, No. 3, red, Wheat, No. 1 white, Oats, No. 2, Itye, No. 2, Butter, Eggs.

Beans, according to sample,

M. S. Miller has moved into his house on Main-st.

-Huston & Co. offer heating stoves from \$4.50 up. Call and see them

The fattened turkeys will soon be gold bled up for Thanksgiving festivities

Mrs. C. H. Nevison was confined to her bed by sickness the first of the week. The Imperial Jubilee Concert Co. gave

n entertainment in the M. E. church Monday evening. Rev. J. H. Herbener will use for his

subject next Sunday atternoon, "The Cost of a Mess of Pottage." Is a lecture course for Plymouth this winter one of the impossibilities? It

seems as though it might be a good thing for some of the societies to take hold of. The Brighton fair is in full blast this week. The base ball tournament is the attraction. Wednesday the Fowlerville team was defeated by Brighton, and yes-

terday Howell and Northville crossed Anyone having friends from a distance visiting them, or there is any unusual happening transpires in their neighborhood, will confer a great favor on the ed itor by telling him or dropping it in the

item box at the door of the postoffice. The new State Telephone exchange i now being put in. The switch board and phones have been here over a week, but the company's men have been kept busy elsewhere, thereby deflaying the work of getting these in running order.

The twentieth annual convention of the first district of Michigan W. C. T. U. was held at the M. E. church Wednesday and Thursday of this week. All the surround ing local unions were well represented A full report will be given next week.

J. R. Rauch & Son have been making great improvements this week on the in-terior of their double store, by papering and painting. It presents a very neat and attractive appearance. They are now ready to supply you with your winter

Feed Grinding

Having thoroughly remodeled my mill with sixty horse-power engine and run of stone, I am now prepared to serve the public in first-class shape in feed grinding. My mill will open Tuesday with a capacity of 500 bushels per day. Satisfaction guaranteed. L. L. Lewis.

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ces held in Safferd's Hall every Sunday g at to:30, and every Friday evening ut 7 00 most cordially invited to attend?

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Gents' Furnishing Goods is complete.

Floor Oil Cloths I have in patterns and piece goods.

My stock of Groceries is also complete.

A. A. TAFFT, Plymouth

d in the Detroit Opera House From a Calcium Light Explosion Nearly a Dozen Buildings Burned-Boy Killed by Falling Walls.

The heart of the city of Detroit was erienced in a decade. It was tly after midnight; Julia Arthur's aplendid theatrical company had given their fourth rendition of "A Lady of Quality" in the Detroit opera house; the large audience had dispersed; the actors had gone to their hotels, and the lights had all been extinguished by Janitor Wm. Moore and he and his wife had just retired in their rooms on the fifth floor of the opera house building, when there was a loud explosion and Moore heard the rear wall back of the stage fall. Instantly there was a flashing of flames through the structure and Moore and his wife hurriedly ded by way of an outside fire escape but even then the flames were shoot-ing through the windows.

Roundsman Springer and Patrolman Entledge were standing on the corner of Woodward and Gratiot avenues when they heard an explosion and saw a burst of flame in the direction of the mar of the opera house. Rutledge turned in a quick alarm and both then can down an alley toward the fire. They hardly arrived before a second explosion was heard, followed at intervals of a minute or two with half a dozen others. The explosions were caused by the calcium tanks used for the stage lights. There were eight of them on the stage, and at each explo-cion a section of the walls would fall and the sparks would fly in every di-

Within 10 minutes from the time of the first alarmall the available fire ap-paratus of the down town district was at hand and in service and that from the outlying precincts was hurrying toward the center of town. By that opera house was one solid mass of flames, the sparks from the burning scenery and light furniture spreading over blocks of the down town buildings. As the fire grew hotter the efforts of the firemen were directed toward sav-

ing the surrounding buildings, but to little avail. Constant streams of water were kept on the rear of the Leonard were kept on the rear of the Leonard the windows had gone in and fire was aweeping through every floor, driving the firmen from the allegi Over on the opera house square, which faces the opera house square, which faces the Campus Martius and the city hall, the flames were giving the firemen even a harder battle. The wind was blawing brighly from the west and as the roof of the opera house began to crumble and fall in showers of sparks air and sailed away in perfect clouds to the east. The smoke and flames began to roll from the upper windows of the Michell Table Supply Co's store next to the opera house and it was some plain that that building was beyond help and that the fire department had on hand a job that was almost too big. From the tall Leonard & Carter build-

ing the fire soon worked down into the upper story of the next building to the east, the five-story structure occupied by the Central Storage Co., Vaughan Tanner and the Central Music Co., and several other tenants. Gradually it forced its way from floor to floor, and a portion of the falling walls car-ried the fire into the Parisian laundry, which was soon a mass of debris. On Monroe avenue, back of the Michell Ca.'s stores the big Schmidt and Wer-mer buildings had been holding out against the devouring flames, but they finally gave way and were soon roar-ing furnaces inside. An explosion evidently of chemicals, in the Schmidt building threw down the walls crushthe two-story Boston shoe store like an egg shell. Probably this fact more than all others saved the Valpey building, on the corner of Monroe avenue and Farmer street. A change of the wind then turned the flames back upon the charred ruins of the burned build-ings and in a short time the firemen had the fire under control, after having

worked on it steadily for six hours.

The heaviest losses fall upon the
Michell Table Supply Co. and the
owners of the principal buildings. The incipal losses are as follows: Detroit opera house, \$95,000; Julia Arthur Co., \$30,000; Michell Table Supply Co., building, \$90,000, Schmidt estate, stored wool, \$30,000; Werner, building, \$90,000 and building, \$90,000; Werner, building, building, \$90,000; Werner, building, \$90,000 and \$ and stock, \$90,000; Leonard & Carte building and furniture stock, \$95,000 Parisian steam laundry, \$50,000; Cen tral Storage Co., building and stored goods, \$55,000; other tenants of stor-age building, \$25,000; Michell building, med by.G. H. Barbour, \$20,000; Hugh cowned by G. H. Barbour, \$20,000; Hugh Connolly, jetweler, \$10,000; Grand Undon Tea Co., \$5,000; P. J. Kinnucan, tallor, \$2,000; Wright, Kay & Co., \$3,000; Brosay dys works, \$2,500; D., G. H. & M. railroad, repair shops set on the by flying embers, \$3,000. About 30 smaller losses to Woodward avenue stores and minor tenants of the burned settletter would probably total \$20,000. stores and minor tenants of the burned buildings would probably total \$20,000. The parents of Robt. Pennington.

The parents of Koot Fennington, exceed 15, reported their boy missing two days after the fire and this led to a search of the ruins of the Detroit opera house in the alley where two or three people claimed to have seen a boy crushed under the walls. It only required half an hour of work on the seart of a dozen friends to bring to part of a dozen friends to bring to light the body of the boy, mangled and hed almost beyond recognition.

Christopher H. Crosbie, nightwatch or E. Bement & Sons of Lansing, com-nitied suicide by walking into the iver in the rear of the works.

THE BIG HOTEL COLLAPSED.

mmense New Building at Charlevolz
Two Killed, a Score Injured.

With a terrific crash the immense ew hotel in course of construction at Lindsay Park, at Charlevoix, collapsed into a heap of broken timbers and splintered boards. Forty men were at work on the structure at the time, and half this number were killed or in-

jured, two being instantly killed. The hotel was four stories high and 440 feet long, being the largest struc-ture of the kind in Northwestern Michgan summer resort section. In order to finish it before winter, the contrac to finish it before winter, the contrac-tors were allowed to plaster the upper two stories before the lower floors were properly placed, and this, it is supposed, was the cause of the col-lapse, the weight at the top weakening the whole building so that when a sharp gale struck the side-wall of the structure, it gave-way with a crash that was heard a mile.

The dead are: Pierce Kendall, of

The dead are: Pierce Kendall, of The dead are: Pierce Kendall, of Charlevoix, and Guy Hamilton, of Grand Rapids. The injured are: R. C. Hamilton, probably fatally; William Phelps, badly injured internally; F. A. Smith, badly injured in one leg and one arm, and head seriously cut; S. Cain, head crushed and hurt, internally, will, probably dies. hurt internally, will probably die; Willis Silsby, ribs broken and body badly bruised; James Gillett, three ribs side crushed and otherwise hurt; Wm Wood, one eye torn out; Charles Heintzelman, A. M. Hall and Charles Gab

The money loss from the accident is well up into the thousands, but the structure will in all probability be

Jealousy Causes Murder and Suicide.

Owing to his cruel treatment Mrs. Lester L. Burton, of Flint, commenced suit for divorce from her husband in August, and also made criminal com-plaint against him for assault and battery. Upon his promise to leave the city and not molest the woman any more Justice Swayzee allowed Burton to go. He went to Chicago, but re-turned two weeks ago and stopped at the Dayton house, which his wife was managing. He manifested his insane jealousy on several occasions and finally worked himself up to the point of committing murder. Walking into the hotel parlor where Mrs. Burton was talking to a friend the husband pulled a revolver, and without a word began firing at his wife, sending thece bullets into her body, one of which was fired after- the poor woman had fallen dead upon the floor. The sound of the shooting and the screums soen attracted the boarders and servants of the hotel to the scene, when Burton ran into the bedroom adjoining the parlor, threw himself upon his back upon the bed and sent a bullet through his temple in the presence of a dozen people One shot was sufficient, as he

people. One snot was sufficient, as he was dead in less than half a minute after the shot was fired.

Burton was 46 years of age; he served through the war, having enlisted when but 14 years old; he was a lawyer for several years, but gave up his practice when threatened with heing disharred. when threatened with being disbarred for alleged crooked work. Mrs. Burton was a pretty blonde, aged 32, and well-liked for her genial, sunny disposition. They had been married 12 years and two children survive.

International Fraternal Congre

The International congress of Fra-ternal Orders, which represents a membership of 2,000,000 in 45 different fraternities, gathered at Fort Hu-ron—150 delegates being present. The report of President J. G. Johnson showed that the 45 societies have \$3,000,000,000 indemnity in force and during the past year have paid \$31,-000,000 to the widows and orphans. Mayor Boyntom turned over the keys of the city to the visitors and all were given a good time. The papers read and addresses made were of a pointed character that showed that the interest of fraternities was the mainspring of the gathering. James E. Shepherd, of the gathering. James E. Shepherd, of Lawrence, Mass., a member of United Order of Pilgrim Fathers, was elected president. Lillian M. Hollister, of Detroit, supreme commander of Laof Detroit, supreme commander of La-dies of the Maccabees, was put in nom-ination for vice-president, but she de-clined the honor. D. E. Stevens of the Fraternal Mysfic Circle, of Philadel-phia, was elected vice-president. Sec-retary M. W. Sackett was re-elected. Baltimore was named as the place for the congress to meet next year. the congress to meet next year.

The publishers of organs of frater-

Double Tragedy Ends an Unboly Love Mrs. Freeman Lee was shot and in-tantly killed at Clarion by Wm. Shane. Mrs. Lee had been procuring a divorce from her husband and for some time. it is alleged, has been on intimate it is alleged, has been on intimate terms with Shane. It is said that Shane gave her money to procure a divorce, but she spent it in having a good time. A quarrel ended in the fatal shooting. Shane then returned to his room in the Brookdale house at Boyne Falls, and when the officers came to arrest him Shane threw hitsself on the bed and fired a bullet into his brain. He died in one hour

Shot the Postmaster.

Postmaster Duncan Paul who keeps a small store and postoffice at Appin, near Ubly, was shot and killed by some man who entered the postoffice and shot him five times, three times in the head and twice in the body. He then went through his pockets and the till, securing his watch and what little there was in the store and post Suspicion pointed to Chas. Vise whose folks lived at Ubly, but who this summer has been working at Akron, and he was captured at Pigeon and lodged in jail at Bad Axe. MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS.

Corunna voted down—by a majority of 46—a proposition to bond for a municipal lighting plant.

2Tom Toyle was found unconscious at Owosso and he claims to have been sandbagged and robbed of \$64.

Uncle. Sam will soon let a \$10,000 co tract for fitting up the old Fort Brady reservation at the Soo as a park.

James Slocum, of the Star Island house at St. Clair Flats, was fined \$225 for selling liquor without a license.

Frank Miller's barn burned near Dundee with 20 tons of hay, 700 bush-els of oats and \$300 worth of machinery.

Three large barns on the Golden stock farm near Hart burned and a man's bones were found in the debris.

Andrew Jones, aged 25, a railroad boilermaker, out of a job, died from a heavy dose of strychnine, taken after a spree at Jackson.

R. Lee Root, superintendent of the Bay de Noc Lumber Co., at Nahma, was knocked down and crushed to death by a tram car. The new railroad from Van Buren

Kalkaska county, to Kalkaska and Grayling, will open up a large terri-tory for Grand Rapids wholesalers. John Ellison, who killed his father last spring to avenge the wrongs of his dead mother, was found guilty by the Kent circuit court and sent to Jackson

The large refrigerator of A. F. A. Kolhaus burned at Calumet with a loss of \$1,500. A tramp was seen coming out of a shed with his clothing on fire, and he was fatally burned.

At least a dozen active candidates are after the probate judgeship in Mar-quetto county, to succeed the late Peter Pas oc. It is believed by many that Gov. Pingree will appoint ex-State Treasurer Hambitzer.

Richard Dennis, aged 12, attempted to cross the Michigan Central bridge over the Kalamazoo river at Battle Creek, but was kneeked into the river by the North Shore limited train and was picked up dead.

City Attorney Beach, of Saginaw, has returned from the Rainy lake gold region in Ontario, and reports that the Clearwater mine, owned by Saginav men, is employing 14 men steadily and finding thick veins of ore, which assay

Thos. McGraw, who for nearly 40 years was prominent in the commer-cial affairs of Detroit, was run down by a street car near his residence, 1085 Woodward avenue. He sustained a severe fracture of the skull and died of his injuries within 48 hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Woodward, of Flint, have celebrated the sixtieth an niversary of their marriage at their home. Both were born in New York, home. Both were born in Sec. Mr. Woodward in Geneva county in 1812, and Miss Elizabeth LaRoue in 1817.

In his latest bulletin Food Commis sioner Grosvenor reports seven arrests in Detroit and one in Jackson, for sellin Detroit and one in Jacobson, ing colored eleomargarine. Of 20 cheese factories, 16, and of 15 creameres, 11 were in good condition. food samples examined only eight were pure.

At midnight three barns on the adjoining farms of S. C. Dewey, G. M. Wood and P. L. Varnum, near Vassar, burned with their contents of hay and grain. Two of the barns were a mile apart and there is no doubt of incen diarism. The leases a with small insurance. The leases aggregate \$10,000

Will Glasson, aged 17, fell down the Red Jacket shaft of the Calumet & Red Jacket shaft of the Calumet & Hecla mine, 3.000 feet and was killed instantly. He was stationed at the second pump, about 250 feet from the surface, and trying to catch the rope, was struck by the skip and knocked whirling down the shaft.

The forest fires in northern Michigan and the field fires throughout the state are at last under control. Heavy rains of a warm, refreshing nature have fallen in all parts of the lower peninsula after a three to five months drouth. Beyond extinguishing the fires, which had already caused hun-dreds of thousands of dollars loss, the rains have been of incalculable benefit to farmers in enabling them to do their fall seeding.

A map of the Grand Rapids, Kal-kaaka & Southeastern railroad from the C. & W. M. line at Barker Creek, Kalkaska county, to Lake City, Missaukee county, was received at the railroad commissioner's office and the crossing board will meet to consider it. Thomas Hefferan, of Grand Rapids, is president of the new company. The present object is to reach a tract of timber near Lake City, but it is pro-posed eventually to extend the line to Alpena.

Amasa Sprague and Mary Annin, Hanover, have completed nearly 61 years of married life. Mr. Sprague was born in Cayuga county, N. Y., March 30, 1817. Mrs. Sprague was born in Geneva county, N. Y., in 1818. They were married in New York in 1836 and 10 years later they removed to Hanover, where they have since to Hanover, where they have since continuously resided. Both are hale, hearty and well preserved. Four children were born to them, two of

whom are living.
George W. Moore and wife, of Rom ulus, have celebrated the sixtieth an niversary of their wedding. George W Moore was born in the city of New York, Sept. 27, 1808, and his wife in England, in October, 1814. She came to America in 1832, and was married to Mr. Moore in Ontario county, N. in 1837. They started the same day for Michigan, coming all the way in a two-horse wagon, stopping first at Pontiac. In 1840 they moved to Royal Oak, and in 1843 to Romulus, where they have since resided. Of the seven children born to their union aix are still living.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

PUNCENT PARAGRAPHS PICKED PROMISCOUSLY.

Senorita Cieneros, the Cuban Girl Im prisoned by Spalp, Escapes by the Aid of an American Newspaper-Gen. Blanco Takes Weyler's Place.

Senorita Cianeros Escaped Havana: Senorita Evangelina Cassic y Cisneros, the beautiful young Cuban patriot, who was imprisoned severa months ago because she refused to submonths ago because she refused the sub-mit to the Spanish governor of the Isle of Pines, has escaped from the prison in Hayana. When search was made for her the attendants found that one of the iron bars of the room in which she has been confined had been filed and bent outward. All the circumoutsiders in her escape.

Americana Amplicated.

Americans Implicated.

The New York

Journal confesses
that two young men, commissioned to
secure the liberty of Senorita Cisneros
by assisting her to escape, were employed by that paper; that they rented
a house adjoining the jail; that they
managed to send a note, a file and a
box of drugged eandy to the young
woman notwithstanding she was in woman, notwithstanding she was in communicado. Miss Cisneros divided the candy among her fellow prisoners and they soon fell into a stupor; she then cut one of the bars of a window which faced a window of the house ad which faced a window of the house ad-joining the jail; she was then assisted into that house and was shortly placed in a carriage and driven to a waiting vessel and was soon on her way to the United States United States.

Weyler's Successor.

Madrid advices state that Capt.-Gen. Weyler will be recalled from Cuba if west with on tresign, and there is a good deal of latent curiosity to see what kind of reception Gen. Weyler will meet with on his return to the peninsula. It is now understood that his successor will be Gen. Blanco, former governor-coneral of the Philip-pines. Blanco is considered the soft-est-hearted soldier in Spain. He is a est-hearted soldier in Spain. He is a subtle and kindly politician and will, as warrior, be always prone to employ temperate means to pacify than to violent measures. He will be fully authorized to approach the rebels with a view to arriving at a mutual agree-ment for the cessation of hostilities. Later advices from Madrid say: The

cabinet has decided upon the immedi ate recall of Gen. Weyler from Cuba A decree will be issued appointing Capt.-Gen. Blanco Y. Arenas, marquis of Pena-Plata, governor-general of the the island. According to El Heráldo 20,000 reinforcements will accompany Gen. Blanco to Cuba.

Woman Fatally Barned by Her Husban Residents of the tenderloin district Residents of the undersoin discrict at Canton, O., who investigated screams saw a column of flames in the rear yard of the home of Wm. Depeyster and found Mrs. Depeyster's clothing was on fire. Before aid could be ren-dered she was dead, the clothing was burned from her body and her flesh literally roasted. The kitchen was covered with oil spots and fragments of a broken lamp were found in the house and vard. Depeyster, when found, gave no explanation of what had occurred and was placed under ar-rest on suspicion of murder. Neigh-bors say that the couple had been quarreling all night, and it is charged that he attempted the woman's life in

the same manner once before.

Drouth Broken in the West. Rain has fallen throughout the west and marks the end of the long drouth that for months has harassed the farmers of 20 of the corn-producing or cat-tle-raising states of the union. The states, or portions of states, in which rain has fallen, were Colorado, Wyom-ing. Texas, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Kansas, Nebraska, the eastern portions of the Dakotas, Minnesota, Iowa, Vis-consin, northern, Michigan, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri and portions of Illinois. In all of those districts the drouth had been felt more or less severely and to all a measure of relief is promised as a result of the

Three Towns Burned Near Ottaws The village of Casselman, 30 miles on the vinage of Casselman, 30 miles southeast of Ottawa, on the Canadian Atlantic railway, has burned. Fire is raging in the bush around the village and no trains can pass either way. Application was made to the Ottawa brigade for assistance, but none from Casselman is to the effect that the whole village was destroyed and that the villages of South Indian and Chency have also been burned. Those villages are in the center of a large numbering district, and bush fires are numbering district, and raging in the vicinity.

Frank Early, colored, & Cincinnati, shot and killed his wife, from whom he had been separated six years, and then shot and mortally wounded his white mistress. He was arrested.

The President has appointed Laurits

S. Swenson, of Minnesota, envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Denmark; Edward Bedloe, of Pennsylvania, consul at Canton, China.

PEdward Langtry, former husbahd of
Lily Langtry, the actress, who recently obtained a divorce from him was found wandering in a demented condition on the railway line near Chester, England, and has been sent

A London cable says: Bar silver is 11/d per onned lower owing to the general belief that the Indian government has definitely refused to reopen the Indian mints to the free coinage of silver. It is said that if this be true the negotiations of the American bi-

Gov. Pingree Has Returned. Hon. Hazen S. Pingree, governor of Michigan, arrived at New York on the steamship Venezuela, and is again holdsteamship Venezuela, and is again holding down the executive chair. During his absence he was wandering around the republic of Venezuela, where he was received, he says, with marked honors. It was purely for creation, Gov. Pingree deciares that he took the trip. "My friends know I was going, but I wanted to give the newspaper men the slip for fun, and I went withdut a soul of them knowing it. Bless out a soul of them knowing it. Bless me, but I did laugh." The governor me, but I did laugh." The governor says he visited, Curacao, Caracas, La Guayra and other points. He called upon President Crespo, who is very ill, and later was received by President. elect Andrade. "The new president," said Gov. Pingree, "is a brick. He received me at the station with a guard of soldiers and a brass band. We drove throught, town and they showed me throught town and they showed me all the sights. We had a great time. The band played 'The Star Spangled

airs. I also dined with Mr. Andrade. Anothor Detroit Murder.

William G. Miall, aged 26, a furni-ture finisher, of Buffalo, who came to Detroit with his brother about six weeks ago in search of work, had a guarrelin a saloon on Michigan avenue, Detroit, with a lame man, but rather than have serious trouble with him the brothers and a friend went out to board a street car. As they were about to step into the car the lame man and a companion stepped up and the cripple, who is supposed to be Charles Wojdeck, aged 21, a cigar-maker, raised his crutch and struck Wm. Miall a heavy blow on the head. He was taken to Emergency hospital, but died in a chart time. Weitheld but died in a short time. Wojdeck was arrested.

TELEGRAPHIC TICKINGS.

A heavy explosion of gas occurred in No. 2 slope of the Parrish Coal Co., at Plymouth, Pa., by which three men lost their lives.

The boiler in a grist mill at Moscow, In., exploded, killing Engineer W. R. Speers, a fireman named Marolf. Four others were injured. The boiler weighed 2,500 pounds, and was blown over 400 feet.

Over 400 feet.

The sum of \$65,000 was paid for the Toronto, O., pottery by the American China Co. The new company is capitalized at \$15,000. The doors have been reopened and there will be immediate resumption. The pottery will increase from 7 to 12 kilns.

As a result of President Iglesias, of Costa Rica, C. A., declaring himself dictator bloody riots have occurred at various points, particularly at Santo Domingo where five men were killed and 30 seriously injured. Among the killed was Senor Zamora, one of the richest men in Costa Rica.

A broken axle caused the derailment of a west bound Norfolk & Western through freight at Kinnikinnick, and 19 cars laden with coal and iron, and the station house and platform were completely wrecked. The tsack was also torn up for a considerable distance.

Asa Wood, a Licking county inmate of the Columbus state hospital, became suddenly very violent and slipping from his cell went to that of another atient and attacked him. The latter grabbed a bed slat and pounded Wood over the head in a frightful manner, inflicting injuries which caused Wood's

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REVIEW OF TRADE

failures the past quarter were the

After 16 months' absence from Dayton, where he is wanted to answer charge of embezzlement, 'W. E. Shank's was captured at Denver, Colo. Shank's former employers, Legler, Barlow & Co., wholesale clothing merchants of Dayton, claim that he was \$10,000 short in his accounts. A short time before Shank fied his wife secured a divorce and he immediately married again and wife No. 3 fied with him, but soon left him and returned to Dayton. Gallipolis is attred un over the target. charge of embezzlement, W. E. Shank

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have caused all my trouble. Severe bili-ous attacks bothered me, and at such times my kidneys were worse. It is almost impossible to describe the pain which so often lamed me. I have been so lame that to stand up after I had been sitting down required a great exertion. Walking was to stand up after I had been sitting down required a great exertion. Walking was at times an impossibility, even at night I did not rest, being forced to get up during the night. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and wondered if they could make an almost lame man well. I got some, and soon after taking them began to feel their good effects. I used them for some time, my lameness all left me and I have not felt it since. Doan's Kidney Pills have done me an inestimable amount of good."

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"CALIFORNIA JOE."

N 1874 I was acting as guide to the Big Horn Mountain ex-pedition against the Indians, of which Gen. Anson Mills was in command. One day we were marching along the very summit of the

big divide between the Big Horn and the Powder rivers and came to a halt to rearrange the pack-train, saddles and so forth. We were fully 400 miles from the living place of any hu-man beings. So when all of a sudden we saw a man on the hills at a distance in the rear we watched him pretty sharply. He was on horseback, pretty sharply traveling quietly along in the same direction we were headed. Gen. Mills asked me if I had any of my men out. I had none, and we made up out minds that it was an Indian.

As we drew nearer, however, I saw it was a white man, and in a few minutes I recognized my old acquaintance, California Joe. And a curious spectacle to behold he was. He was mounted on a tough, battered-up looking old bronco with a saddle that looked as though it might have seen service since the days of the Forty-niners His dirty buckskin leggings had been His dirty buckskin leggings had been so shrunken by frequent wettings and dryings that they were drawn up above the tops of his boots and nearly to his His boot heels were so worn down that they were nearly obliterated and his buckskin shirt was a maze of grease and dirt. He had a Navajo blanket and an old blue army overcoat strapped to his saddle, while on one side of the bronco there dangled a piece of raw elk meat. His rifle was an old Hawkins muzzleloader.

"Hello, Joe," I shouted as soon as he was within hearing. "Where in the world are you going, away off bere'

"Oh, nowheres in pertickler," he re-

of Joe, and when I introduced him all around they greeted him very warmly around they greeted nim very warmly. They pressed him with questions and I did the same. But it was no use. We could get nothing out of him save that he was "jest out fer a mornin' ride," as he had said when I first hailed him.

ed him.
"Well, Joe." I said at last, 'don't
you want to go along with us?"
"Waal, no," he said slowly; "leastwise unless you've got some terbaccer. I don't travel with no Government outfit unless they've got terbaccer."

his greasy coyote-skin cap on the ground, and in a voice that thrilled curiously in contrast with his usual listless drawl, he cried out: "At last!"

It was some time before he would answer any of the questions that were fired at him, but finally, in response to an inquiry by Gen. Mills, he said:

"Do I know anything about that grave? Waal, I reckon I do, bein as I helped make it myself."

And then he told his story, slowly and with a good deal of dramatic power. The name he gave as being that of the occupant of the grave has now

or the occupant of the grave has now slipped my mind.

"The man in this grave." he said,
"was one of a party of us that was trappin' and prospectin' ever so long ago at the mouth of the Columbia river; doin' a little work for the Astors trappin' and doin' a little work for durselves trappin'. But there wasn't no lead in sight up that way that promised to pan out, so we all allowed we'd strike back towards the Missouri river, prospectin' as we went along.

"We went through Idaho and Mon-We went through itams and montana and worked along in western Wyoming. One day while we was goin' slowly along down a tributary of the Shoshone river, all of a sudden wa see suthin glittering in the bed of the stream. Nuggets! That's what they was. Big and little yeller nuggets seattered around in the bottom of the No man livin' ever seen the stream. No man livin ever seen the like of it. We never stopped to bother about our broncos. We jest splashed into that stream hands and feet and began elawin out them nuggets. In less'n half an hour we had the bank heaped up and scattered all about with

Then we thrught about the broncos and all I need to tell you is that londed down the broncos and loaded down ourselves with them gold nuggets until we couldn't carry another ounce. We threw away everything we had and could get along without and took nuggets on in its place. Then we struck out. Our plan was to get to the Missouri and then build a raft and float down to St. Louis, and we did, only when we got right where we are now standing the man lyin under them stuns took sick all of a suddent and in two hours he was dead. We burled him and fixed that grave jest the way you see it now. Nothin's ever touched it. That I'd swear to."

"Well," asked one of the officers what did you do with your nuggets?"
"Oh, I cashed mine in St. Louis, went to New York, and from there went to Paris. It was nearly two years before the last of it was gone. Then I got over to England and worked my way

a moment, and then suddenly dashed stirred up by it, and notwithstanding the old man's awful reputation as llar, the circumstances of his trium-phant expression when he first caught sight of the grave as well as his carnestness of manner and the circumstan tial detail of his story—all this had more effect even on some of the off-eers than they cared to admit, and more than one wistful eye went sneak ing back to the lonely grave when the order was given and the command resumed its march.

I won't deny that I was a good deal interested myself, and when we camped that night, a few miles further on. I kept a sharp eye on Joe's movements. I fully believed he would take the first chance to sneak off to that grave. I didn't know whether he had noticed trying to slip away from me or not, but pretty soon he gave me a wink and in a few minutes we were out of

sight, talking together.

"Look here, Bill," he said as soon as we were alone, "do you want to see

course I do," I replied.

"Well, then, you come along with me: we can make a sneak right now,"

me; we can make a sneak right now, said Joe.
"But," I replied, "don't we need anything? Don't we need a pick or"—
Joe looked at me with a grave, almost melancholly expression for a mo-

ment before he replied. Then he said

"N-no. I guess we can get along

without any plok."

He led the way and I followed. He started in the opposite direction from the grave, but, as I thought would be the case, he gradually began to circle around, until finally we were amony some boulders overlooking the apo-where the dust of the dead man was mouldering away among his buried treasure. It was a starlight night and we could see the gleam of the gray stones on the grave quite clearly. I was beginning to get quite in a fever to begin the resurrection business

"Now," said Joe, "your jest squat yourself behind that there boulder fer awhile and you'll see more durn fun than you ever seen in your life be-

"But," I said, "what"——
"What?" broke in Joe. "What?
Why, in less than an hour you'll see half that camp come prowlin' around here with picks and shovels and jackknives rippin' up the ground around that stone heap like a pack of pawin' buffalo balls." "Yes, but why don't we cut in now,"

I urged, "and get out the gold ahead of inem?"

temptuously. "I never set eyes on that cussed grave afore this mornin'." Well, Joe was right. Before we had been there half an hour shadowy forms began stealing in and out of the gloom They came singly, they came in pairs and they came in groups of three and four, and such a clattering of picks and tossing of dirt as they made! They dug up about half an acre of earth before one after another, wheez-ing and blowing with the work, knock-ed off and melted away in the dark-ness, out of which they had emerged. leaving a sulphurous trail of lan-guage devoted to old Joe behind them. And how the old man did laugh— holding his sides and grinding his face into the ground to stifle the noise.

As for me, it was not altogether such fun as it was for Joe. I couldn't belp thinking as I watched the lunatic's antics that it was only an accident that I was not a conspicuous star among them.

Yet I would have had good company. There were officers among them as well

Joe died with his boots on. Somebody shot and killed him at the Red Cloud agency in 1874.

PERSONAL.

Verdi has handed over to his friend Bolto a box containing the complete score of an opera, which is not to be opened till the great composer is dead, President Kruger has presented a rare specimen of native gold to the Royal Geological Museum at Berlin. gift is said to be worth about

It is stated that Mr. Cecil Rhodes will soon return to London, his presence being necessary in connection with the settlement of certain difficul-ties arising out of the titles to land in

The king of Siam is in England, and there is a discussion over his name. It is commonly supposed to be Chulalong-korn, but a member of the Athenaeum

boasted he once saved General Grant from capture by the confederates. Some men were lying in ambush for the general, but Sappington learned of their plans and warned Grant in time

Sergeant Egen of the Boston police force has been admitted to the bar. He entered the Boston university law school in 1894 and was graduated cum laude last year. A few weeks later he passed the examination for the Suf-

He was born in Boston in 1858. M. Limbdurg, one of the testamen-tary executors of the late Duc d'Au-male, has, in a letter to the French institute, given some interesting particulars about the value of the Chantilly estate. Since the year 1886 it app that books, manuscripts, pictures, and various works of art amounting to nearly £59,000 have been added to the Conde museum. The total value of the collection is now appraised at £600,00

Cost of an Acre of Wh James Glover of Harper county, Kap-sas, sends the state agricultural de-partment an estimate, which he says many good farmers approve or have verified, showing the cost at which wheat can be and is raised for in that county on lands that can be bought for \$10 to \$12 per acre and give yields ranging anywhere from 15 to 40 bushels per acre. His figures are as fol-

interest on land (\$15 per acre) at

15 bu. per acre cost 34 cents per bu. 18 bu. per acre cost 29 cents per bu. 20 bu. per acre cost 27 cents per bu. 25 bh. per acre cost 22% cents per bu.

It is on record that in 1889 E. F. Burchfield of Harper county raised an average of 42 1-3 bushels on a 20-acre field; J. P. Marker of Ellsworth county the same year raised 50 bushels per acre on 130 acres; Israel McComas of Jackson county had 51 bushels average on a 19-acre field, and Warren Fulton of Poitawatemie county harvested 54 bushels per acre from 18 acres. Secretary Coburn has no doubt later thrasting will show that these figures have in many instances heen surpassed this year in Sumner, Cowley and other counties, but suggests it would be mistake for everybody to "rush into wheat" expecting to acquire fortune through often realizing the phenomenal yields mentioned.

The Farmers' Review would like the opinion of its readers on the above co-

Horses' Sore Mouth-

Many horses, especially during the hany norses, especially during the first year of their working period, are constantly in possession of a sore, mouth, and this not only causes the animal great suffering and usually loss of their hand to a matter of great of flesh, but is also a matter of great inconvenience to the driver, says an exchange. This, if continued for several months, is also liable to leave the animal with a chronic habit, such as throwing the head while hitching or unbitching. We have in view one very valuable young horse, owned by a neighbor, which became almost worth-less on account of the habit of throwing its head, and at the same time lunging sideways into the ditches. The most effective plan which we have ever tried consists of winding any ordinary bit at the corners and down on the same for about an inch, with tanned sheepskin which can be procured at any harness store), being sure that it is not too thick and heavy. With this well wound on, now have a cup of sulphur, and each time as the bit is placed in the horse's mouth moisten the leather and rub on a little of the pulverized articlc. It is well also to lengthen the bridle as much as possible during this time and not drive with a tight check-ing rein. After having adopted this plan we succeeded in curing a young horse of a very sore mouth which was contracted during the working period

Cover the Bulb Bed.—Be sure to give the spring blooming bulbs a nice warm winter blanket of leaves, litter from the stable, or brush, or a combination of all, and do not be in a hurry in spring to get them out of their winter clothes. Don't rush out the first warm day and clear away all the brush and litter just because it is unsightly looking. The crocus and snowdrop will not need so warm a covering as the other bulbs and can be uncovered earlier in the spring. But from the tulip, hyacinths, etc., gradually remove the covering, leaving the finest of the stable litter on the beds permanently.

—Vick's Magazine for Sentenber -Vick's Magazine for September.

Protected the Birds.—A protty sac-dote is related of a child who was greatly perturbed by the discovery that her brothers had set traps to catch birds. Questioned as to what she had birds. Questioned as to what she had done in the matter, she replied: "I prayed that the traps might not catch the birds." "Anything else?" "Yes," she said. "I then prayed that God would prevent the birds getting into the traps," and, as it to illustrate the doctrine of faith and works, she added: "Then I went and kicked the traps all to pieces."

Burning Straw Stacks.-A country burning the straw stacks in his neighborhood to get rid them, says Ne-braska Farmer. That is more heathenish than the burning of corn for thei.

There is some show of reason for that.
But a straw stack is an innocent thing. on the farm, and it may be turned to great good. A farmer had better keep-his hands in his pockets when he be-gins to think of burning his straw stacks.—Ex.

Shredded Corn Fodder.-The Shredded Corn Fodder.—The workly fashion of waste with corn fodder will stop. Cut up, shredded and haled it keeps green and sweet, and is a rich, nutritions food. In this shape it promises to be an important item of food in the future.-Ex.

Secretary Wilson says that we are in this country the finest cheese butter in the world, but are he capped by the adulterated stuffs are palmed off on the foreign market.

The Farmers Review some time asked its readers as to the kind of floor most serviceable in a poultry house. The majority of the replies favored a oard floor.

Prairie soils will seldom prove sat-isfactry in the growing of orchards.



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any contributed their mite, and Joe was supplied temporarily and agreed to go with us. His knowledge of the country made him invaluable as a guide, although he was generally trailing along behind with the soldiers, "Joe, you said every man and every died a few days ago near St. Louis, died and the said state of the soldiers." swapping his lies for tobacco—for Joe was a notorious expert at drawing the He kent along with us without event

for several days, until rather late one afternoon, when we were nearing Cloud Peak, in the Big Horn Mountains. I had dropped back to ask Gen. mills about how many miles further on we would go before camping, and found Joe, as usual, retailing a yarm for a chew of tobacco. While talking with Gen. Mills we noticed that the advance guard had come to a halt and were examining something on the ground with every appearance of great interest. It was an unusual thing for the advance guard to stop for anything, so that our curiosity was greatly aroused to know what it was which they were looking at. It proved to be only a grave, but a grave made with such care, so beautifully and heavily covered with stones to keep out the prowling woives, that it told a very touching little story of its own of de-

voted friendship.

As we stood grouped about it Joe
came up. He looked at the grave for

Tobacco was rather scarce in the command, but such of the officers as bad ship."

Gen. Mills' lips were trembling with

"Joe, you said every man and every bronco was carrying all the gold pos-"That's the fact Colonel"

"Couldn't have carried another ounce among you?" continued the officer. "Not an ounce." said Joe.

"Well naw, if that's the case, Joe, what dip you do with all the nuggets that belonged to this man here in the grave?"
"That's jest the pint, Colonel," said

Joe, eagerly. "That's jest the pint. What did we do with all that man's nuggets? Why, we buried them with him and they are right there in that there grave now, and there's \$100,000 worth of them if there's a cent. Tha's wy I'v been lookin' fer that grave for the last twenty years; that's why I wouldn't tell you only that I was jest out fer a mornin' ride when you all wanted to know where I was goin'; that's why it all bust out of me in a heap when I seen the grave and I slammed my coyote-skin down on the

The library alone ground and said I'd got there at last."

Fully a hundred soldiers had eaught canonish of Joe's yarn to be pretty well 000.

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BTEVENS deceased.

Oscar H. Stevens, executor of the last will and
testament of said deveased, having rendered to
this Court his final administ within account and
On reading and filing the petition of said executor,
praying that the results of said estate may be
rest, at tem o'clock in the foremon, at said Probate
Office he appointed for examining and allowing said
account and hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered, that is copy of this order
be published three successive weaks previous to said
day of hearing, in the FLYMOUTH MAIL, a newpager printed and circulating in said County of
Wayner.

STATE OF MICHIGAN. County of Wayne, as-At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Wayne, held at the 1r-bate Office, in the City of Datroit, on the twenty-fifth day of Scutember in the

ag retuer a country and administration of said administration and filing the petition of said administration of praying that the residue of said estate may be med to the persons entitled thereto. ersons emitted increto.

that the twenty-sixth cay of tan o'clock in the forenoon, at

EDGAR O. DURFEE, Judge of Probate HENRY S. HULBERT, Deputy Register.
(A true copy.) 525-28

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE in the matter of the sature of William C. HEBR, deceased We, the undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court for the outsty of Wayne, state of Michigan, Counglesioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demants of all persons against adjust all claims and demants of all persons against a state of Michigan, Counglesioners to receive, examine and middle the terminal post of the state of the county, on Treaday, the 8th day of April, A. D. 1897, and on Treaday, the 8th day of April, A. D. 1898, at one o'check p.m. of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims; and that examining and allowing said claims; and that examining and allowing said claims; and that examining and allowing said creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowence.

WILLIAM HERSCHLEIB. THOMAS KERB.

Oct. 8th, 1897.

Do You Want Gold?

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Mt. Jewett, Pa., Jan. 15, '97. MESSRS. HENRY, JOHNSON & LORD Burlington, Vt.

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In a neighboring town recently a min ister at the beginning of his moribund discourse said he had forgotten his notes, and excused himself as follows: "I will have to depend entirely upon the Lord for what I say this morning, this evening I will come better prepared."

I will come better prepared."

At Plymouth last week The Mail says an old veteran, a mason by trade, begged the marshal to lock him up and get him sept up for 60 days. The Mail says:

"He said he had been looking for work of any kind for the past three weeks and had been unable to find any, and was completely discouraged. His hands showed that he was used to hard work."

Now isn't it linny he did not run into some of that prosperity which the Free Press is daily telling us is so apparent all over the country? Old soldiers, men who served their country, going about begging to be sent to the house of correction to keep from starving! And this is in Wayne county too. The old vet better go to Grand Rapids—Adrian Press.

Man that is born of woman is of few.

Man that is born of woman is of few lays and full of microbes. The momen he hits the earth he starts for the grave and the longer he travels the faster he goes. His visible reward for long days of labor and nights of walking the floor with a teething baby is an epitaph he can't read and a tombstone he doesn't want. In the first seven stages of man he is licked, in the last he is neglected, and in all the others he is a target for the lying meddlesome mischief-maker-a woman who doesn't attend to her own business If he does not marry his first love, he will always wish he had, and if he does he will always wish he hadn't. Yet no man ever follows freedom's flag for patriotism with half the enthusiasm that he will trail the red, the white and the blue that constitutes the banner of female beauty He will brave the lion's den, face the booming cannon, tread the ocean foam beneath his feet, and yet he will tremble like a half-frozen dog, when called to ac count for his cussedness. He goes forth in the morning to plow corn with a cross eyed mule and a roan steer, works hard all day and comes home to find his seven half clothed children hungry as bears, no bread in the house, and his wife over at the neighbor's to horrow a hat to wear to

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A Texas coroner's jury has administered a fitting rebuke to Michigan sentimental sm-which abhors lynching in the south and condones it at home-by rendering a verdict, in an inquest of a man strung up by a mob, of "Shiawassee County suicide."

It will be remembered that William Sullivan was lynched at Corunna several years ago, as he ought to have been, and the jury found a verdict of suicide.— Ypsilanti Sentinel.

ONE OF TWO WAYS.

pose, namely, a receptacle for the urine, and as such it is not liable to any form of disease except by one of two ways. The disease except by one universal. The first way is from imperfect action of the kidneys. The second way is from eare less local treatment of other diseases.

CHIEF CAUGE.

Unhealthy urine from unhealthy kid-

neys is the chief cause of bladder troubles. So the womb, like the bladder was created for one purpose, and if no doctored too much, is not liable to weak ness or disease, except in rare cases. It is situated back of and very close to the bladder, therefore any pain, disease or inconvenience manifested in the kidneys back, bladder or urinary passage is often by mistake, attributed to female weakness or womb trouble of some sort. The er ror is easily made and may be as easily avoided. To find out correctly, set, your urine aside for 24 hours; a sediment or settling indicates kidney or bladder trouble. The mild and extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney and bladder remedy, is soon realized. If you need a medicine you should have the best. At druggists fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet, both sent free by mail. Mention the PLYMOUTH MAIL and send your address to Dr. Kil-mer & Co., Binghampton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Livonia

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wilber, of Willams ton, and Mrs. E. L. Norton, of Piker Peak, visited Mrs. C. L. Fegurson Friday and Saturday.

Miss Anna Cort spent last week visiting friends at Redford

Miss Emma Garchow spent last Sunday

A number from here attended Mr. and Mrs. John Byers' silver wedding. There was a large crowd, and the presents were costly and numerous.

Mrs A. Turntul and Mrs. C. L. Fergu on visited friends at Pikes Peak Tuesday Miss Ada Creger called on her aunt Mrs. E. Stringer Wednesday. Mrs. W. O. Minkley, who has been con-

fined to her bed for some time with in flammatory rheumatism, is slowly improving. Married, at Rochester, Mich., Oct. 2nd

Mrs. M. C. Millard, of this place, and Mr. J. C. Daines, of Goodison, Mich-May happiness follow them is the wish of their many friends.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Helm, which has been dangerously ill for some time, is somewhat better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lambert, of Ypsilanti spent the first part of last week with the former's sister, Mrs. Nathan Kingsley.

The farmers in this vicinity have nearly all their potatoes dug, and some have commenced to husk their corn.

Miss Lizzie Smith called on friends a the Center Monday and Tuesday.

The mission of Hood's Sarsaparilla is to cure disease, and thousands of testimoni als prove it fulfills its mission well.

A small barn and straw stack belong ing to F. M. Simmons was destroyed by fire Wednesday night. Origin of the fire unknown. Loss, \$500. Fully insured,

Mrs. Adaline VanSickle has a fine nev horse barn just completed on her lot in the village here. Tim McCarty was the

Harry VanSickle, Clarence Whipple and John Bussey left this week for Cleary Business college at Ypsilanti.

The new M. E. parsonage on Adams avenue is rapidly nearing completion un-der the direction of Mr. Sawyer, of

A number of Salem people attended the fair at Brighton Thursday and Friday. Geo. S. Wheeler attended the soldiers

reunion at Whitmore lake Wednesday, H. R. Doane, former proprietor of the saw and feed mill here and dealer in hard wood lumber, left Wednesday for Detroit, where he has a position with the E. W. Leech Lumber Co. Henry will be miss-

The Northville Croquet Club met de feat at our grounds Wednesday afternoon in a series of five games. Referee Hamilton giving Salem every game.

Chas. Stanbro and wife attended the funeral of Mrs. Stanbro's father, M: Samuel Barber; of Canton, on Sanday

Prof. E. C. Goddard, of the University delivered a very interesting lecture be fore the township Sunday-school association at Wordens Thursday evening last. Yerkes & Harmon, of Northville, are

putting a new furnace in the Baptist Miss Kate Pfeitlle, of Emery, has been pending a few days with S. D. Chapin

The township board of Salem have fixed the peddler's license for Salem at ten dollars.

Jno. J. Decker and wife, brother-in-law of Rev. O. M. Thrasher, who have been spending a few days here, left for their new home in Willshire, Ohio, where Mr. Decker has purchased a newspaper publishing house

Supervisor Bailey is at Ann Arbor at tending the annual meeting of the board of supervisors.

Jno. Lewis is building a much needed addition to his house on Brown avenue.

N. H. Caverly, proprietor of the Salem House, gives a dancing party and oyster supper in Stanbro's hall Friday night of this week.

Prof. Hinsdale, of the U. of M., has een spending a few days hunting with Dr. Walker and son.

Northville.

Clifton Covert went down to Detroit Sunday to look the city over. He saw all the sights.

Charence Cornwell, who took a header from his bicycle last week Thursday eyen ng and broke his collar bone, is reovering rapidly. He hopes to return to chool by the first of next week.

Mrs. C. S. Dubuar and son, Jamie, were

in Detroit from Friday until Monday.

The High School Oracle, which was published here for two issues, has been discontinued on account of financial em

Miss Carolyn Holt Babbit, elecutionist, and Miss Norine Clarkson, violinist, will give an entertainment at the opera house next Tuesday evening for the benefit of the high school. Everybody come.

Prof. D. C. Bliss made a business trip to Detroit Tuesday. Miss Mabel Laneaster took his place in the high school.

A poultry exhibition will be held in this place on December 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11. Preparations are being started and indications point to a very successful show

The Detroit district of the Epworth League will hold a convention at the M E. church Friday and Saturday. A good time is expected

Sneak thieves have been prowling around this place for some time. Severa houses were entered, but not much was stolen. Money is all they seem to care for, as they do hot touch anything else.

Rev. Herbener delivered one of his usual powerful and interesting sermons Sunday morning on the subject: "What if the Universalists Were Right?" Mr. Mead, of the U. of M., sang a baritone solo, which was highly appreciated.

The Automatic Hatching Co. of this place has just issued a neat eight-page circular descriptive of the Suspension

The C. E. society of the Presbyterian church has arranged for a lecture course this winter, and it is to be hoped that our townspeople will patronize it liberally Some of the numbers will be lectures by Morgan Wood, Prof. W. N. Ferris and Mr. Hathaway, and an entertainment by other numbers, making six in all. The price for a season ticket is \$1.00.

The Tennessee Jubilee Singers gave : second entertainment at the opera house Saturday evening for the benefit of the B. Y. P. U. Everybody who attended seem ed highly, pleased with the entertainment

The new condensed milk factory is nearly ready to commence operations It's location is near Yerkes Bros.' grist

Miss Minnie Smith attended the Sun day-school convention at Detroit last week as a delegate from the Presbyterian Sunday school.

Thad Knapp and Claud Burgess have returned to the U of M. Thad is now a senior and will graduate next June, carrying off the degree of Ph. B.

Stock in the Northville Telephone Co has all been placed, and the work of putting up 'phones goes merrily on. number have been put in and there are many more to follow. Subscribers here have free service to Novi and Farmington, as well as over home lines. The New State Telephone Co. is also putting in quite a number of 'phones, as the num ber of wires on their poles would indi cate. Makes our place look quite like city to see these improvements. The next thing is an electric car line from here to Detroit.

The Courtenay-Morgan company has been presenting some first-class plays at the opera house this week. We have heart bit stated that this is the best troupe that has been here for years. Their en tertainments are of a high class kind and

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