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PLYMOUTH, MICH., FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1911

WHOLE NO. 1221

# Local Correspondence

There was a good attendance at the Lutheran services at Livonia Center last Sunday.

Mrs. Will Cort and Miss Augusts Wolf were in Detroit on business last Mrs Chas Hirsehlieb called on Mrs

John Krumm at Plymouth last Thursday night.

Wedding bells are booming in this

vicinity-announcement later. Mrs. Will Esch called on her son Mr. and Mrs. Louis Each, in Detroit

#### WEST PLYMOUTH.

Miss Mildred Becker and little Miss Mabel are visiting their brother and his family at Fenton.

Mr. and Mrs. J J. Lucas have been

visiting relatives near Wauseon, Ohio, for the past two weeks.

J. W. O'Bryan of Wayne visited at J. C. G'Bryan's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dunlap of Whitmore Lake have been visiting relatives in this vicinity recently.

Rheumatism is very painful and exhausting, especially in the chronic stage. To get quick relief when these spells come on, Renne's Pain-Killing Magic Oil is the thing needed. It is a clean and pleasant but very penetrating remedy that eases the pain as soon as it reaches the seat of trouble. It is effective also in cramps in the bowels, dysentery, sick stomach, cholers morque. Price 25 ets. Sold by Pinckney's Pharmacy and Beyer's Pharmacy.

#### STARK.

Chas. Meining has gone to Ann Arwhich was broken some time ago by a

A few friends dropped in on Ed. Hoisington last Saturday night to remind him of his birthday. Ed. was so urprised he hasn't hardly come to yet. Chas. Johnson had a farewell party

Saturday night.

John Meining is very sick with the

Dennis Mckinney and wife of Deroit spent Sunday in this vicinity. A number from here took in the din-

er at Newburg the 22nd. Hattie Hoisington spent a few days

of last week with Mrs. Walter LeVan. Mrs. Will McKinney and Walter Le-Van won the prizes at the Hoisington party Saturday night.

Mildred Maynard and Hannah John-son spent Tuesday and Wednesday in

Mrs. Ike Gunsolly spent Saturday and Sunday at Rose Lawn.

How to cure a cold is a question in which many are interested just now. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has won its great reputation and immense sale by its remarkable cure of colds. It can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers.

#### NEWBURG.

Last Saturday evening Miss Hattie Hoisington entertained six couples in nonor of her brother Ed's birthday The hostess and Mrs. I. Gunsolly received the guests in typical Dutch cos-tume. Reading in Dutch dialest, charades, potato and bean contests made the evening pass mervily. The sauci kraut and wemies were exceptionally good. Mr. Hammerschmidt ate so much he hasn't recovered from the effects "yet already." Mrs. Fitzinjam-mer carried off first prize for having the best Dutch costume. Mr. Vandusenhisen won the prize in the potato contest. All voted they had the best time

Mrs. C. E. Ryder entertained Mrs. Lewis Langs, Mrs. Frank Langs, Mrs. C. Mackinder, Mrs. A. Stevens and Mrs. W. R. Levan at a dinner Friday

Mr. McCormick has charge of the

milk depot at Newburg.

Quite a number from here attended the Union Depot at Plymouth last Friday evening as d every one speaks high

The Misses Mabel and Margaret Stevens have been quite sick this week, but are better at this writing.

Mrs. Jackson, who recently moved to Detroit visited the W. R. C. meeling Saturday afternoon.

You are probably aware that pre-monia always results from a cold, by you never heard of a cold resulting pneumonia when Chamberlan's Cou-Remedy was used. Why take the ri

### THE PRIMARIES MARCH 1

of the County for Auditor.

As it is settled at last that the primaries for Circuit Judges and County Auditor will be held on Wednesday, March first. These are all important offices and the voters should see to it that the proper candidates are put in nomination upon the respective tickets.

For County Auditor a canvas among the voters of the county, outside the eitp, shows a remarkable unanimity of opinion in favor of John Harpfer. So far as we have been able to ascertain, all those who served as supervisors with Mr. Harpfer, and who are in a position to know of his fitness, are with him to a

While a resident of Detroit and supervisor by virtue of his office as alder-man, as chairman of the board of supervisors, he treated the county members with a fairness such as they have seldom experienced from other chair-men and showed qualities that make it the voter's duty to himself to support Mr. Harpfer at both the primaries and

As to his qualifications for the office probably no one is better qualified to speak than County Auditor Robertson In an interview in one of the Detroit papers the other evening appeared the

following:

"I have known John Harpfer for many years," said County Auditor Robertson this morning anent the approaching, primaries, in which Mr. Harpfer is a candidate for the republican nomination to succeed Auditor Buhrer. "In his public carrer as alderman, President of the Gonzan Council, chairman of the francium council, chairman of his public carror as alderman, President of the Gonzon Council, chairman of the franchise committee, member of the important committee on liquor regulations, chairman of the Board of Supervisors and member of other very important committees, he has shown the stuff of which he is made and demonstrated his ability to well fill the office to which he aspires. Courteous and attable at all times, always ready to do a favor which means a personal secrifice, he never allows his affability to interfere with the duty that he owes the public. His character, honest, fearless and able, has shown that he posseses the firmness to say 'No,' when 'No' should be said, as it often must be said by a County Auditor, while his courteous manner and even temper, his willingness to put himself out at any time, will assure the public of the proper treatment that the are entitled to expect from a public official. There is no one, of whom I can think, who better meets the requirements of the office of Auditor than Mr. Harpfer, and from my long acquaintance with him I can safely say that the public will not be disappointed if they nominate and elect him."

Mr. Robertson from his own experi-ence as County Treasurer and County Auditor should know whereof he speaks and we think that he does, and that the voters will make no mistake when they nominate and elect John Harpfer, as the indications seem to be that they

#### A Good Horseman

A Good Horseman

Likes a fine animal and a fine horse should be well cared for. In the stables where the best horses are kept you will nearly always find a package of Harvell's Condition Powder. It is a purely medicinal powder, not a food, and its effect on live stock is to purify the blood, regulate the bowels, improve the spirits and make the coat smooth and glossy. Price 25 cts. per package. Sold by Pinckney's Pharmacy and Beyer's Pharmacy.

#### Hymenal-Stowe-Bickford

Mr. Merle Stowe of Iosco, Livingsto County, and Miss Mae Bickford of Shattabarg, slipped away quietly from their friends last Monday and came to The nuptial Plymouth to be married. knot was tied by Rev. E. King at the Methodist parsonage. They will sur-prise their friends when they return after a few days' honeymoon.

#### The Penalty of Sin

The Penatty of Sin

To neglect your health is a sin against nature and frequently the penalty is severe, particularly when the trouble starts in the liver and bowels. It is the straight road to Bright'r Disease. The best course is to take a dose of Dr. Horrick's sugar-coaded pills whenever you feel dull, bilious, constipated or uncomfortable. It will clean you out, restore appetite and cheerful spirits. Price 26 cts. Sold by Pinekney's Pharmacy and Beyer's Pharmacy.

### Agricultural Implements.

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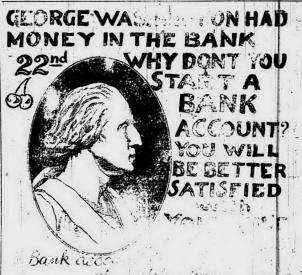
"There is just one drug store where I know I will get exactly what I ask for."

Where you hear that remark you can take it for granted the speaker means

### Pinckney's Pharmacy.

Whatever you want from any drug store can be had here. If we haven't got it we will get it for you. There's never a fear of disappointment. You get what you ask for or what your doctor wants you to have, or you get nothing. Never get "something just as good" here, because we only have one BEST. Does not this answer warrant your trading here? We think so

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If Adam, 4,004-B. C., had lived and earned \$10 a day until now he would be earned less than 22 million dollars. If he had found ONE dollar and put it at ONE per cent interest that one dollar would now amount to \$663,597,604,-947,648. Money will grow if you will let it.

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# THAT ONE UNIVERSAL HABIT All Mankins, at Some Time or Another, Can Be Put in the Cizze of Borrowers.

wing is a universal be one condemns borrowing and body borrows. People borrow thing, from money to pins, from fs, acquestntances and struggess, habity the first case of borrowing

Probably the first case of the posterior freeze was when a rib was borrow from Asiam to make five Brook as the manufacture was immediately given to Asiam to the control of Eve was immediately given to Adam, it wis also the quickest repayment or record. And Adam received interest on the loan. Originally he had only a rih, but afterward he had a "rag and a lone and a bank of hair."

Feople do not draw the line at horrowing retail: they want to horrow.

wholesale. Thus Antony in opening the speech to the Romans, said, "Lend he your ears," just when the owners had meet need of them. So the magician today says: "Kindly lend me your attention." If you go about where men are working you will often. be requested to "lend a hand," and than one man has heeded a re-te "lend his influence," and

Strangers come up to you on the street and ask you to let them have the time of day, and when a man wants to sell you anything he generally begins by asking if you can spare

I may have borrowed some of these ideas, but if I have I don'f know them, so there's no use trying to give them back.-Judge.

Reindeer in Labrador.
The Dominion Government has granted land to Dr. Grenfell, the missionars-physician to enable him to try Labrador. The original 300 deer brought by Dr. Grenfell from Lapland have increased to 800 and have already been a boon to the people of Labrador. The milk is being made fitto cheese, which is an important addition to the food supply, but of still creater value is the fact that the reindeer are able to pull four times as much as the Tskoni dogs, and will travel and live off the tountry, while the dogs have to be provided with food at all times. It is further stated that smoked reindeer tongues are already in the market at very high prices while the soft, thick fur is in great de mand for motoring garments. Dr. Grenfell has just submitted a report recommending the wholesale breeding of reindeer in the Yukon and other parts of the Canadian north to take the place of the dogs for the use of the royal northwest mounted police and the trading posts.

Photographing Digestion.

J. Carvallo of the Marey institute

Paris, France, has recently succeeded in making cinematograph X-ray pic-tures showing the process of diges-tion both in warm and cold-blooded

Many attempts have been made to produce this result, but they have failed because of the difficulty experienced in obtaining Roentgen pic-tures with exposures lasting but a small fraction of a second, also be-cause no suitable cinematographic apparatus was available for producing the pictures.

animals under test were fed is an allmentary paste on which is their usual food mixed with a life of bismuth nitrate. The results of these pictures have been checked by special investigations showing that the pictures are true photographs of the actual movements of the organs.

Bearing Pictures of Insects in Fight. A French inventor, M. Bull. has perfected a cinematograph with which pictures of insects in flight may be taken and afterwards exhibited in motion on a screen, or in a stereo-scopic apparatus. As many as 2,000 images per second may be made, but in studying the movements made by the flying insects, as represented by the images, the latter can be caused to pass with relatively great deliberaflying insects, as represented by tion, so that only twelve or fifteen, or even only-two or three, succeed one another per second. An ingenlous device cause s the insect make an electric contact, and thus set the apparatus in motion at the beginning of its flight.

Guide for Teacher.

make great strides of progress every day, but should be content if a little growth marks each day. She should not be satisfied unless some advancetent is made each and every day. The longest road is traversed step by itep. The greatest height is reached by a slow and steady and off-times einful climb. Patience, industry, termination and constant and intelli-sent application will master most, if not all, difficulties.

State Secret. Mr. Stayleight-Johnny, your parior clock is an hour fast.

Johany—I know it, but don't tell

gister so. Mr. Stayleight—Why not? Johnny-Because she thinks den't know it.—Stray Stories.

Per Simmons. "How do Jack and Jean-age to scrape a living?"
"Will, he makes the money!
"And she makes it last."—Harr

# THE PLYMOUTH MAIL THE THINGS DONE AT STATE CAPITOL

THE BRADLEY BRIBERY CASE IS TO BE CONSIDERED BY THE SENATE NEXT WEEK.

THE STATE'S FINANCES NEED A CAREFUL HANDLING NOW TO MAKE UP DEFICITS.

The Matters Before the Legislatur Are Now of More Than Usual Interest to Taxpayers.

BY TOBY CANDOR.

Senator William H. Bradley of Greenville is found partially guilty of the charge preferred against him by Sherman M. Townsend, the former janitor of the Senate, who charged that Bradley tried to extort from him \$75 for getting him his job with the atate. The committee which made the investigation in its report to the Senate declared that were this a legal proceedure the committee would have been unable to find the charge true beyond a reasonable doubt. But the committee also declares that by a preponderance of the evidence it does the committee also declares that by a preponderance of the evidence it does find the story told by Townsend to be true. Senator Bradley has already been asked to resign as chairman of the committee on finance and appropriations of the Senate. The report of the committee will be discussed and and acted upon Tuesday, Feb. 28. If the report is adopted, a motion may be made to declare Senator Bradley's seat vacant. To do this it will require 22 votes and it is not believed that many of the senators It will require 22 votes and it is not believed that many of the senators feel Senator Bradley is guilty enough to be so punished. A call of the Senate has been ordered and every senator not too ill to prevent must be present on that day to cast his vote on the question.

Special appropriations for the state institutions will be practically cut out this year. At a conference between the governor, the lieutenant governor and the members of the finance committees of both houses the estimates were totaled up and perspective of he budget secured. This showed the budget secured. This showed that the budget this legislature will be called upon to pass for maintenance only and to make good the deficits will run to \$12,000,000, leaving but \$1,300,000 available for special appropriations. Since the University of Michigan is asking \$800,000 alone it is manifest the sum permissable would not go very far. As it is \$1.000,000 must be raised to make good deficits already existing or in sight deficits already existing or in sight and the budget will at best run \$2,000,000 higher than ever before. This 500,000 higher than ever before. This being the case Governor Osborn has said and his opinion is concurred in by the others present that not a dollar of special appropriation will be permitted except where it is absolutely necessary for the existence of the institution.

The miners lost the first round in the big fight on the tonnage tax. For two hours the House in committee of the whole argued against and for the McNaughton bill in committee of the whole. When the committee rose Rep. Knight of Dickinson county moved a substitute that all after the enacting clause he stricken out. By a enacting clause be stricken out. By a vote of 65 to 28 the substitute failed Many of those who voted against killing the bill in this manner, however, have declared they will vote against the bill itself when it comes up on third reading. The representatives of the mines feel confident they can defeat the bill at this time.

The Holland Bricker miner reserve taxation bill is sweeping in its char-acter and application hitting the lowper peninsula as well as the upper This bill has passed the committee of the whole in the House and is up of the whole in the House and is up to its third reading. The bill provides for the taxing of lands reserved for copper, iron, gypsum, salt, coal, oil and every kind of underground stuft that may be discovered. It means / that in those communities where the people have a notion there is did and wish to reserve the rights to it should it be discovered must pay a tax upon those reservations.

Women from all over the state are Women from all over the state are interested in the Mapes bill in the Senate, which provides that children of poor parents may be paid \$3 a week for atteiding school until they are 16 years observe. In no case can a family receive more than \$6 a week from this source! This bill is based on the feeling that it is unfair to force children to attend school when their earnings may be a necessity to the family from which they come and that it is equally unfair to make it necessary for the child or his parents to receive aid from the poor depart. to receive ald from the poor depart ment under such conditions.

No traternities or sororities or any No frateraities or sororities or any description will be permissable in the public schools of Michigan if the bill introduced by Rep. Rankin and aiready passed the House is looked upon with favor by the Senate. This will mean a general tearing up of fraternal life which has been a big feature of school days for many years.

Senator White has introduced a bill ordering the state tax commission to make a careful valuation of all min-eral lands in the state and to report or the state board of equalization.

Representative Averili, of Kent, has introduced a bill making it a misintroduced a bill making it a medianeaner for any mnor to misrepresent his age to secure liquor. This is to greatest the practice which is somewhat common in ettles for boys leoking as he if years of age to buy liquor and be into a poyson a poly slow whe investors to prosecute the saloonkeeper unless he does up.

Away back in 1858, July 3, Aloazo Button, of Mason, went out with the militis company, of which he was a member to parade. In some manner there was an accidental explosion and Button was severely wounded. The law provides no way by which Buttom could draw a pension. He is an old man now and not in the best of circumstances. On two previous occacumstances. On two previous sions the state has by special ment approprieted money for him and now Senator Mapes has introduced a bill providing an appropriation of \$1,300 to be paid to Button or his widow at the rate of \$25 a month.

Of vast interest to owners of gas-oline launches and other power craft is the bill of Rep. Ball which has passed the third reading in the House. This bill provides that all streams on which such boats ply are navi-gable streams and subject to all the laws of Michigan. It provides a pen-alty for obstructing the stream and then adds that the engineer, pilot or master of such craft shall be held liable for the violation of any of the provisions of the act such as not keeping his lights burning properly. Of vast interest to owners of ga provisions of the act such as not seeping his lights burning properly,

Rep. Whelan likes to take a whack at a head wherever he sees one. He was on the committee which investigated the case of Stanley Raudebaugh, the convict. Governor Osborn had Raudebaugh transferred from Ionia prison back to Marquette. Then Whelan saw a head. He introduced a resolution in the House calling upon the governor to explain his action, but nobody seemed to become very enthusiastic over it and the resolution was made a special order for the same time the prison investigation matter comes up. Rep. Whelan likes to take a

The reciprocity treaty will in all likelihood receive no knock or boost from the Michigan legislature. Resolutions both ways have been introduced in both branches of the legislature and in each case by Democrats. Every time an attempt has been made to secure action on one or the other of the resolutions they have been sent back to the committee or in some manner disposed of to prevent action. As the treaty is near confirmation by both countries now it is not likely any action will be taken by the legislature.

Warden Russell, of the Marquette Warden Russell, of the Marquette prison, is outspoken in his statements that when he has a man in his prison who refuses to obey the rules and who commits violence while in confinement will be punished with the lash so long as he is warden, law or no law. A bill now in the House makes it unlawful to punish prisoners, but the warden declares it is necessary for discipline in some instances and he proposes to have disstances and he proposes to have dis-

The legislature is still away up in The legislature is still away up in the air over the junket question. So far the House has not accepted the plan of the conference committee that the ways and means committee make the investigation neither has the Senate sent back the anti-junket resolution adopted early in the session. In consequence a resolution has been offered to the effect that the old-fashioned junket be indulged in, but when it was declared out of in, but when it was declared out of order nobody made an appeal from the decision of the chair.

A good joke on Speaker Baker who has held up so far the ray of the employes of the icgislature on the ground that they are not entitled to their per diem for seven days in the week has been brought to light. While the members are paid \$800 for the session, they by resolution voted to take this money every ten days at the rate of \$5 a day. This they have been doing, including the speaker himself, and Sundays and holidays have been counted in making up the ten days. counted in making up the ten days.

A sample of the conditions of af A sample of the conditions of affairs which the governor has to straighten out, and which leads him to declare for a cleaning up of old debts before contracting new ones, is shown by the fact that the funds of the dairy and cood department are now exhausted, although Gilman M. Dame, the new commissioner, has cut his force down two-thirds from that of his predecessor and has also cut off the practice of sending out a lot of bulletins which nobody wants.

Capt. Tufts, representative from Mason county, has risel to the defense of the old soldfer; who sometimes desire a drink of liquor. He opposes strongly the bill of Rep. Graves which makes it unlawful to sell or give liquor to an irmate of the soldlers' home at any time, even when he is on furlough and away from the is on furlough and a vay from the home. Capt. Tufts points out that once nothing was too good for the old soldier and now if a man wants a drink he has a right to it.

Senator James has introduced a bill raising the fees of witnesses in justices court from 75 cents to \$1.50 a day and of jurors from \$1 to \$2.

The Zach Chandler club of Lapeer has adopted resolutions urging the legislature to appropriate \$15,000 for the erection of a bust of Zach Chandler in statuary hall.

Rep. Graves has in reduced a bill in the House raising the tuition fee of non-residents at the Michigan Ag-ricultural college from \$15 to \$100.

The grist of legislation asked by the present legislature is manifest by the vast number of lills already in-troduced. Up to Fel. 17 there had been introduced in the House a total of 307 bills against 131 at the same time two years ago.

Representative Smith of Lapeer, has introduced a bill eleming Lapeer county from all Hability for the expenses of the state triops used in preserving quaranthe as the Home for the Feeble minded during the recent smallpox outbreak.

### MICHIGAN **HAPPENINGS**

Marshall—A settlement has been effected in the Davis will case between the contesting heir and the Charitable Union of Battle Creek, whereby the latter receives \$14,000 from the estate of Julia P. Davis. The case was recently tried here before Judge Parkin son of Jackson, who took it under advisement. The contesting beirs were John E. Tsylor, W. B. Taylor, Albertus Andrus and Ella Granger, nieces and

nephews. Each sets \$300.

Prescott—After wounding a bear.
George Harris of Churchill was at tacked by the animal and so badly in-

jured that it is thought he will die.

Cadillac—An ulcerated tooth it resulted in the jaws of C. D. Pl lips becoming as firmly locked as by tetanus. Fluids form his diet. His case puzzles physicians, who say will recover.

Traverse City—This city began a systematic boosting campaign of this region. An attempt will be made to induce farmers, fruit growers and resorters to come to the Grand Traverse

region.
Coldwater—John Vogel, 65, while fishing on the ice of the Coldwater river fell in and would have drowned but for the assistance of Lawrence Funk, who swam from shore to save the aged man. Vogel is in a serious

condition and pneumonia is feared.

Kalamazoo—A covered wagon in which were 20 Spanish-American war veterans on their way to attend a party in the country, was struck by a car on the West street line, and Edward J. Stevens was badly hurt. He tried to jump and was caught be-tween the wagon and the car. The wagon and the car.

others were unburt.
Saginaw—George Turis, 35, married, a Polish miner, employed in the St. Charles coal mine, No. 2, is in the Saginaw General hospital with spine injured, a long gash in his neck and four ribs broken, as the result of falling slate crushing him. Physicians say he cannot live.

Saginaw-Fred Buethin and William M. Brown, poor superintendents, who were the subject of a probe because of alleged mismanagement of county poor farm, have been exoner ated

Ionia.—Judge Webster of the bate court received word from William Cusick, son of the late John Cusick of Hubbardston, who died four years ago. leaving his son an estate of \$3,000. provision in the will stated that the amount was to be given to the local Catholic church unless William, who left home shortly before his father's death, appeared within five years.

Port Huron.—In a long letter written to Senator William Alden Smith, Maj N. S. Boynton of this city advocates re-ciprocity not only with Canada, but with every other country on the American continent. "I could never see the sense or benefit of isolation from the countries of the western hemisphere," the letter says, in part.

Owesso.-Within the past three years 150 Slavs, Bohemians and Huns, who were persuaded to leave jobs as laborers in Detroit and Cleveland to work in the sugar beet fields, have pur chased farms in this and adjoining countries.

Battle Creek,-J. A. Cowles, Grand Trunk strikebreaker, was sentenced to louis to serve from one to fourteen years by Judge Walter H. North, following his conviction on a charge o passing a worthless check on Mrs. Charles Wack, with whom Cowles boarded. The man obtained nearly \$25 in change from the bogus paper. well as cheating Mrs. Wack out of the board money. He reached Chicago, but detectives were waiting for him at the depot.

Deerfield.-Mrs. Caroline Leib, eigh ty-eight, for many years a resident this village, died of old age. She leaves

four daughters and one son.

Ann Arbor.—The board of commerce gave a banquet to launch a campaign for good roads in Washtenaw county. Edward M. Hines and J. S. Haggerty members of the good roads commission of Wayne county, were among the speakers.

Mt. Clemens.-The claim of the state of Michigan to the estate of Frank Gabriel, former slave, who died here fif teen years ago, is being contested by Calvin Stillwell, W. S. Jenney and Charles Colby, three local men. A pe-tition has been filed by the secretary of state asking that the property be escheated to the state, as there are no heirs. The contestants base their claim on a verbal agreement made by the deceased and have caused an in junction to issue restraining the admin-istrator from disposing of the estate. Saginaw.—At a special meeting the

board of supervisors voted to reducthe cost per capita of inmates in the county poorhouse from \$2.25 to \$1.63 per week. It was learned a few weeks ago that the higher price charged cities and townships for their dependents explained why the local poor farm has a reputation for being self-supporting, and the change is made for the benefit of the taxpayers.

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Marshall—An attempt will be made to free "Dutch" Miller, the notorious fur robber of Detroit; who was sentenced Sept. 29, 1909, to serve not less than five years in Jackson. His attorney will present a bill of error, one of the allegations being that the inverse had their minds made up be. jurors had their minds made up be fore they retired.

Steve O'Brien, a wealth; Mason.—Steve O'Brien, a Weatny farmer residing near Stockbridge, was waylaid and robbed of between \$300 and \$400 ch his way home from the fatter village. O'Brien, was rendered unconscious and was not found until two homes after the robber.

### WINNIPEG, MANITOBA THE GREATEST WHEAT MARKET ON THE CON-TINENT

REMARKABLE YIELDS OF WHEAT. OATS, BARLEY AND FLAX IN WESTERN CANADA LAST YEAR.

Figures recently issued show that the wheat receipts at Winnipeg last year were 88,269,330 bushels, as com-pared with the Minneapolis receipts of 81,111,410-bushels, this placing Win-nipeg at the head of the wheat re-ceiving markets of the continent. Following up this information it is found that the yields throughout the provthat the yields throughout the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta as given the writer by agents of the Canadian Government stationed in different parts of the States, have been splendid. A few of the instances are given:

Near Redvers, Sask., Jens Hortness threshed about 50 acres of wheat, averaging 29 bushels to the acre. Near Elphmstone, Sask., many of the crops of oats would run to nearly 100 els to the acre. A Mr. Muir had about 200 acres of this grain and he esti-mates the yield at about 60 bushels per acre. Wheat went 35 bushels to the acre on the farm of Mr. A. Loucks, near Wymyard, Sask, in the fall of 1910. K. Erickson had 27 and P. Solvason 17. In the Dempster (Man.) district last year, wheat went from 25 to 30 bushels per acre. Fifteen acres on the Mackenzie & Mann farm today went forty-three bushels to the acre. In the Wainwright and Battle-river districts yields of wheat aver-aged for the district 26 bushels to the acre. M. B. Ness, of the Tofield, Aldistrict, got 98 bushels 28 lbs. of oats to the acre, while near Montrose, over 94 bushels of oats to acre was threshed by J. Leonie. notwithstanding the dry weather of June. Further reports from the Edmonton district give Frank McLay of the Horse Falls 100 bushels of oats to the acre. They weighed 45 lbs. to the bushel. A 22-acre field of spring wheat on Johnson Bros.' farm near Agricola yielded 40½ bushels to the acre. Manitoba's record crop for 1910 was grown on McMillan Bros.' farm rear Westbourne, who have a total crop of 70,000 bushels, netting \$40,000 off 2,200 acres. G. W. Buchanan of Plincher Creek, Alberta, had 25½ bushels of No. 1 spring wheat to the acre. Mr. A. Hatton of Macleod district had wheat which averaged 21 trict had wheat which averaged 21 bushels to the acre. B. F. Holden, near Indian Head; Sask., threshed 950 bushels of wheat from 20 acres.

On the Experimental Farm at Indian Head, wheat has gone below 40 bushels, while several, such as the Marquis and the Preston, have gone as high as 54 bushels to the acre. Elstow, Sask., the quantity of w to the acre ran, on the average, from 26 right up to 40 bushels per acre, while outs in some cases yielded a return of 70 to 80 bushels per acre, with flax giving 13 to 14 bushels per

C. Carnell had a yield of 42 bushels per acre from six acres of breaking. Neil Callahan, two miles northwest of Strome, had a yield of 42 bushels of wheat per acre Lindsay, two miles east of Strome, had 1,104 bushels of Regenerated Abundance oats from ten acres. Joseph Scheelar, 11 miles south Strome, had 12,000 bushels of wheat and oats from 180 acres. Part of the oats yielded 85 bushels to the acre and the wheat averaged about bushels. Spohn Bros., four miles southwest of Strome, had a splendid grain yield of excellent quality wheat, grading No. 2. A. S. McCulloch, one mile northwest of Strome, had some wheat that went 40 bushels to the J. Blaser, a few miles acre. west of Strome, threshed 353 bushels of wheat from 7 acres. Among the good grain yields at Macklin, Alberta, reported are: D. N. Tweedle, 22 bush els to the acre; John Currin, 24 bush-els wheat to the acre; Sam Fletcher, 20 bushels to the acre.

At Craven, Sask, Albert Clark threshed from 60 acres of stubble 1.890 bushels; from 20 acres of fal ow 900 bushels of red fife wheat that weighed 65 pounds to the bushel. Charles Keith threshed 40 bushels to the acre from 40 acres. Albert Young, of Stony Beach, southwest of Lums-den, threshed 52 bushels per acre from summer fallow, and George Young 5,000 bushels from 130 acres of stubble and fallow, or an average of 38 1-2 bushels to the acre. Arch Mor ton got 5,600 bushels of red fife from ton got 5,000 bushess of red life from 160 acres. James Russell got 8,700 bushess from stubble and late breaking, an average of 23½ bushels.

At Rosthern Jacob Friesen had 27

bushels per acre from 80 acres on new land and an average over his whole farm of 21½ bushels of wheat. John Schults threshed 4,400 bushels from 100 acres, or 44 bushels to the acre. John Lepp had 37 bushels per acre from 200 acres. A. B. Dirk had 42 bushels per acre from 25 acres. Robert Roe of Graffi Coulee threshed 45 bushels to the acre from 420 acres

Sedley, Sask, is still another district that has cause to be proud of the yields of both wheat and fas. Cleveland got 30 bushels of wheat per acre on 100 acres and 18 bushels per acre on 100 acres and 18 bushels of flax on 140 acres. T. Dundas, southeast of Sedley, 40 bushels per acre on 20 acres; M. E. Miller, 24 bushels per acre on 170 acres of stuble, and 35 bushels per acre on 250 acres fallow; W. A. Day had 32 bushels per acre on 200 acres of stubble, and 35 bushels on 550 acres of fallow; J. O. Seott had 28 bushels of wheat per acre on 200 acres, and 15 bushels of wheat per acre on 200 acres, and 15 bushels of wheat per acre on 200 acres, and 15 bushels of wheat per acre on 200 acres, and 15 bushels of wheat per acre on 200 acres, and 15 bushels of wheat per acre on 200 acres, and 15 bushels of wheat per acre on 200 acres, and 15 bushels of wheat per acre on 200 acres, and 15 bushels of wheat per acre on 200 acres, and 15 bushels of wheat per acre on 200 acres, and 15 bushels of wheat per acre on 200 acres, and 15 bushels of wheat per acre on 200 acres, and 15 bushels of wheat per acre on 200 acres, and 15 bushels of wheat per acre on 200 acres of acres

els of flax per scre on 300 scres James Bullick averaged 29 bushels of wheat; A. Allen 30 bushels; Jos. Runions, 40; Alex Ferguson, 38; W. R. Thompson, 35, all on large acreages. The flax crop of J. Cleveland is rather, a wonder, as his land has yielded him \$60 per acre in two years with one ploughing. Russell, Man, farmers threshed 30 bushels of wheat and 60 to 80 bushels of oats. A: D. Stenhouse, near Melford, Sask, had an average yield on 13½ acres of new land, 63½ bushels of Preston wheat to the acre. Hector W. Swanston, a harmer near Welwyn, Sask, had 5.150 bushels of wheat from one quarter section of land. John Melean, who ions, 40; Alex Ferguson, 38; W. R. section of land. John McLean, who owns two sections, threshed bushels of wheat.

His Head Was Hard.

It is a common belief that the negro's head is hard, capable of withstanding almost any blow.

The following story told by a prominent young dentist of Darville, Ili., would seem to indicate something of the kind anywhere. Two negro men were employed on tearing down a three-story brick building. One ne-gro was on top of the building taking off the bricks and sliding them down a narrow wooden chute to the ground, some thirty feet below, where the other was picking them up and piling

them.

When this latter negro was stooping over to pick up a brick the former accidentally let one fall, striking him

directly on the head.

Instead of its killing him, he merely loooked up, without rising, and said, "What you doin' than, nigger, you make me bite my tongue."—The Circle.

Protably Got Off.

Apropos of certain unfounded charges of drunkenness among the naval cadets at Annapolis, Admiral Dewey, at a dinner in Washington.

told a story about a young sailor.
"The sailor, after a long voyage." be said. "went ashore in the tropics. certain tropical bars, too much beer.
"As the sailor lurched under his

heavy load along a palm-bordered ave-nue, his captain hailed him indig nantly. "Look here, the captain said, sup-

pose you were my commander, and you met me in such a condition as you're in now, what would you do to

me?'
"'Why, sir,' said the spilor, I would n't condescend to take no notice of you at all, sir."

Scott's Resecca' in "Ivanho The character of Rebecca, in Scott's "Ivanhoe" was taken from a beautiful Jewess, Miss Rebecca Gratz of Philadelphia. Her steadfastness to Juda ism, when related by Washington Irying to Scott, won his admiration and caused the creation of one of his finest characters.

A Quick Sidestep.

Merchant (to widow)—I am willing to buy your husband's working busi-

ness and good-will for \$5,000.

Widow-Well, but 1 happen to be part of the working business.

Merchant-Then I'll take only the

good will.-Fliegende Blaetter.

Didn't Care. Hewitt-I guess you don't know who

Jewett-No. and I haven't any wo-man's curiosity about it.

A Card.
We, the undersigned, as hereny agree We, the undersigned, do hereny signed to refund the money on a 50-cent bettle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. Your Druggist, My Druggist, Any Druggist in Michigan.

Hard Luck. The big stone had rolled to the bot

tom of the hill again, and the bystanders were jeering at Sisyphus.
"Boys," be groaned, tackling it once more, "if you can't boost, don't knock!"

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it Bears the Signature of Over 80 Years.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

There's, Many a Slip.
"What is the name of the song the "What is the lady is singing?"

"Don't you think she's taking great deal for granted?"

LADERS CAN WRAIR SHOW one size smaller after using Allen's For the antiseptic powder to be chaken it shows. It makes tight or new shows for Arrivar reistritues. For Froe trial packet dream Allen S. Okonsed, Le Roy, N. Z.

Willie Knew the Quadrapeds Teacher—Willie, are there feathered quadrupeds?

Teacher—Name one. Willie—A feather bed. Garfield Tea cannot but command itself to those desiring a largely, simple, pure, mild, potent and health-giving.

When you find excess of spee for shortage on sight.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets, small, sucremented and to take as candy, regulate and inviscounts atomach, liver and bowels and cursomstipation.

Much moonshine goes into talks about making sunshine.

To correct disorders of the liver, ta

One might ugnt a lie and still a

LANGFORD GETS DECISION

Australian Fighter Is No Match for

Sixth Round.

London, Feb. 22.—Sam Langford defeated Bill Lang of Australia last night at the Olympia before a crowd of 8,000 enthusiastic spectators, in the sixth round of a scheduled 20-round fight for a purse of \$15,000.

Among the speciators were many

Among the spectators were many titled women. Lady Constance Rich-

ardson, who has achieved fame by her athletic prowess, sat near the ring

Langford, although he won a foul, had the advantage over Lang from the start and had the Australian almost out when the foul was committed. The Australian had the advantage in

height and reach, but the negro was far ahead of Lang in ring generalship

Four times the American negro had

floored the Australian white and was thrashing him around the ring at will.

In the sixth round Lang, in despera-

tion, resorted to rough tactics. Lang

ford made a vicious swing at his ad versary and slipped down in doing so While on his knees Lang punched him with his left on the back of the head and wes promptly disqualified and the

The winner of the battle has been practically matched to meet Jack Johnson for the world's heavyweight

U. S. CALLS HALT ON HAITI

State Department, on Protest From British Consul, Warns Against Wholesale Executions There.

Washington, Feb. 22.- As the result

of a protest registered by the British consul general at Port Arthur, against the reign of terror in Haiti, the state

department made representations to

the Haltian government on the whole sale executions of revolutionary pris-oners, advising the authorities to

The American protest was deliv-

ered to H. Pauleus Sannon, the Hat-tian minister at Washington, and was cabled to American Minister Furniss at Port au Prince for transmission to

at Fort au Prince for transmission to the Haitian government. Minister Furniss cabled to the state depart-ment that the British consul general had called upon him and protested on behalf of the British colony against

cial, Mr. Furniss added, took up the subject by cable with his government.

COL. ROOSEVELT IN CHICAGO

Former President Makes Speeches Be-

fore the Harvard and Union League Clubs.

Chicago, Feb. 21.-Col. Theodore

Wednesday Colonel Roosevelt be-came the guest of the Union League club and delivered the oration at the annual Washington's birthday celebra-

Put Ban on Colored Teas.

New York, Feb. 20.—According to government direction, no more artificially colored teas can be imported

arter May 1, and as a result many of the teas wanch have appeared in bean-tital green shades for 100 years or more will come in hereither in hues of brown, yellow and green.

tion of that organization.

adopt a more ressonable course.

fight given to Langford.

OVER LANG ON FOUL

COLD STORAGE COMBINE LOSES MILLIONS OF DOLLARS IN BUTTER AND EGGS.

#### PRICES DECLINE 50 PER CENT.

Herbert A. Emerson, Chicago Packer, Declares Economy of Housewives Figure Largely in Causing Values

Chicago, Feb. 20.--"Millions of pounds of butter and 50,000 cases of eggs in cold storage which are usually consumed before this time of the year are still unsold." are still unsold." That was the state-ment made by Herbert A. Emerson, president of the United States Pack-ing company, who will testify this week before the subcommittee of the senate committee on live stock and dairying.

Mr. Emerson in amplifying his state ment said that the cold storage trust has lost millions of dollars within the last two mouths through the smashing of the cold storage corner on eggs and

butter.

Trust Meets Waterloo.

"Consumers throughout the country will be greatly pleased to know that the butter and egg trust which has had such a firm grip on the throats of consumers and producers alike for the last five years, has at last met its Waterloo, and this has been brought about through the publicity given the operations of the trust by the press," said Mr. Emerson.

Emerson.
There are today in storage in the United States in the warehouses which report to the association known as the American Warehousemen's association, approximately 30,000,000 pounds of butter, and in the warehouses which do not report to the American Warehousemen's association an equal warfundaments a section in a case amount, or about 60,000,000 pounds of surplus frozen butter taken away from the consumers throughout the hast 12

But Housewives Economize.

"It was held with the expectation of making the consumer pay approxi-mately 40 cents to 45 cents per pound for this butter for which the producers received only about 20 cents per pound, and in paying the producer for his butter it is bought in the form of what is known as butter fat—in other words, they have the words, they buy the cream separated from the milk and the trust concerns operating creameries figure on what is known as an overrun of from 30 to 35

Nearly a year ago the press began to call attention to the operations of the butter and egg trust and the result has been that the housewife has kept close watch on her bills and has economixed whenever opportunity presented finest creamery butter can be bought throughout the United States at from 27 cents to 28 cents per pound."

### CANAL IS TO BE FORTIFIED

Sundry Civil Bill as Completed Car-ries \$3,000,000 for Begin-ning of Work.

Washington, Feb. 21.—President Tait has won his fight with Chairman Towney of the house committee on riations over funds for fortify appropriations over that for the sundry civil bill just completed carried \$3, 500,000 for beginning these fortifica-tions. They are so cost about \$11,000 000 under plans prepared for President Taft by a special commission of

The fortification work will be start on as the money is available

Norton for Bank Post.

New York, Feb. 22.—A statement was authorized in financial circles that Charles D. Norton, private secretary to President Taft, will become vice-president of the First National bank of this city soon after March 4.

#### SERIOUS SITUATION

Unless Law Prohibiting Contract Labor in Prisons is Repealed.

Labor in Prisons is Repealed.

Two years ago the legislature passed an act prohibiting any further contracting of convicts in the prisons of the state to private contractors, the administration advocating the expansion of state account work as fast as the existing private contractors should expire. At the same time a prison industry commission was provided to visit institutions in other states for the purpose of determining how the convicts in the Michigan prisons might be best employed.

This commission made its report several weeks ago and advised that the existing prohibition should be repealed for several years until the sattle is in a position, financially and industrially, to profitably employ the convicts. It makes fine thunder to declaim about how much money the prisons can make by employing the convicts on state account instead of leasing their labor to private contractors, but members of the legislature who have gone into the subject have discovered that it takes more than talk to work out a plan whereby the change can be made in the first place, and secondly, that the state would have to make an Initial outlay of a large sum of money in order to get the industries started.

Supt. Morrow Reappointed.

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After a fight lasting nearly two hours George W. Morrow was reappointed state superintendent of the Michigan Anti-Salom League by the board of trustees in the Y. M. C. A.

board of trustees in the Y. M. C. A. Detroit.

There was much sentiment for his removal, but the fear that his retirement would please the liquor interests decided the board in favor of re-election.

J. L. Hudson was named president, J. C. Tanner secretary and Frank H. West treasurer.

3,000 Concerns Face Heavy Fines. 3,000 Concerns Face Heavy Fines.

Three thousand Michigan corporations have falled to date to send in to the Detroit office of the internal revenue department the returns of their year's business upon which the corporation tax is levied. But one week remains for this purpose.

The government proposes this year to prosecute all concerns that are delinquent with their returns. There is a fine of from \$1,000 to \$10,000 for fullure to observe the year-old law.

It is reported that the D. U. R. is behind the movement to organic the trainmen of Battle Creek and Lansing. The M. U. R., for whom the trainmen are working is opposed to the rovement, but it is understood that the D. U. R. has said the men must join the union before the M. U. R. can enter Detroit.

#### THE MARKETS.

DETRIOIT—Cattle: Good grades 10 @ 20c lower; bulls and common cow stuff steady. last week's prices. We quote best steers and heliers, \$5.75, steers and heliers, \$0.00 to 1.000 \$4.75% steers and heliers, \$1.00 \$4.25% \$4.500 \$1.500 \$4.000 \$4.75% steers and heliers, \$1.000 \$4.000 \$4.75% steers and \$4.000 \$4.75% steers and \$4.000 \$4.

Steep and lambs—Market steady at last Thursday's prices; best lambs, \$5,65.65 (454.75); fair to good lambs, \$5,25.65.56; light to common lambs, \$1,25.65.56; light to good sheep, \$5,75.65.10; culls and common, \$367.35.00 heavy lambs, \$9 lbs. up, \$4,75.65.
Hogs—Market 15c to 20c lower than last Thursday, Itange of prices; latto good butchers, \$1,500; plass, \$6,90.66 \$7,75; light yorkers, \$1,40.67.50.

EAST BUFFALO: N. Y.—Cattle—Steady. Hogs—Thirty cars. heavy, \$7.50@\$4.60; yorkers, \$\$C@\$8.10; pigs; \$8.20. Sheep—Sixty cars, steady; top lambs, \$62.5; heavy, \$6.65.5; yearlings, \$2.65.50; wethers, \$4.75.69; \$1.50; ees, \$4. Calves, \$5.62.50; \$0.50.

#### Grain, Etc.

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WHEAT—Cash No. 2 red, 1 car at
90 1-2c, closing at 91c; May open
with an advance of 1-4c at 95 1-2c,
moved up to 96c and closed at 95 3-4c;
July opened at 92 1-2c, advanced to
93c and closed at 93 3-4c; No. 1 white.

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\$35c and closed at \$2 3-4c; No. 1 with a state of the control of th 43 1-2c.
OATS—Standard, 2 cars at 32 1-2c;
No. 3 white, 1 car at 32c.
RYE—Cash No. 1, 84 1-2c; No. 2, 83c.
REANS—Cash and March, \$2: May, \$2.05.

5. LOVERSEED — Prime spot and rch. \$3.80; sample, 40 bags at \$5.50; at \$8.25; 25 at \$7.75; 60 at \$7.50; 12 \$7.25; 12 at \$7; prime alsike, \$9.20; uple alsike, 9 bags at \$8.50; 5 at

CIMOTHY SEED-Prime spot, 100 TIMOTHY began a school of the bags at \$5. 100-lb sacks, jobbling lots; bran, \$25; charse middlings, \$25; fine middlings, \$25; cracked corn and coarse cornmeal, \$25; corn and oat chop, \$20 per ton. FLOUR—Best Michigan patent, \$3.40; ordinary patent, \$4.90; straight, \$4.65; clear, \$4.25; pure rye, \$4.65; clear, \$4.25; pure rye, \$4.65; clear, \$4.25; pure rye, \$4.65;

Chicago. Feb. 21.—Col. Theodore Roosevelt arrived in Chicago this afternoon for a two ways' visit, in the course of which he is to deliver two addresses. Today he was the guest of the Harvard club of Chicago, a committee from which met him at the station and escorted him to his hotel. In the evening the former president attended the cito's annual dinner and was one of the speakers. The other distinguished guests and speakers were Major Henry L Higginson of Boston, Prof. George P. Baker of Harvard, Joseph P. Cotton, Jr. of New York and Eugene H. Angert of St. Louis.

Apples—Greenings. 4.50@\$5:\ Baldwins, \$4.60%4.50\ \text{ teels red, \$3.50\ \text{ ff \$6}\ \text{ for per bil}\ \text{ western boxes, \$2.25\ \text{ ff \$2.50\ \text{ ff \$6}\ \text{ fer per bil}\ \text{ western boxes, \$2.25\ \text{ ff \$2.50\ \text{ ff \$6}\ \text{ ff \$6}\ \text{ per bil}\ \text{ made, \$6.1-2\ \text{ ff \$6}\ \text{ ff \$6.25\ \text{

per lb. Cranberrics—Late Howey \$3.25 per bu. \$94.9.50 per bbl. Eggs—Official prices: Fresh current; recelpts, cases included 15 1-2c per doz. Receipts on Friday, 1.119 cases.

A seven-story hospital exclusively for the treatment of measies is to be built in New York this summer at a cost of \$275,000. It will accommedate 32 patients.

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Over \$80,000 was raised in Pittsburg during the jubice of the Women's Foreign Missionary society, which closed after a three days' session. The jubilee embraced all the Protestant denominations and the money will be used to carry on missionary work during the ensuing year, The goal of the society is \$1,000,000 and large sums have been raised in various other cities.

# TAFT SUBMITS NEW JAP PÁCT

REMOVES IMMIGRATION BAR LEAVING ALL TO THE MIKADO'S HONOR.

OPPOSITION TO PLAN LIKELY TO DEVELOP AMONG WEST-ERN SENATORS.

Either Country May Denounce Treaty at the End of Six Months.

A sensation was caused in the Senate when President Taft submitted the text of a new treaty with Japan designed to replace that of 1894 and drawn with the object of eliminating restrictions on immigration contained in that treaty.

Embodying radical, if not startling, departures from the existing treaty and touching questions of vital interest to the Pacific slope states, the unexpected arrival of the treaty in the closing hours of the session caused much comment.

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The essential difference between the proposed treaty and the existing convention is that it omits all reference to such restrictions and leaves to the national honor of Japan the enforcement at her own ports of the limitations on emigration from Japan now expressly placed on immigration into the United States.

The document is said to provide that either country may denounce the treaty at the end of six months if it fails to operate as expected.

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the treaty at the end of six months if it fails to operate as expected. That the new treaty will meet opposition seems certain, for even if it. should be speedily reported to the Senate from the committee room without serious controversy within the committee room, the western senators are expected to insist on opportunity for debate which will develop the full extent of their opposition to the treaty. Unlike matters of ordinary legislation, failure of the Senate to act on the treaty during the remainder of this season of congress would not of itself extinguish its vitality, which could be kept indefinitely alive in the executive files of the Senate, to be taken up at any convenient time.

#### Boss Cox Indicted.

George B. Cox, for years head of the Republican organization in Cin-cinnati, a prominent factor in state and national politics, president of the Cincinnati Trust Co., and known wide-ly as an owner of theatrical property, was indicted by the Hamilton county grand jury on a charge of pertury.

ly as an owner of theatrical property, was indicted by the Hamilton county grand jury on a charge of perjury. The basis of the charge is that Cox allegedly testified falsely before a grand jury March 21, 1906, in denying that he received any of the interest money which several banks, according to disclosures before the Drake investigating committee, paid to county treasurers as recompense for the deposit of county funds.

The specific case on which the jury acted occurred in the administration of John H. Gibson, who served two terms as county treasurer, from 1900 to 1904. Gibson testified before the gran jury that Cox had received \$48,500 of the \$97,064, which the banks gave Gibson as "gratuities" during the latter's service.

#### Joker in Tonnage Bill.

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A joker has been found in the tonnage tax bill as passed by the committee of the whole which invalidates the entire bill and which will stir up a legal problem. Instead of providing a tax of one-half cent a pound on pure copper, the tax is on "copper ore." This would mean a tax of \$5 per ton on copper, while the pure copper is running an average of but little more than \$2 per ton now.

When the bill comes up for third reading it will take a two-thirds vote to amend it, and if the opponents of the measure stand pat they can prevent any amendment being made. This will then leave the advocates of the tonnage tax the alternative of

went any amendment being made This will then leave the advocates of the tonnage tax the alternative of letting the matter rest or of passing a bill which on its face is confiscatory and would not stand in court for a moment.

#### The Plague in Harbin.

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The viceroy of Manchuria estimates that the fatalities in Manchuria from bubonic plague already have reached 65.000 while the foreign office believes that inside the the great wall there have been 1,000 more deaths. According to the general belief, however, the number of fatalities will be nearly double those of the official estimates.

ficial estimates.

The relief committee at Shanghai believes that the minimum number of deaths from famine is 10,000.

stock and horse buyer of owner of the Marshall-Lansing to line when it operated between two cities in 1854, died in Marshall of paralysis.

The Tennessee Packing & Provision Co., a \$2.000,000 firm, of Nash-ville, Tenn., was thrown into bank ruptcy on a petition filed by John V. Casey, Harry F. Rosnell and J. J. Tierney, all of New York, represent-ing claims aggregating \$227,500.

ing claims aggregating \$237,500.

The Parks local option bill making the county a unit in voting on the liquor question, passed the Alabama senate, in practically the same shape that it came from the house. It is favored by the governor. This puts an end to state-wide prohibition in Alabama.

According to a representative of the trans-Atlantic line, the advance bookings for next season give every indication that travel to Excepts will be greater than ever before. Between Jinuary 1 and September 1 of last year, 175,000 cabin and 16,000 steerage trans-Atlantic manufactures.

## LETTERS OF DICKENS Sticky Sweating

LAST ONE HE WROTE WAS SHAKY AND SIGNED "C. D."

Signatures of the Famous Novellet on Business Epistles Almost Invariably Were Accompanied by a lourish That Showed Ego.

The last paragraph of the last let-ter written by Charles Dickens reads: "But I hope I may be ready at three o'clock. If I can't be, why, then I o'clock. shan't be. Ever affectionately, "C. D."

This was written an hour or so be-This was written an hour or so before the fatal setzure. Every word
droops below the level from which
each starts, each line of writing descends across the page, the simple
C. D. is very shaky, and the wholeletter is broken and weak. Charles
Dickens was not "ready" at "three
o'clock"—he died at ten minutes past
six p. m. six p. m.

This last signature of the novelist This last signature of the novelist is one of fifty-five reproduced in the Strand in an article by John Holt Schooling. Among them is a very famous signature, the original of which is on a great parchment called "Deed of License Assignment and Covenants Respecting a Work Called The Pickwick Papers," and which, after a preamble, contains the words:
"Whereas the said Charles Dickens
is the author of a book or work entitled, The Posthumous Papers of the Pickwick Club," which has been re-cently printed and published in twen-ty parts or numbers," etc. It is probable that the fact of the

seal being placed between "Charles" and "Dickens" prevented the flourish which almost invariably accompanied his signature on business documents; the marked enlargement of this signa ture takes the place of the flourish and shows an unconscious emphasis of the ego. It would be almost unreasonable for us to expect that so im-pressionable a man, who was also feeling his power and fame, could abstain from showing outward signs of his own consciousness of abnormal success. Yet in the private letters of Dickens the simple "C. D." is very fre-

It may at once be said that this point of difference is alike interesting to the student of gesture and to the student of Dickens' character. He was certainly a very able man of business, and the wording of his business letters fully bears out the idea conveyed by his business signature—so to speak—that \_bickens was fully aware of his own powers, and that, quite fairly, he did not omit to impress the fact upon other people when he thought fit. Both the wording and the signature of many of his private letters are simple and unospirate in the signature of many of his private letters are simple and unospirate. It may at once be said that this private letters are simple and unos-tentatious to a high degree. This curious fact ought to be remembered when people falk about Dickens "con-celt" and "love of show."

"The hardest audience in the world to play to is an audience of typical first nighters," said the theatrical manager. "The first nighters are mostly deadheads, and those who pay their way are of the blaze type, hard to enthuse. I have in mind one man in particular who never misses a first night, and who, to hear him talk, gets about as much enjoyment out of it as he would out of an attack of mumps I put on a comedy last season that was one of the big money makers of the year. The first night audience re-garded it as mourners attending the obsequies of a dear departed. I met this particular one I speak of in the lobby after the performance. "Well, what did you think of u."

I said. 'Pretty funny, eh?

"One of the funniest things I ever saw, he admitted. In fact, it was so funny I had to read the jokes on the programme to keep from laughing.

Developing a Character.
The late Frances E. Willard said: "There are so many kinds of beauty after which one may strive that we are bewildered by the bare attempt to remember them. There is beauty of manner, of achievement, of rep-utation, of character; any one of these outweighs beauty of person, even in the scales of society, to say

or in the states of society, to say nothing of celestial values.

"Cultivate most of the kind that lasts the longest. The beautiful face with nothing back of it lacks the staying qualities that are necessary to race of life. It is not the first mile-post but the last that tells the story; not the outward-bound steed but the one on the home-stretch that we half as wictor."

#### Insurance Against Half.

The Canadian province of Alberta continues its popular plan of insuring crops against hall. The fatest annual report of the territorial department of agriculture shows that in the year 1909 246,909 acres of farming land were fully covered by this form of in-surance, and 48,732 acres were partialto 40 cents an acre. The total premiums collected amounted to \$84,869 and the total indemnities paid to \$152, 060—Scientific American.

Breaking into the Limefight. "Consulted with one of our most fashionable physicians recently," an

mounced the veterinarian.

"How did it happen!"

"A society wassals set poodle was sick. The doctor lamed hourly build that and I administered the dope."

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He was the small son of a minister and his mother was teaching him the meaning of courage.

meaning of courage.

"Supposing." she said, "there were twelve boys in one bedroom, and eleven got into bed at once, while the other knelt down to say, his prayers, that boy would show true courage."

"Oh," said the young hopeful, "I know something that would be more courageous than that? Supposing there were twelve ministers in one bedroom, and one got into lead without; saying and one got into bed without saying

Crutches or Biers.

Richard Croker, at a dinner in New York, expressed a distrust for aeroplanes.

pranes.

"There's nothing underneath them," he said. "If 'the least thing goes wrong down they drop.

"I said to a Londoner the other day:
"They is your early a cattle. he said.

"'How is your son getting on since he bought a flying machine?"
"'On crutches, like the rest of them," the Londoner replied."

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"I took quantities of medicine, and

had an idea I was dieting, but I continued to suffer, and soon lost 15 pounds in weight. I was depressed spirits and lost interest in every thing generally. My mind was so af-fected that it was impossible to be-come interested in even the lightest

reading matter.
"After suffering for months I decided to go to a stomach speci He put me on Grape-Nuts and health began to improve immediately,

health began to improve immediately, "It was the keynote of a new life," "It found that I had been eating too much starchy food which I did not digest, and that the cereals which I had tried had been too heavy. I soon proved that it is not the quantity of food that one eats, but the quality. "In a few weeks I was able to go back to my old business of doing clearing the act."

ical work. I have continued to eat' Grape-Nuts for both the morning and evening meal. I wake in the morning, with a clear mind and feel rested. I regained my lost weight in a time. I am well and happy ugain

ove it to Grape-Nuts." Name given by Postum Co. Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in plays. "There's a zignumin."

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1911.

### Engine-Factory for Plymouth

Stock to the amount of \$8000 or more has been subscribed for the manufacture of the Griffith gasoline engine. The stockholders met last evening and elected directors and it is expected work or the new business will be vigorously pushed as soon as details can be arranged. The capital stock will probably be

### Big Improvement to Plymouth

Wm. Blunk, who purchased the Allen farm north of Church street, contemplates platting the same into village lots and opening streets. He expects to build four new modern residences thereon this summer. In selling lots on a portion of the lots he will stipulate with the buyer that no house be built sting less than \$2,000. This section of the village is expected to grow ma-

### Great Musical Coming

That the Central Grand Concer Company will give the people of Plymouth one of the greatest musical treats ever, is an assured fact. The bureau used this company to advertise their lyceum and so have secured high

The early demand for seats has been targe and extra reserved seats will be arranged so as to take care of those coming early. Fuller announcement

### Primaries March 1st.

The primary election for the nomina tion of circuit judges and county auditor in Wayne county will be held Wednesday, the first day of March, next.

In the townships of Wayne county the polls will open and close as follows: Ecorse, Greenfield, Grosse Pointe, Hamtramck and Springwells open at 7 o'clock a. m. and close at 8:30 p. m. standard time, and in all other townships in Wayne county polls will oper at 7 o'clock a. m. and close at 5 p. m. except in such of said townships as the township boards thereof have or shall by resolution extend the time of closing to 8 o'clock p. m.

EDGAR O. DURFEE, Judge of Probate.

# Matrons' Silver Medal Contest

A married ladies' silver medal contest will take place in the Baptist church Monday evening, February 27, 1911, under the arspices of the W. C. T. U. PROGRAM.

PROGRAM.

Violin Solo Mr. Will Harmon.

Piane \*\*ccompanist\*\*—
Miss Hazel Smitherman
Invocation - Rev. DesAutels.
Piano Duet - The Misses Jolliffe.
Contestant No. 1 and No. 2.
High School Girls' Glee Club.
Contestant No. 3 and No. 4.
Vocal Solo - Miss Hazel Smitherman.
Contestant No. 5 and No. 6.
High School Boys' Glee Club.
Reading - Mrs. M. E. Butler, Detroit.
Piano Duet - Misses Anna Birch and
Grace Campbell.

Presentation of Medal - Rev. Caster.
Violn - Will Harmon.
Benediction - Rev. B. F. Farber.
Names of contestants - Mesdames J.

Names of contestants-Mesdames J F. Root, J. C. O'Bryan, F. J. Tousey, Wyman Bartlett, J. H. Patterson, H. A. Spicer.

#### Glenn a Great Orator

oed crowd greeted Ex-Goy. Glen of North Carolina at the Opera House last Thursday evening, and heard this noted Southerner on the workings of Prohibition in the South. After a few introductory remarks by H. L. Rood Editor of the American Issue, in which was stated the progress of local option in Michigan and the fight now on, Ex-Governor Glenn, who served two terms as chief executive of North Carolina, gave a very lucid idea of the workings of Prohibition in his state. He showed the lessening of crime and insanity in this and other similar states, and the inse of wealth and happi mit of the abolition of the license the browers and others that more liquor ewers and others that more inquor sumed in territory under prohibi-we as being false, and the un-ablences of opposition of this sent by the manufacturers and ont by the manufacturers and segers, if this is true. Quits a who heard the address declared reatest they ever listened to.

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#### CHURCH NEWS.

CHRISTIAN SCIENTIST

Next Sunday morning at First Church of Christ, Scientist, 10:10 A. M. Subject, "Christ Jesus." Sunday school for children at 11:00 A. M. Wednesday evening testimonial service Every one is welcome.

**LUTHERAN** 

Rev. O. Peters. Pastor. Sanday, Feb. 26, services in the evening at 6:30 standard time. This service will be English. Everybody welcome Sunday-school in the morning at the

The first Lenten service will be held Friday evening, March 3, and continue every Friday evening during Lent. services will start at 7 o'clock

standard time. Everybody welcome. The yearly meeting of this church will be held at the church Wednesday

vening, March I, at 8 o'clock stand-d time. All members are requested be present and any Germans interested in this church are cordially invit ed to this meeting.

The ladies' aid gave Mrs. John Zarr a surprise Monday evening, it being her birthday: A very enjoyable evening was spent.

METHODIST Rev. E. King, Pastor

Morning service 10 o'clock. The pastor will preach. Subject, "The Soul Winner's Equipment." Sundaychool 11:30. Epworth League 6 p. m. Leader, Mrs. Isbell. Evening service 7 o'clock. The pastor will preach. You

A thimble party was given by the Ladies' Aid at the home of Mrs. E. N. Passage Wednesday sfternoon and was largely attended.

The March supper and social evening has been cancelled on account of the Lenten services to be conducted by Dr Allen.

The Girls' Sunshine Club will have an "old time" and Washington's birth-day social in the church dining room to-night. There will be "The Finish ing of the Famous Cherry Tree, "A Necklace Competition" and "A Tossing and Balancing Contest."

Rev. B. F. Farber. Pastor. Services will be held in the First Presbyterian church on Sunday, Febuary 26th, as follows: Morning worship at 10 o'clock.

preach. Sunday-school at 11:15.

A meeting for the men and boys will be held in this church at 2:30. There will be special music and we hope to make it a profitable meeting. Mr. Farber will speak on the subject, "The Making of Men."

Evening service at 7 o'clock. Preaching by the pastor. The Pythian Sisters will attend in a body.

In the place of our regular prayer meeting there will be a preparatory to communion. This will be held in the main church on Friday evening at 7 o'clock. The session will meet at the close of this service to receive new members.

We extend a most cordial invitation to all to attend these services.

BAPTIST

Rev. W. W. DesAutels. Pastor. Services next Sunday at the usua ours. The subject for the morning ermon will be another message from Nehemiah, "A good thing to do." The gospel service in the evening will be one hour longer, no longer. "God loves you" will be the theme of the ad-

year or two all our streets would be in excellent shape and could be kept so. There are many villages in the state who have adopted this plan. We notice the petitions are receiving many signatures, but will probably not be submitted to the council until the new administration comes in, when we hope to see it pass.

church parlors. Mrs. Campbell is the leader for next Sunday. Please plan to

This Friday evening the ladies serve a European supper in the church. You can buy much or little and get a good supper in either case. A good social time is to be enjoyed by all. The proceeds are for the benefit of the furnace all dealers. ceeds are for the benefit of the furnace

ing Tuesday, March 7th. Begin now to

#### SCHOOL NOTES.

The Seniors have their class pins. The latest H. S. yell: "Hoo-oo-oo,

"Night School" again, after a racation!

Cass Hough has left school to go on visit south

Mrs. Whipple and daughter visited in the 2nd Grade. Miss Florence Carter of Milford is eaching in Miss Huffman's place.

David Taylor is engineer in Mr. Jewell's absence, during the latter's Miss Huffman is very sick and had

resigned her position as teacher of the 6th grade. Miss Baumgart was absent from abool last week Thursday and Friday account of sickness. Miss Bau

Miss Newell was absent Monday and Tuesday of this week owing to the death of her grandiather.

The Biology class has come to the

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the Detroit Journal. county taxpayers.

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subject of twigs-we hope a specia knowledge of the birch will not be re

Hilda Smye of the seventh grade is

doing nicely at Ann Arbor where sho

underwent an operation for a mastoid

H. S. visitors; Miss Eva Bush

Belleville, Ma gnerito Hough '07, and Miss Helen Strong, a former pupil of

P. H. S. has joined the Michigan

Spelling League and will take part in

lists are now in the hands of the stu-

At the beginning of the semester the

board of editors, who have served so

efficiently the past semester, elected the new board. Next week the complete

preciate it and the students certainly

enjoyed and profited by Miss Bannon's

**Motor Truck or Horses** 

At the last meeting of the fire depart

ment a committee was appointed to circulate petitions to the council among

the taxpayers, asking that body to pur-chase a motor hose truck or wagon for

use of the department, instead of the

present antiquated and cumb rsome

uch a petition but has included in it

either a motor truck or team of horses

and wagon." The fire department at diverse times has endeavored to per-

suade the council to purchase a team of

horses and employ a man by the year,

the man and team to work on the streets of the village when needed and he would be needed about every day weath-

er permitting, to keep the streets in proper shape. The latter proposition

is a very meritorious one and we believe

would be favored by a majority of tax

payers. At present much money is paid for teaming on streets and much

work is left undone that should be done

out for the expense of the matt r

With a team owned by the village and

and a man employed by the year, a great deal of work could be done at

comparatively small expense and in a

year or two al: our streets would be in

the various contests arranged for.

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tor Buhrer? He has given the county taxpayers the best of his singular ability to keep down expenses, and that ability, that person-

Must Be Dressed to Suit Costu Means Great Hairdressing. Great Variety

Just why should woman bother to keep her own hair? Just now all its use seems to be as a knob to hold all

The latest is that the hair must be dressed to suit the costume and as almost every period is represented in the season's styles, this means a variety in hairdressing that no one head of hair could stand for.

Fortunately the demand is not made, for many fashionable women who go in for ultra styles are frankly wearing wigs. They call them transformations perhaps, but wigs they are none the

The play "The Union Depot" was well attended the proceeds amounting to \$126. The audience seemed apferent styles of colffure can be kept

Among scarfs, the newest material is fine silk tricot, like glove silk. These come in all the fashionable

Many scarfs have embroidered and silk crocheted lace ends, in self-tones or in harmoniously contrasting colors.

#### DASHING LITTLE ULSTER.



Our Sunday-school hour is at 11.00 and is proving a profitable time to all.

If you are not at some other school, Arbor Wednesday evening. Several other Plymouth members accompanied to see that the Ann Arbor antiered herd did the right thing and they say they did.

### Y. Y. P. U. business and social even- LARGER WAISTS IN STYLE

Most certainly very small waists re not today a necessity in beauty ulture; indeed, some classic statues ressed in Parisian modes might pass muster now: twenty-six inches too big, even twenty-eight

inches.

Paris made the law, and every one followed it joyoesly; even the stafs, pull as you may will not give you a small waist. It is even rumoned that Frenchwomen pad the front of the figure, to cause it to appear straight. It is not the waist we have to reduce, but the hits; the one desideratum is to keep them to the straight line.

produced the bone correct, made thirteen inches the right size for the walst, and many a woman at court accrificed her life to attain it. There is no necessity to have long bones to in no necessity to have long bones to keep in the hips; coufil or brocade may be cut so as to confine the dimen-sions. Digestive organs are now left full and easy play; but we do not want to get too tubelike, which seems the special danger of the mo-ment.

#### WHAT WILL BE NEXT IN HAIR?

sorts of artificial colffures.

out of harm's way—a sort of feminine
"blue Beard's" chamber must her
dressing room look.

#### AS TO VEILS AND SCARFS

Tipe for Those Who Want to Know What Season's Fashlon Dictates.

Lace vells are still with us.
But net, maline and brussels have
ecome the greatest favorites.
Diamond designs are extremely pop-

ular in single, double or multiple mesh, combined with circles dots or hexagons.



It is dashing little uister model might be used for a storm coat or a quite smart garment of cloth or velvet. Here the material employed is a novelty wool coating in red and brown, a handsome satin in the same red lining the garment all through.

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# Local Mews

O. W. Brown of Lansing was in town C. J. Draner was in Ann Arbo

Bake sale at the Universalist church Comorrow afternoon, Feb. 25.

Mrs. James Dunn of Detroit was isitor at Orr Passage's this week.

Mrs. C. E. Granger of Howell visited at Harry Jolliffe's a few days this week. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McLaren were

Chelsea visitors last Saturday and Sua-

Mrs. A. Neville of Detroit visited he parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Clark this week.

Mrs. John Blindburg and son of De-troit visited Mrs. W. J. Burrows Wednesday.

Miss Ella Jackson entertained a fer triends Wednesday night after the masquerade ball.

The Daisy factory has added Mr. Everett Sauter of Philadelphia to its force of salesmen.

Dr. Patterson is expected to return nome Saturday and will then be ready to resume his practice.

Mrs. Hull of St. Louis and Elizabeth Hull of Ypsilanti visited Miss Nina Hull'over Sunday.

Miss Margaret Gahagen and Be and Averal Henry of Northville spent Monday at John Lundy's.

John Mining of Stark was taken the hospital at Detroit yesterday, suffering with typhoid fever.

Revs. Farber and King attended th ministers' meeting of their respective bodies in Detroit last Monday.

Mrs. Thomas Thompson leav corrow for Clare having received word that her father was seriously ill.

Mrs. Church and Miss Dieterle, phone operators of Howell, were down Tuesday inspecting the local home

Geo. Gittins has been unable trid to his duties in Detroit for a few days, on account of a bad attack of Claude Robinson and Ralph Robin-

son and Ralph Hicks are making a fly-ing trip to Toledo, Cincinnati and other Ohio cities.

The annual banquet of the Plymouth Improvement Association will take place in Odd Fellows' hall Monday vening, March 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Eddy have moved into rooms at the Plymouth House and will be domiciled there until other arrangements are made. Mrs. Huffman returned from New

York city last Saturday night, called home on account of the serious illness of her daughter, Hazel. Eh Nowland, driver of the depot 'bus,

was kicked on the leg by a horse he was hitching up last Saturday afternoon and seriously bruised, being unable to use the limb for several days. Wednesday was the anniversary of

the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Farwell and in the evening some of their friends gave them a pleasant sur-prise and assisted them in celebrating Isaac Tillotson of Canton and Miss

married in the latter city Wednesday afternoon, Miss Finton is well known here having attended school here and taught in this vicinity for a number of

Dr. E. E. Caster preached two ser-mons Sunday in the Detroit Congregational church, and conducted funeral parishioner of his church in Howell on

The New Idea Club of west Ann Arbor street held its second regular meet-ing at the home of Mrs. Geo. Holbrook Tuesday afternoon and such was the enjoyment of all that they predict sudden rise in property values in that

Gayde Bros. have purchased a Brush delivery motor wagon and expect to have it in use in a week or two. The boys are the first to adopt the auto delivery in this village and their enter-prise and progressiveness is certainly endable.

February 22nd will have another significance to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burrows of Detroit, than as Washing-ton's birthday, for upon that day a daughter was born to them. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burrows, grandparents, are also correspondingly happy.

A Republican caucus was held in the council room Thursday afternoon to elect delegates to the county convention to be held Saturday. P. W. Voorhies presided and F. W. Samsen was made secretary. On motion the following were elected delegates: F. W. Samsen, J. O. Eddy and Louis Hillmer.

A piece of fiannel dampened with Chamberlain's Lindment and bound on to the affected parts is superior to any plaster. When troubled with Issue back or pains in the side or cheet give is a trial and you are certain to be more

Miss Alice Safford spent Wednesday in Detroit.

Mrs. E. P. Wood is visiting her Charles Wheelock of Detroit called

n friends here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smitherm

Miss Martha Ryder of Salem spent

Puesday with Mrs. S. Bennett.

Mrs. M. S. Lee of Ann Arbor visited Mrs. Asa Joy the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hilmer of Detroit visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Hillmer Sun-

Mrs. Will Bentley, who has be for several weeks, is able to be out

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. VanAiken and children of Detroit spent Sunday at C. E. Riggs'.

Miss Pearl Jolliffe was the guest of Miss Anna Cook of Owosso from Fri-

day to Monday. Misses Ethel Smitherman and Vivian Daggett visited a couple of days in Ypsilanti this week.

Mrs. P. E. White is home from Mt Pleasant and is staying with her daugh-

ter, Mrs. Chas. Riggs. Miss Marguerite Wright of Ypsilant as the guest of Miss Gladys Passage

from Friday to Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ellsworth of

Eckman, North Dakota, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warner. The North-end Club rented their rooms to the Order of Railroad Tele-

graphers for a meeting Sunday. Miss Florence Newell was called to her home in Ypsilanti Sunday night on

account of the death of her grandfather. Chas. Olds was in Ann Arbor Sunday

visiting his wife and daughter Hilds, the latter being treated at the hospital. N. C. Rodgers, who moved from Ohio onto the Calvin Whipple farm, south-

west of town, will remove back to Ohio Mrs. Geo. Shafer and Mrs. C. A. Pinckney entertained the L. O. T. M. M. Wednesday afternoon at the home

of the former Stever and Mrs. W. B. Lombard and ittle daughter spent Monday with Mrs. Will Calver in Pontiac.

There was a large attendance at the masquerede ball given in Penniman hall Wednesday evening. The spectators were also quite numerous.

Ormand Russell, who has been ployed by the Daisy Mfg. Co., has moved to Standish, where he will work for the International Milk Products Co.

K. P. hall Sunday night, Feb. 26, at 6:30 for the purpose of attending in a body the services at the Presbyterian church.

The Pythian Sisters will meet at the

Frank Beals will furnish ANY MAG-AZINE PUBLISHED at lowest prices. Telephone and he will call on you and if your paper don't come HE will get after it. And now it is announced that Clar-

ence Patterson and Miss Myrtle Yorton have been married a year and a half and none of their friends (except members of the families) knew of the fact until a few days ago. It was quite a surprise, but we extend congratulations anyway.

Tillotson of Canton and Miss Finton of Ann Arbor were Mauhorter sat down to a dinner at Hotel Plymouth, given by Henry Doerr General Agent, and H. A. Spicer, Local Agent, for the International Harvester Co., after which each farmer took home a fine new Clover Leaf Manure

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It is the mest product in Corn Syrup ever put on the market. It is colorless, sweeter than any other brand, goes further and gives better satisfaction. It comes in 25c and 50c pails. We also carry the famous Caro and Light House brands of Corn Syrup.

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We have been trying other brands ourselves, but find Chase & Sanborn's the best. We 'nave Coffee at 150, 30c, 35c and 38c. Coffee at 30c, 35c and 38c you will find to be very good.

We have Te at 40c, 50c and 60c, green, black and uncolored. We recommend our 50c Tea—it is very good.

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Just received for Spring trade. Bargains in Tumblers, Pitchers, &co. For Clover Seed, Timothy Seed, Alsyke Seed, Alfalfa Seed come and see us.

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We have a large stock of Wall Paper at cheap prices.

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IMES were pretty lively about Washington during President Grant's administration. The great, the near great and the shabby genteel politi-cians were to be

daily met with. Each day for adventurers and sharpers.
Every device that human ingenuity could invent was in vogue for money making purposes. Men of respectablity when at home often turned crooks after sojourning at the nation's capi-tol for a time. The war had left its demoralizing influence upon many and the opportunities for acquiring wealth were numerous and varied. For a long time before General Grant took his seat in the president's chair there had been a looseness in the administration of government affairs resulting in organized frauds that would not be tolerated in this day.

The Credit Mobiler conspiracy, the ring and many other monumental steals were being carried on in high-up official and private circles. The big fellows set the pace and the smaller crooks lottering about the city felt quite safe in taking a hand in what was going on. Some of the de-vices resorted to by the lesser fellows were quite ridiculous. I will disinter one of these schemes for the purpose of exhibiting the folly of some of the plotters of that day.

Shortly after President Grant's in lauguration in the spring of 1873 he sent a messenger with a note requesting me to call at once at the White House. On entering his office I found him at his desk. He pointed to a nearby chair and bale me be seated. Reaching into a drawer of his desk he took out two long black cigars, and handing me one of them he bit off the end of the other and put it between his teeth. Straighten-ing back in his chair, the big black cigar was pointed upward at an angle of about forty-five degrees. As the smoke curled lazily above his head I saw that there was something in his manner indicating that his usually placid temper was riled. Picking up a package of letters from his desk he turned towards me and said: "Here. Colonel, is a matter that needs your careful attention. During the last few days I have been receiving these letters. I want you to make an in-vestigation at once. The persons engaged in this work must be punished. It is an outrage. It is probable that there is more than one person in the

President Grant spoke with great earnestness, and I saw that he was earnestness, and I saw that he was not a little disturbed and that his idea was to let no guilty man escape. The was to let no guilty man escape. The circulars he handed me were printed in letter form and had been sent through the mails to many postmasters throughout the south and west. The circulars read as follows. I give them

Executive Mansion, Washington, Oct. 12th, 1872.

Memorandum of conversation between

the president and his secretary, Secretary-I wish to refer this teleof Senator Morton's

No the President:

A conspiracy has been formed to overrun southern Illinois, Indiana and Ohio and to keep the colored vote from the polls in the southern states. Several thousand nonresidents will vote in Indiana. Men and money are needed. I send a man to you who has been in their council.

O. P. Morton.

President—Yes, I have thought that matter all over, and had a long talk with the man the senator sent. What does Mr. Cook say about money? You know that we have none, and that the committee's means are all necessary for the regular business.

Secretary—Mr. Cook will furnish you any amount you require.

President—Very well, I will take the responsibility. Have Captain C—— select a dozen men to go west and south with funds and organize. The mere fact of a rood oversulation. tempting to defraud the people at the

'Additional conversation, March 24th, 1873.

Secretary—Mr. President, have you determined how you will reimburse Mr. Cook for the money furnished last October?

has suggested Rev. J. Hale Barney to act as secretary in the matter. Ap-point him immediately, and as our point aim immediately, and as our mails are so large and go to clerks to be arranged and briefed before we see them, you will have all letters on the subject addressed to him. Call upon our friends, and allow no one to on riverse over ten dollars, and, to it prevent publicity and trouble, direct the remittance to be made by a single fen dollar note. Registered letters, durates or express would necessarily tend to publicity. Mn Secretary, you will make an alphabelical list of contributor, to which we can

Executive Mansion, Washington,
April 5th, 1873.
"The annexed conversations are sub-

mitted to the friends of the president in confidence. Our friends can ad-dress Rev. J. Hale Barney, who is temporarily secretary in that behalf. Any one having conscientious convictions against contributing need only silently decline. The president has acted in good faith and confidently relies upon an active and cheerful assistance. Suppose nothing had been done and the state of affairs existing in Louisiana had more extensively prevailed, what would have been the result? Read carefully the president's views and act as your judgment dictates, remembering this subject is confidential and known only to three persons besides the president and that whatever is sent should be in currency in the enclosed envelope.

Very respectfully, "O. E. Babcock, "Secretary."

With the above circular was also enclosed the following letter for re-turn after being filled out: "Rev. J. Hale Barney, "Ex-Secretary, Etc.

"Washington, D. C.

"Sir: Please find enclosed ten dolars in currency which you can apply

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at once. Others were surprised and doubtful as to their genuineness and forwarded them to the president with a letter of inquiry. Taken altogether it was a most remarkable affair planned and carried out in a reckless manner. The report of the detectives sent to capture the schemer furnishes

chapter of racy reading.

It was discovered that a lady who It was discovered that a lady who rented furnished rpems at No. 426 Sixth street had sometime prior to the discovery of the forgeries received a letter from a man signing himself Rev. J. Hale Barney. He said he was a Methodist minister and that he would be absent from the city much of the time attending to the duties of of the time attending to the duties of his circuit, but he wanted to hire a good lower front room in her house for office purposes and a place to sleep and the delivery of his corre-apondence. He explained further that he had been appointed executive sec-retary of the Christian Brotherhood. The lady thought it was a rare op-

The lady thought it was a rare op-The lady thought it was a rare op-portunity to secure an occupant of distinction. She had great confidence in Methodist ministers as she leaned that way herself, and she answered favorably. In a few days a large trunk was forwarded by express. It had an aperture in its top through which letters could be dropped. There was also forwarded two large cards upon which was printed "Rev. J. Hale Barney, Executive Secretary of the Christian Brotherhood," window of the room. Money was sent to pay a month's rent in ad-

The madame was delighted to rent her rooms to such a nice man. She had always maintained a highly respectable place and intended to keep it so. The trunk was put into one corner of the room hired, and all mail addressed to the reverend myth was dropped through the hole in the top of the trunk pending the arrival of his reverence.

The old lady was wholly unsuspi-

easily secured a key to fit it. He in regard to the delivery of the let-

into the postoffice.

These letters were discovered to be ber of printed circulars and envelopes addressed to postmasters were found.

The plot, although silly in its conception, was catchy because of its boldness. The "nice man" caught was a person of considerable prom-He had served as a colonel of a regiment during the Civil war and was a gallant fighter.

decoys. These were postmarked and given the appearance of having been given the appearance of having been sent by postmasters in the south. Some of them contained marked money. Excuses were made in others; money would be sent in course of time. Some of these letters were signed, "A Friend of the Cause," "A Sympathiser," "Depend Upon Me," etc. A letter carrier was made use of and the detective was kept posted in years, to the delivery of the letter carrier of the letter carrier.

When the "nice man" occupying the room back of the parlor was ab-sent the letters contained in the trunk were examined by the detective. A short time after the return of the "nice man" he was seen to slip into the parlor through the rear door. The detective again examined the trunk. The letters were gone. Shortly after-wards the "hice man" occupying the room back of the parlor was arrested while in the act of dropping letters

circulars addressed to postmasters and others. The "nice man" arrested was searched and the marked money placed in the letters by the detective was found in his pocket. It was now certain that Rev. J. Hale Barney and the individual arrested were one and the same. The silent young man up-stairs was suspected and arrested. His room was searched and a large num-

The young fellow upstairs was a printer and had done the work on the circulars. Both of the schemers were

WHERE IT WAS LACKING



puckered up your lips so then that I thought you were going to

A Dry Wash. Representative Livingston of Georgia, who, disgusted at the bath-tub de bate in the house recently, proposed that a little money might be made by renting the bath tubs out, said recently, apropos of this subject:

We are now a good deal like Bill

one January morning and said with a

'Will you take your bath hot or

Education vs. Instinct.
Jacob Wendell, Jr., who plays the part of the dog in Maeterlinck's drama, was dining in a restaurant recently when a man, recognizing him as the actor, approached and said:

"Pardon me, but you take the part of the dog in 'The Blue Bird,' do you not? Of course you don't know it, but I can really bark lots more like

"Well, you see," answered Wendell,
"I had to learn."—Success Magazine.

Literary Atmosphere.
"Mark Twain was not a widely read
man. How do you supose he ever
managed to turn out so much good

"I don't know, unless it was because he smoked so much."

No harmful drags in Gartiell Ten, Na-ture's laxative—it is composed wholly of clean, sweet, health-giving Herbs!

n exploding lamp, water only spreading the oil.

Take Garfield Ten to arouse a sluggish ver—all druggish sell it.

A good home is the best exposition of heaven.



He-No; I got some grit in my

-Well, for goodness' sake swal! You need it in your system!

Spriggins on a zero morning.

"Bill's valet entered his bedroom

"Thank you, said Bill; 'I'll take it for granted.'"

a dog than you.

Tightness across the chest means a cold on the lungs. That's the danger signal. Care that celd with Hamlins Wizard Oil before it rune into Consumption or Pneu-monia.

Not the One.
"One of them actor fellers wants a

doctor quick."
"There isn't a doctor handy, but tell him he might call the grocer—be cures hams."

Keeping Oil, Fire From Spreading.
Milk will quench a fire caused by

Mrs. Winslow's Southing Syrup for Children wething, softens the gums, reduces inflamma-tion, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c a bottle.

The recording angel may take more interest in your day book than in your hymn book.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS
Four druggist will refund money if PAZU OINT.
MENT fails to case any case of liching. Blad.
Bleeding or Protrading Piles in 6 to 14 days. Sic.

Stella—Is her coat Persian lamb? Bella—No; Podunk mutton.—Judge.

A Fairiy Wet World.

The Pacific ocean covers \$5,000,000 miles, the Atlantic 30,000,000 and the Indian Arctic and Antarctic, 42,000,000.

To stow away the contents of the Bacific it would be necessary to fill a tank one mile long, one mile wide and one mile deep every day for 440 years. Put in figures, the Pacific holds in weight 945,000,000,000,000,000 tons.

The Atlantic averages a depth of not quite three miles. Its water weight 925,000,000,000,000 tons, and a tank to contain it would have each of its sides 43 miles long. The figures of the other oceans are in the saper starting proportions. It would take all the sea water in the world 3,000,000 years to flow over Niagara.

years to flow over Niagara. A man may go up when you kick him, but you cannot claim credit for

# RHEUMATISM



### The Army of Constipation

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BETTER FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN THAN CASTOR CH.

# SALTS, OR FILLS, AS AT SWEETENS AND CLEANSES THE SYSTEM BROSE SPICE BY FAR MORE PLEASANT TO TAKE.

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ALWAYS BENEFICIAL IN ITS EFFECTS.
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HE WAS SEEN THE NICE MAN WAS TO SLIP INTO THE ARRESTED AS HE WAS FRONT ROOM. MAILING A LETTER in any way you think necessary for clous. A Methodist minister was convicted and sentenced to do time the good of the cause.

"Yours truly." above reproach with her. The back in the penitentiary. This was only room adjoining the one engaged by one of the many bold schemes practhe reverend was already occupied tised in our capital city by persons

THE LOCK

With this letter was an envelope addressed as follows:
"Rev. J. Hale Barney, "Executive Secretary, Etc.,

THE DETECTIVE EXAMINED

"Executive Secretary, Etc.,
"2126 Sixth St., N. W.
"Washington, D. C."
It is scarcely necessary to say that
the foregoing circulars had been concocted for the purpose of obtaining contributions from the appointees the president. The Rev. J. Hale Bar-ney was discovered in the person of one Colonel Pardel, who had reckleasly assumed the role of a clerical gentleman for the purpose of making money. The circulars turned over to me was a source of great annoyand me was a source or great annoyance to the president, General Babceck and Senator Morton. Although the scheme was a foolish one, it was one of the boldest swindles of a pecupiary and political character that ever came up in Washington. It involved no less than three kinds of crime—uain.

the mails for fraudulent purposes forgery and obtaining money under

by a quiet and unobstrusive gentle-man who paid his rent regularly and went and came at his pleasure. too, was above suspicion. There was also a very nice young man occupy-ing a room upstairs. He was always busy writing and attending to his own business. Many letters postmarked at different towns of the west and south-addressed to Rev\_J. Hale Bar-pey were being delivered daily. These were put in the trunk.

The detective detailed to unearth the fraud rigged himself out in a suit of genteel black clothes and presented himself at 426 Exth street. Here he was kindly received by the nice old lady. She was polite, but a little suspicious at first. It did not, however, take the smooth-tongued detective long to calm her fears and secure a room. He was not particular about the price. He had heard that her house was a quiet place. He was a law student and did not like to be disturbed while lengaged in his sind. the fraud rigged himself out in a chit

maintaining the outward appearance of eminent respectability. (Copyright, 1910, by W. G. Chapman.) How to Keep Young.
The fact that one has lived 60 or even for 80 years, is no reason why

When Longfellow was well along it years, his head as white as snow, bu his cheeks as red as a rose, an arden admirer asked him one day how it was that he was able to keep so vigor ous and to write so beautifully

Pointing to a blossoming apple tree near by the poet replied: "That ap-ple tree is very old, but I never saw prettier blossoms upon it than those pretiter blossoms upon it than those which it now bears. The tree grows a little new wood each year, and I suppose that it is out of that new wood that those blossoms come. Like the apple tree, I try to grow a little new wood each year."

And what Longfellow did we all ought to do.

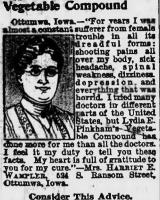
false pressures. The president was disturbed while engaged in his studing title indignant. It was not alone a les.

reflection upon him personally, but uson his administration.

Many of the postmasters in the and examined the lock on the trunk sputh and west receiving these circulars resulted the amount called for an ordinary after and the officer Magazine of Mysteries.

# OTTUMWA WOMAN

#### By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound



Consider This Advice.

No woman should submit to a surgi-cal operation, which may mean death, until she has given Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial.

This famous medicine, made only from roots and herbs, has for thirty years proved to be the most valuable tonic and invigorator of the female organism. Women residing in almost every city and town in the United States bear willing testimony to the wonderful virtue of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., invites all sick women to write her for advice. Her advice is free, confidential, and always helpful.

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Remody for the prompt relief of Asthma and Hay Fever. Ask your drugglet for it. Wite fer FREE SAMPL NORTHROP & LYMAN CO. Ltd., BUFFALO, N.Y.



QUITE SO



Harry-Well, they often are.

Queen Mary's Trousseau.

Queen Mary is following the exangle set by her mother, the duchess
of Teck, who at the time of her daughter's wedding with the present king declared that for the trousseau "not a ward of cambric or linen, of flannel or tweed, of lace or ribbon should be bought outside the kingdom," and who bought outside the kingdom, and who kept to her word. Queen Mary is having her coronation robes and gowns for court functions as well as the eponing of parliament gown made by a British firm of all British material. She has ordered eight dresses so far, and work on them has commenced.—London correspondence New York Sun.

It is unquestionably true that wealth produces wants, but it is a still more important truth that wants produce wealth.—Malthus.

#### Women

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Step-savers and Time-savers.

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A trial package usually establishes it as a favorite breakfast cereal.

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# HAPPININGS IN THE

### Country Aghast at Opium Consumption



PHILADELPHIA. Pa.—The recent raids on opium smugglers made in New York and other cities by federal officers are preliminary to a nation-wide crusade by the authorities in Washington to check the ravages

of the optum habit.

Government statistics reveal that more optum is consumed in this country per capita than in China. Four hundred thousand pounds of crude oplum are imported annually and the raids show that vast quantities are smuggled. The population of the United States is 91,000,000. The annual consumption of opium in China in all forms is 1,600,000 pounds. China's population is more than four

hundred million.

One of the largest importers opium in the United States called the attention of the National Civic Federation to the frightful growth of the evil. "The figures speak for themselves," he said in an address on the subject at a banquet of druggists in Philadelphia. "Unless an effective check is put on the opium evil it will san the physical as well as the moral strength of the nation. import "Germany, with a population of phine

about 60,000,000, consumes only 16,000 pounds, as against the 400,000 pounds actually accounted for in this country; in Italy, with a population of 33,000,000, the consumption is about 6,000 pounds; in Austria-Hungary, whose combined rounistion is nearly 6,000 pounds; in Austria-Hungary, whose combined population is nearly 50,000,000, the annual consumption does not exceed 4,000 pounds; Holland, with a population of 6,000,000, consumes 3,000 pounds annually.

"In Europe there are 145,000,000 people who consume annually only about 30,000 pounds of the drug, while our population of 100,000,000, by import figures, consumes more than ten times that amount, to say nothing of

times that amount, to say nothing of the vast quantity that is clandestinely brought into the country." President Taft urges immediate ac-

tion to check the growth of the evil.
There is now pending in both
branches of congress a measure,
known as the Cullom-Foster bill, to
control the traffic by subjecting it to heavy internal revenue taxes. The bill also provides for a practically prohibitive tax—\$200 a pound—on smoking oplum. The control of other forms, principally morphine, will be more difficult, it is conceded, although it is said that in that form the drug is most widely used

The highest medical authorities estimate that 50,000 pounds of oplum should suffice for the medical needs of the United States yearly, and that fully 75 per cent of the 400,000 pounds imported is manufactured into mor-

## Burials Cheap in This Arizona Town



P HOENIX, Ariz.—Come to Arizona to die and get buried cheaply. The Maricopa county board of supervisors has just closed a contract with a local undertaking firm whereby those who die in such circumstances as to ne-cessitate burial by the county will be laid away decently at the expense of one mill per person. This includes an upholstered redwood coffin and full funeral service. Four firms bid for the county busi-

ness, and none may be said to have sought to exact an exorbitant stipend. The highest price asked per corpse was \$4.25, while one firm offered to do the work for 10 cents each and another for one cent. The firm bld-ding one-tenth of a cent was the "low-est responsible" bidder and got the

It might be gathered from this that Maricopa county is such a healthy place that no one ever dies. But not only do persons die here, but they die

The county burial bill, even at one most of sumill, will in the twelve months for successful.

which the contract is made, run un into several dollars. This is due to the fact that Phoenix, the seat of Maricopa county, is a famed resort for tuberculosis victims.

Behind the bid lies the reason. It

is worth something for the undertaking firm to get its name in the local papers every time a pauper dies. the same time, one can never tell by the appearance a living man presents what his estate will divulge. It has been demonstrated that not only do the undertakers who have the county contract not lose money, but actually make a good profit in addition to the advertising.

advertising.

It frequently happens that one case
makes up for the losses on a whole
year's contract and leaves many other cases of supposed indigents to create a handsome profit for the husiness.

a nansome profit for the flusiness. The contract at one mill per corpse means that the dead wagen must go for the body and remove it to the undertaking establishment. There it must be prepared for burlal, the firm surplying all the essentials. It must then be transported to the cemetery and interred.

There have been cases where undertakers have kept bodies for six months while they sought throughout the country for someone who would pay a fair expense bill for the funeral. In most of such cases they are ultimately

### Gotham May Have Reached Its Growth



N EW YORK.—That New York City has nearly reached its maximum of growth and will find its supremacy as the biggest city and the most im portant commercial center in the west ern world threatened by competitors during the next thirty years is the be-lief of Walter Laidlaw, secretary of the New York Federation of Chris-tian Organizations and a census expert of note. Dr. Laidlaw frankly sets aside as preposterous the commonly accepted estimates of the tremendous growth of the city in the next three decades and prophecies that in 1940 the population will not exceed 9,600,-

In a long report on "New York's Future," Dr. Laidlaw notes that the two greatest causes of the city's rapid ise to pre-eminence were the build- supremacy.

ing of the Erie canal and the immense immigration, and he declares that there are now certain factors working

against a continued increase.

In the first place, Dr. Laidlaw sees a continuation in the decline in the share of New York in the foreign commerce of the nation. In the last thirty years it has fallen from 54.8 to 47.7. Canada is becoming an important commentary and other American. ant competitor and other American ports are doing their best to overhaul the metropolis. Providence, Boston, Baltimore, Philadelphia and other ports are formidable rivals. The proposed intercoastal canal, the develop posed intercoastal canal, the develop-ment of the Mississippi, the comple-tion of the Fanama Canal and the favorable positions of cities to the south of New York City to engage in trade with South America, all will tend to dwarf New York. Other factors are the decline of im-migration, the diminishing export

or neighbor of the diminishing export trade with Europe, the awakening of China and the increasing importance of Pacific commerce. The Pacific coast, the statistician thinks, is bound to run the East hard for its present

### Threat to Sing Duet Wins Judgment



OMAHA, Neb.—In addition to music "having charms to soothe the savage breast," it has been discovered that it has the power to bring about a vertici in the courts. This has been demonstrated in Judge Sears' division of the district court in this city.

The case on trial was one wherein

ston or the district court in this city.
The case on trial was one wherein a wife was suing for \$5,000 damages.
The allegation being that a saloon keeper had sold liquer to the plaintiff's husband until he had become a keeper had sold liquer to the plain-tiff's husband until he had become a drunkard. H. C. Murphy represented the plaintiff and A. H. Murdock and A. C. Panacoast were attorneys for the defendant. The testimony had been introduced, when Murphy are nounced that, instead of arguing the case, he would read the "Trunkard's against such proceedings.

Lament," after which he would recite excerpts from "Ten Nights in a Bar-

excerpts from "Ten Nights in a Barroom," thereafter letting the jury de
cide without further argument.

Murdock and Panacoast stated their
willingness to submit the case without
argument, but before doing so they
wanted permission to sing a duet. A
settlement was reached by conference
and a substantial judgment agreed
upon in favor of the plantiff.

Murphy one year ago won an im-

Murphy one year ago won an important suit by singing to the jury after he had completed his argument. He sang a few stantas of a familiar old song. Without leaving the box the jury returned a verdict for his client. Opposing attorneys appealed alleging that Murphy in singing went outside the record, that his conduct

#### NOT ACCORDING TO PROGRAM

Practical Joker Meant to Abolish
His Wife, and Doubtless
He Did.

When the first shipment of frozen eggs arrived from Australia their extreme hardness astonished the brok-

ers.

One man, calling at a broker's office, was amazed to see him taking aim at the wall with an egg.

"What the dickens are you at?" he

said.

But the broker let drive, the only result being a slight dent in the wall. The thing being explained, the man took a couple of the eggs, put them in his pocket, and left to startle his wife. Arriving home, he waited till the family was assembled for dinner, and then happened an early the next. and then banged an egg at the new

But the smile quickly faded from his face. The egg had thawed.—Lon-don Tit-Bits.

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Simpre, Rather.

He-You are the only woman I ever

loved.
She—Do you expect me to believe

He-I do. I swear it is true.

She—Then I believe you. Any man who would expect a woman to believe that cannot have been much in the company of women.

Woman as Bank Cashier.

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# SEEKING SAFETY

"Affeinide." said Brentwo "Attende," said Brentwood to his wife with just a suspicion of reproof in his voice, "I should think you'd he afraid to leave your jowelry lying dround so carelessly." He was idling this wife's dressing table and he picked up two diamond rings and a gearl brooch as he spoke. "Some of pour handsomest ornaments are lying here in plain sight on this silver

"That's where I always keep them, "Forn," casually answered Mrs. Brent-wood, who was intent on some Christas embroidery.

"Well, I don't consider the top of a treesing table a safe place at all."

"Two never lost anything of value set," said Mrs. Brentwood, "sooth-

you know. If you take my advice you till put your rings and pins away a still more comments. iere always has to be a first time aut your rings and pins away a title more carefully, to say the bast. I'm afraid diamonds and pearls won't grow on our Christmas tree his year, so you'd better take care

those you have."
"Very well, Tom," agreed Mrs.
Beentwood good naturedly.

The next morning just as she was oing out she remembered her prom-e and hastily cast about for come face in which to hide her little col-

faction of jewelry.
"I never did believe in locking up
"I never did believe in locking up things," she said to herself, "for if this es get in of course they break into locked drawers the very first

A few minutes later she turned the ey of her apartment door with the stisficd feeling that she had outwitred the shrewdest burgiar.

She did not give her jewelry an other thought until one evening a few hars later when she and Brentwood were dressing to go out. "I believe I'll wear my pearl brooch,

"Yes, it will look all right with that way dress," he answered. "You haven't sen wearing your rings lately, have

No, it was too much trouble to get put them all away, but I'll get them

Brentwood smiled as he adjusted

"Tom." she cried, returning in a

"Tom," she cried, returning in a moment with a tragic face, where are your tan shoes that were in the shoe hag in the hall closed?"

"The man with the shoe-blacking place under my office said he'd dye them black for me. so I took them down this morning. There was no use saving them for next summer."

"Do you know anything about that man?" Mrs. Brentwood strove to sheek calmy, but her voice was trem-

man?" Mrs. Brentwood strove to speak calmly, but her voice was tremistous. "Is he honest?"
"Why, what do you care about my ten shoes. Adelaide? Even if he should run away with them the wouldn't be much of a loss."
"But is he honest? Tell me that." demanded Mrs. Brentwood, excitedly. "Hanged if I know. I don't know a thing about him. Why. Adelaide what

thing about him. Why. Adelaide, what is the matter?"
"Tom. all my jeweiry-rings.

the matter?"
"Tom, all my jewelry-rings, rooch, chain and locket—were in the of your tan shoes!"
"Good heavens! What were they

there for? For safe keeping. You know you said I oughtn't to keep my jewelry around in plain sight, so the very next morning after you said that I wrapped

them up in tissue paper and put them in the toe of one of your tan shoes." "Well, of all the weird, unheard-of "I never supposed you'd go near

"I never supposed you'd go near those shoes again this winter and I knew no burglar would look in such a place for lewels. I thought they would be perfectly safe and now you've gorfe and just camily handed them away to a man you don't knew anything about. Oh. Tom, what shall we don't "I'll run them down if I can."

"I'll run them down it i can," re-plied Brentwood between his teeth, as he fairly jumped out of his evening coat and into plain attire. "I'll phone you if I find any clew at the office building."

It seemed like midnight at least to Mrs. Brentwood before she heard from her husband, but it was really only 10:30 o'clock when the telephone-rang with the comforting news that

the jewelfy was safe.
"It's just sheer good luck that your stuff didn't fall into dishonest hands," said Brentwood before he rang off.
"This little vagary of yours has kept me clinsing all over town tonight in d. Don't you ever be so foolish

"Well, of all the unreasonable crea-tures!" exclaimed Mrs. Brentwood as she hung up the receiver with a sigh mingled relief and exasperation "My vagary indeed!"

Worst of Jt.

Correspondence School Agent—But our system requires only one hours work at home each day. Prospective Student—Yes; but you don't understand what an hour's work

A Point to Remem n't you think it she deall the human had

## DOING THE **IMPOSSIBLE**

Committee Chairman (speaking amid chaos)—"Dear me, it's tea o'clock and Mrs. Smith hasn't sent those table cloths yet. I declare it's enough to drive any one crasy the way people promise things and then don't do them." (To her son, aged twelve, who has been pressed into service-under protest.) Tommy, you'll have to go over to Mrs. Smith's and get those table cloths. We positive-ly can't wait to get the tables any longer, for people may begin to come as early as half past eleven. They always do, you know, if you don't expect them and don't want them.

Tommy--Can't I telephone, mother and ask her if she's got them ready?
Chairman (firmly)—No, Tommy,
you' can't. I want you to go and get
them. Bring them back with you, you understand?

Tommy—Aw, say, mother, why an't I telephone? Chairman—Because I say you can't.

Now hurry up, because we must have

Now hurry up, because we must have those cloths right away.

Tommy (starting for the door)—Say, mother, I'm going to get Harry to go with me. Can I, mother?

Chairman (with decision)—No, you can't. It'll take too long.

Tommy—Aw, mother, why can't I?

It won't take a minute to call for him.

him. Please, mother, can't I? Chairman—No. Tommy. If you say another word I'll have your father whip you when he comes home (Tommy disappears muttering.)

tTommy disappears muttering.)
Chairman—Now. I wonder where
Miss Parks is with the spoons she
promised. She almost went down on
her knees to promise that she would
be here at nine o'clock, and it's half
past ten now. I declare. I never will
have anything to do with a church
luncheon again. Nobody seems fo
think it makes any difference whether
she does what she says she will or
not. I'm sure I'm just about distractnot. I'm sure I'm just about distract-ed with it all. I wonder where Miss Parks can be with those spoons!

Miss Parks (entering hastily)-Oh, Mrs. Burtos, I'm so sorry I don't know what to do, but I couldn't get but a dozen of those spoons. I've been bul-lying everybody I know to try to make them lend me spoons. I'll start out on another trip right away, and I'll surely bring you two dozen this time. Mr. Henlow has some friends who he thinks will lend us some and he going to take me to see them, so I m: tn't wait a minute.

Cha man-That's the last she'll cover think about spoons—I can count that, at least. That's the worst having a young bachelor for a lector. I'm sure I'll be glad when Mr. Henley gets married and the girls begin to think about something else. (The door opens and a handsomely

(The door opens and a handsomely dressed woman, followed by a maid

carrying a parcel, enters.)
Handsomely Dressed Woman—How
do you do. Mrs. Burton? Put the
things down, Christine, and then hurry home. I've brought the cake I promised you, Mrs. Burton, but the other things weren't ready, so you'll have to send for them later.

Chairman (distractedly)—But I haven't a soul to send, Mrs. Porter, and I don't know how on earth I'll ever get things ready. Half the things haven't come yet. It's always the way! I'll never have anything to do with a church luncheon again. I always have all the work to do, and then if things go wrong everybody blames me.

Mrs. Porter (soothingly)-Well; of course, when people aren't able to do much financially I always take it for ways. I'm really awfully sorry I can't let Christine stay with you and help as I premised, but I have a guest who is coming unexpectedly for luncheon and my other maid is III and anable to do anything. Christine can come after lunchcon and help clear the things away. Chairman (acidly)—No. I don't. I

think trying to get people to do what they say they'll do is the hardest part. If I ever am foolish enough to undertake anything like this again— Mrs. Porter (unperturbed)—Yes, I dare say it is trying, but things al-

ways straighten themselves out. The principal thing is not to allow one's self to become excited. Now I must go, but I'll certainly try to send Christine around this afternoon. As ways straignten themselves out. The sure you can find somebody to You're so resourceful. for them. (Goes out.)

(wildly)-Oh, I could Chairman

hoke that woman!
(During the next half bour there is succession of telephone excuses things not forthcoming and a kaleido scopic procession of people bringing provisions or explanations for ne provisions or explanations for the bringing provisions. At the end the time the chairman is almost hysterics. When Tommy enters with small package she greets him with shriek.)

a shriek.)
Chairman—Tommy, if you didn't bring those table cloths I'm going to die right here and now! Tommy, did you bring those tablecloths?
Tommy—I brought one table cloth.
Mrs. Smith says—
(The chairman sinks into a chair and a says while the says and the says are says to the says.)

(The chairman sints into a chair and weaps violently for a few minutes. Then she rises like a phoenix from the ashes of her impair, conjures out of infinite space table cloths, spoons, pies, pickles and other necessaries of church luncheom, and in some infraculous way achieves the impossible by inving everything

### THE LURE OF THE FUR

MAKES UNFAILING APPEAL TO WOMEN OF TASTE.

ings Necessary to Place Cleak Suit or Gown in Its

tion of fur and lace or fur and other sheer fabrics that makes an unfailing appeal to women of elegant tastes. It gay land of fashionables and the intro-duction of fur necessary to place the



gowns showing chiffon with fur border or the filmsiest and most charming, of net or chiffon sleeves finished with bands of fur. There is a hint of the bands of fur. There is a hint of the regal in fine furs and wearing them lends an "air" to the costume which is over with fine lace. Tennyson re-minds us that "splendor, dear to wantmen" marks the choice of their an

Fur is everywhere introduced Fur is everywhere introduces millinery, scarfs, gowns and fammuffs. The fad of the season is hat and muff to match with a satin scarf which may or may not be bordered with fur.

The pretty lady in decollete gown



the masculine observer, but she is no really depending on her fur accessories as a means of keeping warm. She is wearing them for effect and provides herself this season with an ampic and enveloping cloak, worn in the fashion of an Indian blanket, and made for real warmth. This apparent shape-lessness in cloaks is another instance of deceptive appearances for every fold in the drapeny is carefully consid-

ered by the maker.

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should take the best care of them. They are growing more precious from year to year, as the demand outruns the supply. But in millinery there will be no lack for millinery furs are clever imitations, as a rule.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

French Powder Puff.

American women are usually con-tent to carry a in their theater bags, but the women of France often add, as necessary to their well being; a powder puff and a small bonboniere filled with some fa vorite confection. As soon as a Frenchwoman is comfortably seated in a theater she takes out the powder puff, sewn perhaps in the center of a

miniature handkerchief, and dusts it lightly over the tace. The onlooker lightly over the face. The onlooking might think she was merely making use of a small mouchoir. She argues that the employment of the little puff. even in public, is infinitely preferable to being seen with a face from which the desired peschilke luster has dis-

appeared

Beading is so much in evidence that the woman who neglects the opportunity to do some of this work for herself will regret it, for with very little labor one can have all the most effective tunics and trimmings for evening gowns.

A Nall Hint

Neils med it bathrooms and kitches on which amy loths and towels may be hung about be painted with mamel, so that they do not be the bathroom of the bathroom

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