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PLYMOUTH MICH. FRIDAY, MARCH 16, 1894.

FOR ONE YEAR MORE

THE ENTIRE OITIZENS' TICKET ELECTED ON MONDAY.

The Largest Vote Ever Polled in Plymouth.-The Election a Quiet one.

The village election held last Monday was a c can sweep for the citizens' ticket. There were three tickets in the field and it was expected that a very close vote would be polled. But such was not the case. The citizens nominated their tick et to win, and on Monday worked to that end. The results of their labors can be seen by the overwhelming victory they have sustained.

Many stories were afloat as to the intentions of the different candidates if elected. Possibly the most important one was that Mr. Hunter had started in to do the village a great good in a moral way, and he should be elected in order to carry on his work. Ot course in speaking of Mr. Hunter, it was taken into con iders. tion that the whole ticked was with him, and in order to be elected nothing but a straight ticket would do. The argument had force, and that force carried to Mr. Hunter and his ticket SI straight votes. That a good work has been started, we are pleased to note, and that Mr. Hunter and his associates are again placed in a position to prosecute that work can only meet with the highest approval of all.

Another important question was the suit the village now has on its hands. It was contended that Mr. Sherwood would have a greater influence and could carry it to a more successful issue for the village than Mr. Hunter. There is no doubt but what Mr. Sherwood, by his being a public man, holding such a high public office, and being conversant with the public men that we will have to deal with, it the suit comes to a trial, would have a greater influence in that respect. There is also no doubt but what Mr. Sherwood's inclinations tend to the advancing of the morals of the village. But the voters did. not think of the dollars that were at stake. They thought more of their families, and of the prospects of having them live in a place that had some principle in it. It seemed to be a case of dollars against principle, and as principle had already started to sprout, they voted for the man, or men, that had started the sprou's and would certainly water them during the coming year until they had matured, or at least developed to a greater degree. That Mr. Sherwood is very poputar in Plymouth is clear'y shown by his running so largely, ahead of his tickets, and that, without any effort being made by himself and triends. Mr. Hunter on the other hand, is a young man, bright and intelligent. He is very popular among all classes and always works for the common good of all. We hope he will not lose any of his good qualities during the pres ent year.

We hear many stories on all sides as to the cause of the victory for the citizens, but the truest of all is the one that the citizens' ticket was elected by a hand-ome majority. The vote polled was the largest that has ever been polled in Plymouth. We are not in a position to say, but a gentleman told the MAIL reporter that from what he had heard he believed the MAIL had considerable to do with the bringing out of such a large vote by the hand it had taken in local matters during the last few weeks. If such should be e we are glad-of it, but we think the faithful workers on election day cut quite a figure. To say the least "in union there is strength," and if we are working together let us continue in the good way, and make Plymouth shine in its true beauty. By an extra the MAIL gave the citizen's the result of the election in fifteen minutes after the totals were made. The following is the result of the election : VOTE MAJ.

that Mr. Jolliffe and Mr. Cochrane received over the other candidates. The officers for the ensuing year will be as foilows: Presid-nt-George W. Hunter,

Treasurer-E Igar K. Bennett, Cierk-James O. Eddy, Trustees-Roswell L. Root, Chas. A. Ros. Daniel Jolliffe, William Smitherman, E. W. Chaffee, John L. Jale. Assessor-George C. Peterhans,

Street Commissioner-Edward Cortrite, Constable-Jusiah Cochrane. The marshal and what other appointments are to be made will be made at the

Livonia.

first meeting of the new council.

L. W Wolfrom and wite have dissolved partnership. Join W. Gates will move to Beech

Station soon. The blue birds and robins have come to see us a aiu.

C. B. Colby has his barn completed all but painting.

Everybody will be a good fellow until after town meeting.

Miss Annie Base, of Plymouth, made her parents a visit last Sunday.

A number of men began working ou the church sheds last Monday.

Mr. Rook is building a large under ground stable at this place.

We think there will be a wedding in, this town before this goes to press.

Louis Miller has bought a farm in Southfield, and will move on it the first ot April.

The masquerade dance at the town hall, last Friday evening, was a success. 53 numbers were sold.

A number of the young folks from Plymouth, attended the dance at this place last Friday evening.

Fred Whipple, who has been out of health for a long time, died at his grand-mother's, Mrs. C. Gunning, on Sa urday morning.

A. Stringer wishes to thank the young men of Plymouth, and adjoining towns through the MATL, for their liberal natronage and kinduess shown him while attending the dances at this place this winter.

Paul Helm had a very nariow escape last week. While chopping in the woods he looked up and saw a large limb coming down on his head, he dodged just in time to save bims if from being killed. It struck him on the arm and leg hurting him quite badly.

Stark.

Miss Blanche Orr is the guest of Miss barah Rice this week. Miss Hattie Holsington is sojourning

in Ionia for a few days. W. Barrows has the contract for build-

ing the new school house at Stark. Miss Libbie Hawley of Detroit, is visit-

ing her eister, Mrs. Warren Brown. William Tolles has rented Mr. Chancy

Brown's farm for the coming season. Mrs. Kate Costs and her sons, Edwin

and Frank, will shorth move to Midland county. Stone has been drawn on the ground

for the joundation of the new school house.

Oscar D. Chapman, formerly of this place, is spending a few weeks in Richmond, Virginia.

Amasa Bradner Succumbs to the Third Stroke of Paralysis.

PASSED TO THE SPIRIT LIFE.

As was stated in our last issue Amasa Bradner passed to the spirit life on Taursday last.

Mr. Bradner was born at Albion, N. Y. June 2nd, 1818, and in 1831 came with his parents to Plymouth, and southed on the farm adjoining his late residence. In 1840 he was married to Miss Sarsh Jewell, and as a result of their union eight children were born to them-two girls and six boys. Three boys, two girls and the mother having gone on beforeleaving now three boys, Mentur Bradner. George A. Bradner and E. J. Bradner, A broth r of the deceased, E. Bradner, living at Powers, Mich., is still living, and over 80 years old.

About one yea and a halt ago Mr. Bradner had a severe stroke of paralysis, which was followed shortly siterwards by another but m.ld+r attack. The third and fatal stroke happened about three weeks ago. Mr. Brainer was conscius ail the time, but had lost the power of speech. He made s-veral attempts to peak during his illness but could not. and by the expression of his face one could see he wanted to tell something import int.

The deceased was a firm spiritualist, a good temperate man, hon st, kind and obliging, known and respected by all for

The funeral was held last Saturday at

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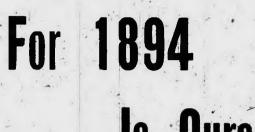
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The thanks of the relatives of the departed is extended to all who assisted during the sickness and at the funeral.

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Mrs. Sela Stoneburner was called to Rochester, N. Y., several weeks ago on account of the serious illness of an only sister

Wilbur Fisk of Ogemaw, will soon take possession of his father's estate, the Hiram Fish farm, and will move with his family thereon.

The birthday party of little Miss Edith Meining, daughter of Chas. Meining, one of our worthy merchants at Stark, was well attended, upwards of fifty couple being present. A bountiful supper prepared by the Lostess was done ample justice to by. the guests. Miss Ed th received many beautiful and use of presents

The Newburg Ladies Aid Society met at Mrs. Dean's Friday, March 9th. It being the annual meeting, new officers we e elected. Mrs. Emma Rider, Pres; Mrs. Ellenwood, Vice Pres; Mrs. Lousis Bennett, Secy; Mrs. David Genney, Treasurer. There were 52 present. Three new members were added to the list.

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AROUND OUR OWNSTATE

NEWS OF INTEREST TO MICHI-GAN READERS.

The Cases of the Indicted State Officials Opened at Lansing-Fires at Dodge

and Ithacs-Briefs.

Big Clare County Fire.

The plant and stock of the Lansing Lumber company at Dodge, Cl. county, were completely destroyed Clare The whole county will suffer by the loss, as it was the principal manu-facturing industry in the county usually employing over 200 men in the mills and woods. The loss is placed at \$175,000, of which \$100,000 is upon the mills and other buildings and the balance upon the stock in the yard, both lumber and sbingles. Aid was summoned from Clare and Harrison. Both sent their fire departments. but nothing could be done except to hold back the flames from the company's store and other buildings. Nearly forty acres of lumber piles were burned, not a board being left. Three dweltings owned by the company were also burned. It is doubtful if the mills will be rebuilt. If so, it will be on a much smaller scale.

THEY WERE NOT READY.

Indicted State Officials Ask Continuance Wanted the Indictments Quashed

When the salaries amendment fraud cases came up in the Ingham county circuit court at Lansing before Junge Person there was a large crowd pres-ent. Only four of the defendants-Attorney-General Ellis, George H. Bussey, Marcus Fetersen and Frank A. Potter-were present in person, the Potter-were present in person, the others being represented by counsel. The case against Ellis for forgery in connection with the Gogebic returns was the first to come up and a continu-ance was asked for. All the other de-fendants' attorneys asked for contingance or postponement on the plea that they were not ready.

\$25.000 Blaze at Ithaca,

The stave and heading mill at Ithaca, owned by C. W. Atthouse of St. Louis, was totally destroyed by fire. This was one of the best equipped mills of its kind in the state, having all the most improved machinery, and being lighted by its own electric light plant. it throws 60 men out of employment. There was such a strong wind that the firemen were unable to do anything but save adjoining buildings. At one time the village seemed doomed, but through the active work of the fire de-partment no other buildings caught fire. The loss is \$25,000; partially in-Mr. Althouse will probably rebuild immediately.

Pontiac Business Man Sulcides

Richard Dawson, a member of the firm of Dawson Bros., of Pontise, manufacturers of wheat flakes, and Democratic Alderman, committed sui-cide. James Scott, an emproye, found bim benging to an iron rod in his him hanging to an iron rod in his packing room. Temporary insanity, caused by fihancial difficulties, the probable cause. He was about 40 years old, and leaves a wife and two small children. He carried consider-able life insurance.

Cremated in a Harn. The barn of Charles Pierce, in Batavia township, Branch county burned. Mr. Nixon, who ran the farm, perished in the flames. Four horses, 40 sheep, as well as a large quantity of hay, grain and tools, were also destroyed. It is supposed the fire started from a overturned while Nixon was lantern doing his chores.

MINOR MICHIGAN NEWS.

Peter Swan was found hanging by the neck in a described box factory at Bay City.

The second annual bench show of the City of the Straits Kennel club, at Detroit, was a big success.

Bennett Bros.' general merchandise store at Prattville was destroyed by fire. It was insured for \$3,000.

Arthur Cronin, boarding at the Busch house at Utica, was found dead in his bed. He was addicted to the use of stimulants.

A vote will soon be taken at Blis-field as to the advisability of lighting the village with twenty are lights. A number of local capitalists have offered to do it for \$900 a year.

Fifteen prisoners in Flint jail sang hymns as loud as old-time Methodists. The noise was so great that their con-federates almost succeeded in sawing off the bars and escaping.

Sault Ste. Marie King's Daughters have established a rescue home for fa-len girls. The ladies visit disreputable houses personally and induce the girls to abandon their sinful lives.

John Chapman, of Scottville, 17 years of age, while trying to board a moving train on the F. & P. M., at Ludington, feil under the wheels and was killed, one leg and one hand being cut off.

Attorney-General Olney says the act of Dec. 21, 1893, requiring 30 days' notice to be given before a pensioner is suspended, is mandatory in every case, even where fraud is admitted.

The fourth annual state convention of the Epworth League of Michigan will be held at Saginaw, March 27, 28 and 29 at the Jefferson Avenue Methodist Episcopal church on the east side.

Two men met with serious accidents at Republic, one resulting fatally. Ben Duquette had his left thigh broken and received internal injuries, John Dunn fell 300 feet down a shaft and was killed outright.

Iron Mountain special: "Snow has nearly all disappeared in the woods and men are coming to town in flocks The cut on she Menominee river this winter will not exceed 300,000,000 feet which is 100,000,000 less than last year.

Peter Larson, an old man who has been at work in Long's cedar swamp, near Menominee, was found dead with a builet hole in the roof of his mouth. He had been sick for days and it is thought became despondent and committed suicide.

Mrs. Arabella flicks, who was the sole legatee of the will of the late Mrs. Parkes at Port Huron has petitioned Judge Black to set aside the will on a plea of Mrs. Parkes' insanity. Mrs. Hicks says she would like to share the property with her sisters.

A committee has been appointed at Jackson, Prof. J. F. Seley, president of the Michigan Music Teacher's association, to confer with similar commit-ters from Ohio, Indiana and Illinoin as to the advisability of holding inter-state musical conventions.

Harry Bates, well known throughout the state as a horse trainer and dealer in fast horses, is dead at Saginaw where he has amassed a fortune o \$100,000. A peculiar circumstance in connection with his death is the fact that he has no known heir.

The Detroit, Bay City & Alpena railroad has already commenced work on its road to Cheboygan. It has agreed to have its connection in running order by Jan 1, 1895. It will on y be a short time now before the company will have its own tracks into Detroit.

There is a war in Muskegon's milia man corporal against the wishes of the men and 27 of them left the armory in a huff, saying they would never drill again. The captain says they will drill, even if he has to take them by force force

The state board of agriculture has appointed A. A. Crozier as assistant agriculturist in the experiment station at Agricultural College, to fill a vacancy left by Prof. C. G. Holden, who re-signed last summer. He is a man of practical experience in both agricul-ture and botany. ture und botany.

Frank H. Fiint, of the Sunfield News Frank H. Funt, of the Sunneld News and Miss Lizzie Lothschiltz were mar-ried in St. Mark's chapel. Grand Rap-ids. Both are deaf mutes and the cere-mony was performed by Kev. A. W. Mann, the deaf mute missionary. The service was unique and impressive, all in the sign language.

At a meeting of the board of directhat the Woman's Hospital Associa-tion at Saginaw, Mrs. H. A. Forrest, president of the asso iation, announced that the \$3,000 mortgage while has worried the members so long, had been paid by Hon. Wellington R. Burt, leav-ing them prosticulty out of dabt paid by Hon. Wellington R. Burt, ing them practically out of debt,

Henry Benson, one of the wealthiest farmers in Genesce county, who residen near Flint, has been arrested for for ernelty to animals. His neighbors aver that two or three horses owned by Ben-son died within a short time of expos-Lee Church and Clark Boon, Hudson oys of 16, were arrested charged with ommitting criminal assault upon Lot-ie Perkins, aged 14. The uture, lack of food and water.

AKE

Admiral De Gama Seeks an Asylum on Board a Portuguese Man-of-War-Will

Surrender if Granted Immunity.

Washington special: Advices received at the state department from Minister Thompson at Rio de Janerro indicates that the Brazilian rebellion is about ended. The dispatches con-tain the information that Admiral Da Gama has gone aboard the Portuguese war vessel Mindelo now in the harbor at Rio, and has sent to President Peixoto by the Portuguese officer an offer of surrender on condition of full protection for himself and his follow-ers. Secretary Gresham believes that eived at the state department from ers. Secretary Gresham believes that this marks the end of the Brazilian war. Two dispatches were received. They were in cipher and when trans-lated read as follows:

RIO DE JANEIRO, March 12, 1894. Gresham: Da Gama today, through th Greebam: Da Gama today, through the schor Portug ese naval commander, offered to surrender to the president of Brazil pro-vided he and his followers were guaranteed protection against punishment.

BIO DE JANEIRO, March 12, 1894. Gresham: Da Gama has gone aboard a Portuguese man-o.-war for asylum. THOMPSON.

Notice of the intention of the Brazilian fleet to begin an active attack on the insurgent fleet had been given to neutral forces in the harbor. This noneutral forces in the harbor. neutral forces in the harbor. This no-tice was given 48 hours before the firing was to begin. Da Gama's offer of surrender was given 24 hours before an attack was to be expected. The offer of surrender, in fact. followed the first actual show of determined force on the part of the Brazilian government.

LAIER—Another dispatch was re-ceived by Secretary Gresham from M.nister Thompson containing the additional information that Da Gama ditional information that Da Gama asks only that he and his officers be allowed to leave the country and the lives of his private soldiers and sailors be spared. It is regarded by promi-nent officials as without question that the Brazilians will accept the sur-render with the terms asked for by Da Gama.

DAN COUGHLIN NOT GUILTY.

The Famons Crools Conspiracy Case Against Him Ends in Acquittal.

Dan Coughlin, the big ex-detective of the Chicago police force, who was tried once and convicted of being one of the conspirators who murdered Dr. P. N. Cronin, May 4, 1889, and sen-tenced to prison for life, has been much more fortunate in his new trial just ended. The case had been on continu-ally for five weeks, and when all the evidence was in and the morning for the judge's charge to the jury came the court room was crowded. The court in part said: "The jury is instructed that it is not claimed by the state that that it is not claimed by the state that there is evidence tending to show that the defendant, Daniel Coughlin, directly took the life of Dr. Cronin. It is claimed that a conspiracy to kill Cronin existed and that this defendant and the other defendants and other persons designated in the indictment se "unknown" were metias to such persons designated in the indictment as "inknowz," were parties to such conspiracy, actually accomplished on the nght of May 4, 1888. The court further, instructs you that if thee vi-dence in this case fails to show any motive, or a sufficient motive on the part of the defendant to commit the crime, then this is a circumstance in favor of his innocence which the jury ought to consider in connection with all the other evidence in arriving at a verdict."

It was 4:30 in the afternoon It was 4:30 in the afternoon when the jury returned. After the prelimin-aries the derk read the verdict: "We, the jury, find the defendant, Daniel Coughlin, not guilty." Then there was a great demonstration of Coughlin's friends. His faithful wife, his little boy and girl and his father, pushed their way to the big fellow and the reunion of the family was very affecting. A few minutes later Cough-lin left the court room once more to breathe free air. when breathe free air.

BRITISHERS IN NICARAGUA.

Looks Like They Were Trying to Secure

a Footbold About Nicaraguan Canal. Washington special: The depart-ment of state has received the first official information of the operations of the British naval forces at Bluefields,

ROAST FROM ROSEBERY. The New Premier of England Attacks the House of Lards.

BRAZILIAN REVOLUTION - IS PRACTICALLY AT AN END. Admiral De Gama Seeks an Asylum on of Mr. Gladstone, saying that they "would greatly miss that sublime and pathetic figure, which enriched and

enobled not merely the treasury bench but the house itself." Continuing, Lord Rosebery said: "It was thought that in the bigh officerto which I have been called there should be a declaration of policy. This is not necessary, as we stand where we did. (Cheers.) The same measures remain (cheers.) The same measures remain as they are, the program of the Liberal party and it is not intended to recede from any one of them. The Weish church question will be pressed to a definite and successful conclusion. In

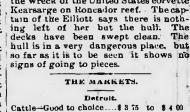
definite and successful conclusion. In regard to the Irish question, we are bound to it by ties of honor and affec-tion. The policy of home rule will not be less definitely pursued. "The conviction has long been forc-ing itself upon me that with the demo-cratic suffrage which we now enjoy, a second chamber, constituted like the house of lords, is an anomaly. This conviction has been streagthened by conviction has been strengthened by the unhappy chapter of accidents which has turned the house of lords from a body of hereditary la *w*-givers more or less equally divided, into one great Tory organization entirely at the beek and call of a single party leader. (Cheers.) When the Tories were in office the power of veto was not exer-cised, but when the Liberals are in power, the veto is exercised at the dictates of the Tory leader. That is a danger to the constitution to which the Liberal government is not blind, and they will not lose sight of any measure which is constitutionally pre-sented to this country, in this great conviction has been strengthened by sented to this country, in this great anomaly peril to which it is exposed. (Cheers

"I will not go so far as some of my friends. I do not think that the peers should be treated as pariahs. I do not think that the fact that a man was born in a particular position should debar him from the higher opportunities of serving the higher op-portunities of serving the think state. I am not one of those who that the peerage should be con-sidered a stigma and a bar. But, while I remain premier, you may be assured that no liberal in the ranks will endeavor more steadfastly to do his duty to the narry." (Loud beer his duty to the party." (Loud cheer-

ing.) Sir William Vernon Harcourt, chancellor of the exchequer, followed. He said that the enemy flattered them-selves that the liberal party was going to drop home rule. But the language of the premier and the presence of the Rt. Hon. John Morley, as chief secre-tary for Ireland, was the best answer ther aculd give to this suprestitut they could give to this supposition.

Only the Hull of the Kearsarge Left.

The steamer Elliott arrived at Sathe steamer Endot arrived at Sa-vannah, Ga., from Bluefelds, passing the wreck of the United States corvette Kearsarge on Roncador reef. The cap-tam of the Ellott says there is noth-ing left of her but the hull. The decks have been swept clean. The bull is a very dangerous place but





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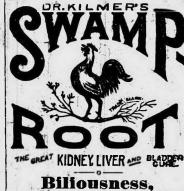
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committing criminal assault upon Lottie Perkins, aged 14.

The body of a small baby was found wrapped in a paper in a creek at Burn-ham. A stone had been tied to it so as to weight the body down.

The Lake Superior Mining institute was in session at Houghton. All the prominent mining men of northern Michigan were in attendance.

Joseph Fatchett, an Ogden farmer with a family, was arrested on a charge of criminal assault on Ettie Replogle, a 13-year-old girl of that township.

James Donovan escaped from the asylum for dangerous and crim-nsane. He was employed in the inal insane. He was employed in t kitchen and was a chronic criminal.

Will Valley, a student in telegraphy Park house, Petoskey. He was out of work and money and was very despondent

A. C. Vanerman and his son, Elvin, were felling a tree on the farm of An-drew Kelley near Bellevue when a limb struck Elvin and inflicted prob-ably fatal injuries.

The Bay City Iron Hallers have \$3,000 which they refuse to turn over to the receiver of the order. They feel if they send the money away they will never see it again.

CURRENT CONDENSATIONS.

Three different families were chloroformed and their houses ransacked by burglars in one night at Jeffer-sonville, Ind. They secured considerable money.

Andrew Sauer, cashier of the defunct Defiance, G., Savings bank, and now deputy collector of internal revenue of that district, has been arrested charged with embezzling \$37,000.

The chamber of commerce, of Lon-The chamber of commerce, of Lon-don, have sent a memorial to Lord Rose-bery, the gremier, requesting that he take steps to bring about the resump-tion of the Brussels monetary conference.

A fight occurred between strikers and U. S. deputy marshals at Mingo mines, Middelaboro, Ky. One of the miners was seriously wounded. The strikers made a bold attempt to burn the tipple at the mine, but were driven off.

Ellanci has been elected by congress president of Uruguay in succession to Dr. Horrers Ober, whose term of office expired March 1. The vote in congress was so close and the situation became so critical that violence was feared. Dr. Ellauri declines to accept the office.

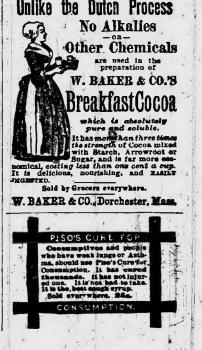
near the mouth of the Niearagua canal. It was a dispatch from United States Minister Baker at Managua. He says that the United States consul He says that the United States consul at San Juan del Norte, Mr. Brada, telegraphs him that soldiers from the British warship Cleopatra had been landed at Bluefields, and strongly urges that a United States naval vessel be sent there at once.

arges that a United states haval vessel be sent there at once. There is no explanation in the min-ister's dispatch of the reason for the landing of British forces. The pre-ceding reports of Consul Braida show that when the Nicaraguan government forces occupied BlueBelds the reigning Mosquito chief appealed to the British consul at San Juan del Norte for pro-tection and the question of interest at this stage of affairs is whether the British troops have been landed to afford the protection to the Mosquitos or whether the landing was made to protect British eitizens only. Senator Morgan, of the foreign affairs commu-is making an effort to obtain a footing on the eastern coast of the isthmus in is making an effort to obtain a footing on the eastern coast of the isthmus in violation of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty. Senator Morgan is especially jealous of any movement on the part of a foreign government which might effect the Nicarsguan canal, and probably nothing could happen to give him-greater concern than foreigners to se-cure a foothold in those regions.

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WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW.

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SOME LAUGHING GAS.

CURRENT HUMOR ORIGINAL AND SELECTED.

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An Affecting Tale

Barber-Poor Jim has been sent to ane asylum.

otim (in chair)-Who's Jim? The second secon es an'I suppose he finally got crazy." "Humi Not unlikely."

"Yes, he and me has worked side by de for years and we were so alike we couldn't tell each other apart. We hath brooded a good deal, too. No money in this business any more."

"What's the matter with it?"

"Prices too low. Unless a customer "Prices too low. Unless a customer ten't pay to shave or hairout. Poor I caught him trying to cut a stomer's throat because he refused a mappo, and so I had to have the of follow looked an Wakes poor feilow locked up. Makes me very melancholy. Sometimes I feel sorry I didn't let him slash all he wanted to. It might have saved his a. Shampoo, sir?" "Y-c-s sir."

Replenishing a Wardrobe.

She (coaxingly)-Your little wifie is ery anxious to see her mother again. Be-Yes, of course-er-very natural. Bhe-I cannot go to visit her, you know, without a complete new traveling outfit, and a few new dresses for xim occasions; but if you feel very poor, my love, I can stay at home and

have mother come here, you know. He-Poor! Nonsense. I'm making money right along. Here's a check.

A Holiday Dodge

Wirst Merchant (andly)-The holiday trade was a failure Becond Merchant-Not with me. I

aid out everything with a rush.

"Phew! How?" "Got up a guessing contest and gave

"Juessing contest? What about?"

"Bach customer was allowed to s what the things he bought were intended to be used for.'

Hard Times.

eld Highwayman -Glad to see yeh Did yeh do as I said-point back safe. y'r gun at every one that came along and yell, "Y'r money or y'r life!" Yeang Highwayman (gloomily)—



1, Maiden in Peril-At last! At last!

ccor has arrived.

CONGRESSIONAL NEWS.

CONCRESSIONAL NEWS. Sakarz-Sixty-siphiday.-Senator Hill, of New York, created a supplex when he inter-conced the following resolution asking that it be referred to the committee on inter-tion of the following resolution asking that it be referred to the committee on inter-tion of the following resolution asking that it be referred to the committee on inter-sannounced a deficit of \$15,000,000 for the cur-rent fiscal year: and whereas. House bill No. 494, known as the Wilson bill, proposes to discard \$25,000,000 revenue from result tarff taration and to meet the double deficiency by new internal and direct tares newly pro-posed, and instead thereof make provide a for ufficient fervanae by tarffing other foreign imports, and otherwise revision the tarffi without creating a deficiency." Senatur Berry, of Arkanea, pro-tested against the assertion of a New York paper which published an article giving names and potrends a ring to detext the Wilson bill. Mr. Rerry said that he was not always had favored the passage of the Wilson bill Mr. Rerry said that he was not always had favored the passage of the Wilson bill Mr. Rerry said that he was not always had favored the passage of the Wilson bill. Mr. Rerry said that he was not always had favored the passage of the Wilson bill. Mr. Berry said that he was not always bill. Mc. Berry said that he was not always bill. Mc. Berry said that he was not always bill. Mc. Berry said that he was not always bill. Mc. Berry said that he was not always bad favored the passage of the was not always to appropriations of the same effect. The question appropriation bill Gen. Sickles took occasion to criticise Com-missioner Lecturen. The resolution for the investigation of Judge Jenkins' writ of in-ingentied over a resolution instructing the appointed and charged to that districts young man from Alabama. It developed that in appointed and charged to that districts young man from Alabama. It developed that in sponted and there was a manif

of the treastry to transfer a portion of the postoffice alte in the city of Safnaw, Mich., fo that city and it was passed. SENATE --Sity-ninth day.-An exciting and interesting debate was precipitated by Mn Harris' motion for the second reading of the seignorage bill. This was opposed by Mr shernan, who moved its reference to the fir nance charmintes, and in the corns of a siton succh in opposition to the bill said that its object was to di ert a trust fund from its le-gitimate purpose-a thing which in Ohio would be a ponication to the bill taken up as un-hished business, and alm to be fore advon-was avare or what had happened it passed its third reading advonces of senator Sher-man is to the senate and enderword to prevent lis passage, and on request of senator Sher-ragent by the British. This was a rest to. The House bill goron introduced a resolution calling on the President for antor-natione bill appropriating 54.000 for a si-ng the Kearase was also passed, as was a bill permitting Gen. O. O. thoward to except from the French government the decom-nographic for the leaded of the assing the on-band, confined to an eassult on the manon tearried by the bill, delate the pension appropriation bill carrying Sill 000, 00 was passed without division. Throughout the de-bate there had been no criteieum of hear amount carried by the bill, delate the pension of the on-band, confined to an eassult on the manner in which the present commissioner of pensions had administed read on the maner of the athead of the sension of pensions, and, on the other, the sefence of the ather the passing when the still 001 to an sension of the on-band, confined to an the still of these who were not entilled to a hine upon them. All the amendanents to the hill save one, that of Mr. Pickler, to make the reports of the estanding surgeons open to the in-specton of the applicant or his attorneys. SENATE - Sevenitiet day. The Nill for the save of un-old pertions of the Chantilla res-vation in Ornebor was naved. The Night of

SERVITE - Seventy-first under points of order that they were not germann. SEXATE - Seventieth day. - The hill for the sale of unoid portions of the Unastilla reser-vation in Oregon was passed. The Hand selentorage buil was had before the Sentte as-unnaished bushess. Mr. Sherman bitterly opposed the pething bill and upresed the hope that the motion to reconsider would gre-val, as ne wanted the bill open to smedd-ments. The bill went over without action. Hotekta - The conference report on the urgent deficiency bill was presented and agreed to the the second of the sent the recent decombision on expenditures in the recent commission on expenditures in the recent ustoms department of the treasury. The bill abolishes the office of commissioner and as-sistant commissioner of customs. The bill was passed. The House then went into com-mittee of the whole for the consideration bill. SEXITE - Sewinty-first day. -Senator Peffer offered excedute curved the senator Peffer

the District of Golumbia appropriation bill. NEXATE.—Seventy-first day.—Senator Peffer offered a resolution providing for a committee to examine charges in various newstapers that cortain senators had utilized knowledge gained officially for dealing in sug r stocka, and had made large gains. It was tabled temporarily. Mr. Vest called up the House bill authorizing a bridge over the Fast river, between New York and Long Island. The bill pathenel without objection. The Bland seignorage bill came up as unfinished buy-ness. The link hat, was declied npon as thu day for taking a vota. House, The District of Columbia appropriation bill in committee of the whole and individual pension bils oc-cupied the day and evening sessions.

Confessos a Double Murder.

A confession of murder was made by convict Charles Morris, when he thoughthe was dying from self-in-flicted wounds at the Columbus, 0., penftentiary. His victims were Jona-than fouthett and his wife, a wealthy and childless farmer, near Xenia. Morris was employed by Douthett as a farm had. The murder occurred on farm hand. The murder occurred on May 13, 1885. The Doutlietts had a large sum of money and some valuable plate. This he secured, but buried all plate. This he secured, out out the but \$50, and never dared go back after but \$50, and never dared but as the evi-

SHE WANTS THE EARTH

ENGLAND MAKING SUSPICIOUS MOVES IN NICARAGUA.

In Violation of the Clayton-Bulwes Treaty They Land Troops in the.Mosquito Country.

The report of the landing of the British at Bluefiel is in the Mosquito reservation has been confirmed by the res. values has been collimited by the arrival of the steamer Elliott, Capt. A. Brown, at Savannab. The Elliott, which is a British steamer, left Blue-fields March 4. Capta Brown says the Nicaraguans dutered Bluefie ds on Feb. 25 and 26, about 500 of them, with only shall error. They holistic the Nicarasmall arms. They hoisted the Nicara-guan flag over the custom house and over the other public buildings. There was no fighting. The Mosquitos were considerably terrified by the presence of so large an armed force, as they were practically without protection in the city, and fearing they might be attacked by the Nicaraguans appealed to the British steamer Thomas for protection. March 1, the Thomas, with-out any authority from the British government, sent three boat loads of armed men ashore. They were armed with carbines and cutasses, and the men went ashore in the steam launch men went ashore in the steam launch of the man-of-war, carrying with them two Gatting guns and three field pieces. They d d not land at Blue-fields, but at Bluefields bluff, and then went into Bluefields from the bluff. There was no fight of any kind be-tween March 1, the day the men landed, and March 4. the day the Elliott sailed. The Nicaraguans, of course, objected

Elliott sailed. The Nicaraguans, of course, objected to the landing of the British troops and charged the British officers with an open violation of the Clayton-Bai-wer treaty. The Thomas went to Colon for the purpose of cabling to England for advices. In the meantime the troops were left in camp at Blue-fields bluft. The Thomas returned two days later, but Captain Brown did not learn the result of the currespondence with the English department of foreign affairs.

affairs. Washington special: The question of the territorial aggrandizement of the British empire on the continent of North America may soon be a subject of international diplomatic concern. The state department will move de-liberately in the matter, and will give the whole history of the controversy over the Mosquito country thorough investigation before communicating investigation before communicating with the British minister or dispatch-ing gunboats to the Caribbean sea to look after the interests of the Monroe doctrine. While "the Monroe doctrine is not yet codified in the law of na-tions." it has been established, and its principles steadily and exceedable principles steadily and successfully maintained by the United States against France and Spain and this position will not be departed from now that the intruder is Great Britain.

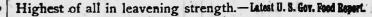
The Mosquino country has an area of about 7,000 square miles, thus exceed-ing Connecticut and Rhode Island in size, and its territory is in the richest, most fertile and valuable part of Central America.

tral America. The city of Bluefields, which the British have seized, is the only town of importance in the disputed terri-tory. In consequence of the great de-veropment of the trade in tropical funits, and the fact that it has regular lines of the trade in the bast of the trade Buefields is assuming a position of prominence as a port. It is located on a lagoon that has an area of 100 square willow

miles. The Mosquito Indians, from which the country takes its name, have prac-tically disappeared. although they are represented by the mixed races that represented by the mixed races that now occupy the territory. The British claim to a protectorate over these Indians is very old, but was never recognized by the United States or Nicaragua, and has apparently once been fully surrendered by Great Brit-ain herself. The Encyclopaedia Brit-tanica says: "The Mosquito reserve had enjoyed a semi-independent posi-tion under the nominal protection of tion under the nominal protection of Great Britain from 1655 to 1850. By the Clayton-Bulwer treaty of 1850 England resigned all claims to the Mos-guito coast, and by the treaty of Man-agua in 1860 ceded the protectorate absolutely to Niceragua: "

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Mrs. Winks-I'd just like to know why those Minl ses have so much mor ney than we have.

Mr. Winks-Mrs. Minks was horn Christmas day and married on Christmas day, so that the three celebration come at once. Think of the pile Mr Minks has saved on presents to her .--Good News

sted, but ev). dence against him was weak, he was released after lying nine months in jail. The murder of the Donthetts has a!ways been regarded as a mystery.

The Indiana a Success.

The new battleship Indiana made The new battleship Indiana made three trips over a distance of 9.65-100knots. The first, under natural draft, was accomplished at a speed of 14 1-10 knots. The second, under half forced draft, in a trifle less than 15 knots, and the third, under forced draft, at 15 35-100 knots. The guaranteed speed of the Indiana is 15 knots. The engines, which behaved splendidly, reached a maximum velocity of 128 revolutions a minute, the average under forced draft minute, the average under forced draft being 122, with selected coal. There seems no doubt that the big battleship will average luiz knots an aour when the official trial trip is made

Amirk Vindleated Everywher

Judgment was rendered at St. Lonis, Mo., in favor of Dr. Amick, of Cincin-Mo. In rayor of Dr. Amick, or Chem-nati, against the St. Louis Clinique. This medical journal questioned the merits of his treatment for consump-tion which many physicians there say is the only cure for this disease. Amick human his formula to himself and cure is Amiek sceps his formula to himself and sends free medicines, proving to the con-sumptive he can be cured. All this is against the medical code, hence the attack and vindication where the pensioner's name has not been stricken from the rolls will be re-moved by an order signed by Commis-sioner Lochren. The order, which was sent to the chief of the finance divi-sion, is as follows: "In accordance with the provisions of the act of con-press more and be 21 1803 you are with the provisions of the act of con-gress approved Dec. 21, 1893, you are hereby instructed to at once take such steps as may be necessary to remove suspension of persions in all cases in which action of resumption of pay-ment or dropping from the rolls has not been taken. not been taken.

This action affects the cases of be-tween 3,000 and 4,000 pensioners. The pension agents will be instructed to pay these pensioners their former rates until otherwise ordered by the bureau.

Three Killed by a Locomotive Explosion Three Killed by a Locomotive Explosion. The boiler 'of a locomotive on the Lebigh' Valley railroad exploded at Tannery, Pa, killing three men. P. Du-gan, the engineer in charge, stopped his engine at Tannery and went into the telegraph office for orders. Dur-ing his absence the locomotive was blown to pieces. The three men who were on the engine were killed. John Lennay, freman: Edward Fox, brake-Lennay, fireman; Edward Fox, brake-man; John Dotter, brakeman. All were new hands, having taken the places of Brotherhood men in the late strike. The cause of the explosion ow water in the boiler.

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SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION.

The need of a school of instituction for voters was never made more apparent than at the recent village election. . -

The manner in which some voters mark ed their ballots was simply rediculous There were ballots of every description placed in the ballot box. Some did not put a mark on their ballots, while others marked them in such a horrible manner that one could not make head nor tail of them. By so doing a large number of votes were lost. It would have been far better had they not been polled at all. If the voter would read the instructions on the ballot and follow them, a mistake | not break one, since he has been elected could hardly happen. But it would seem as if voters took the ballot, went into the booth, picked up the marker and let it fly, stamping the ballot where it may happen to hir. Others, no could, thought they had it down fine, but the result was a sad faiture. It would, indeed, be a good thing if a school of instruction was held for the bas fit of voters. Much better results could be had, and the canvassers would then be able to give a votor credit tor bis labors. By all means let us get on the right road, and not waste our time and vote.

Publisher's Notice.

flereafter all notices of any kind that refer to anything that has an admission feesttac'ed to it will be charged for at the rate of one cent a word under the reguest paid not ce heading. In the local column such notice will be given by the e i r as he may see fit, if complimentary tickets are sent to the office. All paid notices must be given to the publisher in writing.

Ann Arbor.

Dr. Narcede of the medical depart ment, performed one of the most difficult surgical operation known to the profession viz the amputation of a leg at the hip.

Friends and acquaintances are left to mourn the loss of one of Ann Arbor's bright and promising young men. John A. Seyler The deceased was a gladuate of Ann Arbor high school of '93, and a promising young man of 20 years.

Miss Am lia Stever of Detroit, is visiting her parents and friends here this dayed at Wm. McRobert's. week.

Louis Raber, barber of north village has purchased a piece of land of G. A. Stark weather, and expects to build a new shop before long.

Upper Plymouth,

Carl Heide commenced setting out cab. bage plants, Toesday, March 13th, the earliest he has ever set them out. We are afraid they will catch cold before the first outh. of April, but Carl thinks not.

Mrs. J. White of Pontisc, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Silas White, this week.

Fred Moore says business is picking up at, his restaurant. So it should. It is kept clean, cozy and comfortable, and his clerk is small, smart and smiling

Master Carl Hillmer who has been vis iting here for a few. weeks, returned to his home at Monroe Saturday, accompanied by his grandmother, Mrs: George Stark weather.

Jolliffe Bros. made their first shipment of new cheese today to a firm in Flint.

Charles Wilske received \$554.68 from the Plymouth cheese factory for the milk from nine cows, during the season of 1898 over \$61 per cow.

We received news this week that Wm Gayde, who was formerly with Markham and Streng in the meat business, has start el in the same business in Detroit on Fort-st. We wish him success.

Upper Plymouthites boast that they have four as capable, gentlemanly and obliging staff of officials at the D. L. & N

et tion as any other place on the line. Aldermen Smitherman and Julliffe of wards 9 and 10, promise that there shall be nothing left undone (that should be done) on their heats from now on.

Upper Plymouth has two aldermen and three preachers. They ought to keep Up per Plymouth straight hereafter.

Miss Verna Cable visited friends Northville Tuesday.

At a meeting in Brems' shop, Wednes lay evening, March 7th, Hose Company No. 2 elected Robert Mimmack captain, in place of Czar Penney, resigned.

We could lay a walk of hen's eggs from Upper Plymouth down town and D niel Jolliffe could walk over them and alderman

Mrs. Peter Gayde and daughter Amelia returned from Detroi: Monday, where they have been visiting friends.

M. A. Campbell who has been very sich with the grip, is able to be out again. The revival meetings at the Baptiet

chorch are calling out large crowds. Joseph Somers has purchased the John Schreder house and is putting a cellar po-

and then it will be for rent. Mr. Chamberlain of St. Peters, Minn., has been visiting his cousin, Horace

Smith, the past week. Automatic Fire Escape

automatic fire escape on the building. The cut is too small to show the escape to any advantage. Mr : Lewis is preparing to show his invention on some high build ing, and there is every chance of its prov-

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Meads Mills. Miss Flora Gartield of Northville, Sun-

There is to be a dancing party at Hairy King's on Friday evening of this week. Will Echles has moved from his home just east of here, to Mr. Chase's, some

lour miles southwest of here. We hear that our village grocery man is about to leave here and open a bowroing house at the railroad crossing, in Plym

The youngsters of this place are procticing for an entertailment to come off in the near future. We hope they will not let it fall through as they did the one talked of before.

Mrs. Barber's rag bee Satur lay afternoon, was well sttended, by our young ladies. In the evening the boys joined issue, and the light fantastic toe was tripped till half past ten o'clock.

Selab Echles had the misfortune to lose a span of horses last week. One had its leg broken, the other, while eating cats drew some down his windpipe causing its death is less then twenty four hours.

Unique Entertainment.

Messrs. S:one and Peck, of Detroit, Mich., will give a very unique and interest ing entertainment at the Presbyterian church, Tuesday evening, March 20th It will be a phonographic musical. An elsborate program has been prepared for the occasion. They have the latest Edison Phonograph, with which they will give an exact reproduction of selec tions rendered by the most famous musi cal organizations through the country also instrumental and comic songs. All can be heard distinctly in the largest ball or opera house. They desire it stated that the people at large must not associate this instrument with the nickle in the slot machine. It is vastly superior. It is decidedly a scientific instrument. The phonograph can imitate any sound known to mankind. It will pay all to go and hear it sing, talk, cr; and laugh. Admission 15 and 25c.

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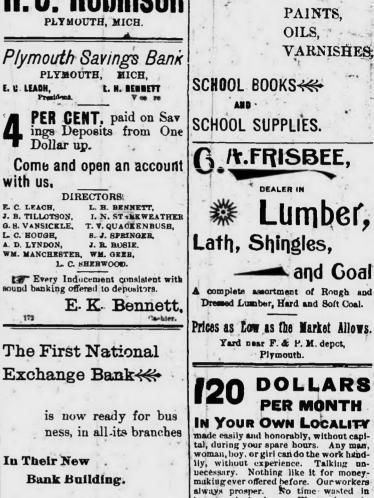
STATE OF MICHIGAN, STATE OF MICHIGAN, 1 SE. COUNT OF WATER, 1 F.E.K. Bennit cahler. of the above named Bank, do solemnly awar that the above statementia true, to the best of my knowledge and bellef. E.K. BENNETT, cawhier. Bubsetbed and sworn to ledger me this 7th day of March 1894. Evagwe P. LOMBARD, Notary Fublic.

WM. MANCHESTER, J. B. TILLOISON, A. V. QUACKENBUSH, Directors REPORT OF THE CONDITION

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Funeral took place Thursday atternoon at 3 o clock. Cau-e of death consump-12.01. At 3 o'clock Wednesday morning sad accident occurred in the yards of

T. A A. & N. M., Ry. by which Chas. McConnell of Owo so; the brakeman, lost his life, by cars pessing over h m. He was a single man, 20 years old.

The case of Mrs. Mary Kinney against the City of Ann Artor, has been up in ci cult court since Tuesday. She wants \$5,000 for stepping through a grating of a sidewalk, thereby receiving some slight at the instigation of the officers of the injury

The students are getting the worth of their money, (as the old saying is) this year. Never before has the faculty been half so strict. Several of the boys have been excelled for the simple offense of having in their possession a "poney", for in other words a sip of paper to refer to in case of necessity. The e were no less try and be present. The meeting will be than too conditions for 1st semisters work P. etty hard boys.

Now that we have had a few nice days, the Campus looks as of old. Lovers of base bal. are out and the ball can be seen in mid air with many, eager eyes upon it. The new "gym" furnishes a reapit for inside sports and is quite well patronized.

ing a success. It has already gained quite an extensive reputation, and friends of Mr. Lewis are doing good work in showing its advantages to parties needing just such a life saver. The field for Mr. Lewis is a large one, and we trust his invention may prove a good thing, and if it does, it will find a ready sale.

W. C. T. U.

The 90th hirthday of General Neal Dow occurs on Tuesday, March 20, and.

World's W. C. T. U., that day will be ob served with appropriate exercises by every local union. Our union has thought best not to have a meeting on Tuesday, but to postpone the exercises until the following Thursday, March 23. A musical and literary program has been arranged and ivis hoped that every member will held at 3 p. m. in Safford Hall, and at the close a collection will be taken, one half of which will be sent to further the work of the World's W. C. T. U. and one half

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above statement is true and belief. O. A. FRANKE, Cashier

before me this 6th day Notary Public. B. C. SAFFORD, E. W. CHAFFEE, PETER GAYDE,

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OUR OWN VILLAGE

WHAT IS GOING ON AMONG PRO-PLE ON THE OUTSIDE

The News of the week condensed for the Benefit of Mail Readers.

President Hunter is able to be around agaio.

Have you read the report of the condition of our banks?

C. O. Dickerson of Northville, was in town Wednesday. If you read J. R. Rauch's ad. you are

sure to profit thereby. 1. 1

House for sale or rent. Inquire of Mrs. Ruth Bowen. 240 1

L. C. Hough & son are on the front page. It means bread to you.

If 76 and 36 make bargains, what will you make by calling at Rauch's? Miss Emma Cooper and Mrs. Addi-

Kineler spent last week in Detroit.

The new tailor at Dohmstreich's is doing a good business for the opening.

The old council met last evening for the last time. Broceedings next week.

Mrs. Frank Durfre of Novi, is visiting her mother, Mrs. T. Patterson, this woek. Miss Jessie Palmer of Northville, was

the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Ella King, this week.

An Easter musical will be rendered at the M. E. church Sunday evening, March 26th.

Do you want to read the memorial number of the Freethinkers' magazine ! If so calat the MAIL office and get a copy.

Your chickens are safe now Grandpa Baker shot the bird-thief last Tuesdaythe day it returned to pursue its destruction of fowi.

Big business is being done at the F. & P. M. elevator at present Nearly two car loads of pointoes were handled on Wednesday.

Bassett & Son are around gain with a change of ad. They have the test furniture store outside of Detroit-they make Detroit hustle.

B. B nnett will cut 'rates on furniture for one more week and then close his sale His ad talks plainly, and gives some greatly reduced prices.

David Forshee, living about four miles southwest of Plymouth, died ou Wednesday after about four months severe illue-s Funeral was he'd this (Friday morning).

Did you go to the show ?. Yes-but I had a comp. They struck "Delicate Ground" here. The girl was indeed a girl of the period-buts back one.

M R. Grainger received a telegram Sun 'ay night that his brother John had died suddenly at Tham-sville, Ont. Mr. Grainger left on Monday morning to attend the funeral.

Who says it does not pay to advertise ! One of our advertisers wrote up a change of a l for this week's issue and b fore the paper was published as a 11 nearly all the articles he was making a run on. Our "advanced bulletin" is a great worker.

Saturday evening Mr. Hicks' team became trightened at the cars and ran away. They took the eidewalk at the corner of Fred R ymond's and were stopped in tront of his house. They made havoc of everything in their way. Goorge said be thought a cyclone struck him. No one was hurt.

Las Sunday afternoon some boys met at the fiir ground, and proceeded to make a raft of the boards from the fence. They completed their work, and we're about to take a sail, when Melvin Patterson, who had been watching them, made the b ys put the boards back in place. He should have locked them up.

A very pleasant call was made by some young people at the M. E. church parsonthe evening of the 10 h inst the interchange of thought. participated in by all, the dominie, Rev. N. Norton Clark, had a few moments convers tion with Mr. Frank Durham, of Detroit, and Miss Mae Burch of Plymouth, alter which he introduced them to the company as Mr. and Mrs. Durh im. Hearty congratulations were extended, and the one desire was manifest by all that Plymouth should be their future home. The panic of 1893 will excite the keen set interest of students of political economy for a century to come. It was not the result of a failure of crops, or of a war or convulsion of nature, or conflagra tion or of any other destruction of real wealth. It was caused by the deflance of plain economic laws. The new year holds out better things. Bubbles have been pricked and business is on a bed rock basis. Wall street has bad such a house cleaning as was never before known, and the ground everywhere has been cleared for new enterprises. The great national resources of the country are unimpaired, the indomitable energy of its prople remains undiminished, and nothing but a revival of confidence is needed to inaugurate a period of new and lasting prosperity. ZE z

Mr. and Mrs. Purry of Bouth Lyon, were in town Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Willard Ros spent Sunday

Snow tell, Wednesday night.

and Monday in Detroit. Miss Fida Hassenger of Detroit, Sundayed here with her mother.

Mesers: Bennett and Scott called on triends at Milford, Saturday.

Mr and Mrs. Jim Woodard and baby of Detroit, are visiting friends here this veek.

The frost is out of the ground and peo ple are beginning to think about making gardens.

The Springport Signal has changed hands. Here's hoping you may carry a red for many years. Dan Adams, Orr Passage, "Biddy'

Weeks and Geo. Vandecar, were fishing at Straits Lake, election day.

We have a nice mock of paper napkins. Doa't forget the MAIL office when you eed anything in that line.

Geo Chadwick and wife of Northville, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Baker, the first part of the week.

Westley A. Green, 1st lieutenant of company D. fourth Michigan cavalry gave us a short call Tuesday.

N. T. Sly and son-in-law, Calvin Stevens, have repied the Palace ment market in nor h village. They took poses sion last Saturday evening.

Elmer Briggs, whose name appeared in the MAIL a week or so ago, is not driving stage as at first reported, but is pruning ing, which will be held at the usual hour trees at Freestone, California.

John Adams who is employed in the vantage of a short lay off and visited friends in Plymouth and vicinity this weer.

Rev. Lee S. McCollester will preach at the village hall on Sunday, March 18th. at 3 p. m. Subject, "What liberal christianity expects religion to do for the world."

M. A. E. Rockwell, for twenty-five ears an esteemed resident of Northville, died at his late residence last Monday evening. Mr. Rockwell was well and lavorably known as one of the best business men of Northville. He leaves a widow and a daughter, and a large circle of friends to mourn his loss.

"Many a time a cheerful home and smiling face does more to make good men and women than all the learning and eloquence that can be used, and is not home the dearest name for heaven? We think of that better land as a home where brightness will never end in night. Oh. then, may our homes on earth be the centers of all our joys, to which we can retire, when weary of the cares and perplexities of life, and drink the clar waters of a love which we know to be sincere and always unfailing .- A. E. B.

We have seen quite a number of watch ch ins about town ornamented with a neat, little charm in the shape of a watch ase opener, which obvistes the use of: a knile or finger-mail to open the watc We have just rec-ived one, and would advise you to send for one, too. They are sent free on request by the K ystone Watch Case Company of Philadelphia. Pa., the largest watch case manufacturing concern in the world. They are the makers of the celebrat d Jas. Boss cases, the only filled ca-es which are fitted with the world-famed Non-pull-out bow (ring.) The Company does not sell at retail, but its goods are sold by our local j-welers.

"I see that the Leader is among the early observers of our editorial change. The new quill wearer bids fair, to prove a bustler. He is spattering the MAIL all over with brains, and making his columns shine with good solid stuff, such as the good morals and; material interests of a town level on. May our sandy editor never grow greyer than his name compela-

Miss Ethel Allen of Detroit, was home over Sunday. Owen Williams, who has teen mining in Washington state, is home for a few

weuk's visit. Minule Hulbert a former resident bere. died at Marshal, Mich., Saturday, March 1st, aged 32 years.

Robert Mimmack had the misfortune to sprain his ankle on Wednesday evening while practicing with the hose cart.

Robert Mimmack received from his brother in Chicago a box containing a beautiful assortment of aluminum ware, consisting of watch chains, thimbles, napkin rings, etc.

Alb rt Hulbert a former tinner for Conner & Son, is quite ill at Marshal, with kidney disease. Reports indicate that it is only a question of a few week's more life for him.

Doc. Bovee and a Mr Adams from Northville, are settling their accountbefore Justice Lombard to-day, (Thursday.) Our dictionary is also on the case, a please don't notice our mistakes.

Wm. Burrows, sr., & A. Black have formed a partnership to manufacture cutom boots and shoes, and also do all kinds of repairing neatly and at lowest prices con-istent with first-class work. Shop over Plymouth MATL office.

Sunday evening the pastor and congregation of the M. E. church will join their Baptist friends in their revival services No services will be beld in the M. E church except the Epworth lesgue meet-

W. F. Markham and family will break up house keeping the first of next mont urniture factory at Northville, took ad and move to D troit, where Harry will at tend the Detroit business college and Maud will complete her course in the De troit conservatory of music. Mr. Mark hem will remain to attend his business interests in Plymouth.

> The second anniversary of the New hur, Epworth Lesgue was held on Wed nesday evening. The address was given y R . Perry R. Parish of Northville, and was listened to by a large number, heing very interesting and instructive. The league starts out in the new year with membership of 56, and is in a very promising condition.

Last Monday night about 100 enjoyed he contest supp r'at the Gord Temp ar's hall. A good program had b - n arranged but having the unexpected honor of Mr. O. W Blaine's presence (past grand chief empl r) he time was given entirely to him. He rendered in a fine style "Objetions", and a beautiful and touching peem e titled "The drivking house over the way" Those who heard him will b pleased to have him visit. Plymouth again. He gives his entire time to temperance work.

Opera House Precinct.

Joe Teasman is now doing a land office business and will have to hire help.

Supervisor W. H. Hoyt, has convale-ced sufficiently to get about the linuse.

Fred Pinckney's horse died Weinesday night from heart failure, superinduced by dvanced y. ars.

Thomas Paterson has recovered sufficiently from his attack of rheumatism to get around on crutches.

Mrs. C. A. Row, Mrs. F. B. Parks and Wrs- W. N. Wherry have some lovely flowers in their windows.

James H witt has rented the wing of the Duige block, and will put in a full stock of plumber's goods.

Jay Burr's attack of la grippe has near v discove red and he will risome his p sition in the store by Monday.

der the instruction of their teacher, Miss A lie Safford, is making fice progress.

Be sure and inspect R. G. Hall's cozy Rocker. little store.



Plymouth has been struck with a, cyclone, and has knocked prices on

PANTS AND SHIRTS

Down to an unheard of price. We have just received the following for a starter:

500 Pair of \$1.25 to \$2 pants, 76C.

300 Shirts, usually sold for 50c 36C.

THESE ARE SPRING GOODS.

We are not closing out but have just commenced to do business, and these goods are not a lot of old winter stock but have just been bought for spot cash, and cash takes them. This is our method hereafter. We certainly can do better with cash, and will give you the benefit. Watch this corner and it will do you good. Another big bargain for next week.

J. R. RAUCH. ACENT.

P. S. All kinds of Garden Seeds th Bulk, Buy Your Garden Seeds in bulk and save 50c on the \$

Cut Rate **Furniture Store** OUR LAST WEEK Next week will be the last of our cut. rate sale. Don't miss the bargains

Best Bed Room Suit -**\$35 00** 2 Good Bed Room Suit 25 00 \$10.11 and 12 00 Side Boards 1 25

The juvenile school of this precinct, nn

fire department tower, .h.? Well you ought to be 60 or more feet it stands (it must be more) on the plain pagoda plain; and looks like a steeple on the town. It is big enough to entertain a hose cart or two, and high enough to make a hanger for the h se itself in case that it should get wet, and be in danger of taking cold. Cor. in-Mila . Lesder.

> Trade with your home merchant. Thiis excellent advice and we know it. The home merchant is the man who maintains the village or city at which you trade. The larger the place the more varied its industries, the b-tter the market it is for y u. The home merchant pays the tax s which go toward the improvements of the place. The home merchant contributes out of his earnings to every public enter prise. He he s build the churches. He short he made the village what it is to people do not with to advertise. We can day, and in making i, created market for then easily fill our chlumns from the outyour load of wood, your hay, your ore side. We cannot run a paper and not car butter which y u could not botner to ship to some foreign market and run the risk of d-aling with strangers. You don't lose NEW anything by patronizing the local dealer. Tafft's.

The postoffice business has at last been settled and C. E. Baker is to be our next p stmaster. It took a long time to d cide but we think a better selection could not have been made. Mr. Baker will un doubtedly give good satisfaction. Postmaster Springer has proven him-elt a with the slain.

To Advertisers.

The MAIL has made every effort to secure subscribers and our efforts have been very liberaly rewarded. We have as large a circulation as the average country newspaper. We intend to bring it up to the 1000 mark. We ask that the home merchants do the best they can in advertising and thus save us from carrying out side ails. W have had some good offers gave a bouus for the electric telephon , from advertisers near by, but we will not he help d bring the railroad here. In accept until we are assured that Plymouth duc-, the few dozens of eggs or pounds of ry advertising. Give us your ad, if only for 25 cents a week.

NEW LINE of neck wear at A. A

Parlor Suits \$100, \$30, 18 00 **Parlor Stands** 1 50 --\$10, \$11 and 12 00 Rugs, good official, but he had to be counted 25 yds Carpet, 101/2x121/3, 25 00 **Elegant Comfortables** 2 25 Spreads 90 Blankets per pair 175 Springs 1 75 Mattresses 3 50 Chamber Sets [stone China] 1 60 Plymouth, Mich.

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'They have begun to throw bombs as opera singers in Italy. And yet in this country amateur "Mikado" companies go through an entire season unecathed.

The buildings, colonnades, bridges, gates, hitching posts and other combustible matters on and aboat the world's fair grounds seem to be doemed to destruction by firebugs, but with the aid of the fire department Chicago still hopes to save the enal and lagoons.

A CALIFORNIA convict refused to accept pardon because he believed that he could do the other convicts good by remaining among them. The ways of Providence—it has been stated before—are inscrutable. No econer had the convict reached his peculiar and self-sacrificing determination than he died.

HANGING would be too good for the miscreants who have exterminated the Yellowstone park herd of buttalo. With the possible exception of a small herd in Tevas these were the last American bison remaining in a wild state, unless there may be a few left in the Canadian Northwest. But for the fortunate forethought of individuals who have reduced a number of specimens to captivity the total extinction of the race would now be a certainty.

Or course the world is given to more or less dirt eating, but fortunably the number of people who dine em dirt from choice is comparatively small. Northern Brazil has a race of Otomae Indians who daily consume an unctuous quality of clay, which is first kneaded into balls of from four to six inches in diameter mod baked before a slow fire. It is ead a native will eat from threefourths of a pound to a pound and a quarter a cay in a season when other kinds of food are hard to get. It is we claimed that these Otomae Inne a neathy race.

HE latest arrival from Japan gives details of the funeral of a distinguished Buddhist priest. He was be no to the crematory in a gold hearse, followed by a great crowd of mourners and admirers. The funeral, including the cremation, cost one hundred thousand dollars! Our fifteen and twenty thousand-dollar ministers are content to go in an undertaker's hearse of black to the body's final resting-place. Japan Mealizes and idolizes its big prelates. Man worship? Of course it is. But the people like it. We have the artise much modified here.

MODELLING in clay, which was a popular fal in many schools two or three years ago, has been greatly standoned. It was found that where large numbers of children, each after the other, handled the same clay, the skin diseases affecting one were communicated to all. There is really no instruction in art gained by the teachers amusing their pupils in this way. The younger echolars like it, but it is better to let them find their amusement in the mail ples which they make without any instruction. That kind of play may not be good for the clothes, but it never injured health.

SPEARING of the ornamentation of public buildings, the new city hall of Philadelphia is to be capped with a unique specimen of art. The mammeth statue of William Penn, which is to surmount the dome of the building, will be 547 feet above the street level. The statue is thirty-seven feet in height and weights 60,000 pounds. The rim of the bat is twenty three feet in circumference, and william's feet are each five "set and four inches long. The problem now is how that twenty-seven tons weight of metal is to be hoisted up to the boy of its 547 feet pedestal. There will be only one thing bigger about the building when it is completed than this megatherian statue, and that will be the cost of the entire structure to the taxpayers of Philadelphia

MOSQUE OF DAMASCUS, MOST IMPORTANT HISTORICAL

Thirty Thousand People Could Be Accommedated in Its Vast Interior-Interesting Incidents in Its Long and Eventful

History.

Damascus is famed for the number and beauty of its mosques, but the most celebrated is that known as the Great Mosque, which was formerly the Christian church of St John. which was recently destroyed by fire. It was the most important historical site in Damascus, and it is presumed to have originally/been an open space, the center of which was occupied by an altar dedicated to the idol god of the Syrians, long previous to the time that Abraham traveled in that direction for the purpose of going "into the land of Canaan." Several hundred years later, when the Greeks and Romans were here, a heathen temple stood upon the spot, with altars and courts. colonnades and triumphal arches. After Christianity became the established religion of the Byzantine empire, the temple was converted into a church and dedicated to St. John the Baptist, and the Moslems of to-day have the belief that his head still remains in the cave, where it is said to have been placed by the

monks of that church. When, in the seventh century, Damascus fell into the hands of the Mohammedans, the church was occupied by Moslems and Christians alike, the former taking possession of the eastern part while the Christians were allowed the use of the western part. But this division did not long continue on an amicable footing, for the Christians were not only expelled from their place of worship, but were forbidden to enter the inclosure of the sacred edifice, and from thenceforth the entire structure was transformed into the mosque of St. John, which as nei tcontinued to bear down to the time of its destruction.

The church was in the form of a basilica, and the space between the inclosing walls of the quadrangle upon which it stood was about 500 feet long and 350 feet broad. It occupied nearly one half of that space on the south side of the quadrangle, and but few changes were made in the interior plan since it was transformed into a mosque. The open court on the north occupied much the largest part of the quadrangle, and the ancient out-buildings in it were removed, and fountains and minarets erected in their place.

It is said that the mosque would hold 30,000 persons, and its interior dimensions were 431 feet by 125 feet, and it was divided into three aisles by two rows of columns, twenty in each row, which extended the whole length of the edifice. The columns were about twenty-four feet high, and most of them had Corinthian capi-tals. Along the north side of the mosque was another row of columns, which were encased in masonry, and taker the space between them was up by many windows and doors. through, which socess to the mosque was gained on that side. The triple roof rested upon two fiers of arches supported by the rows of columns, and was said to be covered on the outside with lead. In the center of the mosque and the transept of the ancient church there were four massive piers, above which rose a dome about 120 feet high and 100 feet in circumference. Colored glass was in the windows on the south side of the

circumference. Colored glass was in the windows on the south side of the mosque and along the walls, and on some of the columns were extracts and texts from the Koran. Almost the whole of the marble

Almost the whole of the marble floor was covered with prayer carpets of different sizes and patterns, and on these the true believers per-formed their daily prayers. In the mosque were a number of striking objects. Looking eastward were the great dome-shaped frames, with their hundreds of lamps and the numerous chandeliers suspende long chains from the arches and lofty The minbar. or pulpit, and the rooi mirab. or praying niches. in the south wall, with their slender marble columns, were quite attractive and suggestive. The most sacred spot in the edifice was the cave, above which was the shrine of St. John the Bap tist. It was setting between the third and fourth column to the right of the dome, and near the south wal! of the castern part of the mosque. It was enclosed by a quandrangular wall built of fine courses of polished marble, upon which stood twenty square columns, six on each side and four at either end, counting the corner columns twice. The cornice was elaborately ornamented by ex-tracts from the Koran in large letters, and above the shrine rose a ribbed dome resting upon an octa gonal structure and surrounded by a gilded crescent. The height of the dome was about twenty-five feet. There were three minarets to the mosque, says the Hoston Herald. The central one was known as minaret of the bride, and the gallery where the muezzin proclaimed "the call to prayers" was reached by a "No." answere spiral stairway of 160 steps. This Englishman."

was the eldest of the three and was built up square, with four galleries. The western minaret on the southwest side of the court, was the most beantiful being octagonal, built in receding sections like a telescope, with three galleries. The loftiest of the minarets was the minaret of Jesus, so called from a Moslem tradition that on the morning of the judgment day Jesus will descend from heaven and sit ins judgment upon all the nations of the earth. This minaret was built upon a equare tower, octagonal in shape, tapering to a point and surmounted, as were the other two, by a crescent. There were two covered galleries in the tower and two open ones on the spire of the minaret.

The Chinese Six Compule .

The Chinese Six Companies represent the six districts near Canton, China, from which nearly all the immigrants come to this country. The companies bring the immigrants here, paying their passage, supporting them when they die and taking their bones back to China. For all this they eract enormous rates of interest, and blackmail_their subjects from time to time as coccasion arises. The highbinders are simply the agents of the companies in blackmailing or in removing Chinamen who refuse to be blackmailed or are otherwise obnoxious to the companies.

INTERESTING ITEMS.

Fifty-three boats and 123 lives were
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with the sun which will bring the music of its motion to our ears. Brevity and economy of space mark

the sign of a New York barber. It reads: "Boyshaircut 10cts. Sundays 15."

A process by which all kinds of wood can be rendered incombustible has been invented by Nicholas T. Nelson, a Chicago chemist.

The Chicago telephone company has 18,000 miles of wire in under-ground conduits, and 10,400 telephones yelling "hello" day and night.

A gold medal was awarded by the Columbian exposition to the American tract society for its books and tracts in 150 languages and dialects.

Jewelry buried by Mrs. J K. Henry of Greenville, Ala., during the war was unearthed a few days ago and found to be in good condition.

It is said that the sudden expansive force exerted by water at the moment of freezing is probably as much as 30,000 pounds per square inch.

A sugar-cane measuring nine feet in length and large in proportion was grown on the farm of Bandall McMillan, near Enigma, Ga., last year.

H. E Carr, an ex-banker who is in jail at Tuscumbis, Ala., is arranging to issue therefrom a newspaper, for which his wife is soliciting subscriptions are "ads."

The Chinese Y. M. C. A. in San Francisco has recently sent \$42,000 to Canton as a contribution by the Chinese of that city for the evangelization of their countrymen.

In a Philadelphia shop window a unique old relic of a piano is displayed bearing the following inscription: "John Jacob Astor sold this piano to one of the first families of New York more than a century ago. Mr. Astor is believed to have been the first piano dealer in the United States."

A trolley accident with both tragie and humorous results, happened in Baltimore last week, when "a pie wagon was knocked to finders, and the circumambient atmosphere was flaky with pie crust for some time." Driver -F. Plitt furnished the tragic part of the tale by receiving serious injuries.

An instructive dialogue is reported to have taken place at the opening of the Sussex, England, assizes. A juror rose in the box to ask to be exempted from service on account, of deafness. "Are you very deaf?" asked the judge in a low tone. "Yes, my lord," was the prompt reply. "You had better be sworn." said the judge.



THE attitude of the British new papers in regard to the action of Admiral Benham, who protected an English vessel from the insurgent Bra ilian fleet, is characteristic of the Briton. The English admiral presumably acting under orders from his government, refused to convoy the vessel. The American admiral, acting upon the dictates of common sense, warned the Braof silians to let her alone, and they did so. The English, however, prefer that the merchantman should have been fired upon and sunk rather than seek the protection of the hated Yankes. There may be some fine-spin theory of international or mari-time law that renders Admiral Ben-ham liable to criticism. To the ordinary landsman, however, his action was as instifiable as that of the man who should prevent a burly bully from kicking a bootblack.

A curate who had entered the pulpit provided with one of the late Rev. CLarles Bradley's most recent homilies, was for a moment horror-struck by the sight of the Rev. Charles Bradley himself seated in a pew beneath. Immediately, however, he recovered enough self-possession to be able to say: "The beautiful sermon I am about to preach is by Rev. Charles Bradley, who I'm glad to see in good health among us assembled here."

A few years after the war Colonel Bob Ingersoll was riding in England in the usual compartment car and drifted into a dispute on American matters with a pop-eyed, dogmatic, bull-headed, irascible old fellow, whose sympathies were hotly with the South. Several other Englishmen were present heartily enjoying the occasional quiet tosses their friend received from the unknown Yankee, until at last the old one, in a convulsion of fury, screamed into Ingersoll's very teeth that bare-legged old glost of a conundrum. "Would ye letcher daughter marry a nigger?" "No." answered Bob, quietly, "dor an Englishman."

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AFTER." with the story ends sgain, and who is not contented? The errors all are duly sizin. The dragons circumvented, he princes were the hero b The princes were the next sever. Who eams ber chains to sever. And so the blissful p ir we're told, "Lived happily forever."

80-finis! And the book we close. We other facts are granted. Bai lower then the mast suppose. Were never discontanted for them was no domestic strife. No frombles intervenin... Bat "haspiness" and "marriest" life "Were synonyms in meaning.

We, too, perhaps, although we dwell In different circumstances, Perform the drams fairly well Set forth in these romances. The ourse part a parent plays, The maid an helress pretty, The primes in these promits days is "something in the city."

But will the parallel extend Through after-tife. I wonder, When x rave philo ophers perpeas That marris e is a blandar? Ah chroniclers discreetly muter You were, perchance, too clever To hint at rifts within the late Of happiness foreveri

And yet * * the view is out of date, By grave statistics shaken. But still to some at any rate, It does not eem mistaken For thou is the cynic's bitter mirth No truth in it discovers, Leve now as then, on make of carth A paradise for loverst —Los grant > Magazine

The Great Hesper.

BY FRANK BARRETT.

CHAPTER L

We landed at Southampton, Sep-tember 14, 1885, and a ragged crew we were

The "Judge," Joe Brace led the way-a great gaunt man, with long, long leg, a stoop in his shoulders and a swaying movement of his body and arms when he walked as if he had a load on his back and a long way to go; a m .n with a black fell on the back of his hands, a durk beard growing high upon his cheek bones, and a great bush of iron-gray hair sticking out all round his head. and a forelock hanging down over his One could see nothing of his features but a long red nose and deepset beady black eyes. His fustian jacket was worn to rag at the elbows and so was mine, as for that split in the seams between the shoulders with the constant strain of the laboring arms. Once upon a time top boots had been black, but now they we eall the same yellow chay color with the trousers that were tucked into them, and just as

badiy in need of repair. I followed with Van oeck. He held my arm. not lor support, but for guidance, because he was stone blind. He was thirty or thereabouts, I be-Heve but he looked twenty year. elder than I, who am n w about twenty six. Though he was Dutch by bith, he looked like an Asiatic. While I, with my an Asiatic. While I, with my fair skin, light hair and large frame. am pretty true in appearance to my He was better dress ern race. ed than any of us, for though he ad accompanied us, and roughed it se for as board and lodging were concerned, he had takin only a financial part in the enterprise, his blindness naturally debarring him from a laborious part. His clothes retained something of their original appearance. Albeit he had worn them day after day for eighteen months at least; whereas mine, what with the exposure to the sun, the sweat of work, rough usage, and the strange devices employed in repairing them, were scarcely recognizable as civilized clothing. His face gave more sign of strain and fatigue than ither the judge's or mine, which hight well be, seeing how great a be, seeing how great a relief to the mind physical labor is. There was a furrow between his brows, deep lines descending from the inner angle of the eye. a pinched look about the nostrils and fleshless. cheeks, that gave a fearful, strenuous eagerness to the weird expression of face. And that expression was weird, nay, even repulsive, though his feat res were nut ill shaped, and it was due chiefly to the peculiarity of his eyes. Most people of dark

complexion, like his, have a dark but steely-gray, and was the more nuticeable because there was the iris and nothing else; there was no pupilnothing but that gray patch upon the yellowish ball of the eye. He kept his eyes open when his mind was preoccu, ied. Often when he was sitting near me while I worked I have changed my, position that I might not see those ghastly eyes wide open to an / ican sun, yet nconscious of its lare. There was something terrible in his biindness. Our rear was brought up by the Kid." The same by constant use nd familiarity had long ceased to be alangy to my cara Poor little Lola! she was the raggedest and most disreputable of the lot, though it was not for that that she walked behind us; reasin indeed, had she suspected that to follow implied inferiority, she would have marched ahead of her own That was her character. father. The Kid had given us a deal of rouble had we foreseen how much. I do not think \an Houck or I would have put in that postscript to the egreement which her father. the dge, induced us to subscribe. "The Kid has eyes in her head for

to see with," the Judge said, in and then started of in search urging her claim upon our fature consideration, "end she kin use 'em as well as us in lookin' for stones. end likewise, bein' a female, she kin cook our meals for us; she kin wash our shuts, end she kin sew us up, end keep us nice and tidy." Whether she was capable of helping us in these matters I cannot say; all I know is, that she didn't. "What kin you expect?" asked her father, in extenuation; "her mother was the darter of a durned greaser, end it ain't the kid's fault if she's got grea or blood in her."

We came up with the judge at the dock gites, where he stopped to address a policeman stationed there. "Kid you tell me, my friend," he said, "where the best bank in town is located?"

I think the policeman's first impression as he regarded us was that we had felonious purpose in asking this question, for he did not reply immediately, and with reluctance directed us to the High street, and told us to inquire there of some one else.

CHAPTER II.

We found a bank and streamed in. a small crowd collected a ound the door, as it swung to behind the kid. The clerks suspended their opera-tious and looked at us in openmouthed astonishment as we ranged ourselves along the counter.

uls the manager of this concern in?" asked the Judge-"Hanis off, he added, in a roar, as the Kid, slipping her lithe hand under the brasswork protecting the counter. began to finger the scales.

The Kid, unmoved, satisfied her curiosity, then, withdrawing her hand, rested her elbow on the counter, and dropping her chin in the paim gazed at the clerks with stolid indifference.

"The manager is in, what do you want?" asked the clerk.

"...et up, Israel," said the Judge, falling back a step, and waving his hand significantly toward Van Hoeck. .We wish to negotiate a loan on the security of a large diamond that we

have brought home from the cape, said Van Hoeck ·· | ight hundred and twenty carats,

ater," added the Judge; "the fust v grandest stone in this almighty universe.

There we whispered consultation among the cle ks and one went into a private room at the back of the bank from hich he presently returned with the manager.

"I am the manager; what

want. Van Hoeck repeated his statemen. "And what security car you give me that the diamon i is genuined asked the manager, with a pleasant smile, "or that it is legitimate.y yours to dispose of."

"You will allow, sir, if anyone had lost a stole of this kind he would ha e mude it unsafe for us to walk about wi h it in the daylight," re-COplied the Judge, . and as for its bein' gen ine, you kin hey the security of your own eyesight."

"do not process to be a judge a alamonds, and I can have nothing to do with it," said the manager dednitively.

We were disgusted with Southampton, and, had we tosse sed the means, should have gone on at once to London, where we might have found some former acquaintance to help us out of our present difficulty. But we had nothing-nothing in the world but the things we stood upright in and the great d amond. For our smaller finds and our implements we had sold at Natal to make up enough to ay our steerage home, and our knives, every clothes our av_ilable thing we had barte ed away on our passage for food to supplement t .e miserably insufficient steerage are.

"We kin not pawn the Kid." the Judge, ... end that's about the only perkisit as we could well do without" It was now well upon three o'clock,

the need of lood, having

of the Abbey. The Judge swinging along ahead at a good four miles an hour, the Kid had to trot to keep up with us; but I gave her my hand, and she did not complain-it was not in her nature to show suffering in the ordinary way. It must have been about 6 o'clock

when we found the park entrance to Monken Abbey, and there we were stopped by the lodge-keeper, who refused to let us pass without per-mission from Sir Edmund; but when he heard that we had been sent by the inspector of police at Southamp-ton, he sent his wife up to the house, to know if the baronet would see us Our spirits rose at the first glimpse of the landsome, portly old gentle-man. There was benevolence in the little curls of his soft white hair, and the promise of kind treatment in the genial smile with which he greeted us. "Well," said he, cheerfully, "you

have something to sell me, have vou?1

"Yes," I replied, "if you can buy it; it is a diamond."

"A diamond! Ah, that's a costly kind of curiosity, but I like them for

all that; have you got it with you?" "Yes," said I; and, turning over my hand. I opened it, showing the leather case strapped to my wrist, which contained the Great Hesper, as we called our diamond. baronet was thunderstruck by the prodigious size of the stone, for he could see that the leather fitted it closely. We had it tested at Natal." said

Van Hoeck; "it is a white diamond, and if not of the first water, is certainly of the second; it weighs 820 carate

· Is it possible? Come with me Eight hundred and twenty carate!' said Sir Edmund, in great excite ment "Bring a light into the library at once," he called to one of the BACVADIA

We went into the library, where I cut the stitches o. the case, took out the Great Hesper and put it into Sir Edmund's hadd, by which time a reading lamp had been brought in. "It is true it is true!" said he.

examining it under a powerful light. "A wonderful stone—a perfect form —a prodigy! Come here, Edith; look at this!"

A yoing lady who had entered the room drew near. It was only by looking at the face we had had cut and polished that she could distinguish that this was a diamond. for it was dull and gray, and looked like a lump of glass that had - passed through the fire. it

"It is an extraordinary size,

not, paps." she asked. "Extraordinary. indeed! The Koh-i-noor is not a fourth of the s'ze! See what the book save about that; get down Haydn, my dear."

Miss Lasce les fetched the book while her father still examined the stone, as an artist might a masterpiece, and presently read aloud-

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CHAPTER IIL

The baronet spoke not one word about the diamond during dinner, but

when it was all over he said: "Well, now we will go back to the library; and you shall come with us, Edith, if our cigars will not be disagreeable to you, for we have a mar-

velous matter to talk about.'

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With a frown came the answer: "Nay, not so!" Then Abou spoke mare low, as whe would serve, Boosase the presence really broke his nerve But cheerily still, and said: "I pray the

then, Write me as one of those ill-fated men Who as er let up, O vision truly wise, After they once begin to advertise

The vision wrote and vanished. The next night It came again with a creat wakening light, And showed the names whom mi, hy wealth had hiersed. And loi Atou Ad's name led all the rest, --Printer's ink

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"Can you let me have some money this morning, John?" asked Mrs. Sprige at the breakfast table.

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eaten n thing since six, when our last rations weré served out to us on Our position the "Southern Cross." was a desperate one. With millions in our possession, we might starve the street, or have to take refuge in the work house. It was odd, inde and very unpleasant also. At length. being unable to see any way out of our difficulty, we made our way to a police station and laid our case be-

fore the inspector. "Well, my good fellows," said he. having heard us out. "I don't see how I'm to help you. The mayor is the proper person to go to, but he's away yachting. The only person I can think of." he added, after a mocan think of. ment's reflection. ...who might serve you is Sir Edmind La celles He's got a kind of museum, and buys up curiosities, I know: and a kind old gentleman he is, too. Now, if he's at home_

We asked him hurrledly where Sir Edmund lived, and he replied that it was out Lymington way-Monken Abbey-eight or nine miles, and any one would tell us the way. Well, there was nothing better to

be done so we got the inspector to give us a more definite direction.

scelles herself beside her father, while we three men sat facing them on the other side of a small round table, on which I placed the diamond. At a little distance from us there was a lion skin on the floor, and on this the Kid threw herself and as she lay there looking toward us, with her chin resting in the palms of her hands and her elbows planted in the fur, we saw scarcely anything of her but her great lustrous eyes, because of the shadow thrown by the lampshade.

"Now, let us understand the position of things to begin with." said bir Edmund. taking a cigar, after handing the box to us.

"This will explain a good deal," said I, putting in his hand the copy of our agreement.

He held it that his daughter might read it with him, and having come to thesend said:

"May I ask which is the judge?" "That's me," said Brace, with some pride: "appinted by the Long Pike vi ilance committee in "36." "You are an American?"

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A car driver in Sheboygan, Mich., has been discharged because it was discovered that she was a woman.

Mrs. Ellen Spencer Massy succeeded to the practice of her late husband, General Massy, and is one of the most successful lawyers in Washington.

Yuet Lee is reported to be the first Chinaman to bring suit for divorce in a civil court of New York state. He first met his erring wife at Sunday school.

Make your dwelling tasteful and attractive, both within and without; the associations of the home of our early days have a strong influence on the future life.

Charles Bidabock, formerly a wealthy New Yorker. recently gained admission to the San Francisco almshouse. He is 91 years old, and has for years been penniless.

Sime Reeves, England's famous tenor, receives \$7.50 per hour for teaching at the London Guildhall This is in addition to the fees school. he receives from private pupils.

Miss Huldah Arnold died at Milford, Mass., recently, at the reputed age of 104 years. At the age of 14 she began smoking to relieve the asthma, and thereafter was an inveterate smoker.

Nothing keeps out moths so well as paper. If every housewife, when she puts away her furs, pasted up all the crevices and round the lid of the box with paper, she would find her furs in-tact when unpacked.

Secretary Herbert has issued an order that no person in the United States navy shall write for a newspaper or

navy shall write for a newspaper or magazine on any subject whatever without first having secured permis-sion from the secretary. Récently a letter of introduction was handed by an actor to a manager which described the presenter as an actor of much merit, and concluded, We also Winging Richards "He plays Virginius, Richelieu, Hamlet, Shylock and Billiards. He plays Billiards the best."

FRESH AND FRAGMENTARY.

There are now seventeen crematories in the United States.

Ice a foot and a half thick is strong enough to support a railroad train. A new alkaloid has been extracted

from the coffee bean and named coffearine.

This year the Italians will celebrate the three hundredth anniversary of the production of the first opera.

The United States is first in the value of horses, Great Britain coming next, France third and Germany. four th.

The people of the United States consume nearly one-half of the 7,000,000 ounces of quinine produced in the world every year.

A square copper coin, struck by the Swedish government in the sixteenth century, is mearly .one-half inch thick and weighs a pound and a quarter.

German medical authorities recom

W.-How do you tell the age of a hen? V.-By the testh. W.-But a hen hasn't any teeth. V.-Nc, but I

have. "How many foreign languages can your wife speak?" "Three—French, German and the one she talks to the baby."

Maude-You know that horrid Miss Squillers? Genevieve-Yes. Maude-Well, I got even with her yesterday, Invited her to my pink tea and she's blonde that can't stand anything but blue.

Reader of Comic Paper, sighing--0, would that I were in the Alps, 3,000 feet up! Visitor-And why do you wish that? Reader of Comic Pap Because no chestnut is ever found at that height?

Jenks-I handled \$4,000,009 during my recent visit to the treasury in Washington. Binks-Ab! But I have had my grip upon \$150,000,000! Jenks --Where! When! How? Binks-I once shook hands with Vanderbilt!

Pat. has offered his school-fellow a bite from his apple, and is astonished at the large piece measured off by Mike's teeth. "Here, I say, hold on there, hold on!" Then, correcting himself, "when I say 'hold on' I mean correcting 'let go!'"

Well, he's one of the famous men of channel and the Mediterranean, meets the day." His companion looked at with much approval abroad. the speaker suspiciously. he?" he asked. "The man "Who is "The man who was cured of catarrh?" "No; better than that. He's the man who hasn't had the grip.'

Little Boy-They won't ever get me to give another ten cents toward a present of a book for the teacher. Mother-What went wrong? Little Boy-We gat the principal to select one for her, and he picked out one that was jus' crowded with informa-tion, and she's been teachin' it to us ever since.

Fogy-Our paper to-day published the true story about that mysterious murder in Blank street. Hustler-Pooh! We printed the story two days ago. Fagy-But you were entirely wrong in everything you published. Every statement you made was as far from the truth as it could possibly be. Hustler-What of that, so long as 'we got the scoop on all the other papers?

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"A schoolmaster," according to an advertisement in the Kentish Mercury, England, "wishes to exchange his little daughter, aged 11, for a boy of similar age."

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APPLIED SCIENCE.

Satisfactory gas pipes are now made of manilla paper coated with asphalt. Danish lighthouses are supplied with oil to pump on the waves in case of a storm.

The comptometer, a new calculating machine, is operated by keys like the newest typewriter.

It is estimated that one of the largest stones in the pyramids weighs fully eighty-eight tons.

A proposition for a great shipway

Historic old Castle Garden has been converted into a magnificently appointed aquarium. The work on the building has been completed, and but little remains to be done in the interior.

A building permit has been granted in New York for a business edifice four feet nine inches by fifteen feet eight inches. It is to be used as an Italian fruit store and the plans were drawn up by a regular architect.

Ready sensitized postal cards are now being placed upon the German market, so that the photographic tourist can very easily dispatch prints of the pictures he is making in his travels to his friends and relatives at home.

A French engineer has built an electric locomotive which carries a 500-horse power stationary steam engine. This runs a dynamo, which generates the current applied to the electric motors mounted on driving arles.

Cocos and chocolate are prepared from the nuts by freeing them from the pulp and making them undergo a process similar to malting. They are afterward roasted in a perforated cylinder and are then freed from their husks and made into cocos or chocolate.

Dr. Galippe reports to the French scademy of sciences that after eight years' investigation he finds that all stones, such as gravel, found in the human body, are produced by mi-crobes. Microbes are the authors of that chemical decomposition which results in calcareous deposits.

One of the difficulties which have stood in the way of the substitution of paper pulp for wood in the manufacture of pencils has been the tough-ness of the paper covering, and its consequent resistance to the action of a knife, but, by a new process which has lately been introduced, the mole cular cohesion of the paper is modified in such a manner that it can be cut as easily as cedar wood.

Crop Report.

The wheat fields of Michigan were fairly well, lightly covered with snow during the larger part of February. A heavy snow storm occurred near the middle of the mouth, but the high winds previlling left the snow largely in drifts, The average depth of snow in the lower penusula, on the 15th was from four to five inches, and on the 28th, in the southern and central counties, about one inch. At this date, March 8, the snow is all gone and the frost in the southern half of the Siste, all out of the ground.

The weather in February was almost continuously cold. At Lansing the mean daily temperature was above the freezing point on only seven days. The highest daily average was 37 degrees on the 7th, 39 on the 8th, and 40 on the 9th and 28th. About 40 per cent of the correspondentexpress a belief that wheat has been damaged, and 60 per cent that it has not.

The total number of bushels of wheat eported marketed by farmers in February, is 1.035,127, and in the seven months. Aurust-February, 10,285,039, which is 245.884 bushels less than reported marketed in the same mon hs last year. At 23 elevators and mills from which reports have been received, there was no wheat marketed during the month.

In condition, live stock averages from four to seven points below a full average, comparison being with stock in good, healthy and thrifty condition.

Republican Caucus.

The republicans of the township of Plymouth will meet in caucus at village hall, Plymouth, Monday, March 26, 1894, at 3 o'clock p. m. to place in nomination the following officers to be voted for at the coming spring election :-- Supervisor, clerk, treasurer, one justice of the peace short term, one justice of the peace long term, highway commissioner, drain commissioner, school inspector, one member board of review, three members inspectors of elec. tion and four constables.

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Alexander Johnson, perhaps the oldest colored man in the South, lives at Ozark, Ala,, at the reputed age of 121 years. There is axid to be good evidence to prove his great age. Be has been married five times and is the father of a large family.

One of the most novel of the govern ment departments in Washington is the petrified lumber mill operated by the geological survey. In this building the survey lapidaries grind thin sections of rock and minerals of all sorts for microscopic examination, and there is a band saw that is able to cut any mineral.

ing valued at £2,688,000,000, that of the United States coming next, according to Mulhall, it being £2,500,-000,000.

Holland does the largest business proportioned to population of any country on the globe. The exports and imports equal \$225 to each in-habitant, while that of the United States is but 235.

In the colony of Natal tes continues to be largely grown in the coast dis-tricts, chiefly in Victoria county and the lower Umzimkulu division. The area under cultivation 'may be put down at about 2,200 mcres.

The multi-flavored cigarettes, which are going to make a stir in the tobac co trade, are filled up in sections with various brands of the weed, so that a smoker can enjoy half a dozen different sorts right off the reel.

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