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LIVONIA CENTER.

There will be a carpet ball social Friday evening, April 15th, at Will Borman's, one and one-half miles west and one-half mile south of Livonia Center, proceeds to go to German church. Ladies please bring box.

George Cort came home from the city Tuesday and will move his goods in at once and begin city life.

Town meeting day was one of the nicest days we ever witnessed for that occasion. The Republicans carried everything, the Democrats not even getting a constable.

William Lawrence has moved his family to Tuscola county and a family from Elm has moved into the house vacated by them.

Fred Vogt moved to his new home near Farmington Tuesday.

Charley Wolfram left for Eaton Rapids Saturday, where he expects to work with his brother Louie the coming summer.

George Creiger brought home a new wife last week from Columbiaville. Best wishes to bride and groom.

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There's nothing like doing a thing thoroughly. Of all the Salves you ever heard of, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is best. It sweeps away and cures Burns, Sores, Bruises, Cuts, Boils, Ulcers, Skin Eruptions and Piles. It's only 25c, and guaranteed to give satisfaction by Jno. L. Gale and The Wolverine Drug Co.

PERRINSVILLE.

Mrs. Maude Richards has purchased a phonograph of J. F. Brown.

Miss Mamie Theuer, of Detroit, visited with her cousin, Miss Lizzie Theuer last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Sanderson, who is staying with her brother James Tait, is very ill with paralysis. Dr. Adams of Plymouth is in attendance.

Miss Libbie Tait, who has been spending the winter with her aunt at Cairo, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Sherman visited with the former's parents last Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Herr was in Detroit last Tuesday.

Wm. Beyer was in Detroit last Monday.

Mrs. Mary Robinson is able to be up around again.

Mrs. Wm. Oliver is on the sick list. Dr. Tillapaugh of Plymouth is in attendance.

Warning.

If you have kidney or bladder trouble and do not use Foley's Kidney Cure, you will have only yourself to blame for results, as it positively cures all forms of kidney and bladder diseases. For sale by The Wolverine Drug Co.

NEWBURG.

Ladies' aid, because of the measles, is postponed until April 15th, then to meet for supper with their president, Miss Nora Smith. All invited.

Sunday-school officers elected: D. L. Dickerson, Supt.; Arthur Bennett, sec.; George Oldenburg, treas.; Mabel Rutter librarian. J. A. LeVap chorister, Miss Lillie Rutter organist, May Joslin missionary secretary and treasurer were appointed. Teachers appointed next Sunday.

The uncommon light at church last Sunday was because of the presence of two new brides and grooms—Miss Emma Bassett who was married to Mr. Cochrane, of Eaton Rapids, and Arthur Bennett, who was married to Miss Sherwood, of Perrinsville, March 31st. Every one unites in best wishes for them.

Epworth League elected the following officers: Mrs. Ada LeVan, pres.; Mrs. Dessie Grow, 1st vice; Mrs. Nellie Dickerson, 2nd vice; Mrs. Mary Oldenburg, 3rd vice; W. I. Smith, 4th vice; Arthur Bennett, sec.; Frank Oldenburg, treas. W. Scott Jones, of Detroit, will conduct the meeting next Sunday evening; all invited.

As Mr. and Mrs. Grimm were driving to Toledo, their horse got scared and backed into the deep ditch where the Plymouth road crosses the Rouge. Mrs. G. was badly hurt.

Mrs. C. Grow and Mrs. L. Stark are quite sick.

Mrs. F. Langs was able to return to Chicago last Friday.

C. H. Armstrong is moving back to the farm.

C. Macender is very sick with the measles.

Miss Ethel Woodworth, of Detroit, is home caring for her sister, who is sick with measles.

Mrs. Nettie Lee, of Toledo, and Mrs. Nellie Pettibone, of Ypsilanti, sur-

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Gents' Dress Shoes and Oxfords.

We have just opened up a very stylish line of Gents' Shoes and Oxfords.

Ralston Health Shoe.

We would like to announce to the men of Plymouth that we have secured the agency for the Ralston Health Shoe (the Shoe made with an idea). These shoes are better ones even than custom made. They are worth more than the price asked—\$4.00.

Budd's Baby and Children's Shoes.

J. R. RAUCH & SON

prised their mother, Mrs. King, on her birthday last Thursday.

Mrs. D. Dickerson visited her parents at Lakeville last week.

Our farmers met Mr. Kruger last Tuesday for a milk meeting. Everything is going along well at our depot.

W. J. Smith visited near St. Johns last week.

E. J. Morris is visiting in Detroit. Born and Mrs. Robt. Chappell, a little girl.

I know a jolly old maiden lady,
A lady of high degree,
Who never goes to bed—without
A drink of Rocky Mountain Tea.
Sensible woman.
Hubbell's Pharmacy.

ELM.

A large number attended the administrator sale of household goods of the deceased Mrs. Bartram, sister of Mrs. Charles Hawkins at this place Friday, April 1, the majority being ladies.

George Tanger has purchased a brand new threshing outfit. He is at present busy preparing a cage for his canary.

Henry Krueger has accepted a job braeking for the Pere Marquette.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Leitch of Plymouth, visited friends at this place Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schroder visited relatives at Farmington on Friday and while there purchased a new piano of a Pontiac firm for their daughter Emma as a birthday gift.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hirschlieb attended the annual meeting of Detroit C. S. S. Association Monday night.

At the election of town officers Monday the Republicans elected their entire ticket. A hard battle was fought for supervisor by Ira Wilson, rep., and J. J. Vrooman, dem., both being good and popular men, Mr. Vrooman having held the office several years previously.

A Thoughtful Man.
M. M. Austin of Winchester, Ind. knew what to do in the hour of need. His wife had such an unusual case of stomach and liver trouble, physicians could not help her. He thought of and tried Dr. King's New Life Pills and she got relief at once and was finally cured. Only 25c, at Jno. L. Gale's and The Wolverine Drug Co.

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Stylish Spring Suits for Men.....\$ 6 00 to \$15 00
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Men's Guarantee Patent Coltskin and Patent Kid shoes, in Bals, Bluchers and Oxfords. Every pair guaranteed not to crack. And the price is only \$2.50.

A. H. DIBBLE & SON

If the amateur theatrical bug is dangerous, what has been said of the real article?

Can you name more than three people you have ever known who could tell a story well?

Don't waste any sympathy on Sully. He got exactly the dose of medicine his system needed.

Grim famine is beginning to stalk through parts of Russia and even the Tomak cats are starving.

"True poverty is a blessing," said Father Huntington; and so it undoubtedly is; but ah—what is truth?

London's experts are only half right. It is not the biggest game but the ability to use them that wins battles.

A Chicago alderman has just published a poem entitled "On Seeing a Robin." Yes, Chicago aldermen have changed.

If you must speculate be prudent. Don't plunge on margin until you have remembered to give a \$265,000 house to your wife.

Prince yuca-yowah-Fute-yala-Tsabayonaw-Mohamed of Central Africa is lecturing in this country, but his name is not yet on every lip.

One sad thing about it is that the magazine editors will never ask Mr. Sully to write articles on the disadvantages of college education.

Patience, perseverance and practice will achieve wonders. Probably 5 per cent of our population can now pronounce Vladivostok without stuttering.

The juice of the rubber tree is 56 per cent water and 44 per cent rubber. The percentage of water is said to be much greater in the rubber trust.

Andrew Carnegie says that the captain of industry who seeks a board of dollars is of a low type. What a blessed thing is reform!—Philadelphia Ledger.

The "displaced mine" seems to be about as unpleasant for the Russians at Port Arthur as the "salted mine" was for the gulleless in the earlier days of the West.

Jiji is the name of the leading newspaper of Japan. It requires a pretty long stretch of the imagination to find that no Japanese breakfast can be complete without Jiji.

Asked what impressed him most in this country, W. B. Yeats, the Irish poet, replied: "The fat Irishmen; we have none at home." Come over, the rest of you, and fatten up!

Gold deposits have been discovered in Tibet. This being the case, the Grand Lama may as well get ready to move out. England can't let Tibet be around unused any longer.

"Do I like America as well as I did in former years?" says Patti. "O, no; the country has changed so much, and, really, it has not changed for the better." Just like Patti's voice.

The people would like clean money, no doubt, but they are willing to put up with badly scented currency rather than not have it. The \$10 bill microbe isn't so very abhorrent, after all.

Various gentlemen who at one time or another have thought they could buy up all the wheat in the world will find the account of Mr. Sully's experience more thrilling than a detective story.

If a gallon of gasoline will run an automobile 20 miles and gasoline costs 15 cents a gallon, how long will it take you to save up money enough to buy a second-hand peff-peff-peff machine?

Mr. Kubelik's experience with a German audience differs from similar ones of some of our violinists in that sticks, stones, cabbages and eggs were not intended as a reflection upon his playing.

When the busy American reads that the census of India, just taken, shows a population of 294,000,000, or four times that of the United States, he just naturally can't help wondering how they all get a living.

"The main business of the child," avers Principal Watt, "is to grow." It is the opinion of many experienced parents that the main business of the male child is to eat. Growth is merely secondary and incidental.

John O. Heald of Orange, having offered a prize of \$100 for the words and music of a song that will best exemplify the true Yale spirit, poets will now rack their brains for a stirring phrase to rhyme with "T. H. with Harvard!"

Hetty Green having recently received a \$100,000 check and purchased a handsome house in New York with it, she is now in order for herself to begin for herself a sensible plan.

THE MICHIGAN NEWS

Showing What's Doing in All Sections of the State

SPRING ELECTIONS.

Results in Various Towns—Some Striking Features.

The municipal elections in Michigan on Monday show some quite remarkable features. Sybrant Wesselles, Republican, was chosen, and Edwin F. Sweet, Democrat, was elected mayor of Grand Rapids. The campaign in the Second City was a most extraordinary one. Wesselles was confined to his house, and was able to be out on election day for the first time, and drove in the afternoon to a few polling places. The remainder of the city ticket went Republican; city attorney, Moses Taggart, marshal, Thomas Gleason, justice, O. C. Granger, clerk of two courts, and nine supervisors-at-large. The Democrats elected eight out of twelve aldermen, but the next council will be Republican, nevertheless.

The entire Republican ticket went out in Battle Creek, from mayor to constables. The Bay City Republicans elected George Hobes bridge commissioner by 520 on the east side, and 440 on the west side, showing a party victory. Ald. Barnett, Republican, was elected mayor on the west side by 191 majority.

Ionia Republicans are jubilant over their first clean sweep in this city in 20 years.

It was a Republican landslide in Lansing, showing that party in control after four years of Democratic rule. The ticket elected: Mayor, Hugh Lyons; clerk, M. E. Gray; treasurer, E. D. Cole; assessor, F. C. Phekey. By electing four aldermen, the Republicans make the council a tie, with the mayor to decide.

In the Pontiac election the Democrats secured the mayor and clerk. For mayor, John D. Riker, Democrat, won over H. C. Guillot, Republican, by a majority of 128; Will H. O'Reilly, Democrat, received a majority of 257 over J. H. Thorpe, Republican, for clerk. Will Harris, Republican, beat Fred Harrison, Democrat, for city treasurer by 16. In five wards the Democrats elected four supervisors, three aldermen and two constables.

The Republican and Union candidate for mayor of Gladwin are tied. All the others on the Republican city ticket were elected except treasurer. The Negaunee municipal campaign was the most closely contested in years. Party lines were not drawn, but all the officials elected are Republicans. There were two tickets, the Taxpayers' and the Citizens', the former winning by nearly 200 majority.

The Clare Democrats elected the entire city tickets with majorities of 95 for Mayor A. J. Lacey down to 7 for John Kirkpatrick, for treasurer. They elected four aldermen and the council now stands four to two in their favor. The Republicans will probably control the county board of supervisors.

The entire Republican ticket was elected in Eaton Rapids with large majorities. A heavy vote was cast on account of the local option and municipal ownership questions. Local option carried in the city by 34 and in the county by 600.

The Democrats of St. John elected Amos Bush, mayor; Spencer M. Stilson, clerk; Edmund H. Osgeod, treasurer. Republicans elected both justices, four out of six aldermen, two out of three supervisors, the third being a tie. The board of supervisors of Chatham county will show a large Republican majority.

Albion was carried by the Republicans for the first time in many years. Cheboygan elected a Democrat for mayor and a Republican council.

Every Republican on the ticket was elected in Hillsdale, except one supervisor and the city clerk, for which office the Republicans had no candidate.

The Holland Republicans elected Henry Goodings mayor with 430 majority, and also treasurer, two justices, two supervisors and three aldermen. The Democrats elected the marshal and two aldermen. The council stands seven Republicans to two Democrats. Milo D. Campbell was elected mayor of Coldwater for a third term by over 400 majority.

The entire Republican township ticket was elected in Detroit by a majority ranging from 18 for clerk to 1 for constable. It was the greatest landslide known for years.

Can't Arrest Him.

The unknown epileptic victim brought to the Kalkaska jail nearly a week ago by Deputy Sheriff Nash, of Vicksburg, still remains in a stupor, and all efforts on the part of the officers to rouse him have failed.

The man was placed against the jail walls and extreme measures taken to rouse him. Water was freely used, but without apparent effect. It is probable the man's admission to the Michigan asylum will be asked.

Louise Michel, the famous agitator, dying of pulmonary congestion at Tonawanda.

The supreme court denies McGarry's appeal for a new trial, so his conviction in connection with the Grand Rapids water scandal stands. He is now in Florida.

A Saginaw man when pulled out of the river half dead refused to touch liquor, saying he never drank.

A bill appropriating \$125,000 for a light-house and fog signal at Rock of Ages, Lake Superior, has been laid over till next session.

The body of William A. Laid, aged 28 years, reached Hastings, his home, on what was to have been his wedding day. He was engaged to Miss Florence Ebbler, of Bath, N. Y. On the last day before he was to start east for the wedding he fell 45 feet to his death through the breaking of a plank in a building upon which he was working.

Michigan Wool.

The wool season has opened in this state under favorable conditions for sellers. While there are some unfavorable features in the wool trade, it is not probable that they are important enough to injure wool prospects materially. The season is backward and this always affects the market adversely. If the weather improves an improvement in the market will follow. In the interior of this state some dealers are quoting 15c to 16c for unwashed, according to surinage and quality, while others quote 16c to 20c, and it is likely the latter prices will be sold, as the flocks of heavy wools are more prominent in the state than have been largely crossed with delaine merino rams or those of the mutton breeds. The great bulk of the clip will be cross-bred, running from one-quarter to one-half blood, with a good sprinkling of fine delaine fleeces from Rambouillet and delaine merino flocks. The clip of the state is of exceedingly mixed character owing to flock owners using rams of different breeds so generally. There may be three or four distinct lines of blood in a flock, and each one will leave its impress on the fleece.

Tax Sharks Jotted.

By a recent decision of the supreme court, tax title sharks all over the state have received a severe jolt. A house and lot in Alpena was sold for taxes of 1909. The county treasurer disposed of the property at public sale last May. The purchaser was also obliged to pay the back taxes from 1890 to 1900, a total of \$300. When the former owner attempted to redeem the property he was asked \$700, the amount of the taxes doubled, with costs added. He refused to pay this amount and tendered the original amount of the taxes to the auditor general, who refused to accept the money. The official owner, through his attorney, then applied to the supreme court for a writ of mandamus to compel the auditor general to accept the money. The writ has been granted.

Waltz in Marquette.

Emil Waltz, sent from Detroit to the Marquette prison for life, following his conviction as the murderer of little Alphonse Wilmes, has been removed from solitary confinement and put to work in the cigar shop at the institution. He had been in solitary confinement since his incarceration in the prison, about two weeks ago, and at a meeting of the board of control, held late last week, his case was given attention. The board was favorably impressed with Waltz and decided that it would be best to remove him from the solitary confinement and give him employment. He will be employed packing cigars and for the past day or two he has been observing the work of the old packers, men skilled in the task by long experience. So far Waltz has been very well behaved and says that he is desirous of making a record as a good prisoner.

Charges Unaverted.

John Sheehan, just returned to Detroit, after serving a three-year sentence in the state prison for burglary committed in Detroit, has made accusations against the abuse of the "strut" system at the penitentiary, against the conduct of the hospital where he says a prisoner cannot get the proper attention unless he becomes a tale-bearer against his fellows, and concerning incompetency and extravagance in the prison culinary department. He also says that out of the \$10,000 appropriated for repairs, there was spent \$2,000 for a greenhouse, although the painter has been unable to get money enough to buy lead for his paints. A careful investigation of these charges made by the Detroit News shows the charges to be false and the discipline of the prison is commended.

Three Children Drowned.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holmes, who live on a farm near Tustin, lost their entire family at one fell stroke Tuesday. Their three little children went out to play and as had been their custom all winter, went to the pond, which was but a few rods from the house. During the night a thin crust of ice had formed on the surface, and the three children joined hands and ventured out upon it. They had not got far from shore when the ice gave way, and they went to the bottom in 12 feet of water.

They were soon missed, and the hole in the ice told the awful story. The bodies were recovered in about two hours, and they were found together, their hands tightly clasping each other. The children were aged 13, 11 and 9, respectively.

Thursday night George Brookmeyer, a fisherman, shot himself through the hand with a revolver when seven miles out on the ice. He had to walk to Bay City, 15 miles through water part of the way, to get a physician.

Fourteen-year-old Delosa Colby, of Grindstone City, was killed while looking for eggs in the barn.

Arthur Eggleston fell into a vat of boiling water at the mill of the Charlevoix Lumber Co., and was so severely scalded that there is little hope of saving his life.

The old line insurance companies issued policies in Michigan during the year of \$56,553,141.00, and at the close of the year the policies in force amounted to \$235,145,903.45. These companies received in premiums during the year from Michigan policy holders \$5,022,072.00, and paid out for losses \$2,752,708.95.

STATE NEWS NOTES.

PC 7 beating his mother, Charles B. A. of Lexington, is serving 60 days in jail.

Children of North Rome wear badges, "Vote Yes For Me," referring to local option.

Stanley Trull, aged 11, stepped in front of a train at Bellaire and was cut to pieces.

The water in a church basement at Sodus was pumped out so services could be held.

R. L. Stearns, son of Justice S. Stearns, has been nominated for mayor of Ludington.

Jacob Hoyt, for fifty-two years an employe of the Michigan Central at Jackson, died Thursday.

The beekeepers of northern Michigan closed a successful meeting at Traverse City Thursday.

Oscar Teller, aged 17, was killed in the paper mill at Cheboygan by being caught in the machinery.

Burglars in Clarkson took \$45 from a hardware store, \$35 from the post-office, and a horse and carriage.

The making of maple sugar has begun in Berrien county, and the outlook is for an exceedingly small crop.

Miners and operators were to convene in Saginaw Thursday, but the flood conditions prevented a meeting.

The \$5,000 wanted for the completion of improvements at the Northville fish hatchery has been allowed.

The supreme court handed down a unanimous opinion to this effect. There are many similar cases in the state.

Jonesville business men have organized to push the industrial interests of the village, and Quincy proposes to do likewise.

The Menominee River Sugar Co. will give 5,000 pounds of granulated sugar to farmers showing best results from beets.

The proposition to bond Coldwater for \$50,000 to begin a system of sanitary sewerage was carried by a majority of 205.

A committee of the state bar association recommends that the fees of justices of the peace be abolished and salaries substituted.

Frances Mox, a 17-year-old Polish girl, of Alpena, was stabbed in the left side Tuesday night by Jacob Goll, who is mentally deranged.

The duck hunting season on the Monroe marshes was formally opened Thursday, and ducks are more numerous than ever before.

The case of Harry Fairbanks, charged with the murder of Arva Martin, at Lawrence, Oct. 31, last, ended with a verdict of not guilty.

The Grand Trunk railway has submitted a proposition to the state fair locating committee, to purchase the old fair grounds in Jackson.

A Branch county young man who attempted to propose to a girl over a country party telephone line a few nights ago, has received four acceptances already.

Professor Adams, in the hearing held in Detroit, said that the railroads of the state are really worth \$43,000,000 more than assessed by the state tax commission.

The state board of health has issued a bulletin inspired by the floods in lower Michigan cities and towns, strongly urging the boiling of all drinking water.

The socialists of Grand Rapids want the primary law for Grand Rapids declared unconstitutional and have commenced proceedings in the supreme court to that end.

Winifred Cornworth, sent up from Adrian for two years for stealing a horse and buggy in August, 1901, was arrested as he was leaving Jackson prison Saturday morning.

Michael O'Brien, of Parma, aged 40, was killed by the caving in of a gravel bank in a pit at Bloomenville. He was working on a Michigan Central steam shovel. A widow survives.

A gasoline launch containing four men who were measuring the light of the water at Saginaw Thursday struck against a bridge and was overturned. Adam Raupp, aged 21, was drowned.

The damage to railroad tracks in the Saginaw valley from the floods is worse than was at first supposed. As the water recedes it is found that miles of paddled have been washed out.

The pardon board will recommend a parole for Dr. F. D. Woodworth, convicted of misconduct in office while county clerk in Ingham county. He has served one year of a two-year sentence at Ionia.

While returning from giving an entertainment in Courtwright, Ont., some Epworth Leaguers had a long fight with the ice, which nearly prevented them from making the St. Clair landing.

Under instructions from Cleveland, James H. Rough, superintendent of mines for the Cleveland Cliffs Co., went to Ironwood Thursday, to close Ashland mine. Seven hundred men are affected.

Mrs. Emma Hopkins, mother of the 14-year-old Owosso boy who was sent to the reform school for drunkenness has begun \$5,000 damage suit against three local saloonkeepers for selling liquor to him.

NEWS OF THE WORLD

A Brief Chronicle of All Important Happenings

The Jap Armies.

—Advices received from Kobe, Japan, say the Japanese government has 200,000 troops in motion and fully 80,000 more under arms, in garrisons and at the depots. These numbers are exclusive of the third reserves, numbering 120,000, which have not been called to the colors.

The exact number of troops which have left Japan for their various destinations is not known, but the entire first army has been landed, and has established itself in northwestern Korea, with its main base at Chinnampo. The Japanese general staff still carefully guards the plan of campaign, but it is generally believed that it will operate three armies, each nominally numbering 100,000 men, the second army landing west of the Yalu river and the third army east of New-Chwang. The landing of the latter two armies will be easily accomplished for the light cruiser squadrons can protect both movements.

It is thought that the landing of a heavy Japanese force west of the mouth of the Yalu will force the Russians to abandon the fortifications which they have been erecting north of the crossing of the first army of Japan.

The advance guard of the Japanese army in northwestern Korea has occupied the town of Seng-Cheng (Sun Chum) without opposition. Seng-Cheng is on the Pekin road, 18 miles west of Chong Ju and about 40 miles south of Wiju.

When the Japanese drove the Russians out of Chong Ju last week the Russian withdrawal was in two columns, one going over the Kook Sun road and the other over the Pekin road. The Japanese advance from Chong Ju was made very rapidly. The Russians did not resist this advance, and now it is not probable there will be any further opposition south of the Yalu river.

Chong Ju, because of its superior natural surroundings, is the strongest place between Ping-Yang and Wiju. Besides these natural advantages there is an old Korean fort there.

The Russian troops are withdrawing gradually to the northward toward the Yalu.

It is reported that the ice on the Yalu is well broken up and in the future the river must be crossed either in jumps or over portable bridges.

Russias Well Prepared.

The Japanese will have to fight odds of two to one when the great clash comes at the Yalu river. This statement was made by Field Marshal Yamagata, who, after the emperor's first in command of the Japanese forces, Field Marshal Yamagata was the original organizer of the Japanese army. "Russian troops have been coming south for a long time," said Marshal Yamagata, "and it is evident that a conflict must result." Two rivers that empty into the Arctia sea run near Lake Baikal. They are navigable in summer and can be used for transportation. The Russians in this way need not rely entirely on the railroad. Large supplies of American flour have been going to Vladivostok for years, and we must expect to meet a well equipped and well nourished army of 200,000. It is a difficult matter to fight a nation with 2,000,000 soldiers. We have to lay our plans very carefully.

The Russian plan seems to be to permit the Japanese to have a number of small victories in northern Korea so as to draw them northward toward Harbin. These were the Russian tactics during the Turkish war, they permitted the Turks to win small skirmishes which drew them forward until the Russians were massed at Plevna. Several victories in northern Korea will stimulate the Japanese ambition so that they will adopt the city of "and to Harbin," which is exactly the point to which Gen. Ghorpatkin seeks to lure them.

Herod An Amateur.

That the Ashmead crematory in Philadelphia was not the only one used by the malpractice and baby farm syndicate is asserted by the men engaged in running down the gang whose traffic was in human lives. It is hinted that some farms had more complete plants for covering up their crimes and that those who took the method of abandoning bodies in alleys or throwing them down sewers were not considered up-to-date. "Developments to come, it is said, will throw what has passed into the shadow and make Herod look like an amateur."

Russians Withdraw.

The advance guard of the Japanese army in northwestern Korea occupied the town of Seng-Cheng Saturday afternoon without opposition. Seng-Cheng is on the Pekin road eighteen miles west of Chong Ju and about forty miles south of Wiju.

The washouts on the Peru Marquette railway are being repaired as fast as possible, but it will take nearly a week before trains can pass over the road and reach Ionia.

Relatives of Ernest Kitchen, of Peninsula township, are searching for him. About two weeks ago he came to Traverse City and sold a horse since which time he has not been seen.

Ten more indictments have been returned against city officials and prominent citizens by grand jury at Milwaukee.

Senator Fairbanks has submitted a amendment to the postoffice appropriation bill to make rural carriers' salaries \$600 the first year, \$720 the second, and \$850 thereafter, and no privileges.

A favorable report was authorized in the bill granting statehood to Oklahoma and the Indian Territory under the name of Oklahoma and Arizona and New Mexico under the name of Arizona by the house committee on territories.

Must Show Contracts.

The case of the Interstate commerce commission vs. Baird, commonly known as the anthracite coal case, was decided by the supreme court of the United States Monday in favor of the contentions of the commission, the decision of the United States circuit court for the southern district of New York being reversed.

This is the case instituted before the commission by W. R. Hearst of New York who alleged discrimination in freight rates by the railroad companies which reached the anthracite coal mines in Pennsylvania.

During the hearing some of the witnesses refused to produce certain contracts bearing upon the business of the railroad companies and the coal mines, and this refusal was upheld by the circuit court of New York.

The United States supreme court holds that the contracts should have been supplied. The opinion was handed down by Justice Day.

The Ohio Floods.

Reports from various Ohio towns say that the flood conditions are still serious. At Defiance water is seven feet above normal. Two hundred houses are under water, and the river is still rising. Indications point to a continuation of the high water until at least noon Sunday.

At Bucyrus, half a dozen bridges have been swept away and the property damaged will reach \$50,000. The Lake cemetery is partially washed away and bodies are seen floating down the stream.

The Detroit Southern, and Findlay, Fort Wayne & Western railroads have had hundreds of feet of track washed away.

All of East Piqua is submerged, people there living in the top stories of their homes.

At Marion several thousand feet of track has been washed away. Trains on the Erie road from the west into Marion are abandoned.

To Adjourn April 20.

The Republican leaders in the house and senate have decided to bring about the adjournment of the present session on April 20. If it can be accomplished, this means that all general legislation will be side-tracked, and that the proposed impeachment of Judge Swayne will be held in abeyance until next session. Mr. Dalzell thinks nothing stands in the way now. While the house Democrats will protest against pushing the session to a close, the proposed program can be put through the house without any trouble, but it may be held up in the senate if Senator Gorman and his followers are disposed to fight. From the confident manner in which the Republicans are proceeding it looks as though they do not expect a very prolonged opposition.

England, Fears Complications.

The slaughter of the Tibetans entirely kills such waning interest as still exists in London in the Japanese-Russian struggle. The news of the wholesale bloodshed excites as a general rule a feeling of depression, first because the average Englishman secretly sees that it is necessary and, secondly, because there is general apprehension that it may lead to complications with Russia. The last thing the British public wants at the present moment is another war, and what is most divided is a rise in the income tax. Hence, the tragic events in fact that are especially unwelcome at this period, when the taxpayer is nervously waiting to see how he will be called on to pay off the national debt.

United States Senator Sentenced.

Senator J. R. Burton, of Kansas, was sentenced Wednesday to six months' imprisonment in jail and to pay a fine of \$2,500 for using his influence before the postoffice department in behalf of the Blaine Grain & Seedlings Co., an alleged get-rich-quick concern of St. Louis, and for having received payment from the company for his services.

Judge Adams overruled the motions that had been filed for a new trial and for arrest of judgment and pronounced sentence. His attorney, Judge Krum, immediately filed a bill of exceptions in the case and offered a bond for \$10,000, which was accepted.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Suit for divorce has been instituted by Mrs. Wilkison, wife of a Paterson, N. J., silk mill worker on the ground that her husband persists in smoking a pipe.

James C. Colgate, member of the New York stock exchange, has taken out an insurance policy for \$1,800,000. This is said to be the largest single policy ever written.

John Overholzer, aged 64 years, former member of the Iowa legislature, when sentenced to two years in prison for forgery at Los Angeles, Cal., asked the court to make it life imprisonment, rather than face the world with a prison record.

Just at the critical moment in a difficult operation he was performing in a Brooklyn hospital, Dr. Stephen P. Trues, a widely known gynecologist, was seized by faintness, staggered into an adjoining room and in fifteen minutes was dead.

Accused of aiding in the recent Springfield, O., rioting and lynching of Richard Dixon, the colored murderer of Patrohan Collins, Earl Salkins, a professional base ball player, has been arrested, and will be held pending the findings of the grand jury.

Enable to agree to an arbitration of their differences the Iowa miners and operators split in joint conference with the result that every mine in the state will be shut down, throwing 15,500 miners out of employment. The conference adjourned after a session covering six weeks.

The house has passed the sundry civil appropriation bill.

To Heroes of the Revolution

Daughters Plan to Erect Handsome Memorial Structure in City of Washington at a Cost of \$300,000—Description of the Building as at Present Designed

At the inception of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution the erection of a fitting memorial to the memory of the heroes of the Revolution in the shape of a stately building in the capital city of the nation was dimly shadowed forth.

That was on the 18th of October, 1890. The idea has been fostered by succeeding congresses and has kept pace with the growth of the society until now, fourteen years afterward, the hope has become an assured fact.

Year by year the fund has grown, slowly at first, but increasing rapidly as the purpose and full realization of the plan became more widely known. An attractive movement, the patriotism of American women and men has been aroused in its behalf. Congress was petitioned for a site, which it promised—but never gave.

Finally the Daughters saw that they must rely chiefly upon their own exertions, and not upon a well meaning but dilatory national legislative body, for that important item. So in 1902 a site at Seventeenth and E streets, near the Corcoran Art Gallery, was bought. Later the lot adjoining was acquired, at total outlay of \$50,000.

During the encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic in October, 1902, a flagpole was placed on the site with impressive ceremonies. In February a handsome silk flag, the gift of the Sons of Revolutions, was raised in the presence of the annual congress of the society, with appropriate addresses by notable men. Thus a partial dedication of the site for patriotic purposes has been made.

A competition was announced for design of a memorial hall, open to all American architects. After mature deliberations this award was given to Edward Pearce Casey of New York, an architect known in Washington through other instances of his skill.

The cost of the hall is expected to be between \$200,000 and \$400,000. Of this amount fully \$100,000 has been accumulated.

The style of architecture is colonial, with a due adherence to classic requirements. An additional aim is to conform as far as possible with the architecture of the proposed Columbian University extensions to be erected on a site adjacent to the hall grounds.

All the material to be used in the construction of the hall must be American, as a further emphasis of loyalty to national enterprise and endeavor. Marble is to be the basic material, of course, as it is believed to be peculiarly appropriate in the working out of the details of the elaborate design. The construction on modern fireproof lines will be provided for and will not interfere with the general use of marble.

The site itself, in the light of the future, is ideal. At the gateway of the plot assigned by Washington for the erection of a great national university, but later degraded to mere base uses, there is a steady movement in several different quarters to bring about the original noble intentions of Washington and the far-sighted L'Enfant in that regard. Back of it rolls the historic Potomac and in front is the "white lot," or Executive Park, and the Mall.

To the northwest is the gentle slope of Observatory Hill, already spoken for as the site of magnificent galleries of history and art and kindred educational institutions. Nearby is the new speedway, while not far off is the lofty monument to Washington.

On either side are flanked three massive columns, making an impressive facade. From the entrance hall three broad entrances connect. Opposite the entrance is the stage, twelve feet deep and fifty-four feet long. Surrounding the stage rise tiers of boxes, where in future congresses the Board of Managers and national officers will view the proceedings.

Opening off the south corridors is the memorial room, seventy-two by sixteen feet, where the cases containing the relics of the society will be kept. Of the nature of a museum, yet containing, as it will, the memorials of the Revolution as they are collected from private individuals and acquired by bequests, it was deemed advisable and appropriate to call it simply the "Memorial Room." This room occupies nearly the whole surface of the south side of the first floor, excepting a small room as yet unoccupied by any particular division.

The portico springs from two points nearly seventy feet apart and reaching out thirty feet to the center, where

It is the present intention to lay the cornerstone of the hall on the anniversary of the battle of Lexington, on April 17, during the session of the annual Congress. If the work progresses to allow the dedication it promises to be a most brilliant ceremony, with addresses by notable public men and Daughters.

A strenuous effort is to be made to obtain a promised appropriation from Congress. The passage of a bill providing for the erection of a monument to Revolutionary heroes is imminent, and the Daughters feel that money should be given to Continental Hall.—New York Herald.

POTATOES AT HIGH PRICES.

English Producers Get Good Returns for Investment.

There is a big boom in potatoes in Lincolnshire, way, and the hearts of the raisers rejoice. A Sheffield gentleman has just invested in a quantity of "Sutton's new discovery" at 7s 6d (\$4.20) a pound. That seems a



President of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

fairly good price for potatoes of any sort, but even that long figure is easily beaten. In Petersburg market the other day one pound of Eldorado potatoes fetched £100 (\$487). The owner who sold the Sheffield gentleman his little lot writes him that there has been on his premises a raiser who declined £30 (\$146) for a single potato of that variety. Even this price was eclipsed at the Smithfield show on Wednesday, when a firm of York potato merchants sold four pounds of Eldorados at the rate of £150 (\$728) a pound. This is reckoned to work out at £336,000 (\$1,635,144) a ton, or about twice their weight in gold. The raiser, it might be added, declined an offer of £70 (\$341) for a single specimen of the Eldorado.—Sheffield (England) Telegraph.

The columns of the portico are estimated to cost \$2,000 each, and every one of the thirteen original States is asked to vote the funds needed to construct its column. This is one of the most impressive and beautiful features of the hall, and nothing attests its memorial character as much as these stately pillars, sublime in their expression of an unspoken thought.

The main auditorium on the first floor has a seating capacity of two thousand, and will be the scene of future congresses. Large folding doors open into the library and memorial

Higher Education in Oklahoma. Oklahoma has seven educational institutions of higher learning under control of the territory, and many schools and colleges under the super-

NATIONAL CAPITAL NOTES.

Normally the house and senate leaders have agreed to adjourn in three weeks. Most of the appropriation bills have already come up, and the legislators see an early windup.

The postoffice appropriation bill is regarded as in bad shape, so far as it concerns the rural free delivery service. The senators would like to solve the problem of better pay and privileges for the carriers, but no plan yet suggested seems to fit the needs of the entire service.

The District of Columbia court of appeals sustained the criminal court in holding that the indictments against former Assistant Attorney General James N. Tyner and former Law Clerk Harrison J. Barrett, of the post-office department, were covered by the statute to punish conspiracy.

The department of commerce bill, making numerous changes in the inspection of vessels, passed the senate. It places the four Michigan districts in three separate classes, the Lake Michigan district being rated first with \$2,000 salary for the inspector of hulls and boilers; \$1,800 in the Detroit district; and \$1,500 in the Port Huron and the Superior districts.

Postal inspectors are to be sent to Michigan and to some other states to investigate suspicious looking actions in star route contracts. To prevent the farming out of rural routes, the department insists that the carrier must live on his route. Carriers are in some places acting through third parties, with power of attorney, which is thought to be a means of evading the above rule.

McGarry to Return.

T. F. McGarry, whose conviction on a charge of bribery in Grand Rapids has been affirmed by the Michigan supreme court, is president of the Standard Cypress Co. here. When asked whether, in view of the supreme court's decision, he would return to Michigan to receive his sentence or flight extradition and allow his bondsmen to suffer the consequences, he replied:

"My bondsmen will not be required to pay anything on my account. I will return to Grand Rapids to receive sentence."

A man named Trout caught a 10-pound pickerel in Stone lake.

AMUSEMENTS IN DETROIT.

Week Ending April 9.
DETROIT—Saturday Matinee at 2: Events at 8—Frank Daniels in "The Office Boy."
LYCEUM—Matinee, Wed. and Sat. 2: Events at 8. 7:30. "The Professor's Love Story."
WHITNEY—Matinee 10, 12 and 2: Events at 8, 9 and 10—"Uncle Tom's Cabin."
TEMPLE THEATRE AND WOODWARD—Afternoon 2: 10 to 12: Events at 8: 10 to 12: AVENUE THEATRE—Matinee at 2:15; Events at 8: 10 to 11: Vaudeville.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit—Choice steers, \$4 60@5 75; good to choice butcher steers, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs. \$3 75@4 50; light to good butcher steers and heifers, 700 to 900 lbs. \$3 25@3 90; mixed butchers' fat cows, \$2 25@3 50; canners, \$1 25@2; common bulls, \$2 75@3; good shippers' bulls, \$3 65@3 65; common feeders, \$3 50@4 10; light stockers, \$2 75@3 25.
Veal calves, opened, 10@15c higher, closing very dull and 25@40c lower than the opening. Best grades, \$5 70@6 25; fair to good, \$3 50@5 50; Milch cows and springers steady; quality poor, \$2 50@4 50.
Sheep—Spring lambs, \$9 50@10; best lambs, \$5 75; fair to good lambs, \$5 50; light to common lambs, \$4 40; fair to good butcher sheep, \$4 40; culs and common, \$2 50@3 50.
Hogs—Light to good butchers, \$5 30@5 40; pigs, \$5 10; light yorkers, \$5 25; roughs, \$4 75@5; stags one-third off.

Chicago—Good to prime steers, \$5 25@5 80; poor to medium, \$3 50@5 25; stockers and feeders, \$2 75@5 25; Milch cows, \$1 75@4 30; heifers, \$2 60@4 50; canners, \$1 75@2 50; bulls, \$2 40; calves, \$2 50@5 50; Texas fed steers, \$4 40@5 50.
Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$5 15@5 30; good to choice heavy, \$5 20@5 30; rough heavy, \$5 20; light, \$4 90@5 20; bulk of sales at \$5 10@5 20.
Sheep—Good to choice wethers, \$4 75@5 25; fair to choice mixed, \$3 75@4 75; western sheep, \$4 50@5 25; native lambs, \$4 50@6.

East Buffalo—Best export steers, \$3 35; best, 1,200 to 1,200-lb shipping steers, \$4 40@4 55; good, 1,050 to 1,100 butcher steers, \$3 30@4 40; 900 to 1,000 butcher steers, \$3 60@4; best fat cows, \$3 50@3 75; fair to good fat cows, \$2 75@3; common cows, \$2 25@2 25; trimmers, \$1 50; best fat heifers, \$4 40@4 25; medium heifers, \$3 50@3 75; light fat heifers, \$3 25@3 50; common stock heifers, \$3 25; best feeding steers dehorned, \$3 75@4; best yearling steers, \$3 50@3 75; common stockers, \$3 60@3 25; export bulls, \$3 75@4; bologna bulls, \$3 25. Good to extra milch cows sold at \$4 50@5; medium, \$3 00@4; common, \$1 50@2. Calves—Best, \$6 75@7; fair to good, \$5 60@5 50.
Hogs—Medium and heavy, \$5 75@5 85; mixed, \$5 65@5 70; yorkers, \$5 60@5 70; pigs, \$5 40@5 50; roughs, \$4 90@5.

Sheep—Best western and native lambs, \$6 20@6 25; fair to good, \$5 60@6 15; culs, common, \$5 65@5 85; heavy lambs, \$5 85; mixed sheep, \$5 25@5 15; fair to good, \$4 75@5; culs and bucks, \$3 40; ewes, \$4 50@5; wethers, \$5 25@5 40; yearlings, \$5 40@5 50; very little demand for clipped stock.

Grain, Etc.
Detroit—Wheat—Cash, No. 2 red, \$1 03; May, 3,000 bu at \$1 02 1/2, closing at \$1 02; July, 5,000 bu at \$1 1/2c, 5,000 bu at \$1 1/2c, 3,000 bu at \$1 1/2c, 5,000 bu at \$1 1/2c; No. 3 red, \$1 01; No. 1 white, \$1 02.
Corn—Cash No. 3, 47c; No. 3 yellow, 2 cars at 50c, 1 at 50 1/2c; No. 4 yellow, 2 cars at 45c; sample, 1 car at 48 1/2c.
Oats—Cash No. 3 white, 1 car at 45c; sample, 1 car at 44c.
Rye—Cash No. 2, 75c.

Chicago—Wheat—Cash, No. 3 wheat, \$8 88c; No. 2 red, 96 1/2@1 01 1/2; No. 2 corn, 56 1/2c; No. 2 yellow, 56 1/2@56 1/2c; No. 2 oats, 41 1/2@41 1/2c; No. 3 white, 42 1/2@42c; No. 2 rye, 72c; Good feeding barley, 38 1/2@40c; fair to choice malting, 45@55c.

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A fleet of 25 United States warships, the largest squadron ever gathered in time of peace, is assembled in Pensacola harbor, Florida. The fleet is engaged at target practice, and the Alabama has made a new world's record for rapidity and accuracy in firing all classes of her guns.

That two months extra pay announced for soldiers of the Spanish-American-Philippine war does not apply to all soldiers, but to United States volunteers, which means men who served in the Twentieth to the Forty-ninth regiments, U. S. V. I., and the Eleventh U. S. V. cavalry.

PALACE OF THE MONTEZUMAS

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE

That there should exist within two hundred miles from Mexico City, undiscovered until now and unexplored, its massive walls now tottering as they protect the lonely shepherds who frequent the spot, a castle whose grandeur cannot be excelled by anything on America's soil would seem incredible. But such is a fact.

Situated on a cliff whose almost perpendicular walls descend eight hundred to a thousand feet to the ravine below, almost encircled by two ravines along whose narrow beds flow crystal waters that ooze from many springs, with no entrance except over a narrow neck fifteen feet wide on top of the cliff stands to-day the castle of the Montezumas, if the legend current among the natives in that vicinity is true.

A prospector recently heard from several natives whom he had met on a tour that somewhere, hidden from mankind by reason of the mountains intervening between it and the railway, and by reason of the many deep ravines and dangerous barancas which prevent other than shepherds from approaching, there was a wonderful fortress commanding a view of the valley.

The natives intimated that the existence of this structure was known alone to them and that no one other than those born near there had ever visited the spot.

Although he offered several Indians five days' wages to conduct him there they refused, intimating that they were afraid they might incur the displeasure of their people and thereby suffer. One major-domo of a large hacienda furnished one of his laborers to guide the prospector.

Tepepe Viejo, the ruins in question, is an abandoned castle situated seven hours' ride on horseback from Matamoros. About three hundred feet distant from the cliff on which Tepepe Viejo stands, and as if to guard the entrance, are two peaks of red sandstone fully 5,500 feet high. Flowing between these is a stream twenty feet wide and not deeper than two feet, which dashes along at a terrific rate over the gravel bed.

Passing over this stream one begins to ascend a very steep hill that seems to have been formed since the erection of the castle. When one has reached the summit he finds himself facing a wall 30 feet high and 120 feet long. This wall inclines inward at an angle of about seventy degrees from

eral strongly built towers guard the entrance to the drawbridge.

In one end of a room near the south side was a small "tunnel" as the guide called it, an oval shaped opening just large enough for a human being to squeeze through. The guide repeated a legend current among his people that the Aztec medicine men compelled untired warriors to go through this tunnel, one hundred feet long, to test their nerves.

Near this small tunnel, which looks more as if it was a vent or sluice for running ores or metals into a large cemented receptacle at its end, there is a tunnel about seven feet high from

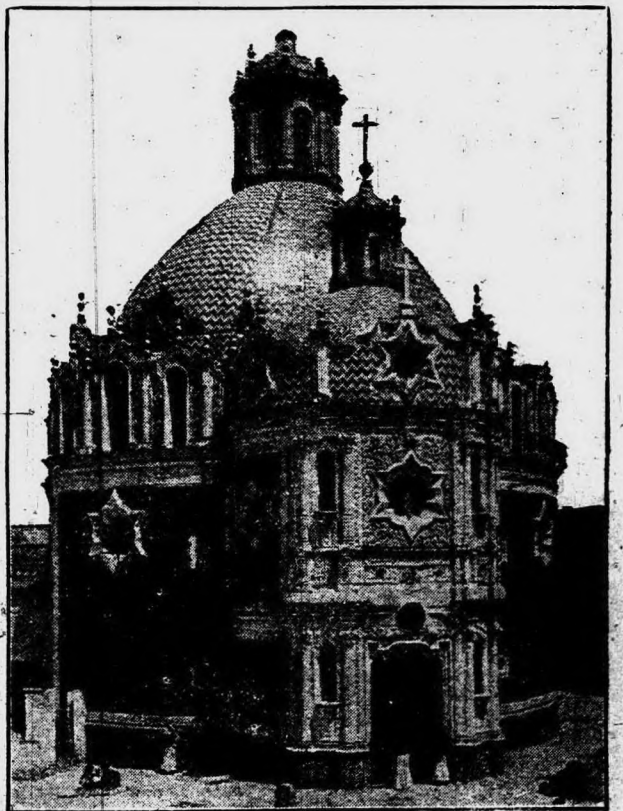


Interior Cathedral of Mexico.

vault to floor. The walls are well built with the same kind of stone slabs and the floor looks as if it had been cemented.

Several fallen slabs from a coping overhead prevented entrance to this mysterious space.

Six young men once attempted to explore this place. Three remained at the entrance while the other three cautiously felt their way, lighted matches in hand. They had gone sixty feet when one of the explorers called out to the others to come and see the wonderful looking objects that stood near the walls. The sound of this young man's voice was so startling that "a sudden gust of wind," as he expressed it, extinguished the light. All reached open air again and lived to tell the tale to their progeny.



Chapel of the Well (Gurdaloupe).

the horizontal. It is made of stone slabs 18 by 24 inches thick, the narrow sides turned outward. Behind this first layer of stone slabs is a two foot filling of gravel and a kind of cement, and then an inner wall of smaller slabs.

The stones are carefully placed, so that no cement has been necessary to hold them in place. The walls inclose fully ten acres of ground and within this inclosure are the walls of nearly thirty different rooms. The architecture throughout is the same.

On the west side is a strongly fortified wall in the shape of a crescent, with the extremes fully eight hundred feet apart. From the top of this one may look down into a beautiful stream nearly a thousand feet below. Some of the wall has fallen about midway of the crescent, and stone slabs that have been displaced here can be seen hundreds of feet below.

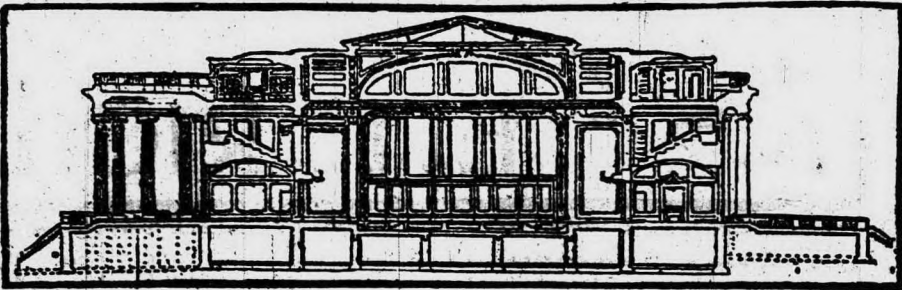
Across the only roadway that leads from the highlands to this mountain top is a deep ditch, on whose sides stand well preserved pillars upon which were swung drawbridges. This side of the wall is much thicker and stronger than the others, while sev-

Some shepherds who had lost their sheep tell in lowered voices of a two-headed man who used to be seen emerging from this tunnel, but they assert that since the entrance was filled by the falling stone he had not been seen, but loud, unearthly murmurings have been heard coming from the bowels of the mountain.

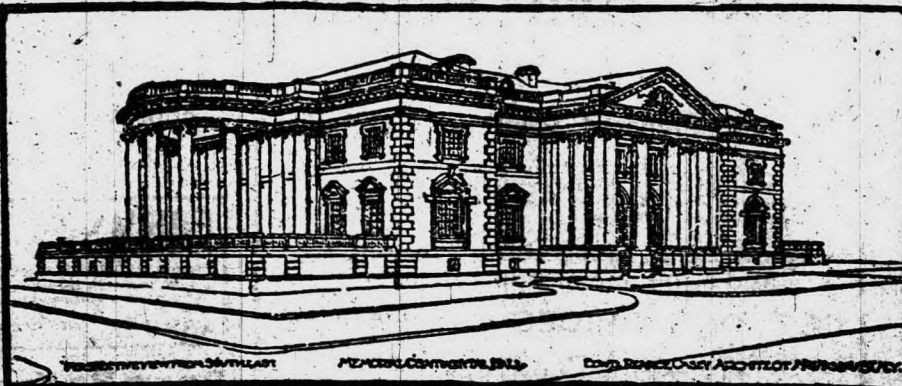
Stephen and Catherwood write of more than forty-four ancient ruins discovered by Lord Kingsborough and themselves. Le Plongeon, Du Pais and Desire Charnay have written interesting volumes describing their discoveries and experiences; Leopoldo Batres and William Niven have furnished valuable data about Mt. Albans and other historical points. All are silent about Tepepe Viejo.

German Jury System. In Germany, when the vote of the jury stand six against six, the prisoner is acquitted. A vote of seven against five leaves the decision to the court, and in a vote of eight against four the prisoner is convicted.

If you would get up with the last, go to bed without one.



SECTIONAL VIEW OF PROPOSED HALL.



DAUGHTERS MEMORIAL TO REVOLUTIONARY SITES.

Occupying 35,000 square feet of ground, it will permit future improvements and additions, while elevated terraces will make the grounds attractive and still leave space for the several plants that will light, heat and ventilate the building. The hall faces Broadwood street and has a frontage of 220 feet. A broad, shallow flight of steps leads to the imposing entrance.

room, and by throwing the three together additional accommodation for at least three hundred can be obtained.

The interior of the building is to be finished in hardwood and handsomely decorated. The general plan will be simple, but chaste, and although of ample proportions, is none too large for a building that is to last the centuries, diverse fates permitting.

vision of religious denominations. The state has more than 250,000 children of school age, and 3,000 young men and women in the institutions of higher learning.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 8 1904.

THE TOWNSHIP ELECTIONS.

There was little interest manifested in the township elections this spring, so far as Plymouth was concerned at least. Out of a total of over 700 registered voters in the township only 314 exercised the right of franchise. The Republicans cast 123 straight tickets—Democrats 45. The vote with majority for each is as follows:
For Supervisor—
Charles W. Bradner..... 223-140
Asa H. Joy..... 83
For Clerk—
Preston B. Whitbeck..... 213-120
Herbert J. Baker..... 92
For Treasurer—
Frank W. Beals..... 225-146
Charles A. Frisbee..... 79
For Justice of the Peace—
Charles W. Valentine..... 207-111
Chauncey E. Baker..... 96
For Highway Commissioner—
Theodore F. Chilson..... 213-121
George Lee, Sr..... 92
For Board of Review—
Paul W. Voorhies..... 220-134
Robert O. Mimmack..... 86
For School Inspector—
Harry Jolliffe..... 206-108
William T. Conner..... 100
For Constables—
John E. Hood..... 196-95
Daniel Smith..... 196-92
Walter Kensler..... 212-122
George W. Springer..... 224-150
Fred Dunn..... 101
Burton D. Brown..... 104
Ed. Wood..... 90
Aretus D. Ford..... 74

The election in Livonia township resulted as follows, democrats being first named, republican second:

Supervisor—John J. Vrooman 138; R. A. Wilson 174.
Clerk—Wm. Coats 150; Bert Padock 158.
Treasurer—Wm. Allen 116, George Wilcox 192.
Justice, full term—Charles E. Maynard 137, Ransom Alexander 169.
Justice, vacancy—Wallace Grace 137, Wm. J. Ostrander 169.
Highway Com.—Joseph A. Maynard 148, Joseph McEachran 156.
Board Review—Charles Bentley 127, Otto Zeigler 178.
School Inspector—Wm. Garchow 133, Anna Peck 172.
Constables elected—Byron Downing, L. Clement, Henry Johnson, Edwin Bassett.

In Canton township the election results were as follows, Republicans first, Democrats second:

Supervisor—James A. Wiles 138, George W. Smith 93.
Clerk—George A. Gittings 119, John Quartel 82.
Treasurer—Lee Newton 95, James H. Hanford 103.
Justice—Bryant Knaggs 102, Freeman Huston 94.
Highway Com.—Lin R. Wiles 111, Edwin G. Place 83.
Board of Review—Albert Cole 114, Clinton Knapp 81.
School Inspector—Carrle Stevens 106, Minnie Horner 89.
Constables elected—William H. West, George A. Wiles, Carlos Truesdel and Bert Newton.

CHURCH NEWS.

The subject for Sunday morning at First Church of Christ, Scientist, will be, "Doctrine of Atonement." All are cordially invited.

Regular Epworth League service next Sunday evening, commencing at 8:30. The meeting will open with fifteen minutes of song.

Service in the Presbyterian church Sabbath morning. There will be no service in the evening on account of the union service in the Baptist church. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:15.

Worship with preaching by the pastor at the Baptist church Sunday morning. Union service in the evening with address by Rev. E. G. Sanderson, D.D., of Lansing. The young people's meeting will begin at 8:30 o'clock and the evening service at 7:30.

The Sunday-school Institute of the Wayne Baptist Association will be held in the Baptist church Tuesday, April 12. There will be three sessions, beginning at 10 o'clock in the morning, 1:45 in the afternoon and 7:30 in the evening. At 4:15 there will be a meeting for children with chalk talk by Rev. Joseph E. Sharp, of Fowlerville. Everybody is invited to these meetings.

Northville Record: A very noticeable feature of the Plymouth Mail now days is the school column. The department is in charge of an editorial staff composed of pupils of the school and the items are written up in a very taking style, showing much literary skill as well as a healthy appreciation of the humorous side of school life. Practice of this sort is invaluable to the young people, and furnishes of itself an extra course of instruction the educational benefits of which cannot be overestimated, reflecting much credit on the Mail, the school and the school management.

Council's First Session.

The new village council was in session Wednesday evening with all members present except Trustee Allen, who is sick. President Robinson stated he was not quite ready to make the annual appointments and assign his committees, but would do so at a meeting of the council to be held next Monday evening. The council then went into committee of the whole and passed some 25 or 30 accounts.

There not being enough money in the treasury to provide for payments until tax time, it was voted that the sum of \$1000 be borrowed for three months.

A contract was ordered entered into by the village with the Pere Marquette Ry. to pay one-half of the expense of laying a sidetrack to the electric light plant, the estimated expense of which is \$825. The Daisy Mfg. Co. will pay one-half of the expense incurred by the village, and the authorities will turn over to the railroad company 650 rail road ties, acquired from the Michigan Traction Co. for non-payment of taxes. This will reduce the cost to the village of the sidetrack to less than \$100.

Electrician Benj. Havershaw was made collector for electric lights and to give bond of \$500, the same to be obtained from a Surety Co. at the expense of the village.

An electric light pole was placed in the middle of a lot owned by Mrs. Burnett on Depot street. Mrs. Burnett wants the pole removed or that the village purchase the lot. This lot in question is the only piece of ground preventing the complete opening of a street from Union to Depot street. A street has been already laid out from Union street to the west end of the property owned by Mrs. Burnett, and it would prove of advantage that the street be opened clear through. Mrs. Burnett wants \$125 for the lot and the matter will be referred to a committee next Monday.

The bonds of J. Kimmel as cement walk constructor, and of Village Clerk Lauffer and Treasurer Beals were approved.

Other matters were informally discussed when the board adjourned to Monday evening.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Clifton Jackson, Lucy Lapham, Louise Gentz, Arden Chilson.

Spring vacation is over and with it is expected the usual epidemic of Spring fever. However the present weather is not favorable to the growth of that particular bacillus. The only visible symptoms are the boys' practicing base ball, and shot putting, the girls jumping rope and climbing fences.

Two boys in the high school are about to achieve fame, and rival even the great Marconi, instituting wireless telegraphy. Remember others can read the messages.

Having finished the text book in rhetoric, the third year English class are beginning some selections from American literature. The freshman class are having exercises in impromptu speech making.

An infant Soph brings his little squirt gun to school that he may protect himself from the annoyances of the freshmen boys.

Mr. Charles A. Frisbee a former superintendent of this school passed away Tuesday evening at his home. Mr. Frisbee was a very dear friend of the school and his efforts for the school are appreciated by our parents and ourselves. We sympathize with his family in their bereavement.

Miss Southey, a Detroit teacher, Zaida Pinckney, Dora Townsend, Bessie Chase and Alma Rooke were all visitors at the P. H. S. Tuesday.

Michigan State School master's club convened in Ypsilanti last Thursday morning. Three days of interesting discussions of schoolmaster's problems followed. Mr. Mealey and a loyal representation from his teachers were present.

Mr. Mealey made some interesting remarks regarding the use and non-use of cigarettes one day this week. It was not a sermon, but the facts ought to appeal to the manhood of every boy present.

There will be an interesting lecture on the Eastern Struggle and Japan Civilization in the M. E. church Friday evening, April 15th, for the benefit of the Junior class. So don't fail to come.

The preliminary oratorical contest for the High School takes place in the high school room Tuesday afternoon, April 12th. This is combined with the Beethoven musical and we hope to be able to please all visitors. The following is the program:

- Adviser to the Piano..... Pearl Jolliffe
- Beethoven—Life and Work..... Stella Thompson
- Quintin—Greece—Rome..... Don Campbell
- The Feeding of the 5,000..... Orren Taylor
- Sonata—Op. 10, No. 1..... Winifred Jolliffe
- The 10's of 100..... Thelma Bennett
- Beethoven—The Advance of Civilization..... Thelma Bennett
- Andante from Symphony No. 2..... Gustave McChumpas
- Abraham Lincoln..... Hazel Southerman
- Education..... Gilbert Brown
- Brooker T. Washington..... Frank L. Walker
- Sonata..... Paul Stephens
- Green Anemone..... Leah Robinson
- Song of Peace..... Leah Robinson
- Son and Sweet..... E. S. Chaves
- Verdict of Judges..... E. S. Chaves

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New Quarters.

The Plymouth United Savings Bank is occupying its new quarters in the old National Exchange Bank building, moving in last Monday. The new rooms are admirably fitted up and make ideal banking quarters. The furniture and fittings are of the finest, with mosaic floor and frescoed ceilings, a combination at once elegant and comfortable and inviting to patrons of the institution. The officers and clerks will always be glad to see their friends and render every accommodation and courtesy. Drop in and see the "boys."

Plymouth's Ball Team.

The Plymouth Juniors will be in the field with a strong team this season. They have had a week's stiff practice and prospects are very promising. Wood, the star pitcher last season, will be on the slab with all his old time form. They have already leased the fair grounds and the first game will probably be a practice game played with Saline on April 15th.

Arrangements are now being made for the formal opening game on April 23 with the fast Detroit Western High School. The following players are out for positions on the team: Smith, Wood, Toncray, Hubbard, Beckhold, Bentley, McLaren, Armstrong, Henderson capt, Baker, Spicer, Brown, Jolliffe, Riggs.

Norris-Lapham Nuptials.

A wedding was quietly celebrated at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, the contracting parties being Miss Alice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lapham, and Allie Norris, the ceremony being performed by Rev. W. O. Stovall, at the home of the bride's parents and in the presence only of a few immediate relatives and a few friends. After congratulations had been extended, an elegant wedding supper was served. The bride was also recipient of many handsome and useful presents. The couple left later for their future home in Redford township, Mr. Norris being a carpenter and contractor in the city. He had formerly resided in Plymouth. The many friends of the bride and groom wish them a long and pleasant journey together down life's pathway.

Woman's Literary Club.

One of the most enjoyable days of the club year occurred Friday, April 1, it being the 11th anniversary of the organization. The ladies and their friends assembled at an early hour in their club rooms and were pleasantly entertained by Prof. Griffith, of Detroit Museum of Art, who gave one of his interesting talks on the Impressionists and general art. This was followed by a clever little parlor drama, written by Miss Hanford, entitled "Mrs. Fledgeley's 'At Home'" in which a number of the club ladies acquitted themselves with much credit.

At the close of this the I., I., V. and VI. divisions served light refreshments. All present expressed themselves as having spent a pleasant and profitable afternoon.—Sec.

The Rev. John P. D. John closed the winter's lecture course by the Woman's Literary Club last Tuesday evening, with a lecture in which the subject matter was "Did God make man or did man make God." To his own satisfaction, as well as the audience, he proved conclusively that "God made man." The course has been a successful one financially, so the ladies claim, and the attractions as good as could be secured for the money.

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RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$250,273 88
Stocks, bonds, mortgages, etc.	126,513 90
Overdrafts	3,511 05
Banking house	5,400 00
Furniture and fixtures	3,400 00
Other real estate	15,781 71
Items in transit	1,454 44
Due from other banks and bankers	—
Exchange for clearing houses	43,729 28
Due from banks in reserve cities	—
U. S. and National Bank Notes	6,827 00
Gold coin	1,871 00
Silver coin	2,084 10
Notes and coin on hand	31 42
Checks cash items, interest rev. acc.	370 72
Total	\$478,960 12
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$75,000 00
Surplus fund	11,500 00
Undivided profits, net	3,511 05
Dividends unpaid	15 00
Commercial deposits	64,110 70
Certificates of deposit	12,672 12
Savings deposits	22,721 65
Savings certificates	28,100 61
Total	\$478,960 12

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WAYNE, ss: I, E. E. Bennett, pastor of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. E. E. BENNETT, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of April, 1904.
My commission expires May 28th, 1905.
P. W. VOONISMA, Notary Public.
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Local Newslets

See Huston & Co.'s low down Handy Wagon.

Miss Edna McKeever is on the sick list this week.

Miss Viva Rook was home from Howell Sunday.

Miss Ada Safford visited in Ann Arbor last week.

Miss Anna McGill is in Lansing visiting her sister.

H. E. Millsbaugh was a visitor of Plymouth Monday.

Wanted, at once, an apprentice girl. Maude Millsbaugh.

Miss Rooke will entertain a few girl friends Friday night.

Dell Knapp has moved into the Kelly house on Union street.

Mrs. C. W. Valentine returned Monday from Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam. Ableson are spending the week in Detroit.

Miss Etta Dunn, of Detroit, was a visitor in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brigham have moved back to Northville.

Mrs. James Erwin, of Novi, spent Monday at J. D. McLaren's.

A. H. Dibble & Son are having the interior of their store repainted.

Miss Hazel Coates, of Novi, spent Wednesday with Mrs. VanVleet.

Mrs. Ella Steers, of Wixom, visited her brother J. R. Rauch this week.

Mrs. Ann Brown returned to her home at Whitmore Lake Thursday.

Will Brown was confined to the house by sickness the forepart of the week.

Mrs. Wm. Travis and daughter Marjorie visited at Ypsilanti last week.

Arthur Cook, from Cooperville, Mich. was calling on friends in town Saturday.

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Will Peck who is studying at Big Rapids, spent the Easter vacation at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Fuller, of Jackson, visited at A. N. Brown's over Sunday.

Mark Briggs is visiting friends at Bellevue, Mich., while regaining his health.

Mr. and Mrs. John Webb, of South Lyon, visited at Mrs. C. G. Draper's this week.

Miss Lillie Sutherland, of Woodstock, Can., visited her sister and brother here over Sunday.

Robt. Mimmack was called to Woodstock, Can., on business last Friday, remaining over Sunday.

H. R. Merrell and son Charley, of New Boston, visited Mrs. C. G. Draper Thursday and Friday.

Supervisor Hadley Underwood was re-elected in Nankin township Monday by the close majority of 2.

New ideas in ready-to-wear as well as dress hats at Maude Millsbaugh's.

The D. P. & N. bridge at Phoenix was repaired sufficiently to permit the crossing of cars last Saturday evening.

Mr. Lee, the barber, is occupying Mrs. McLaren's house on Ann Arbor street instead of Mr. Taylor as stated last week.

A number of Presbyterian ladies attended the sessions of the Woman's Missionary societies of Detroit Presbytery, held at Northville Wednesday and Thursday.

Huston & Co. have a large stock of Wagons and Buggies.

Mrs. Etta Bouck, nee Miss Etta Dunn, of Plymouth, was granted a divorce Oct. 26, 1903, from Frederick Bouck of Superior.

Mrs. H. A. Spicer and her sisters, Mrs. Mary Clayborn, of Marshall, and Mrs. W. J. Barker, of Sheldon, are visiting in Detroit, at Mrs. Wm. Wakeley's this week.

Cass Benton was re-elected Supervisor of Northville township, together with the entire Republican ticket except highway commissioner which went to B. A. Northrup.

About thirty friends of Celest Merrell gave her a surprise party last Friday night the occasion being her birthday. Finch was the entertainment of the evening and maple syrup was served.

A new line of street hats directly from the eastern market, from 75 cents to \$3.00 at Mrs. Harrison's.

Chas. Armstrong and family have removed to their farm, three miles east of this village. Mr. Armstrong was unable to rent his farm to a suitable tenant and therefore has to assume management himself.

Sunday was a pleasant day and the attendance at the various churches was quite large. They were all nicely decorated with flowers and potted plants and Easter exercises were rendered by the children in a pleasing manner.

C. G. Draper has a full line of Spalding base ball goods.

Now is the time to clean house—clean your system first, drive out the microbes of winter with Hobbler's Rocky Mountain Tea. It will keep you well all summer. 25 cents. Tea or tablets. Hubbell's Pharmacy.

Charles A. Frisbee.

Whose death on Monday evening, caused universal sorrow throughout our community, was born in Lockport, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1825.

His father was a physician, whose early death left a widow and little son, Charles, too young to remember him. Of his mother he was wont to speak in affectionate terms, stating that as a boy he always refrained from doing what he would be "unwilling to have mother know." His mother's subsequent marriage brought him a step-brother and two sisters, one of whom, the present Mrs. Stephen Eaton, of Hudson, was dear to him as an own sister. His school life was passed in Lockport and in the academy at Genesee, N. Y. He subsequently entered a lawyer's office, but after one year's study decided to abandon the profession.

He married in early life and came with his wife to Plymouth in 1853. By this marriage he had one son, Charles, who died a few years ago on the Pacific coast. From 1853 to 1880, covering a period of 27 years, he was closely identified with the interests of the Plymouth school, serving as principal for nearly 20 years.

His wife having died in 1867, he was married in 1869 to Miss Clara Bryant, who had been associated with him as a teacher for several years. By this union three children were born, only one, George Edward, of Everett, Washington, living beyond infancy.

Notwithstanding the severe affliction which befell Mr. Frisbee several years ago, in the fracture of his hip-bone, he has been useful in business, conducting some life insurance and serving alternately as township and village treasurer.

The sorrows and afflictions of life did not sour his nature. He was patient and sunny to the last and especially happy during the past winter. He found his happiness in making others happy. His was a noble life, rich and full, for

"He lived in deeds not years:
In thoughts not breaths:
In feelings not in figures on the dial."

The funeral of Mr. Frisbee will occur this afternoon from his late residence on Sutton street.

Elmer Sly left Tuesday for Colorado, where he expects to locate.

Students from Detroit, Ann Arbor and elsewhere were home over Easter.

J. D. Wilder is at the Boulevard Sanitarium Detroit, being treated for rheumatism.

It is expected a class of 30 will be initiated this evening in the Lodge of Daughters of Rebekahs.

Fred Gray, formerly of The Mail, was elected city clerk of Lansing last Monday by a nice majority.

Born to Mrs. Nettie Hart-Agnew, of Boardman, Ohio, April 4th, a son. Mother and child doing well.

Mrs. Gertrude Lampers, of Detroit, was called home Tuesday on account of the sickness of her parents.

Clay Hoyt, of Lansing, was home over Sunday and helped to swell the Republican majority at the election Monday.

Flags are at half mast, and the schools will be closed this afternoon, on account of the death and funeral of C. A. Frisbee.

Arthur Davey, of Detroit who has been visiting his sister Mrs. Dell Knapp returned home Tuesday, accompanied by little Saide Knapp.

C. O. Hubbell has moved into the Sherman house on Union street and Mr. Dunning, the owner, occupies the house vacated by Mr. Hubbell.

Rev. W. G. Stephens was in Detroit an Tuesday, attending the Michigan council of the Brotherhood of St. Paul. He responded to the address of welcome.

Siron Kellogg has divided the fair grounds land owned by him into blocks and lots and has already sold several parcels—one to J. O. Eddy and one to Aaa Joy.

Francis Hueburt, of Elm, died at the home of his daughter, on Tuesday, April 5th, in the 72d year of his age. Funeral services will be held at the Redford Center church this Friday afternoon, at 2 p. m., conducted by the Rev. W. G. Stephens.

Dr. C. M. Finckney, of Meadow Creek, Mont., brother of C. A. and F. F. Finckney, of this village, died on March 17th, of cancer of the stomach. He was born in Washtenaw county Jan. 11, 1842, and went west nearly 30 years ago. He served three years in the war of the rebellion.

Holders of desirable vacant property are placing a fancy price on it to intending purchasers. It has been suggested that when the assessors go around this spring that the property be assessed at what the owners are holding it at. It is further said some of this property is assessed only at about one-quarter valuation. Perhaps the owners might be willing to take less and encourage building and the growth of the town if their property were assessed at fancy prices.

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The North Side

All silk velvets at 75c a yard at Mrs. Dickerson's.

George Creger, of Detroit, made his parents a short visit Tuesday.

Mrs. H. J. Fisher and children are visiting her people at Utica this week.

E. N. Passage has had electric lights put into his real estate office this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Graham, of Detroit spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Baker.

Mrs. Chas. Gentz has been visiting her daughter Mrs. John Neuman, in Detroit, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Trump, of Sanilac were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wingard this week.

Rev. G. D. Ehns attended the funeral of Mrs. Bodomer, wife of Rev. Mr. Bodomer, at Toledo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smitherman and daughter Hazel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Zenas Blakely in Toledo.

Mrs. Robt. Youngs and Mrs. Chas. Gentz, of Detroit, visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. Dan. Baker, this week.

Mrs. Chas. Thornton and her sister, Mrs. Florence Matthews, of Northville, visited Mrs. C. O. Dickerson Tuesday.

Street hats at very low prices at Mrs. Dickerson's.

George Streng, who has been staying with his brother in Detroit this winter, returned home Monday and will spend the summer here.

John Streng broke ground Wednesday for the foundation for his new house, which he will build on the lot next to his Hotel.

Mrs. Zenas Blakely and daughter Lillian, of Toledo, and Mrs. James Howell, of Saginaw visited Mrs. Wm. Smitherman Tuesday.

Mrs. Tighe of Detroit is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Starkweather this week, being called home by the accident to her father.

Mrs. Mary Macomber and her two daughters who recently sold their farm in Salem moved into their house on north Main street the first of the week.

Frank Coon, formerly with the Plymouth Creamery Co., has accepted a position with a creamery at Hemlock, Mich., and expects to move his family there soon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Smith, who have been visiting friends in Plymouth and Northville for the past three months, started for their home in Colorado Springs Tuesday.

Mrs. George Springer was given a birthday surprise party last Friday evening by the German Ladies Aid society, of which she is a member. Refreshments were served and the evening spent in a general good time.

While waiting for a street car to pass him on Fort street, near the Union depot, in Detroit Tuesday, George Starkweather was struck by the car and thrown violently to the pavement. He was picked up and helped into the depot and placed on board the 1:30 train for Plymouth. Arriving here friends carried him to his home and Dr. Adams was summoned, who examined him carefully and found no bones were broken. Though feeling decidedly sore, Mr. Starkweather is recovering nicely and expects to be about again in a few days. And that is the hope of his many friends.

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The innocent, sweet Day is dead,
Dark Night bathes him in her bed,
O Moors are as fierce to kill as to wed;
—Put out the light, said he.

A sweeter light than ever rayed
From star of heaven or eye of maid
Has vanished in the unknown shade,
—She's dead, she's dead, said he.

Now, in a wild, sad after-mood
The tawny Night sits still to brood,
Upon the dawn-time when he wooed
—I would she lived, said he.

Star memories of happier times,
Of loving deeds and lovers' rhymes,
Throng forth in silvery pantomimes,
—Come back, O Day! said he.
—Sidney Lanier.

A DISASTER AT SEA

By LYNN ROSE MERRINS.

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"I speak ze Engleesh vera bad. See it not so?"

"It is a very difficult language," she responded.

"So, so. It is like ze sea zat goes dis way and zat, vat-vut you call it?"

"Choppy," she replied.

"Si, si, zat is what you call my Engleesh—choppy."

"You are mistaken. I called it nothing of the kind. You asked me about the sea. I said nothing about your use of the language. Of course, it is very difficult for one to take up a new speech. You do quite well."

For this he was grateful, and he was framing his thankfulness when a large, buoyant man of aggressive healthfulness approached.

The sea had no terrors for him. He trod the deck like one born to command, not afraid of storm either on land or elsewhere. He had one of those large framed and hopeful personalities which belong to the successful American character, and he looked as if he could buy the ship without severely intrenching upon his fortune. He bowed in a familiar yet business-like manner and said something to the young lady. She excused herself and made toward the cabin door. The foreigner and the American stood in talk for a few moments and then parted, as the American frankly did not like to exhaust his patience upon the stumbling sentences of the polite and very deferential European.

That night in the smoking room the American, Mr. John Henry Martindale, had made himself more popular than usual by his good stories and liberality. Count Fricadelli was consuming cigarettes on a neighboring sofa. Precisely at ten-thirty, as was his custom, Mr. Martindale arose, looked at his watch to see if the ship's clock was attending strictly to its duty, and bade a cheery good night to every one, and then quiet settled for a moment upon the room. There was the swish of the waves without, and there was the toll of the boat, but all else seemed strangely effaced as if a little storm had passed in eventide and the twilight had settled down. But it did not last for long.

"Martindale is a regular old brick," suddenly exclaimed a man whose voice filled the entire apartment. "He is a true American, and while people say that he is lucky, I am sure he deserves everything he has got. Certainly there is nobody who enjoys life more, or who can tackle a situation with better-humor or bigger nerve. I was in Caripolis when he had the street railway fight. It was when the lines were being changed from the old horse cars to the trolley system, and he waded new franchises. The Aldermen or the City Councilmen, or whatever you call them, all expressed their willingness to do whatever the old man wanted them to do. He refused to pay a red cent and put his refusal upon the score of public improvement and enterprise. Well, their favor was rather suspicious."



"Choppy," she replied.

But at the same time it seemed genuine. They actually voted just what the old man wanted, and then after everything was fixed and the papers signed they sat the situation in their hands they met and rescinded their action, and on top of all the Aldermen and the crowd said they could not deliver the goods and old Martindale showed up a cool million and bought the whole thing. Then he got what he wanted after all. The deals in that city must have netted him some one to two million. Then he came back to the stock short. He took up his other lines and began his manipulations. They were perfectly

confident he would not try the same trick three times running, but they did not know their man. He succeeded the third time, and then on the fourth affair when they tried to outdo him in another city he took the other track and made more than in any other deal he had attempted. He is worth ten millions.

"Who will get all that money?" inquired a young person, who should have been in bed.

"His nieces, I suppose," was the reply. "He has no children, you know, and his wife, who is with him, has



"With Mr. Martindale, my uncle!"

been ill ever since we left Southampton. Ten millions! Count Fricadelli could scarcely believe his ears. It means wealth beyond anything his imagination could comprehend. Ten millions! Two hundred million francs! It was grand. It was magnificent!

On the next morning when he saw the same young lady again pacing up and down the deck, he put all his energy into the English he could summon, and with profuse apologies made comments upon the sea, the earth, the sky, and all that therein is. She was pleasant, and he was enthusiastic; and when the buoyant Mr. Martindale came out again to say something to her, and after she had disappeared, the Count let his enthusiasm bubble forth in many earnest but somewhat broken syllables.

"Mees Wiltson, she is so charming."

"She is a very pleasant young lady," replied Mr. Martindale, and then he walked down the deck with a broad grin on his face. After that he called her "Mees Wiltson."

The Count was very attentive, very persistent, very gallant, and every time Miss Wilson appeared on deck in some mysterious manner he managed to be near to offer every attention that gallantry could suggest, that invention could find. He was undeniably handsome and his English improved with the voyage. It was as if the shaking up had rubbed the roughest edges of his syllables. When Miss Wilson was not about he cultivated Mr. Martindale and the hurly millionaire enjoyed the attention. Finally, one day, in a great burst of confession and confidence the Count said, "Meester Martindale, I would be so glad to pay my attentions to your niece."

"Why, certainly. Go ahead," exclaimed Mr. Martindale with a laugh that was on the point of an explosion that might have shaken the ship if it had found its full vent.

And so it went on, and the climax came a lovely morning when the great vessel passed Fire Island on her homeward stretch through the gateway of the new world.

The young lady with the flush of health deep in her cheeks, her eyes as clear as the blue of the skies, and her whole being a personification of vigor and beautiful happiness, was standing in a corner by herself when the Count approached and told her that he had found that for which he had searched the earth in vain—the object of his love—the most adorable woman, whom he loved with an unselfishness that no language could express.

While he was speaking she was gazing toward the horizon, and there was upon her face a half smile like the play of sunlight upon the face of a goddess. Finally he exclaimed, "I have no permission of Mr. Martindale, your uncle, to speak to you."

"With Mr. Martindale, my uncle!" she exclaimed.

"Yes, Meester," he replied, "with him,

he knows of it. You may ask him, he will comprehend."

She said nothing, but seeing the round form of the millionaire coming down the deck advanced to meet him, and without a word came back with him to where the Count was standing. "Mr. Martindale," she said, very soberly: "I understand Count Fricadelli to say that you are my uncle, and that you have given him permission to speak to me upon a somewhat personal subject."

Mr. Martindale smiled broadly and replied, "The Count must be mistaken. I have never claimed to be your uncle, although I should be very proud if I were."

The Count was becoming strangely agitated, but he said, "Meester Martindale, you said I might pay my attentions to your niece."

"Well, Count, I have not the slightest objection to that, but it happens that the only niece I have lives in Dakota and has the finest family that any man ever saw."

"Then Mees Wiltson," mumbled the poor man on the verge of collapse.

"Mees Wiltson," said Mr. Martindale, taking the words from him, "is a most delightful and a most capable professional nurse who has been most attentive to my wife during our little trip to Europe, and she is a lady whom I can cordially recommend to any one needing her services."

It would be hard to follow the rest of this disaster, but "Mees Wiltson" and Mr. Martindale were laughing after the Count had found solitude in the stateroom, from which he did not emerge until the stewards were almost obliged to put him off the ship.

WHY HE QUIT PLAYING POKER.

Lesson Which an Old Gambler Taught Novice at the Game.

An old man sat at a late breakfast in a hotel cafe last Saturday, when a young man with haggard face and downcast eyes took a place near him.

"Tom," said the newcomer to the attendant, "I must go light, for I played in hard luck last night."

The old man had finished and sat studying the other's face as he ate. Shortly he took a roll of bills from his pocket and laid it in front of him. "It's yours," he said.

Mechanically and with a trembling hand the young man took the money. "You were in the game?" he said.

"Yes, and that is your money, about \$300. Quit playing poker. I began it sixty years ago on the Mississippi river and have made a living out of such fools as you. With my coolness it's robbery to play against your recklessness. I see desperation in your face. I am told that you are a teller in a bank, and that you have a wife, to whom you will lie about your absence from home last night. Quit poker."

He walked out, and the young man, lowering his head to his folded arms, did not move until the attendant aroused him.—New York Times.

The Bismillah Ceremony.

A little Moslem when she is four years old months old goes through the "Name-of-God," or Bismillah, ceremony—which begins her real life. She is dressed in cloth-of-gold, with a veil and wreath of flowers; and friends are invited to salute the little queen. She sits on a gold cushion, which must be borrowed if she hasn't one, and all the rest sit on the floor. Then an old mullah recites very slowly a certain verse from the Koran, which is also written in saffron on a silver plate Bibi holds in her hand. She runs her fingers over the words, and stammers them after him. "Say it not, Bibi; be a good girl, then you shall see your presents." Soon they all cry, "Shabash! Shabash! Wah! Wah!" and the ceremony of the little girl's first lesson in reading, writing and religion is over. She salams mamma, then shows her presents to her sahels (girl friends).—Edmund Russell, in Everybody's Magazine.

He Knew.

There was a visitor at the school and the children were being given an opportunity to show off. The visitor's thoughts evidently ran in a religious turn, for he questioned the children first upon their knowledge of the Bible.

"And where was the infant Jesus born?" he asked, and a chorus of voices answered immediately: "In a manger."

"And why was he born in a manger?" was the next query.

There was a moment's silence, and then a little, Scotch boy in the back seat piped up shrilly: "Because his mother was there."—The Globe.

Paper Gloves and Stockings.

Paper gloves and stockings are now being manufactured in Europe. The stockings have been carefully examined by experts, and they are loud in their praise of them. Let no one assume, they say, that these stockings, because they are made of paper, will only last a few days, for they will last almost as long as ordinary stockings. The reason is because the paper of which they are made was, during the process of manufacture, rendered into a substance closely resembling wool, and was then woven and treated as ordinary wool.

"The Sunrise Never Failed Us Yet."

Upon the sadness of the sea,
The sunset broods regretfully,
From the far lonely spaces slow
Withdrawn the wistful after glow.

So out of life the splendor dies,
So darken all the happy skies,
So gather twilight, cold and stern,
But overhead the planets burn.

And up the East another day,
Shall chase the bitter dawn away,
What though our eyes with tears be wet
The sunrise never failed us yet.

The bluish dawn may yet restore
Our heart, and hope and joy once more,
But still take comfort, for forgot
That sunrise never failed us yet.

—Celia Thaxter.

REACH THE SPOT.

To cure an aching back.
The pains of rheumatism,
The tired out feelings,
You must reach the spot—get at the cause.

In most cases 'tis the kidneys.

Doan's Kidney Pills are for the kidneys.

Chas. Bierbach, stone contractor, living at 2625 Chestnut St., Erie, Pa., says: "For two years I had kidney trouble and there was such a severe pain through my loins and limbs that I could not stoop or straighten up without great pain, had difficulty in getting about and was unable to rest at night, arising in the morning tired and worn out. The kidney secretions were irregular and deposited a heavy sediment. Doctors treated me for rheumatism, but failed to help me. I lost all confidence in medicine and began to feel as if life were not worth living. Doan's Kidney Pills, however, relieved me so quickly and so thoroughly that I gladly made a statement to that effect for publication. This was in 1898, and during the six years which have elapsed I have never known Doan's Kidney Pills fail. They cured my wife of a severe case of backache in the same thorough manner."

A FREE TRIAL of this great kidney medicine which cured Mr. Bierbach will be mailed on application to any part of the United States. Address Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all druggists, price 50 cents per box.

DIRE POVERTY IN RUSSIA.

Economic Conditions Are Frightful in the Extreme.

The bad economic conditions of the Russian peasantry may be shown by the statistics of farm animals. The Russian novelist, Uspenski, once wrote a story of peasant life, which he called "A Quarter of a Horse," and which was intended to set forth, in the guise of fiction, the social and economic status of an agricultural population that had only one horse to every four families. Statistics compiled by the zemstvos of the central provinces show that, even before the agricultural crisis became as acute as it is now 20 to 30 per cent of the peasant farmers in the formerly rich provinces of Chernigov, Voronezh, Poltava, Saratov, Kursk and Tambov did not have even a single horse, while nearly one-third of the entire population of Voronezh had neither horse nor cow. In the province of Riazan 32,000 peasant proprietors out of 80,000 had no horse and 21,000 had neither horse nor cow.

Sudden Awakening Harmful.

To be suddenly awakened from sound sleep sends a great rush of blood to the heart, thus overtaxing and straining it. People whose business necessitates their being awakened early have long suspected the practice of being an evil one and have tried to rid themselves of it. But heretofore they have had no better reason for wishing to continue to lie in bed than that they found it inconvenient or unpleasant to rise early. Evidently they have right on their side. It is bad for the heart.

Reward in Passes.

The Southern railway proposes to furnish to engineers and conductors annual passes of the road on the basis of service. Those who have been five years in the service are to be given annual, good over the division on which they are employed; those having ten years to their credit are to receive annuals good over the entire line, and the wives of those who have served fifteen years will be included in the privilege.

EMPTY NOW.

How One Woman Quit Medicine.

"While a coffee user my stomach troubled me for years," says a lady of Columbus, O., "and I had to take medicine all the time. I had what I thought was the best stomach medicine I could get, had to keep getting it filled all the time at 40 cents a bottle. I did not know what the cause of my trouble was but just dragged along from day to day, suffering and taking medicine all the time.

"About six months ago I quit tea and coffee and began drinking Postum and I have not had my prescription filled since, which is a great surprise to me for it proves that coffee was the cause of all my trouble although I never suspected it.

"When my friends ask me how I feel since I have been taking Postum I say, 'To tell the truth I don't feel at all only that I get hungry and eat everything I want and lots of it and it never hurts me and I am happy and well and contented all the time.'

"I could not get my family to drink Postum for a while until I mixed it in a little coffee and kept on reducing the amount of coffee until I got it all Postum. Now they all like it and they never belch it up like coffee.

"We all know that Postum is a sanitary maker. I find it helps one greatly for we do not have to think of aches and pains all the time and can use our minds for other things." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. \$

The one who has to bother with coffee aches and pains is badly handicapped in the race for fame and fortune. Postum is a wonderful re-builder. There's a reason.

Look in each package for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

OLD TIME SPORT REVIVED.

Falconry Practiced in Scotland With in Recent Years.

Hunting with falcons was revived in Scotland some years ago by Sir Henry Bethune. A writer on field sports says: "The falconers had an old setter dog which hunted till he found a covey of partridges. The falconers then threw off a hawk, which rose in circles till very high, then hovered above the dog. The dog looked up to see if the hawk was ready, and then ran in and roused the birds. Swoop went the hawk. If he missed, the birds generally went into a hedge and the hawk soared again and hovered over the birds. The old dog then went off after them and got another point. If the hawk killed its bird the falconer went gently to it and picked it up. If not he had to fetch the bird with the lure, a dummy bird with a bit of pigeon on it. He called the hawk 'Killy, Killy, Volyook,' a sort of view halloo, and hurried the lure in the air. The hawk stooped to it and began to eat the pigeon, and he then succeeded in picking it up."

The Orange Tree.

The orange tree is regarded as a prize among trees and the emblem of genius. A peculiarity of this tree is that it bears fruit and flower at the same time; its leaves are evergreen and as it grows older it grows in beauty and fruitfulness, its blossom filling the air with its fragrance. It is indeed a fit emblem of marriage promise and hopes. The orange tree is considered typical of love, because, though its fruit is golden and its flavor and scent delicious, its rind is bitter. And as every one knows who has experienced it Cupid's dart causes pain. The orange tree is emblematic of gratitude as well as of genius and love.

Alcohol in Ancient Times.

Considering the possible influence of alcohol upon human evolution, Dr. Harry Campbell assumes that such civilizations as those of Babylon and Egypt may date back 30,000 years and that agriculture by migratory tribes may extend back 30,000 years more, but concludes that the use of alcohol as a beverage has not been known more than 10,000 years. He finds no reason to believe that, as was suggested some years ago, the discovery of fermented liquor gave the first civilizing quickening to the brain of the ape-man.

In the Spring.

Lowndes, Md., April 14th.—Mrs. H. C. Harty of this place, says:

"For years I was in very bad health. Every spring I would get so low that I was unable to do my own work. I seemed to be worse in the spring than any other time of the year. I was very weak and miserable and had much pain in my back and head. I saw Dodd's Kidney Pills advertised last spring and began treatment of them and they have certainly done me more good than anything I have ever used.

"I was all right last spring and felt better than I have for over ten years. I am fifty years of age and am stronger to-day than I have been for many years and I give Dodd's Kidney Pills credit for the wonderful improvement."

The statement of Mrs. Harty is only one of a great many where Dodd's Kidney Pills have proven themselves to be the very best spring medicine. They are unsurpassed as a tonic and are the only medicine used in thousands of families.

Italy's Macaroni Industry.

Italy has some 5,500 macaroni factories employing nearly 25,000. A number of these factories are large, using improved machinery and steam power. The total annual output of macaroni exceeds 215,000 tons. It is a growing industry. The local consumption, as well as the exports, increase steadily. The exports of macaroni in 1889 were 7,719 tons; in 1900, 8,898 tons; in 1901, 9,673 tons; in 1902, 11,322 tons; and in 1903 (eight months), 13,126 tons. Nearly 50 per cent of the above exports went to the United States.

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Wealth in Yucatan.

Yucatan has a population of 360,000, and owing to the fact that it is the home of the henequen, the agave, which furnishes the finest fiber, the Yucatecos have more money per capita than any other people in the world.

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Children are what the mothers are.—Lander.

Do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colic.—JOHN F. BERRY, Shelby Springs, Ind., Feb. 3, 1904.

Cheerfulness is an offspring of goodness and of wisdom.—Bovee.

FARM LANDS.

If you are looking for a home or an investment, do not forget that the best farm and timber lands in the Northwest are along the line of the Minneapolis & St. Louis R. R., where crop failures are unknown. Good soil, good climate, good people there. Farm values are rising rapidly and the time to buy is now.

Low excursion rates from points on the Iowa Central and Minneapolis & St. Louis Railroads, if you wish to investigate. For particulars address, A. B. CUTTS, G.P.A., Ia. Cent. and M. & St. L. R. R., Minneapolis, Minn.

Austrian Marriage Laws.

The Austrian marriage laws are very severe. They prohibit marriages between Christians and Jews and between Christians and infidels. A marriage between a Protestant woman and a man who said he had no particular creed has just been annulled by the supreme court.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

W. L. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

WALDO L. BRADY, Wholesale Druggist, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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- Bulk Starch, best, 5c-6 lbs for..... 25
- Nutmegs, best, 3c oz.-per lb..... 40
- Tea Dust, best, lb..... 20
- Best Japan Tea..... 50
- Pling Tobacco, lb..... 20
- Polar Bear and Army Jack Scrap Tobacco, pkg..... 4
- Gold Flake and Joker Smoking Tobacco, pkg..... 4
- Sugar Drip Syrup, per gal..... 30
- Best Sugar Drips, per gal..... 50
- Best Water White Oil..... 12
- Best Cider Vinegar..... 15
- Black Joe Tar Soap 5c; 6 for..... 25
- Corn Starch 5c; 6 for..... 25
- 1 gal. cans of Apples..... 20
- Best Crackers 8c; 3 1/2 lbs. for..... 25
- Best New Orleans Molasses..... 50
- Good Molasses..... 20c to 30
- 25 pieces asst. colors Print, yd..... 5
- 3 pks Plymouth and Vim Wheat Flakes..... 25
- A few Ladies' Wrappers, to close out, 75c to..... 85
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- 3 cans good Sweet Corn..... 25
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To the Pupils of the Schools of Michigan

The responses by the pupils to the appeal of the Grand Army of the Republic in 1903. For essays on "Memorial Day" was excellent and of lasting benefit. Desiring to continue the good work of civics and patriotism in our schools, the Department of Michigan Grand Army of the Republic, again offers prizes to the pupils of the schools of the State (colleges not included) for best essays on any one of the following historic and patriotic subjects: The Lesson of the Civil War; The War of the Revolution; Alexander Hamilton and the Constitution; Appomattox, its Effect on the Nation; Abraham Lincoln; The Union Army of 1864 and the Grand Army of 1904; Why we should Love the Flag.

The following prizes will be awarded: 5 gold medals, 5 silver medals, 5 bronze medals.

In connection with these prizes Prof. Delos Fall, Superintendent of Public Instruction, will issue a Diploma of Honorable Mention to the authors of thirty of the best essays.

The awards will be made by a committee consisting of the following well known instructors in our public schools: Prof. Walter H. French, deputy superintendent of public instruction, Hon. H. R. Pastengill, editor of Moderator-Topics, and Prof. W. D. Sterling, superintendent of Lansing public schools.

Essays offered in competition not to exceed 1000 words in length. Each essay to be accompanied by a certificate from the principal of the school which the writer attends, that to the best of his knowledge and belief the essay is the result of the writer's own thought and investigation. Essays will be sent to Colonel Theodore E. Potter, Lansing, Mich., special aide in charge of Patriotic instruction in public schools. Essays will be signed by a fictitious name. Then in an accompanying sealed envelope be placed a card giving the fictitious name and the true name, his age, grade in school, name of school and the name of the city, town and county in which it is located. Essays to be submitted not later than May 15, 1904. The Department reserves the right to use such of the essays for publication or in memorial exercises as may seem best.

D. B. K. VANRAALTE, Dept. Commander. PAVETTE WYCKOFF, Asst. Adjt. General.

A Great Sensation. There was a big sensation in Leesville, Ind. when W. H. Brown of that place, who was expected to die, had his life saved by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. He writes: "I endured insufferable agonies from Asthma, but your New Discovery gave me immediate relief and soon thereafter effected a complete cure." Similar cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis and Grip are numerous. It's the peerless remedy for all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c, and \$1.00. Guaranteed by Jno. L. Gale and The Wolverine Drug Co.

W. C. T. U.

Word has been received that the judiciary committee of the house of representatives has unanimously decided to report favorably on the Hepburn-Dolliver bill now before Congress. This bill proposes to make prohibitory State laws effective by forbidding under the operations of the interstate commerce act, the importation of intoxicants into States which attempts to exclude them. This is the first victory in the fight for this advance temperance legislation, which we trust is a precursor of many others.

The members will please remember the annual meeting which will be held Thursday, April 14. Each member has the privilege of inviting one friend. Officers will be elected, reports from superintendents will be given and a "good time" is expected. Come and bring your friend.—Supt. Press.

Robbed The Grave.

A startling incident, is narrated by John Oliver of Philadelphia, as follows: "I was in an awful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Then I was advised to use Electric Bitters; to my great joy, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents, guaranteed, at Jno. L. Gale's and The Wolverine Drug Co.

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- Wheat, Red, 94c.
- Wheat, white, 94c.
- Oats, 40c.
- Rye, 68c.
- Potatoes, 80c.
- Beans, basis \$1.50
- Butter, 18c.
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, county of Wayne, ss. At a session of the Probate court for said county of Wayne, held at the Probate office in the city of Detroit, on the first day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four. Present Edgar O. Duffee, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Debra C. Harlow, deceased. On reading and filing the petition of William N. Wherry praying that administration of said estate may be granted to John W. Cady or some other suitable person. It is ordered, That the fourth day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said court room be appointed for hearing said petition. And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published three successive weeks prior to said time of hearing, in The Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Wayne.

Commissioner's Notice.

In the matter of the estate of Oscar Huston, deceased. We, the undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate court for the county of Wayne, State of Michigan, constituted in the Village of Plymouth, in said county, on Friday, the 24th day of June, A. D. 1904, and on Saturday, the 24th day of September, 1904, at ten o'clock A. M. of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that six months from the 24th day of March, 1904, were allowed by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

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