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WHOLE NO 363

WHY DON'T YOU STOP!

USING WATER OUT OF SEASON AS REQUIRED?

The Council Grant a Drain Permission-Other Notes From The Council.

The council passed upon a number of bills last Monday evening, and ordered \$1.40 returned to Wm. Selleck, being an overcharge in his tax bill.

Trustee Chaffee said that ball playing was too freely indulged in at the park and on the street to the detriment of the lawn and the business men. The marshal said it was his duty to stop it, but he had not as he did not think it was doing any harm, but would stop it at once. To e that end the marshal has posted a notice in the park, and keeps a watchful eye on

the boys to see that orders are obeyed. The water works was given another whirl, or rather the water takers. The council thought that when an order was issued that was more of a benefit to the people to stop using water out of hours than to continue using it all day it should be enforced. It is not necessary to be "notifying" takers of the rules all the time, but a more rigid course will be pursued. In the future anyone caught using water other than the rules allow, will have the water shut off from their use. When two or three have paid the necessary amount to have their water turned on again it will probably give the council more ease on the matter.

Supervisor Hoyt and others appeared efore the council and explained to them a drain they had in view as petitioned forand asked the council to grant permission to enter into the corporation for the parpose of constructing said drain; also for power to assess all those receiving benefit from the drain, including the village, The matter was discussed at some length and the general opinion was that a better act could not be done than to lay a drain from the F &. P. M. railroad, 70 rod south on Mill St. thence in a southwesterly direction across the Noyes farm and empty into the Tonquish creek. The whole length to be about 146 rods. On motion the request was granted and full power vested in the township drain commissioner to construct the drain and levy the tax.

Council then adjourned one week.

Sermon on Rain and the Drought.

The pastor of the Presbyterian church had a very seasonable subject for his discourse last Sabbath morning. As everybody is talking about and wishing for rain, because of the present drought. he took for his subject "The rain, its giving and withholding in the hand of God". r "The withholding of divine blessings warning finger of God to bring man

ck to repentance and gratitude-to obedience, and dependence upon an Almighty Creator" His text consisted of selections from

both the old and new Testaments, and a reading of them will show the general line of treatment of the subject. They were Amos 4, 7-9: Lev. 26, 3-5; Matt 5-45; Acts 14-17; 1 Kings 8,35-36 and Zech 10-1. In addition to these he quoted or read many more in the course of his sermon, making clear his statements and

BY A FRIEND. The following poetry is dedicated to the memory of F. W. Fairman: Ended for thee is the battle.

In Memoriam

Ended for thee is the battle. The wearying toil and the strife! Now is the chaplet of honor, Rewarded the labor of life. Folded away is the body Where lilies are gemming the sod. Passed on the wings of the morning The spirit has gone to its God. Freed from the fetters that bound it, In purity, majesty, truth. Freed from the fetters that bound it, In purity, majesty, truth, Graced with the glory immortal Fulfilling the hopes of thy youth. Lives that are purest are grandest And noblest are hearts that in love. Chastened have been by the Master Who rules in the kingdom above. Spotless as thine be our record, When life and its chidings are o'er, Bright as thine own be our welcome, Where sorrow can enter no more.

Revolution or Evolution.

Free America, the best and brightest land the sun ever shone upon, where provident nature has bestowed her richest gifts with generous hand, where the blood of all peoples has commingled and brought forth a new type of man-a new nation-whose genions and thrift stands pre-eminent above all others, whose intelligence and progress is the marvel of all the ages and whose all conquering, creative and constructive powers are only second to the great Creaton of all things, yet in this broad and beautiful land of sunshine and plenty on every side we hear the mutterings of deep dis content.

From every quarter comes the wail of human woe. Each day the golden orb of light in his diurnal round looks down upon new idols fallen, many hearts saddened that should be glad, and disappoint. ments embittering many lives that should be joyous all because of "Man's inhumanity to man". Each daily paper adds a new chapter of suffering turbulence, misfortune, suicide and crime to the dark records of the past. In 1893 there were in the United States 6,615 murders and 6,436 suicides, while the breaches of trust embezzlements and robberies aggregated many millions.

Insane asylums, prisons, jails and poorhouses are filled to overflowing, while the law breakers who escape punishment by one means or another and the poor who were relieved by outside aid greatly outnumber those in these institutions.

These evils have existed in former times but not to so large an extent as now, and society has heretofore looked upon them as inevitable and incarable. It has required the storm, panic, drought and disaster to make them so prevalent and to bring them more closely home to us and impel us to more dilligently seek for their cause and cure. Those who have heretofore rested in the fancied security of prosperity or been too much engrossed in private or business interests now find themselves compelled in defense of self and others dear to them, to give these matters more serious consideration.

With the growth of knowledge the belief becomes more general that these evile are not so much due to the inherent depravity of human nature as to the opportunities, temptations and environments of life, and that they are organic in the prevailing customs of economic society.

The discontent of nearly all classes has become so great and widespread and the almost universal desire for something be ter than we now have, requires no veiled prophet to discover that a new dispensa tion must soon come. Old and superficial remedies have been tried and found wanting, and dark despair seems about to inaugurate a bloody revolution but it is to be devoutly hoped that the evolution of controling thought will adopt a wiser course. Indeed it seems now to be a race between revolution and evolution as to which shall first possess the field to the exclusion of the other. The shedding of man's blood by man belongs to the barbaric past and cannot rightly settle momentous questions. Let us these then reason together honestly and ca didly and touch hearts in finding a peaceable solution. If we would escape from the slough of despond and enjoy the era of "peace on earth and good will to men." we must help ourselves by helping each other, not by the way of occasional and desultory charity but by changing the earth from a battle field of selfish opposing individual interests to a peaceful environment by a union of the forces of schences invention and labor in the development of the natural resources for mutual henefit, and the permanent organization and maintenance in reality of a universal L. H. C. brotherhood.

THREE BIG OFFERS.

WE WILL GIVE YOU A BENEFIT. And Make a Great Out in the Price of

Subscriptions.

We have made arrangements whereby we can offer old and new subscribers a big cut in newspaper subscriptions. These offers are for new subscribers, but old ones may have the same benefit by paying up back subscription.

The MAIL for the balance of 1894 for only 25 cents

The MATL and twice-a-week Free Press for the balance of 1894 for only 50 cents. The MAIL and Michigan farmer for one year for only \$1.40.

At the above prices every one should have the MAIL. If you have a friend out of town send them a "letter from home" every week at less than the cost of postage, and save time and paper.

Remember it is only for a short time. Strike now, and save money. .

\$5.00 Petoskey and Return \$5.00 Annual 10 Day Excursion.

Following the custom of years standing, the Detroit, Lansing & Northern R. R. will run the annual low rate excursion to Northern Michigan resorts on Sept. 4th.

Train will leave Plymouth at 7:55 a.m. stopping at Grand Rapids for dinner, and Traverse City for supper, arriving at Petoskey at 9:00 p. m. Round trip \$5.00. These excursions afford an excellent op-portunity for many to visit the noted Michigan resorts, who per haps could not do so otherwise. A delighful trip may be enjoyed as the train will run via the popular C. & W. M. Ry. from Grand Rapids, well known as the "Scenic Line" of Michigan. Tickets will be good to re-turn within ten days, or all regular trains.

Baggage will be checked through to Petoskey or to princ pal stations north of Baldwin at which the train will stop. See hand bills, or consult agents for further information or write to GEO. DEHAVEN, G. P. A.

Grand Rapids.

CURE FOR HEADACHE.

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As a remedy for all forms of Headache, Electric Bittters has proved to be the very best. It effects a permanent cure and the most dreaded habitual sick headaches held to its influence. We urge all who are afflicted, to procure a bottle and give this remedy a fair trial. In and give this remedy a fair trial. In cases of habitual constipation, Elec-tric Bitters cures by giving the need-ed tone to the bowels, and few cases long resist the use of this medicine. Try it once. Large bottles only fifty cents at John L. Gale's drug store.



Kerosene Oil 9cts. Stove Gasoline 9cts. Pure Manilla Twine 9 1-2cts For Sale by

M. Conner & Son.

WOOD CISTERNS

We have not advertised wood cisterns for years. They seem to advertise themselves, for we have sold since our Mr. Markham first introduced them some 16 years ago,

OVER EIGHT THOUSAND !

and are still selling them. They are the best cistern that is made, and give complete satisfaction. Although lumber is nearly twice as high. the old price remains, i. e.

13 Barrel Cistern	6. 50
20 Barrel Cistern	8.00
30 Barrel Cistern	10.00

Windmill and Stock Tanks, Reservoirs, Iron Pumps, Gas Pipe and General Plumbing, Planing, Matching, Mouldings, Brackets. Band Sawing and General Job Work.



mphasizing his declarations. By historical reference excessive rain had been sent as a punishment for sin-it had also been often withheld for the same reason; it was promised on condition of repentance and obedience, and that we have many commands and examples to pray for rain.

The speaker believed that any drought however severe or protracted, might be broken by the people faithfully fulfilling the condition, repentance of forgetfulness and disobedience of God and earnest united petitions. The people therefore their choice, either to patiently wait the regular mins should fall, or by appeal to the definite power and Creator of all, to re-arrange and combine natural laws so as to bring about the desired recult. When mankind learn to constantly eknowledge their dependence upon God for every good gift, and will do their duty to him, then and not till then, will the vils and misfortunes under which they labor, be done away with.

Why Put Off

taking medicine until you are sick ? You can keep a pox of Ripans Tabules in the house and at the first signs of a headache na attack a single tabule will re-

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On account of the low price of Grain, we shall start a sale of grain bags

SATURDAY

At prices never known before. "Stark A" 18 cents "Amoskeag" "American" 15 cents 15 cents

These are new bags direct from the factory, and only a limited quantity will be sold at these prices

Cash for Grain of all Kinds.

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MICHIGAN MATTERS.

EX-DEPUTY SECRETARY OF STATE LINDHOLM ARRESTED.

Frank Proteous' Terrible Mistake-Peach Trees Affected by the Yellows-The State Fair at Detroit-Other State Hap-

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Lindho'm Arrestod.

Ex-Deputy Secretary of State August W. Lindholm, who fied the country late last March after embezzling \$2,000 of the funds of the state, was arrested at Gothenberg, Sweden, and held to await the action of Gov. Rich. This await the action of Gov. Rich. This information was conveyed to the gov-ernor in a telegram from Secretary of State Gresham, who had been advised by Minister Ferguson at Stockholm. The governor at once telegraphed Sec-retary Gresham that Lindholm was wanted here, and will have him extra-dited. Ever since Lindholm's depart-ure the authorities have been quietly searching for him, and through the postal officials learned that on July 5 a letter had been mailed by Lindholm at Kell of Holstein to his wife in Lanat Keil of Holstein to his wife in Lan-sing. Deputy Sheriff Wright and Chief of Police Sanford immediately sent circulars, offering a reward of \$100 in gold for information leading to his apprehension. The telegram is the first heard from them. Prosecuting first Attorney Gardner said that Lindholm will be promptly prosecuted on the embezzlement charge, and also that he undoubtedly knows all about the sal-aries amendment frauds, and that his testimony in the pending cases is of great importance.

State Fair at Detroit.

There promises to be an unusually large display of farm implements and vehicles at the state fair, which opens on the Detroit Exposition grounds September 10, and continues until September 21. W. P. Custard, of Men-September 21. W. P. Custard, of Men-don, is superintendent of farm imple-ments, and H: R. Dewey, of Lansing, has charge of the department of vehicles. The fair will not be open evenings, the hours being from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m. The admission will be placed at 50 cents, a project to make it 25 cepts having been discarded as not feasible. There may be one or two 25 cents having been discarded as not feasible. There may be one or two special 25-cent days, however. No ad-ditional charge will be made for any exhibit inside the grounds. The horse and bicycle races are exciting much in-terest. Six days will be given up to the trotters, pacers and running horses —September 12, 13, 14, 17, 18 and 19. There are 26 premiums offered in the children's department, for hand and machine sewing, patching, darning, embroidery, crochet and knit work, doll's wardrobe, painting on various materials, paper flowers, collections of postage stamps, scroll sawing, wood carving, drawing, samples of canned goods, etc. goods, etc.

Terrible Mistake.

Frank Proteous shot and instantly killed his wife. The tragedy occurred in Portage township, seven miles south of Kalamazoo. During the night rain commenced falling and Mrs. Proteous awoke and went to close an open win-dow. In the meantime her husband aroused and saw his wife coming through the open door leading to the bedroom. He had not missed her from bed; and mistook her for a burglar. Reaching for his revolver, which was bed, and mistook her for a ourgiar. Reaching for his revolver, which was near at hand, he fired. The shot was fatal, the ball passing through Mrs. Protoons body near the heart. She exclaimed: "Frank, you have shot me," and sank to the floor. The hus-band is prostrated with grief.

A Deserted Camp.

The closing of Camp Rich after one of the most successful encampments ever held, furnished many scenes as unique and interesting as any during the five days' outing. While officers the five days outing. While officers were hurrying about each other's head-quarters to say good-bye, the men took advantage of the relaxed discipline to Henry C. Dummer, of Company B, Fifth regiment, against whom charges were preferred by Col. Frank B. Lyon, handed his resignation to Gen. Owen. Col. Lyon appointed Lieut. Fred M. Hodskin to take command of the company on the return trip to Manistee.

SPALDING NOMINATED. The Nomination was Made Unanimon After a Sharp Contest.

It took 51 ballots to nominate Gen-eral George Spalding, of Monroe, for Congress in the Second district Repub-Congress in the Second district Repub-lican convention at Adrian, but when the time came every one of the 94 votes in the convention was registered for the galant veteran from Monroe. It was one of the most stubborn contests drer waged in the state and Mon-roe's 14 and Wayne's 11 stood solidly for the general from the first to the fifty-first ballot.

Attempted Train Robbery.

An attempt was made to hold up train No. 3 on the Cincinnati, Saginaw Mackinaw railroad, operated by the Grand Trank, at a small station called Verne near Siginaw, but the prompt action of the officials frustrated the plan

Mrs. Curwood, of Owosso, Assaulted. Mrs. James M. Curwood, one of the best known ladies of Owosso, was criminally assaulted at her home on the most fationable street of the town

MINOR MICHIGAN NEWS

A lodge of the L. O. T. M. has just been organized at Lum.

Sparks from a thrashing engine set fire to Frank Carpenter's barn at Lum, burning it and a stack of hay.

One of the largest rafts ever taken into Bay City arrived there one day last week. It contained nearly 5,000,000 feet

W. S. Kinsley, of Holland, made ap-plication at Washington to be ap-pointed inspector of boilers at Grand Haven.

Bay City is enforcing the stone side-walk ordinance and refuses to give anyone permission to lay wooden side-walks inside the stone district.

The second district Republican legislative convention of Lenawee county is called at Blissfield, September S, with four candidates in the field.

Union City Baptists believe that the heated term is a good time for revival meetings. They have just closed a two-weeks series and made 30 conversions.

H. M. Miller and wife, of Imlay City, were thrown out of the buggy by the horse running away. Mrs. Miller es-caped serious injuiry but Mr. Miller had his arm broken and wrist sprained.

Union City's common council will call a special election to vote on the question of bonding the village for \$25,000 to purchase a system of public water works and an electric lighting plant.

Rev. W. A. Hunsberger, presiding elder of the Coldwater M. E. district, has received a call to the pastorate of St. Paul's Methodist church. Toledo, at a salary of \$3,000. He is liable to accept.

The thrashing of wheat is in pro-gress around Hamburg. The yield is reported as good and the berry full and of a fine quality. Oats are a light crop and the yield of potatoes will be only fair.

The Populists of the first legislative district of Calhoun county met in Mar-shall and nominated Edwin D. Bilinghurst, of Clarence township, a well-known farmer, as their candidate for the legislature.

For the first time within the memory of the "oldest inhabitant" there was of the "ondest infinitiant there was no religious services in the churchly town of Union (ity Sunday, August 19. The pastors were all on vacation or attending camp meeting

A Chicago electrical firm estimate that it will cost \$100,000 to build the of 13 miles, and a movement is on foot to interest capital in the project.

The continued dry weather in St. Joseph county is fast absorbing all the crops. Late planted corn and potatoes are entirely used up and past-ures are fast getting slim. Farmers are plowing, but owing to the drought it is hard work.

James Hawkins. a married man four miles south of Jasper. residing residing four miles south of Jasper. felt that there was no longer anything worth living for. so he went out into the woodshed and hung himself. His wife discovered the suspension and out the rope just in time. The funeral services of the late Emery J. Eastwood, of Davison, who suicided by hanging himself in his barn, were held in the F. W. B. church. The Masonic and Odd Fellow fraterni ties, of which he was a member, formed a part of the procession and assisted in the last rites.

A Horton firm threshed 1,355 bushels of wheat in 10 hours. The Agricultural college will make a stock exhibit at the state fair.

Senator Stockbridge's fine horses will be auctioned off near Kalamazoo.

An Imlay City man says the black bear is rapidly becoming extinct in Michigan.

There hasn't been a death in the state public school at Coldwater for two years.

Kalamazoo Populists adopted resolutions saying the world is on the verge of a great revolution.

Cheboygan young ladies have adopted the shirt-waist as a swell costume, in-steal of the conventional "full dress."

White ants, a European pest. very rare in this country, have been dis-covered in a Grand Rapids grape arbor.

The general freight offices of the Michigan division of the Big Four have been moved from Anderson, Ind., to Benton Harbor.

Ingham county Populists hominated a county ticket and refused to adopt a resolution preventing other parties from indorsing their candidates.

A Cassopolis man has an apple tree three feet in circumference, bearing four kinds of apples. A gooseberry bush grows from the center of the tree

Saginaw ladies have at last raised enough money to build a refuge for fallen women. Mrs. Ballington Booth will inaugurate the newly-purchased house

Anti-referee Democrats at Port Huron rejected a proposition from the custom house growd to hold a joint convention and adjust factional difterences,

Ira .Le Valley, near Ionia, lost \$300 and suspected the hired girl. He gave her a day to return the property. When he arrived home he found money mys-teriously restored.

Rev. Mr. Jackson. of Fairfield. was watching a ball game, when a hot liner smashed his spectacles and banged his eye shut. He li recover, but is busy making explanations.

A Standish man captured two apple thieves in his orchard. At the end of a loaded musket he drove them into his house, where he filled their pockets with fruit and bid them godspeed.

The cornerstone of the new St. Vincent orphan ast lum at Saginaw was laid, Bishop Richter officiating. The building will cost \$28,000, and will re-place that burned during the great Saginaw fire.

The Bottsford paper mill at Kala-mazoo dumped chloride of lime into the river. Soon after at least a ton of dead fish were gathered on the banks. The company has been ordered to dump its refuse elsewhere.

Shiavassee county will probably have two Populist county tickets, C. W. Sager called a convention which made nominations last Saturday. Frank Savage has called another for next Saturday, claiming that he, and not Sager. is county chairman.

A band of gipsies camped by the side of George W_2 Betterly's farm, near Battle Creek. Betterly's protested against their depredations, whereupon they assaulted Betterley and his son Walter with clubs, stones and set their bull dog on them. Young Betterly was struck in the head and breast and badly burt. badly hurt.

The will of Mrs. Julia Butler, Ham The will of Mrs. Julia Butler, Ham-burg's pioneer who ended her career by poisoning hreself, has been setaside on the ground that she was insane. She bequeathed a good deal of her property to a former hired man. Harry Whitlock, who strangely enough, was one of her victums. Whitlock is para-lyzed from the poison she gave him.

The Gladstone company, capitalized at \$5,000,000, held by Chicago, Boston and Minneapolis people. has bought about two-thirds of all the property in the city of Gladstone. It controls all the water front, four miles and a half, except that utilized by the Soo termi-nals. It owns most of the wharves. Free sites will be offered and every-thing will be rdone to bring factories and other business.

The lakes in the vicinity of Springort afford the very best fishing, and angler's tales of big catches are in-numerable, but the following rather takes the ribbon so far this year: Charles Walker and Thomas Dicken-Charles Walker and Thomas Dicken-son say that, while skipping with a frog, a pickerel made a spring at the bait with such velocity and force that he (the pickerel) jumped clear over Walker's here and landed in the lake Valuer's here and randon in the base 10 fget the other side of the boat. Dickenson wits so excited over this that he jumped into the lake, grabbed the fish and run him to the shore. The fish weighed about 80 pounds and was over four feet long.

END OF 53d CONGRESS. TARIFF FATE THE ONLY THING THAT HOLDS 'EM.

Repeal of Internal Revenue Tax on Alco.

hol Used in the Arts-The Session About Ended-Luttle Business of Im-

portance to be Transicted.

SENATE.-204th day-The only business of general interest disposed of by the Senate was SENATE.-Dubth day-The only business of general interest disposed of by the Senate was the conference reports on the general den-clency appropriation bill and the sundry civil bill, both of which were agreed to. The re-mainder of the session was devoted to the dis-cussion of the free sugar bill. MutXe-Chair-man Parson, of the committee on enrolled bills, reported that the tariff bill had been duiy en-rolled. A brief, formal note from Mr. Hreck-inridge of Arkanass, recently appointed min-ister to Russia, announcing the resignation of his commission size representative, was read. Considerable interest was excited by the read-ing of a resolution by Mr. Black, of Ilinois, reporting the detention of gold in the treasury and instructing the coinage committee to re-port a bill privileged for the proper "use and avail" of the silver in the treasury and instruc-ing the rules committee to report a rule for its, prompt considerable. It was followed by a resolution from Mf. Taibot (Dem. S. C. For the free colinage of silver, which was referred to the same committee on motion of Repre-sentative Tray i Dem. N Y. The conference report a the general decision of bar of the spec-re in the Court of Claims, among them the decree in favor of the Southern Pacific Rail-road Co. The report was agreed to, which the reservation of the one item, of the Southern Pacific ciam.

reservation of the one item, of the Southern Pacific claim. SENATE-205th day.-The contest over the sugar bill was resumed. Mr. Hill received unanimous consent for the consideration of his bill to provide for the exclusion and deporta-tion of allen anarchists. It was passed without division. Dr. Doiph (Rep., Ore., gave notice of an amendment he should offer to the free sugar bill to restore the McKinley duties on wool. Mr. Kyle((pp. N. D.) called up his resolution to prohibit the sale of intoxicuting liquors in the Senare wing of the capitol dur-ing the recess. The resolution went to the committee on rules. The view-president laid before the Senare the house bill to place sugar-raw and/refined on the free list. Mr. Aldrich gave notice of hi amendment he would offer to the bill to repeat the tariff now in the bandsof the President. Mr. Manderson cave notice of an amendment to continue in force until 1905 the bounty provision of the McKinley law. Then the unexpected happened. Without a word of debate the vote was taken on the mo-tion to refer the bill to the committee on huace. The motion was carried 32 to 18. In quick succession the other three bills were also sent to the committee ons hill, 37 to 17. The free barbed wire bill was referred without division. The ways and means committee met bill. One of these, to restore alcohol used in subsequently paised by the House. Another was proposed by Representive Turnsney making lead ore containing a preponderance of silver the earl amendments to the tariff bill. One of these, to restore alcohol used in subsequently paised by the House. Another was proposed by Representive Turnsney making lead ore containing a preponderance of silver the earled bill for the exclu-sion and depotation of allen manrehists, which had just heen received from the Senare colled the House to order. The deficiency ap-propriation bill was reterred with was near-to not the rease by Mr. Saves, and wrate-reor of the Place by Mr. Saves, announc-ing an agreement on the Southerin Pacific claim SENATE-205th; day .- The contest over the

SENATE.-300th lay.-A lively time occurred over the attempt of the Democratic majority to fill the vacancy on the finance committee necessary to act on the free coal iron ore, barbed wire and sour bills. Mr. Harris (Dem. Tenn., moved that the senator from Californic att White he appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the Cash of Souther Vince, of North Carolina. Mr.A handler (kpp. N. Hu-jumped to his free and interposed appoint the relation of the legislation which the Hill offer. This precipitated a lively till between fur-and Mr. Chandler. Then Mr. Hill (Mem. N. Y-got the floor and plusated immediately into a criticism of the jegislation which the Hills of the vacancy was designed to expedite. So far the free list were concerned, he had voted, he said, for them when they were legitimately before the Senate and he was not trying to see floon his record now. Mr. Harris then put his motion in the form of a resolution which limity went over under the rules. SENATE.-206th Jay.-A lively time occurred

SENATE.-207th day.-When Senator Harris' resolution for appointment of Senator White-of California, to the vacancy on the finance committee was laid before the Senator White-Manderson said there would be no objection to the resolution, and explained that the opposi-tion of the previous day contained no reflection on Senator White. Senator Hill concurred with Senator Manderson. The resolution was then adopted without division. The Murphy resolution declaring against further tariff legislation what over at the request of Senator Gorman. The resolution of Senator Gray in-structing the finance committee to report back the free sugar bill with an amendment to strike out he one cent differential on refined sugar miltée to report an amendment providing for the sugar bounty of existing law. Senator Gray demanded a division of the question. Some debate occurred on the parliamentary situation. The Murphy resolution was adopted. SENATE .- 207th day.-When Senator Harris

while the sergeant-at-arms was sent in search of an actual quorum. The Senate was is short of a voting quorum, thus showing that Uon-gress is slowly disintegrating. The four supgreas is slowly disintegrating. The four sup-plemental tariff bills were all reported from the finance committee and sent to the calen-dar. Several bills were passed. At 1:40 pm the Senteindjourned, after an excentive ses-sion lasting 20 minutes. HOTKE-Less than 50 members were present when the House met at 13 o clock. There were the usual indications that Congress was on the eve of adjournment. Members were crowding in the area in front of the Speaker's desk with requests for unani-mous consent for the passage of bills of local interest to them. At 12:45 the House ad-journed interest journed.

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A bloody battle has been fought at A blocky battle has been long at a blocky battle has been long at a battle has been long at a battle has been long at a battle has been long at the battle has been battle has battle has been are determined to capture the arms and provisions and bait the army by a clever bit of intrigue. They gave and provisions and balt the army by a clever bit of intrigue. They gave-out that they were going to march back to Asan, and in fact they did parade for a considerable distance in that direction, but no sooner were they convinced of the success of their scheme in making the Chinese believe they had left the settlement than they marched with a rush straight up to the fortifications, attacking them in a body. They made a clean sweep of everything in the course of five hours' fighting. About 1,000 Chinese were killed in the engagement and 70 Jap-anese. The Chinese descrete many of the foreign officers, and when given orders to resist the advance of the enemy turned and fell upon their swords, preferring to commit suicide rather than be mardered by the Jap-anese. The Japanese officers and men furght like tigges anese. The Japan fought like tigers. The Japanese officers and men

Cost Uncle Sam \$300,000,

United States Marshal Arnold, of Illinois, who was a conspicuous figure Illinois, who was a conspicuous figure during the late strike: has gone to Washington to settle his strike ac-counts with the department of justice. The accounts, which aggregate about 3300,000, will be liquidated as soon as the formalities have heen complied with. As to the strikers Mr. Arnold said that a very large proportion of them had been taken back by the rail-roads. Workmen who took no active part in the hostile demonstrations against the railroads hud found little against the railroads had found little difficulty in regaining their old places, but the leaders and those who had a hand in the destruction of property had not been taken back and never would be.

ALL THE GREAT SURVIVORS

To be Present at the G. A. R. Encame ment at Pittsburg.

Practically all of the great survivors of the Union forces will attend the approaching 28th national encamp-ment at Pittsburg. September 10 to 15, Among them⁹ will be Gen. Benjamin Harrison, Gov. McKinley, Gen, Horace Porter, Gen. Daniel Butterfield, Gen. Porter, Gen. Daniel Butterfield, Gen. D. McM. Gregg, Gen. Lucius Fairchild, Gen. George S. Merrill, Gen. Daniel F. Sickles, Gen. Louis Wagner, past com-mander-in-chief Robert B. Beath, Paul Van der Voort, John S. Rountz, John Palmer, A. W. Weissert, Wheeloek G. Veazey, Wm. Warner, Russell A. Alger and S. S. Burdett, with many others of national renown.

Gigantic Frauds at Memphis, Tenn.

The Memphis. Tenn., grand jury has unearthed frauds of gigantic propor-tions. Through the griminal careless-ness and neglect of the county officials ness and neglect of the county officials the state and county have been de-frauded out of nearly \$2,000.000 in revenue during the past eight years. The grand jury began an investigation a few days ago, and discovered that nearly 600 saloons and several other firms, embracing almost every branch of business, had not paid a cent in taxes and privileges, licenses, in eight years. The jury make a partial report years. The jury made a partial report of its work to the criminal court. and as a result 336 indictments have been returned against the delinquents.

CONDEMNED THE WAR.

10.000 Persons Attended the Peace Con-vention in Connecticut.

vention in Counsetleat. The peace union convention held at Mystic, Conn. Wers attended by fully 10,000 people and overflow meetings were the largest in the history of the union. Ten delegates were sent to the international peace congress at Ant-werp. Belgium. Resolutions were adopted condemning the Chinese war; boys' brigades and lynchings, and con-gratulating the United States govern-ment on its stand for arbitration and petitioning that the war department be changed to the peace department.

Santo is Executed.

Anarchist Santo, the assassin of President Carnot, of France, was guil-lotined at Lyons in front of the prison. He trembled as he was led from the prison and had to be assisted to the scaffold. His face was deadly pale.

SENATE.-208th day-For 15 or 20 minutes the business of the Senate was suspended

drawn

Peach Trees Affected by Yellows

Peach Yellows Commissioner Albert Southworth makes public an an-nouncement that has more serious re-sults wrapped up in the non-acceptance of its importance than any sismonths' drought that might overtake this entire peach belt. He has marked 67 neach trees in one orchard to be cut down and burned at once. as they are badly affected by the yellows. Every, fruit grower knows from sad experi-ence of 15 years ago that unless this terrible fruit scourge is dealt with as vigorously as though it were smallpox their entire orchards in two years will be dead, and none but sickly fruit will be yielded in the meantime.

Michigan pensions granted: Original -Addes G. Elliott, Perrinton; John Keavey, Detroit. Additional-Rogers Lawton, Brooklyn; Charles A. Saco. Vanderbilt; George Stone, Battle Creek. Restoration and supplemental --Charles H. Coyer (deceased), Flush-ing. Increased-Tutely T. Parmater, ing. Dowagiac: James Rampre, Muskegon: William R. Cox, Devereaux. Reissue-Sherman D. Phess, East Saginaw; William R. Cox, Devereaux. Reissue-Sherman D. Phess, East Saginaw: Pleaser B. Edward, Sherwood; Villiam H. Curtis, Detroit; Robert Nixson, Grand Rapids, William M. Oliver, Douglas; Eli Hontz, Howardsville. Original, widows, etc-Maria Bown, Port Huron; minor of George F. Mc-Crossen, Clyde; Laura Highwood, De-troit. troit

A state paper reports that the only case it ever heard of where advertising didn't pay was where a burglar over-looked a large sum of money in a house that he had robbed and the papers of the next day announced that fact. The robber read the item and went back and secured the money as well as some other stuff.

A tramp went into the office of Dr Stepenson, of Adrian, and stole a new gold-handled parasol from a lady who was in the consultation room. Officers were notified and overhauled him just as he had sold the shade for 75 cents. He declared he had to steal or starve. and tearfully protested any intent to do anything criminal. He was jailed.

John Graff, aged 21 years, of Detroit, committed suicide by shooting himself in the right temple with a 33-calibre revolver. The only reason assigned for the act is that he was about to go on the road with Prof. Louis Lonnborg the road with Fron. Louis Louis Louis dis-suaded from the undertaking by the professor, who told him his voice was too weak

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS.

Lord Randolph Churchill denies the story that he is a victim of morphine, and says that the report was maliciously circulated through spite.

The E. T. Harris company, architec-tual iron works at Chicago, has as-signed. The assets are worth about \$70,000, about \$40,000 of which are available. The liabilities are about 860.000.

The one bundredth anniversary of the birth of William Cullen Bryant was celebrated in Cummington, Mass., his native place. The exercises took place in the grove just beyond the

For Destroying Japanese

A dispatch from Shanghai via Lon-don says: The government of Formosa has published a schedule of rewards for Chinese who capture or destroy Japanese soldiers or sailors. The sol-diers or sailors may be taken dead or live. The government offers 61000 alive. The government offers 6,000taels, or almost $\pm 2,000$, for the de-struction of a big Japanese warship. For the destruction or capture of a small warship. For the destruction or capture of a small warship he promises 4,000 taels, or about $\pounds 1,200$. Two hundred taels will be baid for the head of a Japanese officer and 100 for the head of a Japanese private.

Sons of Veterans Encampment.

The Rock Island and Lake Shore Railroad companies have commended in Chief Joseph B. McCabe, of Boston, the elevation of their tracks at Chi-cago-a work that is calculated to oc-cupy four years, cost \$1,500,000 and save thousands of human lives.

As he was being fastened down he cried "Vive l'Anarchie."

Washington Bid of Them.

The last remnant of the several com-monweal armies which have been camped about Washington was send out of town. There were 35 men, and though their homes are in Connecticut and Massachusetts transportation was furnished only to New York City.

Bluefields is Retaken

The British warship Mohawk ar-rived at London with Prince Clarence and 112 refugees aboard, and reports that Bluefields has been retaken by 2,000 Nicaraguan troops.

\$150,000 Firs in Cleveland.

The United Salt company's works, No. 1, was destroyed by fire. Loss, \$150,000; insurance, \$120,000. The seven wooden buildings, which were burned, will be rebuilt within 30 days.

Chinese Fleet Driven Off.

News has been received of a battle which took place on the 11th instant between the Japanese and Chinese fleets. The Chinese were driven off.

The Peruvian government trooms at Lunahuana, in the province of Ca-

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AROUND THE CAMPFIRE

STORIES AND ANECDOTES TOLD BY OLD SOLDIERS.

Hold Up the Flag-A Trumpeter Tells the Story of the Fight at Wounded -Knee-In a Northern Prison-Billiards on Board the Ironside.

A Field of Blood.

Trumpeter Connolly, of the Seventh cavalry, was with that famous regiment at the battle of Wounded Knee, says the New York Journal. He was attached to C and D troops, which were on the hill overlooking the ravine during the early part of the fight, but he got into the thick of it soon enough to get a taste of the trouble-"a little bit of the fun," as be puts it.

This is the account of the battle as he saw it. He told the story while he was sitting on a red-blanketed cot in his tent, a cutty pipe between his teeth, and one heavily booted leg

crossed over the other. "C and D troops were stationed well up on the hill," said Connolly, closing his eyes to recall the dramatic scenes of that memorable day. "We were resting there quietly, awaiting de-velopments. Though everything was dull in our direction just then we knew gehenna might break loose at any moment, and we knew that when the fighting did begin there would be no child's play about it. Nevertheless, the men took the situation very easily, laughing and cracking jokes as if they were waiting to ride out on dress parade.

a sudden we heard several shots "Of from the valley beyond, where A and K troops were waiting.

"What's that?' asked the captain of me. I was just behind him of course.

ball, sir,' said I. 'A and K leading the german.'

"A moment later, at the captain's order, I sounded. 'To the rear march.' We retired about a hundred vards, dismounted and advanced on a skirmish line.

'Pop! pop! pop! went the carbines of A. and K, away over to the left. We went forward on a dog trot, still laughing and joking quietly. When we passed over the brow of the hill we lay down in open order and waited for the redskins.

Pretty soon they came along. We had expected to fire upon them at sight, but we didn't. Mixed up with the braves"-here Trumpeter Connolly's scorn was unmistakable-"were so many squaws and pappooses that it would have been impossible to shoot without killing some of the latter. So we were obliged to let the Indians pass without firing a shot.

"A little later, however, word came that about fifty of the warriors were lurking in a ravine half a mile to the front.

Charge!"

"My trumpet gave the call that was heard clear across the continent We sprang forward, each man gripping his carbine and running like a deer.

"We found just about fifty Indians in the ravine. They were all young bucks and fighting mad. Those fel-lows fought like fiends, but they were no match for our gallant fellows. C and D cut them down right and left, and inside of an hour we had killed twelve and taken twenty-seven pris-emers of the fifty. The eleven others cocaped.

The 175th Ohlo.

This regiment was organized at Camp Dennison, Ohio, from men re-cruited in the Sixth district, during the month of October, 1864. to serve one year. On June 27, 1865, it was mustered out in accordance with orders from the war department. During the early part of its service it was stationed near Columbus, guarding the railroads. A small squad of the regiment was captured by Hood. At the battle of Franklin, while in the Third brigade. Third division, Twenty-third corps, the regiment was hotly In December it was and missing. again stationed at Columbus In battle it lost one officer and fifteen men: two officers and 106 men: total loss, 124.

we went into camp on the bluffs. My HOME DEPARTMENT. idea is that Stanton and the president Sgured if we went to the front the confederacy would suddenly collapse,

and the older men in the service

would be jealous of our glory; so they

ordered us back to Cairo and let the

122d Illinois go to the front. I have

learned since that some of them went as far front as Andersonville, and the

fact quite overcame the disappoint-

ment that we were not permitted

One night in July I was on duty in

side the prison, where we were guard-

ing over 1,000 Confederates. I was

talking with an old man. white headed

and feeble, and his next comrade was

a boy about 14, verifying General

Grant's remark that "they robbed

the doors open, so you could get out?

He replied: "For Gol's sake, keep us here as long as you can." Astonished, I asked why. He made

reply: "We never fared as well as this in

I guess he was correct. for we gave

them good shelter, good food and

drink, blankets, reading matter, liberty of action, with but one re-

striction that I ever heard, and I was

on duty at prison several times, and

evidence in the question of the treat-

ment of prisoners. I did not know it

very time my father's only brother

two mates, as the widows were able

this small request, and uncle is one of

the great army of "unknown."-C. A. Howe, Wyanet, Ill., in the National

Customer for Grant's Biography.

he displayed, as usual, none of the insignia of his military rank.

all about?" The boy, giving him a

most incredulous grimade of indigna-

tion and disgust, replied, "You must be a darned greeny not to know General Grant!" After this volley

General Grant!" After this volley the lieutenant-general of course sur-rendered, and bought his biography.

to go.

our army.

Tribune.

top of the fence.

GEMS OF KNOWLEDGE FOR THE HOUSEWIFE.

Useful Information About Managing the Keuschold-Recipes and Instructions for Use in the Kinchen-The Family Circle

Home of Ubolera.

INDIA, the ancient home of cholera, hence the pestilence usually spreads to Russia and onward to western Europe, is now the scene of experiments of great interest and importance which are being conducted by Dr. Simpson, the health officer for Cal-cutta, and M. Hankine, one of M. the cradle and the grave," and, boy like (I was but 17), I asked him, "Wouldn't you like to have us leave Pasteur's assistants. The point which they are seeking to establish is the efficacy against attacks of cholera of a protective vaccine which M. Haff-kine has introduced. By way of a test, 116 out of the 200 inhabitants of a group of native huts were inoculated. When cholers broke out shortly afterward, ten persons were attacked, of whom seven died; all the cases, however, were among the minority who had not been fortified by the vaccine. had not been forthed by the vaccine. This result may have been merely a coincidence, but it is remarkable enough to justify the continuance of the experiments for a time long enough to give the rem-edy a fair trial. The discov-ery of a prophylactic against cholera would be one of the most re-markable medical achievement of the that was not to lay their hands on I have thought of those words thousands of times, and am impressed that I ought to send them to you as markable medical achievements of the century. In India, where the cowardthen, but learned in 1865 that at that ice of the Hindoo renders him an easy prey to the disease, and where the sanitary conditions of native life are lay starving and sweltering at Ander-sonville until death relieved him. He still far below the European standard, was the second man to die out of three from Rutland, Mass. When my uncle died the third man asked permission many valuable lives might be saved by a cheap and simple precaution. To Europe the consequences would be to go out and mark the graves of his still more desirable. The disease, checked in its place of origin, would and would desire to have the remains brought home; but he was denied discontinue its almost annual visits; for, though the state of some European ports is calculated to develop cholera when it is once brought to them, there are probably few recent cases of its breaking out spontaneously in Europe.

Rather an amusing incident con-cerning General Grant is recalled as How to Keep Bread. Don't shut bread in airtight boxes having occurred while he was on a journey in a railread train, and where to keep it moist. Such barbarous treatment of bread may be efficacious in keeping it moist, but bread from youthful book peddler traversed the cars. crying, "Life of General Grant." A mischief-loving aid peinted the which fresh air is excluded always has a disagreeable, clayey flavor and is unpalatable to people of cultured tastes, youngster to the general's seat, sug-gesting to him that "that man might who appreciate the nutty sweetness prominent characteristic of that is like a copy." General Grant turned all good bread over the pages of the book, and casually asked, "Who is he this is

The foolish notion of keeping bread moist has its origin in bad cookery. Most of the stuff made by bakers has to be eaten fresh and moist or not eaten at all. It is so light and woolly that if exposed to the air a few hours it grows dry and husky and is almost as unsavory and innutritious as chips.

A large proportion of homemade bread is similar in character and is affected in a similar manner by exposure to the air. But properly made bread-such bread as ought to be in every intelligent home and on every Christian table three times a daygrows sweeter by exposure to the air and is not at its best until two or three days old. Bread should be kept in a well covered box or jar, but it should not be wrapped in cloths, and the box or jar in which it is kept should have small holes in the top or sides, through which the fresh air can have access. As soon as loaves of bread are taken from the oven they should be exposed freely to pure air, and at no time after it should they be excluded from it. Make good bread, put it in a well ventilated box after it is perfectly cool, and it will keep suf-ficiently moist at least a week.

Coxey Armies.

PRESSURE of an unforeseen and unde-sired sort is being brought to bear upon members of congress by the various industrial armies encamped about Washington, says a report from Washington. The novelty of the presence of these unique organizations has departed and consequently local donations of provisions have fallen off until the men are in a pittable plight want of food. Every day the lobbies are besieged by deserters from Generais and Admirals Coney, Fitzgerald. Galvin and Fry, who are wearied of husks and anxious to return home Naturally they came to the congressmen from their states for assistance. In some cases members have yielded to their charitable impulses and furnished funds for the p rpose

offered for sale, thousands and being disposed of every year in Tokio alone. Amateurs, too, devote a good deal of attention to the cultivation of these plants and pay large prices for certain fashionable forms with peculiarly marked or abnormally formed flowers, in which the Japanese delight. although to less carefully educated eyes they may appear simple abominations. The city of Osaka is said to contain the best private collections. We have seen a Japanese book in which hundreds of named varieties are described and illustrated by colored drawings. At Iriya, in Shitaya, a suburb of Tokio, every summer the gardeners make a display of morning glories, which they use as they do chrysanthemums in the autumn in decorating with growing plants life size human figures placed on revolving stages. Every morning thousands of persons visit this exhibi-tion, which is perhaps the most curious midsummer spectacle that can be seen in the capital.

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Sweet and Sour Cream.

From a bulletin of the lowa experiment station we take this summary of results in butter making, under varying conditions, between Jan. 18 and April 8:

Each batch of cream was divided into equal portions. One-ha'f was ripened and churned at 58 to 60 degrees; the other half was churned sweet at a temperature of 50 to 54 degrees. If the latter temperature had been even lower, it might have been better.

The yield of butter from sour cream was usually larger than from sweet. In nine trials it averaged 3 per cent larger.

Sour cream usually churned quicker than sweet. The butter from sour cream usually contained less fat and more water than did that from sweet cream. In four trials the average difference in fat was nearly 2 per cent. The butter from sour cream usually contained a trille more cascin than did that from sweet. This was the case in eight of the nine trials made. The average difference was two-tenths of l per cent

The losses of fat in churning, -washing and working were less with sour cream than with sweet cream. In nine trials the average difference was nearly one-balf pound of fat per 100 pounds of butter made.

Five or 10 minutes spentevery morning during winter in rubbing the body briskly with a tlesh brush or piece of flannel over the hand will do much to keep the skin active and prevent colds.

LABOR IS LIFE -The late Sir Andrew Clark, Mr. Gladstone's physician, made use of the three following aphorisms during a conversation with Miss Frances Willard: "Labor is the life of "Ease is the way to disease. life." "The highest life of an organ lies in the fullest discharge of its functions" There is a feast of food for reflection in these three sentences.

CHOCOLATE PUDDING. -After a mint of milk has come to a boil add one large tablespoonful of corn starch, two of chocolate grated and a half a tea-cup of sugar. Boil until it thickens and turn into molds: set on ice. Serve with cream and sugar flavored to taste,

SPANISH PUDDINE .- Put two ounces of butter and a little salt in a pint of water, and when it comes to a boil add as much flour as will make it to the consistency of hasty pudding. Keep it stirred. After it has been taken from the fire and has become cold, beat it up with three eggs and a little grated lemon peel and nutmeg. Drop the batter with a spoon into the frying pan with boiling lard and fry quickly. Sğrinkle with sugar before sending to table.

MILK IN THE CELLAR -- When it is desired to use a cellar or basement room for the keeping of milk it should be thoroughly cleansed of all other farm products. the floor disinfected with lime or land plaster, the walls and ceilings thoroughly covered with strong wh tewash. ventil tion provided, and then a suitable room should be built above ground and the cellar devoted to strong fruits and vegetables We never saw an under ground room which was fit for a human being, a horse or a cow to live in, and so not fit to keep milk in.-Ex. CARE OF INDIA RUBBERS --- In these days, when india rubber shoes are so often made of shoddy material, it is especially necessary to take good care of them. It is a great mistake to wash an india rubber to free it from mud. Soap always injures them, and even water applications are of no clear special advantage. The best way is to allow the overshoes to become thoroughly dry. Then brush then from all dust and mud, and rub Then brush them free them thoroughly with vaseline. This not only cleans them, but leaves an oil surface, which makes the overshoe more impervious to water. There is an india rubber cement which is at times quite effective in mending small rents in overshees, though it does not last a great while. In buying overshoes it is always best to buy of the freshest stock you can secure, and to buy them of a trustworthy dealer who will not deal in inferior goods -Exchange.

In Hot Weather

Something is needed to keep up the appetite, assist digestion and give good, healthful sleep. For these purposes Hood's Sarsaparilla is peca-

lood's sarsamm parilla liarly adapted. As a blood purifier it has no equal, and it is chiefly by ures m its power to make pure blood that it has won such fame as a cure for scrofula, salt rheum and other similar diseases.

Hood's Pills cure headache and indigestion.

The more you love yourself the less you will be loved by others.

Fatal neglect is little short of sui-cide. The consequences of a neglected cough are too well known to need re-peating. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Survey a cough promptly. Sold peating. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures a cough promptly. Sold by all dealers on a guarantee of satis-Sold faction.

Many think aright, but few execute their

Money in Winter Wheat-100 Bushels That's the way farmers who sowed Salzer's new World's Fair wheat report. It yielded all the way from 40 to 70 bushels per acre, and a good many are so enthusiastic over this wheat that they claim 100 bushels can be grown per acro. The mons-ster winter ryc yields 70 bushels per acre, which pays tremendous profits. The John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., send their fall catalogue and samples of wheat and rye for 4 cents postage. w

Spiders have been known to spin nearly two miles of thread in 27 days. It always helps the devil for a Christian to doubt the promises of God.

The greatest geysers in the world are in the Yellowstone National Park.

STRUCK DOWN.

Like an Overwhelming Force-Constant Pain and Suffering-The Struggle Short and the Victor Small but Mighty-The Son of a Veteran

Teils a Wonderful Story.

I am the son of a Britigh army officer, who at the time of my birth was stationed at the old historic town of Niagara, the scene of many a conflict. I learned the trade of shoemaking, followed it as my business until the confine-ment and the continual sitting posture of my occupation began to tell on me: this was fully 20 years ago, and my history from that time until about 1886 was one of constant pain and misery. At first the pain, which was slight, would take me over the region of the bladder, feeling almost like something gnawing or eat-ing. As it became worse it would pass up the spine to the hidneys, causing intense suffering. so much so that I have often fallen to the ground in agony of pain, as helpless as if I had been struck down by an overwhelming force, and would have to be carried into the house. I would be confined to my bed for weeks at a time, perfectly helpless as a child. I could not urinate without the use of a catheter: this condition of things continued for years. I was never well, and was compelled to abandon my trade altogether. I doctored with all the local physicians, tried electric belts and electric shocks, and even went to a specialist in the city of Detroit, without receiving any material relief. I despaired of ever getting well, and death would have indeed been a happy deliverance. I tried all the patent medicines that I had ever heard recommended for this com-plaint, without benefit Happening to see an advertisement of Doan's Kidney Pills I concluded to send and get a box. although I had little faith that they would benefit me. The immediate relief experienced from their use was astonishing. I kept taking them for a litthe while, and found that I was troubled no more. The terrible attacks of agonizing pain stopped and have never returned. The curo has been sure and lasting. I am glad to have the opportunity of letting the suffering world know the particulars of my case, of my sur-prise at finding in that little pill the deliverance from a life of misery and pain. I travel up and down the country a great deal, and always carry Doan's Kidney Pills with me. and have seen many cases as bad as mine was cured by their agency. I have given dozens of, boxes away, feeling that I was indeed "a friend in need."

COUNTY OF ESSEX, { to wit: j

In the matter of Doan's Kidney Pills, I. A. H. Fletcher, of Kingsville, in the county of Essex, shoemaker, do solemnly declare that the foregoing statement in regard to my sick-ness and its cure through the agency of Doan's Kidney Pills is true, and also that I have known of similar cases of sicknesss and cure through the same agency, and I make this solomn, dec-laration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and knowing it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath and by virtue

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Hold up the flag, our country's **1**, g: The Red. the White, the Blue, Its stars grow brivater with the years. Its folds are ever new. It is the flag that freemen love, It is the flag that pore And oft rehearsed through darkest days This chorus o'er and o'er

Hold up the flag, our country's flag: "Twas born in freedom's air. And sixty millions bless the day Our fathers placed it there Then let it bend in every breeza. To every land unfurled.

A returned "contraband" was once entertaining an audience in Dedham, Mass., with an account of a furious skirmish between "the blue and the gray" on the banks of the Potomac. "But, said a severe critic of his highly-colored narrative, a man who not been to the war himself, "where were you when the battle was raging?" "Oh. I was back among the baggage." "But how far were you from the bullets and cannonballs?" persisted the stay-at-home. "Well," was the reply, "not so far as Dedham!"-Argonaut. A Famous Sale The famous battle saber of Captain Samuel Chester Reid, who commanded the United States private armed brig-of-war General Armstrong at the battle of Fayal, Azores, in September, 1814, in the celebrated conflict with a British squadron, has been presented to the navy depart-ment at Washington by his son, Colonel Samuel C. Reid.

Let's give it three times three Till from Atlanta's eastern wave To west Pacific's shore. Let every loyal heart repeat The chorus o'er and o'er.

-American Tribune.

Hold it up, yos, hold it up Let its prout folds be unfurled: Hold our glorious standard high, Hold it up to all the world.

To every land unfuried. for freedom's banner proudly waves in triumph o er the world -D. O Lantz For

Sambo's Retort.

Hold up the fing! Our country's flag. That floats o'er land and sea. And with a rousing chorus, boys,

Hold Up the Flag

CHORUS

Billiards on Board the Ironsides.

The gunners on the Ironsides at Morrisisland had a neat way of exploding their projectiles within the fort. It was impossible to drive them through the sand and cotton of which the work was made, nor could the gons be so elevated as to toss them in as from a mortar. So the pieces were depressed, and the shot, striking the water about fifty yards from the beach, jumped in. In nearly every instance this manner of making the missiles effective was successful. "Those are what I call billiards," said the captain, watching the firing, "they earom on the bay and beach and pocket the ball in the fort every time!

Poor Fellews

In 1964 I was a member of company G. 139th Illinois, and on duty at Caise, Ill. Our regiment, from the central part of Northern Illinois, started Jans 1 from Peoris, Ill., Northern Illinois, Santed down to Columbus, Ky., where

A Song for Our Banner. A sonr for our bannes! The watchword re Which gave the republic her station: Enited we stand, divided we fall! It made and preserves us a nation! The nuon of lakes, the union of lands, The union of states here can sever. The union of states here can sever. be union of hearts, the union -GROBGE P. MORE

Japanese Morning Glories.

The morning glory is one of the eight plants whose flowers the Japan-ese chiefly value, the others being the apricot (mume), the cherry, the wistaria, the peony, the iris, the lotus and the chrysanthemum, says Garden and Forest. The species most general-ly cultivated is Ipon cea trileba, a native of China, which blooms in Tokio in midsummer. The plants are grown in small pots and nestly trained around hamboo stakes about three feet long, three or four only being produced on a plant at one time. In all the little numery gardens in the suburbs of and of the other large cities, Takio collections of the plants are grown

and effect as if made under oath and by virtue of "The Cannda Evidence Act, 1863." A. H. FLETCHER. Declared before me at Kings- ; ville. In the county of Essex. } this lith day of April. 1884. W. A. SMITH, A. Commissioner, etc. Doan's Kidney Pills are sold for 50 cents per box, or 6 boxes for 250. Foster-MUburn Co., Buffaio, N. Y.. Sole Agents for the United States. Sent by mall on receipt of price. For sale by all dealers.



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NOTES FROM A STABLE.

"William, ma wants the carriage at 10 o'clock."

The words, delivered in a shrill, imperious voice, fall at first un-heeded on my ear. Then I recollect myself, touch my forehead dutifully, and say. "Yes, Master Vincent." I am William. It is my duty to get that carriage ready at ,10 o'clock for my mistress, and to take my orders from one of the most unpleasant specimens of small boy I have ever seen. I am the coachman.

And I am a coachman pure and simple. I haven't taken the place in disguise in order to be able to arrange an elopement with my employer's daughter, whose cruel parent forbids the match: I am simply earning my bread. Sickdess, hard luck and want of money have compelled me to take the first position that offors, and as I know a horse from his ears down, here I am. driving and tending one, and in addition milking cows, helping in the garden, and pumping water and getting up coal for the maids in the kitchen. Don't I like it? Don't I find it rather a joke? Would you think me a very poor specimen of the average human if I said I didn't?

I like my horse, and he and I are already companions. But I do not like cleaning out the stable and doing a groom's work when I have to do it for hire: there is a great deal of difference just there. My employer. the captain, is a good fellow, that is sure. The madam, however, is not so careful of my feelings. True, she says that I am quite a su-perior young man, and am much more satisfactory than the last coachman (he was a negro), but she has managed to give me some new ideas on the servant question, from the servants' point of view. It is a new feeling to find oneself guaged as "satisfactory," "respectful," and and "well-trained" and to get no further than qualities which might be pos-sessed by a mechanical doll.

I don't mind getting up early to my work, but I do object to the black cow. says a writer in the Philadelphia Times. She is a malevo-lent animal. She knows I am green at the business, for last night she thought she would give meatumble, when I had the bucket half full and of milk she let fly with her hind leg. and over 1 went, milking stool, bucket and all. 1 am not a profane man, but-well, I dislike cows, especially kickers.

My greatest bugbear, nowever, Vincent, the heir and hope of the house. I am sensitive, I confese it, and perhaps irritable: and that little brat is as well finished a specimen of a spoiled darling as his mother could wish. She has taught him to domi-neer and find fault to a nicety. She herself is one of those women who never ask you to do a thing, but al-ways order you to do it I won-

I wear livery, of course. I won-der what my poor, dear old father would say were he alive and could see me mounted on the box driving the madam around town. I watch the other coachmen I meet to catch the little nuceties of behavior on the box and I imitate them. The madam is somewhat nervous. One minute she will say: "William, drive faster; you drive so slowly." and a few minites after she will say: "It's too hot, William, to drive those horses so fast. I am sure, poor creatures, they must be nearly dead the way you are driving them." I check I check them up again and say nothing, but

occasionally I bite my lips. There is about an acre of garden on which I am supposed to expend my spare energy, but fortunately most of the hard work is over and all that I do now is to run the cultivator occasionally. This I don't mind, except on very hot days, because I have an old horse. "Jerry," that I use for this work. Then I have lots of lawn to cut and keep in order. The madam is very particu-lar about her lawn and walks, and really I don't blame her, for it is a lovely place, and if I owned it I could live here and "be healthy." but being "third man" is a different matter. Of course in this world it's not what we have been, it is what we are that "goes," and when one does get confidential and gives a hint that he lias seen better days he is very seldom believed. This reminds me of a story I heard about the prince of Wales and the duke of Edinburgh. When they were boys they were staying at Balmoral and had taken a walk. Returning home a boy driving a butcher cart was passing them, and feeling somewhat tired they asked him for a ride. He consented and they got in his cart. As they were driving along he inquired as to who they were and what was their names. ... I am the prince of Wales and this is my brother, the and boa made from the last bear kille duke of Edinburgh," said the prince. within the limits of old Thomaston.

"Oh, indeed," arcastically said the boy. It was their turn now, and the prince asked him who he was.

"Why, I am he shah of Persia." he replied.

TERMS USED IN HERALDRY. Meining of Words Used in Describing Pe-

vices on josts of Arms. For describing the various devices used, heraldry has a language of its own, says the S. Louis Globe-Democrat. The shield is represented by the escutcheon, and the figures on it are called "charges." The colors used are called "tinctures;" gold is "or," silver "argent," blue "azure," red "gules." purple "purpure." red "gules." purple "purpure, green "vert" and black "sable." Th The side of the escitcheon opposite the left hand of he person looking at it is the "dester" side, while that opposite the right hand is the "sin-ister" side, the center Geing called the "fess" point "Impaling" is the division of the shield into two equal parts by a perpendicular line. for the representation of the union of two families: he "dexter" is the man's side, an the "sinister" the woman's. The attitude of animals on the shield are indicated by such terms as "rampant," "passant," and "sejant." When a lion or other beast of prey stands upright, with only one eye and one ear seen, he is said to be "rampant," when walking forward with one ear ind eye scen, he is "passant," when sitting "sejant," when lying down "couchant." When both eyes and pars can be seen the word "gardant" and leaping for-ward, "salient" The position of other animals is differently indicated. A horse when running is "courant." when leaping, "salient." When shown with ful face, a deer is said shown with ful face, a deer is said to be "at gaze," when standing "statant;" when walking "tripping." and when at "est on the ground, "lodged." Birds with wings down are "close;" but when preparing to fly they are "fising." when flying ""oiant," and when their breasts "Yolant," and when their breasts are fully exposed they are "dis-played." When their wings are "open and drawn over their heads, they are said to be "indorse."

The Condor.

The enormous strength of the condor is only equaled by his voracity and boldness. This immense bird often pounces upon small animals. but from the shape and bluntness of his claws, he is unable to carry anything very heavy, so he contents himself with fixing it against the ground with one of his claws, while with the other and his powerful beak he rends it to pieces. Gorgod with food, the bird then becomes incapable of flight and may be approached, but any attempt at cap-ture is furiously resisted.

DAUGHTERS OF EVE.

Frances-Elise is just daft about bric-a-brac, isn't she? Adele-I should say so! Why I heard this morning-that she was going to marry a base-ball pitcher.

As an excuse for dead birds being used in millipery, it is stated that some soft-hearted women are having their departed pets stuffed, and thea ornamenting 'In Memoriam' bonnets with them.

Mrs. Lizzie Smith of Flemingsburg. Ky., has been awarded \$10 by a jury in a suit brought against Mrs. Jennie Sousley for damages for placing the Jly27-94 sharp end of a pin uppermost in her church pew.

Address,

Young Hubband-What? You are 25 years old to-day? Why, you told me a year ago, just before the wed-ding, that you were only 20? Young Wife, wearily--I know I did, love; but I have aged rapidly since.

Gloves figure largely in the list of necessary expenditures by the wives of cabinet officers, as upon each official entertainment when they, with the president and his wife, constitute the receiving party, a pair of white gloves must be sacrificed.

Rather Smart Business.

The Salvation Army in a certain provincial district were at one time in the habit of displaying this glaring interrogatory: "What shall I do to be saved"?

The venders of a well known patent medicine saw in this an opportunity for a unique and useful advertisement and they forthwith had similar sized bills pasted underneath as follows: "Try Blank's Noted Pills."

This naturally annoyed the religionists who at once ceased to be the medium of giving publicity in such a manner to the proprietory article. In time the original placards were washed away, but the advertisements of: "Try Blank's Noted Pills" continued to appear.

The chance for revenge had now arrived, and in order to return a Roland for an Oliver, the Salvationists beneath every announcement displayed an attractive poster on which was printed "Prepare to meet thy God" .- London Exchange.

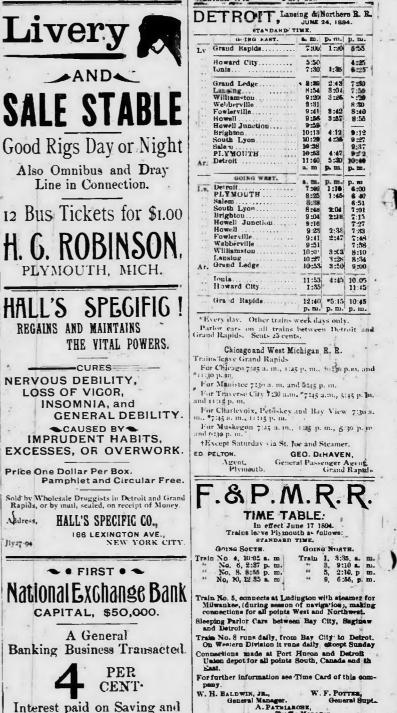
Theory and Practice. Wife-Do newspaper writers sit up all night?

- Husband I believe so. 'That explains it, then,"

"Explains what?" "The household department of this paper recommends roast pota-toes for breakfast. One would have to sit up all night to have the oven hot enough." SPEND YOUR OUTING ON THE GREAT LARES.

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A Rentucky mathematician has figured out some statistics on gum He says that the jaws of a chewing. small-mouthed young woman who is addicted to this habit rove 6,750,000 inches, or 103 miles a year, at the rate of thirty chews a minute f or ten hours a day.

"Never mind the cost, dear, choose just what you like " said a gentleman recently to a lady whom he had taken into a jeweler's shop in Greenock, Scotland. A ring, value 11 guineas, was finally chosen and laid asidg. Then half an hour later the gentleman reappeared and requested that the jewels in the ring be replaced by "paste diamonds" and forwarded to the lady's house.

A fine example of the old-time couples are Mr. and Mrs. Tolman of Rockland, Me. They were married sixty-three years ago, and have kept up many of the old customs with E. C. LEACH, with tongs, bellows and shovel in convenient proximity. Mrs. Tolman in her girlhood days wove the first carpet that was made in Rockland, and has spun yarn for knitting regu-larly until this year. She has a muff boa made from the last bear killed





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OUR OWN VILLAGE.

WHAT IS GOING ON AMONG PEO-PLE ON THE OUTSIDE

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

Did you attend the circus?

In another column will be found a drain letting ad.

Mr. Frank Kerkecki, has been on the sick list this week.

Who is the next lucky man to start a paper in Dearborn

A good crowd attended the union social Wednesday evening.

Mrs. M. F. Gray is spending a ten.day vacation up the lakes.

The Giants play Pontiac to-day and Birmingham Saturday.

The Wayne Stars defeated the Pearls by a score of 17 to 14, on Tuesday.

A large crowd from here took in the encampment at I-land Lake Sunday.

Miss Lula Glimpse, of Big Rapids, is visiting Mrs. Fred Moore this week.

W. W. Foreman of Chicago, is visiting friends here and at Salem this week.

The Playmates defeated the Birmingham team Tuesday by a score of 40 to 5. Mrs. Homer Shepard of Battle Creek, has been visiting at Mrs. E. H. Briggs.

The Pearls made the Northville boys dance to the time of 40 to 21 last Friday.

A regular Fourth of July crowd witnessed the grand parade of Lemen Eros. circus Thursday.

A number of the business men have had their windows decorated by very neat signs.

The Detroit Courier reports a ladles base ball team in Plymouth. The ladies say not

Miss Nettie Bennett, of Wayne, wathe guest of Miss Mabel Lyndon part of the week.

Maud Vrooman was in Detroit this week looking up the styles and buying fall goods.

Nellie Steele was in Detroit the first of the week selecting her fall stock of millinerv

The usual crowd attended Lemen Bros. circus Thursday. They gave a very creditable show.

A number of our young men have returned from a few day's camping and report a good time.

General Spalding got there in the fiftyfirst innings. He will now go in to be elected congressman.

A number of early risers went to the train about three o'clock to see the elephant unpack his trunk.

· It is worth a good supper to sprinkle the streets, and some of the boys were treated to same Wednesday evening.

Julius H. Wills, fireman or D. L. & N railroad, returned to Ionia Saturday after a months vacation with his parents and friend-.

The Plymouth business men will play a game of ball with the Northville business men at Northville on Monday. Everybody go.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Worden and daughter Daisy, left Tuesday for a three week's stay with friends at Detroit and Walkerville, Ont.

The Playmates manager would like to have the Giants cross sticks with the Playmates. So would the friends of both teams-everybody.

Mrs. Peter Hoffman of Detroit, visited Mrs. A. Passage during the past two weeks. Mrs. Hoffman and husband were residents of this place forty years ago.

Ed Shields played with Northville against Pontiac last Wednesday, and Czar Penney played with Howell against Web berville the same day. Plymouth players seem to be in great demand.

F B Park took charge of the Park house Northville, Monday Mrs. Frank Adams, of Detroit, is the guest of her father. Samuel" Baker, this

week. Editor Neal of the Northville Record, made the MAR. office a pleasant visit Monday,

W. H. Eston, of Detroit, is the new lruggist at Chaffee, Hunter and Lauffer's. Mr. and Mrs. Goldsmith of Ypsilanti. are visiting at L. H. Bennett's this week.

Miss Myrtle Belle Phillips of North ville, was the guest of Miss Autie Millard Wednesday, Erd Arthur and Samuel Passage took

an immense quantity of butter to Detroit Monday by wagon.

Nellie Steele & Co. have just received fine stock of Fall Millinery Goods. Please call and see them.

Bert Bennett who is giving concerts in the southern part of the state with his phonograph, was home over Sunday.

Harry Wilkinson returned home Thursday from northern Michigan where he has been visiting relatives during the past four weeks.

"Doc" Passage left today for Whitmore Lake, with his doll rack and will take in the farmer's picnic at that place, Saturday, August 25th.

As we go to press we learn that Mrs. J. D. Wildey passed away on Wednesday The funeral will be held today evening. (Friday), at two o'clock from the Baptist hurch. Full notice next week

Upper Plymouth.

Carl Heide threshed Friday. Miss Fida Hassenger is visiting in Detroit.

Mrs. S. C. Hench visited Northville friends Monday.

Lou Ruppert of Detroit made his parents a visit last Sunday.

Miss Nellie Curtiss of Toledo, is visiting at Ed. Pelton's.

John Smye's foreman, Albert Gayde. is on the sick list this week. Miss Voilet Videan of Detroit, is visit-

ing at Peter Gayde's this week. T. F. Chilson has bought the 10 acre

Gates property on the corner. Jolliffe Bros. are shipping several car-

loads of wood from South Lyon. Smith & Birch of the restaurants at the

depot, done a good business this week. Our assessor has a splendid second crop

of beans. Why say our water works are no good

John Smye fell over the same plank that Mack Campbell did last week and bumped his upper lip too.

C. E. Burdick, principal of the public school at Alvmer, Ont., put in a short visit with Jolliffe Bros. this week.

Miss Maggie Tedford one of the staff of teachers of Blenheim, Kent, Ont., is visiting Mrs. Harry Jolliffe.

F. F. Pinckney, one of the whey slushers at the cheese factory, graduates this week and is now ready to hang out his shingle as soon as he can locate a good spring.

Geo. Springer didn't intend to go to the encampment at Island Lake, but owing to the warrant that was sent him, he had to leave on Wednesday and was a soldier boy all week He returned home Sunday night with a severe cold.

How would you like to spend Sunday in Cleveland, O? The D. L. & N. R. R., will give you a chance to do so at small expense so far as fare is concerned. For the train leaving Plymouth at 9:52 p.m. on Saturday, Sept 1st, we will sell tickets to Cleveland and return for \$1.50 via Detroit and the D. & C. S. N. Co. steamers. Good connection is made with steamer which arrives at Cleveland at 5:00 a.m. leturning, only on boat leaving Cleveland at 10:00 p. m. Sunday and on the train leaving Detroit at 7;40 a. m., Monday, Sept. 3rd. Berths on steamer will be 50 to \$1.50 extra, and will be reserved on application to any D. L. & N. agent. Cleue'and is a beautiful city and its many attractions will well repay a visit



The Dearborn Advance came to an untimely end last Friday, Aug. 17th. The drought and hard times were too much for it. After a lingering illness of several weeks it finally turns its pitiful face to the wall and expires. Aged 10 months and 11 days.

The manager of the Plymouth base ball association informs us that a series of three games with Wavne is on the docket the first one to be played here next Wednesday, August 29th. These games will probably decide "Who is the best man" and will be very interesting. Don't miss it. Next Wednesday afternoon at the fair grounds.

the W. C. T. U., will be held in the tion at Wyandotte Tuesday. Presbyterian church next Sabbath evening, Aug. 25. The exercises will consist of music and recitations by the young people and children, and addresses by the pastors of the various churches, subjects, "White Shield" and "Mothers' Work". A collection will be taken at the close of the meeting.

Dearborn.

Miss Clara Flint is confined to her home by illness.

The concert given by the Epworth League, Thursday evening, was a great SUCC@SS.

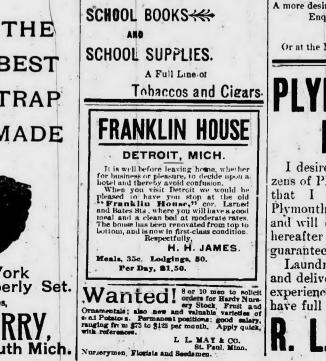
Miss Jennie Clark returned home Sunday evening from Chicago, where she has been visiting friends.

Miss Belle Forster and Miss Jennie Union service, under the auspices of Clark attended the Sunday school conven-

> Mrs. Jos. Bailey, Cedar Springs, Mich., says: "Adironda" Wheeler's Heart and Nerve Cure is the best medicine I ever had in my family, it never fails". Sold by John L. Gale.

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PLYMOUTH, -MICHIGAN.

THERE is something in a name af-r all George Washington has proved his grit by capturing a fugi-tive bear in the streets of Chicago. George is a colored man and by pro-fession a trainer of animals. It will fession a trainer of animals. be remembered that the original Washington had a similar experience with a British lion in another part of this country.

WE are gotting our war news via Nagazaki, Hong Kong, Singapore, India, Persia and Europe, a distance of about 27,000 miles. The distance between Japan and Port Townsend, in the state of Washington, is less than 4,0 10 miles, but it happens that there are no cables under the Pacific. Hence the news that we get from the Orient must make almost a cir-cuit of the globe before it reaches us.

THE plague continues in China. notwithstanding the intelligent methods adopted by that ingenious people to arrest its progress. These consist in processions through the These streets, the beating of gongs and the setting off of firecrackers in immense numbers, the latter expedient of some possible efficacy on account of the volumes of sulphurous and antiseptic vapor thus liberated. But the pestilence does not yield to these prophylactic and remedial, cere-monies, and is running its course according to precedent, being most violent where there is most over-crowding and dirt, and showing a moderated severity in quarters where clearly usages and modes of living prevail.

THAT dreadful and diseased cad, Rudyard Kipling, has just printed in a London journal a poetic nightmare which he calls "A Spectacle for the Compassion of the Civilized World." It is aimed at the American spirit and is based on the recent labor disturbance in and around Chicago. The indications are that the leeble English mind of Mr. Kipling has fetched loose from its moorings, and is now drifting tempest-tossed. The poor cadger has 1 ng nourished a hatred of our fair republic. His hostility took the form a few years ago of marrying one of our daugh-ters. Since that his blackguard batred has been intensified if any-thing. But he is not the only blackguard son-in-law Liberty has - and we look toward England as we make this remark.

PITTSBURG having developed a new style of rat, capable of living in the cold storage receptacles of that city. now produces a new variety of cat equal to subsistence in the same recuced temperature, and the cold storage cat now consumes the cold storage rat with the same ardor and celerity that animate her kind amid normal temperatures and conditions. Both these animals take on a new investiture partly of wool and partly of fur to sustain them in the artificial climate which they inhabit, showing how the feline and rodent natures alike adjust themselves to new environments without putting off their old relation to each other, which is that of the eater and the eaten in all cases irrespective of thermal or dermal or other condi-

THE study of ancestry is one of the most engaging. Let a person begin it and there is no neglecting it. The multiplying historical societies, the local histories and family genealogies, are evidences of this new study. This study is not the whim of aged people, but is entered upon by young people, and even pupils in our pub-lic schools, with forethought and deliberation. The study of history in the school, and the conversation home, open up minds of the growing youth to the better and the grander things expected of them. The doctrine of growth, advancement, evolution, ap plied to society and the individual makes new interest-to come forth from living. To leave the world better by having lived is the new passion of humanity.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL. LESSON IX-AUGUST 26-FIRST MIRACLE OF JESUS.

Golden Text: This Beginning of Miracles Did Jesus in Cana of Galilee, and Manifested Forth His Glory .- John

Introductory. In our last lesson we left Jesus on the way to Galilee, having added Philip and Nathanael to the three or four disciples he had al-ready made. On arriving at Nazahe seems to have found his reth mother gone to a wedding in Cana, a few miles further on, and he and his disciples went on to Cana, where they would find entertainment at the house of Nathanael, whose home was there. In the time of Christ wines were very different to what they are now, and strong drink, to which the drink-ing of wines now leads, were unknown then. It is wrong to suppose that Christ would have used wine in our day and under our conditions. The basis of total abstinence is the giving up of that which may be lawful in itself,

whenever it becomes dangerous to ourselves or the means of evil to This is our Christian duty others. and privilege. I. The Miracle Wrought, verses 1-8

1. "The third daw." Counting from the time of Philip's call. "A marriage. ' With an accompanying feast, which, according to the custom of the country, might last several days. "The mother of Jesus was there." Perhaps as the special friend and

assistant of the family. "When they wanted winc." When the supply of wine provided by the bridegroom gave out. "The mother of Jesus saith unto him, They have no wine." She wished to save the family the mortification of being unable to show the customary hospitality to their guests, and she doubt-less believed that in some way or other Jesus could relieve the difficulty. 4. "Woman, what have I to do with thee?" There is something of a rebuke here. Jesus wished his mother to know that he could no longer be under her control. "Mine hour is not yet come." The hour for working a miracle,

5. "Whatsoever he saith unto you, do it." These words, spoken to the servants, show that in spite of this seeming refusal, she expected Jesus

to do some notable thing. 6. "Six waterpots of stone." They were either in the room itself or in the vestibule adjoining it. "After the manner of the purifying of the Jews." That is, in conformity with the Jew-ish practice of cleansing the hands and vessels before and after meals. "Two or three firkins." From eighand

teen to twenty-seven gallons. 7. "Fill the waterpots with water." They had probably been nearly emp-tied by the guests before the begin-ning of the feast: now they are filled to the brim.

8. "Draw out now." From any one of the waterpots. "The governor of the feast." He was one of the guests elected by the other guess to preside at the feast. "And they bare it." It seems likely that only what was

drawn out became wine. II The Ruler of the Feast Sur-prised, verses 9-11. 9. "When the ruler of the feast had tasted, called the bridegroom." Knowing nothing of the source from which the wine had come, and surprised at the improved quality of it, he instantly spoke to the bridegroom about it. 10. "Every man at the beginning doth set forth good wine." It is the

general custom to give the most palat-able drink first. "When men have well drunk, then that which is worse." After the taste was blunted by repeated indulgence, the guests could not tell the difference between good and bad.

11. "This beginning of miracles." The very first that no even "Mani-either in Cana or elsewhere. "Mani-The very first that he ever performed, fested forth his glory." Which was the end designed to be accomplished "Hig believed on him." That is, believed afresh, and more strongly than ever.

THE MAN AND THE CABLE CAR Stranger Who Has an Exciting Ex-

perience in New York. Down through a ruck and tangle of vehicles in Broadway, New came a clattering wagon on the black cover of which appeared in sprawling red letters the legend. "Butter and Eggs." The old horse in front had apparently been startled out of his dreamy, Long island senses, for he was now hurrying his old bones down the street with an air of supreme astonishment and bdwilder ment. A glance at the little farmer on the seat would tell that they were being pursued. He cast many fright-ened glances behind him, while jerk-ing feverishly at the lines. Occasionally he bestowed a look of pro-found despair upon the horse. Naturally one would turn at once

to see what monster was upon the little farmer's track, what terror of the city could thus be pursuing him and his butter and eggs down Droadway. His mouth was quivering agape and his eyes glinted with dread. There was portraved in his expression the swift coming of a dragon with wings and blood sniffing nostrils.

Suddenly there came the lond brazen cry of a gong: then a cable car emerged from the thicket of truck wheels and stole after the little farmer's vehicle.

All unknown to the crowded street there was a straining scene from a tragedy as the little farmer and his grim pursuer swept down the side of Union square. He sat very straight and with his legs folded under him. He was ridiculous if it were not that his wrinkled cheeks blanched as he watched this monster glide after him with creeping stealth in-tent to see his mangled body lie amid the ruins of his butter and ergs. He reached under the seat and drew out a small stick. With it he frantically belabored the old horse. The very cars of the animal expressed his deep wonder at the beating, but he broke into a lumbering gallop. Away they went, the little farmer bobbing about with the motion of the wagon, an alert and frightened figure, using the cudgel with the power of excitement: the horso sprawling his awkward legs in a strange attempt at mad speed. Behind them came the tireless dragon, still close to them. its nose near to the earth after the manner of a hound. And at each resounding clamor of the gong one could see the little farmer bounce on his seat.

But it was at the curves around the southwest corner of Union square where the real crisis came. Here it was that the car gave a sudden roar and a pounce. The wheels sent forth a tremendous whirring growl and the monster made a swinging grab at the tailboard of the wagon.

It seemed that the old horse knew. He called upon some hidden store. Perhaps he was forced into a dis-play of his true ability by the persistent thumping of the little farmer's club. At any rate, he whirled the butter and eggs wagon around the curves with a wild and remarkable energy.

It was an extremely tense moment. The car wore an air vindictive and fierce. It seemed to try to fairly hurl itself ravenously upon the little vehicle from Long island. But at the Morton house the excited farmer directed his horse into Fourtcenth street and there was safe. However, he did not know it, for after the cable car had gone some distance on Broadway the little farmer down could be seen rapidly cudgeling his horse in the direction of the East river and casting frightened glances behind him.

Till He Got Work.

A young lady, lately and happily nusband, who does all of his work at home. It is very good work and pays very well, and as they are so newly wedded they are delighted with the opportunities for being al-most constantly together. Recently the state of the st buxom German girl, who proved herself handy, and also seemed to take a deep interest in the affairs of saw the husband around the house a couple. Of course good deal: but her mistress was not prepared for the following: "Ogscuse me, M"s. Blank, but I like to say somedings." "Well, Rena?"

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THE CHINESE EMPEROR.

Story of the Present Celestial Sovereign's Accession to Power.

The announcement of the birth of which was published a short time ago, recalls the story of the tragedy which signalized his accession to the throne. His predecessor. T'ung-chi, died, as was unnounced, of smallpox, January 12, 1875. It is said that his death was really due to poison. At the time of his death his empress, Abluta, the daughter of Duke Clung, whom he had married in October, 1872, when he was 16, was pregnant Her child, if a boy, would have been ment rendered necessary by her besaid to be good reasons for believing that it was due to the same means which are alleged to have caused ner husband's death. The China Muil said of her death at the time:

.Her fate has inflee | been an un happy one. Wedded at the age of 15, she became a widow at 17, and since the death of her husband has. if native reports are to be believed. led a most miserable life. She is said to have refused all food for some days previous to her death and have sunk from exhaustion. Wheth er these reports are true or not, we can easily believe that her position was a most unenviable one. At best, she was exposed to perpetual seclu sion for many years to come, while she was exposed to intrigues which, in view of her expected confinement might have had her death and that of the possible child as their object. Death was probably a relief." Other more outspoken authorities

attributed her death to foul means. The reason her death was desirable was because the two dowager empresses, who were regents of the Flowery kingdom, wanted to clear the way for the then infant son of Prince Chrun, the "seventh prince." a member of the imperial family, although n it of direct descent, whom, for reasons which do not appear, they had agreed to make the nominal occu-pant of the throne. One of these dowager empresses was the hapless Abluta's mother-in-law. This infant' became of age March 1887, and as-sumed control of the government in February, 1889. when Ahluta's mothcr-in-law, who had survived her co

ost constantly together. Recently they got a new servant a and is not likely to live long. When he was proclaimed emperor, in accordance with Chinese customs, hidead, predecessor was declared to have adopted him. and an edict to that effect was promulgated throughout the empire.

THAT WICKED PARROT.

DETROIT.

DENVER.

He Saw at Once That the Baldheaded Man Was an Onion Thief.

"Baldheaded people are continhe and the emperor of China, ich was published a short time propie's jokes." remarked E M. Weir of Chicago, as he mopped the perspiration from his pate, which was as devoid of hair as a billiard ball. "It is not often. though, that you hear of a parrot taking advantage of our misfortune and setting us up as an object of ridicule. Such a thing happened to me a few weeks ago, and I will tell you how it was. An old college chum of mine re-ceived a parrol as one of his wedthe legal emperor, as well as heir by ding presents, and both he and his direct descent. She was put in what wife are greatly attached to the was represented as honorable confine-bird. He is in the habit of getting out of his cage and roaming ing the widow of the dead emperor over the house at his own sweet and the possible mother of the future will. One day the cook caught emperor, in the course of which she. Polly in the act of pulling some, with her unborn child, died. Her pickled onions from a jur that stood death was officially attributed to her refusing fool because of her grief at angry that she threw a dipper of the loss of her husband, but there is hot water she had in her hand at him, some of which landed on top of his head, and the result was that a tuft of feathers came off and he was a baldheaded parrot forevermore. Months after this occurrence I called at the home of my friend to spend the evening. The parrot's cage hung up in the hall in such a position that he could command a view of the front door. As I stepped inside the door and removed my hat, displaying my extensive bald pate, Polly at once cried out in the plain

est tones:Ha, ha, so you have been at the pickled onions, too, have you?""

Australiu's Immigration Problem

Australia is greatly bothered just now by a question akin to our Chinese problem. The Chinese immigra-tion evil has been checked by strong restrictive measures and the imposi-tion of a heavy head tax. There is now a great and growing influx of Afghans, l'anthans and other Asiatic tribes from the odd corners of India and these people have become a peril and a nuisance in many ways.

International Marriage Bureau.

It is jurposed to establish an incernational marriage bureau. headquarters in Berne, for the pur-pose of regulating marriages between natives of different countries and so doing away with the anoma-lies and cruelties which at present too often result from marriages between aliens.

Rai way Surgeons.

Of the railway associations of the country none has been more active or more successful during the last few years than the National Association of Railway Surgeons. Three years ago the association had 282 members in good standing. At the present time the active membership

THE war between China and Japan is giving German newspapers an opportunity to air some strange ideas about this country. For instance, the Berlin "Post" says that the Americans covet territory in East Asia and see in the present crisis an opportunity. Californians 'are es-pecially eager for a foothold on the East Asiatic coast, and naturally feel a stronger attraction toward that territory than do the Southern States. They are linked by the cean with Asiatic trading interests some of the views expressed by English newspapers during our re cent labor troubles were amusing. but they cannot compare with these Teutonic suggestions. The "Post" seems to look upon the United States an aggregation of small principalities, having no interests in common. and neither one dependen apon the other.

FEMININITIES.

The average, age at which women marry in civilized countries is twentythree and one-half years.

There is an alarming tendency in women to look' for something to reform in every man who likes them.

Inquiring Son-Papa, what is rea-son? Fond Parent-Reason, my boy, is that which enables a man to determine what is right. Inquiring Son -And what is instinct? Fond Parent -Instinct is that which tells a woman she is right whether she is or not.

A noted physician says that the most prolific cause of women's nervous dis-eases, hysteria, spinal diseases and sick headaches is found in high-heeled boots.

Miss Baker, professor of Greek and Latin in Simpson college, Indiana, translated a play of Æschuylus when she was ogly 14, and that was only 18 vears ago.

Miss Adeline Knapp, who has been for several years the race track reporter of the San Francisco Call, rides man-fashion, in Turkish trousers, a cutaway coat and a silk hat. She owns a number of fine horses.

"You won't be mad by me, alrety?" "Why, what is it you wish

The girl blushed, fumbled her apron. stammered, and then replied: "Well, you pay me \$16 mont-" "And _can't pay any more," said

the mistress decisively.

"It's not dot," responded the girl; "but I be willin' to take \$15 tilltill your husband gets work!"

A Woman of Experience.

Young Author, engaging apart ments-You have several literary men boarding, here, I believe. Mrs. Slimdiet-Yes, quite a

er. I like literary men. "I am delighted to hear it." ber.

"Yes, you see, literary men never kick when I demand cash in advance. They are used to it."

Juvenile Logic.

Heloise, 8 years old-What does transatlantic mean, mother? Mother -Oh. across the Atlantic, of course But you mustn't bother me. Heloise -Does trans, then, always mear cross? Mother-I suppose it docs. Now, if you don't stop bothering me with your questions I shall send you right to bed. Heloise is silent a few minutes. Heloise-Then does trans Heloise is silent a few parent mean a cross parent --- Brook lyn Life

Shingling the Roof

Anyone may easily calculate for himself how many shingles are noeded to cover a given space. As a rule, a thousand shingles, laid four inches exposed to with the weather, will cover 10J square feet of surface, and five pounds of shingle nails will fasten them on. With a foot rule and five minutes' figuring anybody can ascertain the expense of a new root.

They May Curl Their Front Hair It has been decided that the deaconesses of the Methodist church shall wear black gowns, with gathcred or plaited skirts, hishop sleeves. white cuffs. They may "friz" their hair if they desire to do so.

L'alform Time.

Norway is to adopt a uniform time for the whole of that country from January | next The mean time will be that at the meridian fifteen degrees cast of Greenwich. At pres-ent nearly every locality in Norway has its own local time.

Longest Street Railway.

With the completion of the street railway line, between Lowell and Haverhill, Muss., a line of forty-two-miles is made, becoming what is called the longest continuous street railway in the country.

At the Poultry Show.

"Great snakes! There's fifty-seven little chicks in that box! How could one hen hatch out as many as that?" "A hen äldn't do it. They was hatched in a-in a incubus, you darn fool

TO

INTERESTING THINGS YOUNG PEOPLE.

How Polly and Peter Keep House-Grandmother's Troublesome Boy--Wag ner's Shipwreck-An Indoor Bird's Nest -Little Folk's Laugha.

Grandmother's Story.

Three apples fell off a big tree. Three small boys hid behind a hedge. An old gentleman who owned the orchard and was walking about under the trees heard the apples fall and poked about for them with his cane. Six small feet twinkled over the grass. Presto! No magician ever made apples disappear more wonderfully, more quickly or more completely. In a second more six bright, laughing eyes peeped down from the where the old gentleman was still poking away in the grass. "Peste!" said the old man. "I must

have been mistaken. At any rate it is dinner time, and one cannot spend one's day looking for apples. Be-sides, my eyes are bad, my ears not so keen as they used, and I don't feel like a boy any longer. I will send a servant for them."

Then the old gentleman hobbled out of the orchard toward his house. In a twinkling three small boys, brown as berries, were at the foot of the tree, each with a great apple. One look, a laugh, and they were off over the meadows.

"Ha! ha! papa!" they cried as they rushed pellmell into the family din-ing room. "We have teased the old man at the corners to his fill and for once we'll have a feast on the old miser's apples that I believe flobody but himself ever tasted before.

"How is this?" cried the father, furious. "You stole the old man's apples! You young rascals, wait un-til I thrash you thoroughly for this."

"But we did it only to tense him," cried the children, "and to give him a lesson besides. He is so miserly." "You must be punished," said the father.

"No!" cried the grandmother, sitting in her chair. "It was a jest, William, and the children shall return the apples. But they shall not be punished.'

"You are too easy with the children, mother. They will turn out thieves."

The old lady smiled placidly.

"Children," she said, "I once knew a little boy whose mother was very lenient with him. He had many troubles at school and he always came home to his mother and she soothed him. The boys about him said he had a jolly mother, and so they came, too, sometimes to be southed. But this little boy kept getting into trouble continually. Once even he got into an orchard and robbed it. Once he took down a bird's nest with eggs in it-but then he was sorry when he saw how grieved the mother-bird was -and his mother knew there was much good in him because he grieved for the mother-bird. Yet he was al-ways in trouble, and it took all his mother's tenderness to have patience with him. Once he was caught in an orchard, and then he had a hard time of it, for the dogs were set on him and the farmer ran after him with a pitchfork, and there would have been great trouble had he not reached his mother's arms before the dogs caught him.

The boy's father reddened and walked over to the window. The old lady's eyes followed and a tender light filled her face. The boys saw the situation at a glance.

"Ah ha! it was you, papa!" they cried, "you were grandma's culprit. It is you who must make confession DOW

The grandmother smiled again and said: "The riddle is solved, and you see, boys, in spite of his mother's leniency, what a good man your father has turned out to be. And now, children, after dinner you will return the apples to the old man with an

apology." Then the old lady rose and walked over to her son and placed her hand lightly on his shoulder.

on which it is placed is clearly heard, and give the sensation of a horse's tread, and even a fly's scream, especially at the moment of death, is easily audible. The ruspling of a feather or a piece of dress goods on the board of the instrument, and completely inaudible under ordinary circumstances, are distinctly heard in the microphone. The ticking of a watch is rendered verv loud at quite a distance from the receiver. A musical box placed in connection with the instrument transmits so much sound as to render it impossible to distinguish individual notes. A current of air blown sharply on the instrument sounds like a distant trickle of water. And the rumbling of a carriage outside the house is transformed into a very intense crack-

burning of pine logs. The instrument in appearance assumes various shapes, inasmuch as the very simplicity of its principle admits of its being made of various substances and in almost any form. All that is necessary for its simple. working is in having what is known, technically, as "loose contact"-that is, an electric circuit whose continuity at some point is capable of being varied. As an instance, then, three nails make one of the best of mi-crophones. Two of the nails are laid on a board parallel to each other, and say one-half inch apart. The other nail is laid across the first two, the latter being meantime connected to a battery cell and a telephone receiver. If a fly, for instance, be confined in a small box, and the latter placed on the board on which the nails are laid, the slightest vibration caused by the movement of the feet will render the unstable contact of the nails still more unsteady, and by thus altering the force or amount of the electricity which passes, will reproduce in the telephone receiver an exact but much magnified fac-simile of what is taking place in the box.-Harper's Young People.

A Long-Legged Chap.

Every animal and bird has its own way of seeking its food. Some are hunters and some fishers. Some secure their prey by stratagem and some by force. Each one works according to his nature and to the means which have been given him. The heron is a bird who gets his

dinner by patience and watching. He is fondest of fish, although he does not despise an occasional frog, or even a mouse or a rat if he is very hungry. So he wades out a little distance in the water, for he has good, long legs, has this heron.

Then he stands in the water-sometimes on both his legs, sometimes on one-and waits for an hour or two, or perhaps longer, until some foolish or daring little fish comes close enough for him to snap at it with his long bill. And when he makes a snap at a fish Mr. Heron is so good a 'snap-shot that the fish has become the heron's dinner before he has time to think about it.

Some herons build their nests in the tops of trees. The nests are very large and are clumsily built of sticks and twigs. But they are so high up that Mr. Heron fears no danger from adventurous small boys, who might otherwise want to add herons' 'eggs' to their collections.

There are many kinds of herons. The common variety is the grray heron, and the most beautiful is the white heron, whose long silky white feathers are much used for hat trim-ming. Mr. White Heron is hunted for his beautiful feathers, while his common gray brother is suffered to live in peace, because he isn't pretty enough to be killed.

How Folly and Peter Keep House

How Folly and Peter Keep House. My uncle is threshin: with Freddy: My mother has gone to the fair. I're vowed to be steady as steady, And baby, she's ted in her chair: I must brush up the hearth to look neater, And put all the teacups away— There's no one to help me but Peter, And Peter—why Peter's at play.

Just hear how the turkeys are crying. And the calf is as hun ry as two:

SENATE AND HOUSE.

Final Action of the President Awaited on the Tariff Bill.

The final action of the president on the tariff bill is the only thing that stands between the senate and final adjournment. It is the general opinion that with the bill passed upon by the chief executive adjournment could be arranged within a days' time. The last of the appropriation bills received the final consideration of the senate during the past week. The house of representatives is ready to adjourn. Its work has been completed, it is only awaiting the action of the senate and the president. It is probable that it will adjourn from day to day until con-tractions of the senate and the senate and the senate and the president. gress adjourns.

Want a Correction in the Tariff Bill.

Want a Correction in the Tariff Bi'l. Importers and merchants at San Francisco claim a serious blunder has been made in the tariff Bill. Under the proposed law, cocoanut oil is ad-mitted free, but copra, which is the raw material of which the cocoanut oil is manufacted, is subject to a duty of 30 per cent. Copra is the raw, sun dried pro-duct of the cocoanut and cannot be used for any other purpose than mak-ing cocoanut oil, which is chiefly used in the manufacture of soap. Copra is not prepared and cannot be used as a cossicated cocoanut and has always been duty free. Twelve leading firms have united in telegraphing a protest to Washington, urging a correction of what they believe to be an error made through ignorance of the articles in question. ling noise, not unlike the sound of the question.

Doings of China and Japan Mail advices from China show that Mail advices from China show that the Chinese government has prohibited the exportation of horses. Horses are regarded as contraband of war by Japan. Urgent orders have been sent from the northern to the southern arsenals for powder and other fuuni-tions: Recruiting is pushed. Japanese have fortified the passes leading from China into Corea and established elab-orate defenses at Seoul, the capital. China into Corea and established Flab-orate defenses at Seoul, the capital. One hundred and sixty thousand men have been mobilized by Japan and the reserves have been called upon for ser-vice in Corea. Sickness prevails in both the Chinese and Japanese armies. China has accepted the offer of Lui Yung Fi. the celebrated ex-chief of the Black Flags in Tonquin, who is now a naval commodore at Canton, to recognize the Black Flags to fight against Japan.

Trying to Restore Peace.

It is stated here that Russia and other powers continue to endeavor to restore peace between China and Japan. Oil.

They Need Assistance.

Gov. Altgeld received a letter from a committee of Pullman citizens ask-ing assistance in feeding 1,600 families unable to get work thers. The Pull-man company is alleged to be import-ing men from all over the country and turning many old hands out on the street. The governor left for Chicago and will personally investigate the situation at Pullman.

THE MARKETS.

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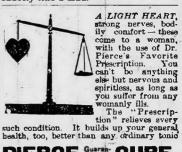


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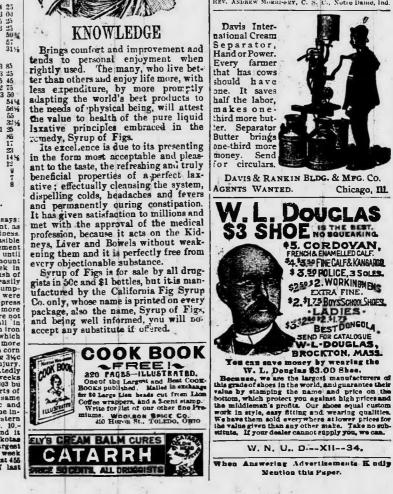


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"We must be lenient with youth, William, for it is the perfume of our old age. The children have the world to romp in when they are young-Time will give them no such lordship again.

Just then the father caught sight of the boys playing leapfrog below. He laughed and hallooed to them.

off to the woods, boys, and be sure to bring home a birch switch for me to use on myself when I am forgetful. And don't forget the biggest and finest nosegay you can pick for grandmamma, to whom, next to God, we owe all the blessings we have in life."-N. Y. Advertiser.

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And then there's the churning to do; In summer we churn in the cellar. So baby can come there to stay-I must think of a story to tell her While Peter-but Peter's at play.

It is time that the chicken was over, And my mending is scarcely begun-Here's Peter come up from the clover, And wo never have dinner till one: I'll make this sauce a bit sweeter And bring out some cakes on a tray-He must be well treated, poor Peter, He does work so hard at his play: -Dora Rend Goodale, in St. Nicholas

Eather Mixed.

A paper in India. on the day of its birth, came out with two blank pages, and in one of its columns announced with unconscious simplicity that some 'specially interesting matter" had been held over "for want of space." Another journal printed this brief nnouncement: "Our next paper day falling on Christmas day, the next issue of this journal will not appear."

Two to One.

"Mother, do you know that when you whip me there is always two to one?" said Harry. "How is that, my son?"

WEEKLY REVIEW OF TRADE.

WEEKLY REVIEW OF TRADE. New YORK.-Dunn's review of trade says: The new tariff. if signed by the president as expected, provides a detinite basis for business. No supplemental legislation is thought possible next year at least. Large improvement has been expected from any until settlement, the more because of a vast amount of business deferred from week to week in hope of more definite conditions. The rush of such business or even a part of it might easily double the transactions for a time. Resump-tion hy iron and steel works, which were stopped by the strikes, continues to degress prices of some finished products, but with more iurnaces operature prices of pig iron are not inver. Comparisons given show a fail in prides ranging from 20 to 44 per cent in from and its products since October, 1990, which has been only 2, 425,578 bu, assinst 4,578,103 bu has team only 5,525,578 bu, assinst 4,578,103 bu has peen only 2, 425,578 bu, assinst 4,578,103 bu has peen son 2,5378 bu, assinst 4,578,103 bu has peen only 2,425,578 bu, assinst 4,578,103 bu has peen 100 bo, with justification in the in-jury for any start 3,201,003 bu in the same weeks last year. Pork has downeed 50c and hard 36c per 100 bo, with justification in the in-jury to corn. Wheat is about 1c lower, weeks, 10. The difficult be price failures the works, 10, by difficult be price failures the works, 10, by difficult be built be work and the two Dakotas will yield 15,000 bu the United Stares, against 4, have been 250 in the United Stares, against 4, have been 250 in the United Stares, against 4, have been 250 in the United Stares, against 4, have been 250 in the United Stares, against 4, have been 250 in the United Stares, against 4, have been 250 in the United Stares, against 4, have been 250 in the United Stares, against 4, have been 250 in the United Stares, against 4, have been 250 in the Stares, against 4, have been 250 in the Stares, against 4, have been 250 in the Stares, against 4, have been 250 in the



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Livonia.

Our citizens complain of their wells giving out. Some of our young men went to Island Lake last Sunday. Wm. Eckles of Meads Mills, was in the

village last Sunday. Chet Wright of Beech, was in the vil-

lage last Saturday. John Baur is getting the material to-

gether to build a nice cellar.

John Stringer took in the supervisors picnic at Walled Lake last week.

E. C. Leach cut the brush and weeds off the north part of the cemetery at this place one day last week.

There will be no corn or potatoes on high sandy land in this town on account of the long drought.

Chicken thieves continue to raid farm. ers hen roosts in this town. Some of them are pretty well known and they are being watched close.

Mrs. Meril Colby of Fowlerville, is visiting her son C. P. Colby at this place. Mrs. Geo. Leslie and daughter of East Blumfield, visited friends in this village last week.

The game of ball played at this place lastSaturday between the Plymouth and Livonia, resulted in the score of 23 to 18 in favor of Plymouth.

The second nine of this place played the junior club of Elm a game of ball last Saturday. The score stood 34 to 28 in favor of Livonia.

The dance held at John Schroder' snew house last Friday evening, was a grand success, there being about 70 numbers sold. Everyone reports a very good time.

Meads Mills.

Clara Benton attended the supervisors picnic at Orchard Lake last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McRoberts went to White Lake camping last Friday and returned on Tuesday.

Mr. H. S. Burdick employed a mason to plaster a cistern last week, and during the progress of the work seven men were lookers on.

Carmi Benton and Nelt Taylor are about to leave here and embark in the laundry business over in the Queen's dominion.

The playmates of Sadie Hughes gathered at her home last Friday afternoon to celebrate her ninth birthday. She was the recipient of several presents.

The Oakland County Post of Aug. 10th contains the marraige license of Johnny Waterman of this place and Miss Allie pressed in the latest style. All work Smith of Plymouth, but formerly of this place. Our youth's seem to be marrying

recently to a wire fence patented June 12th, 1894, and owned by M. Berdan, of this place, which shows at a glance to be simp'e, strong, durable and ornamental. This fence has none of the objectionable features of many so termed first-class fences. Four hundred lbs. of No. 10 wire (or 8 fbs. per rod) will build 50 rods of this fence. The tightners cost 50 cents and brace rods 50 cents, making an expense for material of \$9 for 50 rods of Berdan fence. At the present price of wire any good thinking man can readily see that the Berdan fence can be erected after posts are set for less than 25 cents per rod. We feel safe in saying that no fence offered to the public has more

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fence that will stand longer and turn stock better. The anchor post is braced below the surface, thus making it impossible for the fence to get out of place. The wire pickets are firmly attached to lines of wire by the use of a wire staple made by the fence builder. The cost of the staple and picket is simply the cost of the wire and the small amount of labor used in making them. The expense of erecting this fence is no more than that of any woven wire fence costing 65 cents and upwards per rod. As every wire has an individual tightener a common farm laborer can do all the work satisfactorily. This fence when complete, is certainly a triumph in the realm of Inventive skill, and will surely meet a long felt want among the farmers.

The Old Made New.

If you have any clothing in the shape of coats, pants, vests, silks, satins, worsteds in fact everything in the shape of cloth ing, send them to the Northville city laundry and have them renovated and guaranteed. Headquarters at Northvill-City Laundry. A Description of the Event as Seen by Dean Stanley.

The following account by Dean Stanley of the coronation of Queen Victoria is taken from a recently published life of the eminent ecclesiastic:

At 10:30 another gun announced that she was at the abbey door, and in about a quarter of an hour the procession appeared from under the organ, advancing up the purple ap-proach to the chancel-everyone eaning over-and in they came. First the great dukes, struggling with their enormous trains; then oishops, etc., and then the queen, with her vast crimson train, out-spread by eight ladies all in white, followed by the great ladies of the court in enormous crimson trains. and the smaller ladies with delicate

sky-blue trains trailing along the dark floor. When she came within the full view of the gorgeous abbey she paused, as if for breath, and clasped her hands. The orchestra broke out into the most tremendous crash of music I ever heard. was glad when they said unto me. 'Let us go into the house of the Lord.'"

Everyone literally gashed for breath from the intense interest and the rails of the gallery visibly trembling in one's hand from the trembling of the spectators. I never saw anything like it; tears would have been a relief; one felt that the queen must sink into the earth under the tremendous awe. But at last she moved on to her place by the al-tar, and (as I heard from my cousins, who had a place close by) threw herself on her knees, buried her face in her hands, and evidently prayed fervently. For the first part the silence was so great that at my extreme point I could hear quite distinctly the tremulous but articulate voice of the archbishop; afterward it was quite inaudible. The great drawbacks were the feeble responses to the service and the teebleness of the acclamationshardly any at all at the recognition and only tolerable at the coronation. That was the crisis of the ceremony and the most striking part. The very moment the crown touched her head the guns went off, the trumpets began, and the shouts She was per-fectly immovable, like a statue. The duchess of Kent burst into tears and her lady had to put on her cor-onet for her. The anointing was ver beautiful from the cloth of gold the homage, also, from the magnificent cluster in the very center

It was a take-off, though a necessary one. I suppose that throughout her face was turned away from the spectators toward the altar. All the movements were beautiful. She was always accompanied by her eight ladies, floating abouther like a silvery cloud. It was over at 3:3. i.e., she went out then with her crown, her orb, and her scepter. I walked home. The rest had to wait till eight o'clock for their carriage, which was forced back by the length of the line to Kennington common. The crowd in the street to see the return procession was studendous. It was all more like a dream than realitymore beautiful than I could have conceived possible. I should almost wish never to see her again: that as this was the first image I had ever had of her so it should be the last

This service was held in the Baptist church last Sunday evening, the pastor preaching the sermon. He took for his texts Matt. 1-31 and James 3-5, his subject being "The value of little things". After speaking briefly of his recent vacation, and the evidences of fire in the Upper Peninsula, started by some little spark igniting the grass or leaves, he proceeded to develop and apply the lesson as made apparent in the many little things of life, closing with an appeal to all not to reject the opportunities offered with God, through our Lord Jesus Christ.

Union Service.

The next union meeting will be held in the Presbyterian church, and will be under the management of the W. C. T. U. consisting of music, recitations, and pas-torial addresses, "The White Shield," and "Woman's work".

This will be the last of the union services for the present. They have been specially interesting and well attended this year, and it does seem that in view of those facts, they ought to be continued for some months longer, if not indefinitely. When the usual audience in each church are a mere handful, and a union service usually fills the house, and often with many who seldom go at any other time, it would seem that the latter is the better and wiser way to interest- the outside community, and turn them into the habit of regular church going. When special or revival services for the salvation of the people are going on, deneminational lives are sunk out of sight, and the world outside is stirred and benefitted. Why not special or revival services the whole year through on every Sunday' Any thoughtful opinions on this sub-

ject by those interested will be welcomed. At least, let the pastors hear from you.

While Gustav Hess of Brooklyn and party were fishing off Fire island recently they anchored an eight foot shark. Before it was finally landed it had towed the boat a considerable distance.

Drain Letting.

designated as the Noyes tile drain located and established in the said township of Plymouth and described as follows to wit: Plymouth and described as follows to wit: Commencing on the north side of Ann Arbor Street, near the F. & P. M. R. R. thence in a south easterly direction to the east side of Mill street thence (60) sixty rods south along the highway; thence in a south westerly direction about (86) eighty six rods to the Tonquish Creek. Said job will be let by sections. The sec-tion at the outlet of the drain will be let first, and the remaining sections in their

He-I-I would propose to-to you. if I knew what to say. She-You wouldn't if you knew what I'd say.

Wiggles-Is Tompkins a hard stu-dent? Waggles-I should say he was! He's just about as hard as they make

May-Do you read after going to bed? Madge-Yes. I love to read poetry on my back. May-Bless me! You must be a contortionist.

"It must be grand to hear .he dash of the waves upon the beach" "I don't know." Haven's you been here all summer?" "Oh, yes, but there are six girl boarders here and all great talkers."

Many steamboats made in Pittaburg are plying on South American rivers.

Six-tenths of the population in Japan do not earn more than \$10 per month.

Probably the largest tenement in the world is an enormous tenement in Wieden, a suburb of Vienna. It has 1,500 rooms, in which a whole town of human beings live.

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A New York butter dealer makes these seemingly inconsistent an-nouncements: "Very best butter, 23 nouncements: "Very best butter, 23 cents; do. fine, 22 cents; do. good, 20 cents; cooking butter, 17 cents.

Eleanor Markham, 22 years old, of Sparkers, N. Y., recovered from a trance just as she was to be placed in a coffin preparatory to burial. Her physician thought she was dead.

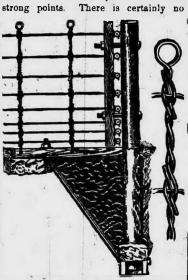
Savannah has the honor of projecting and building the first trans-atlantic steamship, which was built and owned in Savannah, was called the Savannah and sailed on its first voyage in 1819.

The mean temperature of several leading cities is as follows: Athens 63 degrees, Boston 49, Calcutta 78, Charleston 66, Constantinople 56, Dubin 50, Havana 78, Jerusalem 63, London 50, Mexico 60, Moscow 41, Naples 61, Paris 51, St. Louis 55, San Francisco 56, Savannah 67, Stockholm 42, Washington 56, Zanzibar 80.

GUARANTEED CURE.

We authorize our advertised druggist to sell Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, Notice is hereby given that I, Gideon P. Benton, township drain commissioner of the township of Plymouth, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, will on the thirdday of September A. D. eighteen hun-dred and ninety-four, on Ann Arbor street between M. R. Patterson's and the F. & P. M. R. R., in said township of Plym-outh at pine o'clock in the forenoon of that day proceed to receive bids for the construction of a certain drain known and designated as the Noves tile drain located offer did we not know that Dr. King's New Discovery could be relied on. It never disappoints Trial bottles, free at John Scale's drug store. Large size 50c and \$1.00.

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Too late for last week.

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H. J. and A. E. Lewis have purchased a 'Southwick" hay press and already commenced business with it.

The Dixborough ball club came here last Saturday and played a game with the C. H. club, but they were defeated by a score of 35 to 9.

A call has been issued for a special meeting of the tax payers of this township, at the town hall on Wednesday the 22nd, for the purpose of raising an additional \$1.000 for bridge building and repairing.

D.S. Bryant has begun suit against highway commissioner Lewis for al. leged breech of contract in refusing, to employ him in the construction of bridges The case had its hearing at Plymouth on Monday the 20th.

Esq. Huston left Tuesday for Leroy, to visit his son Prof. J. D. Huston who has been conducting the high school there for several terms. The Prof. has been teaching a summer term and was unable to take his annual vacation at home.

B. S. WEBBER, Prop. Goods left at Plymouth laundry. R. L. BRIGGS, Prop.

Sunday on Seven Islands

The D., L. & N. will run a special train excursion to Grand Ledge and the popular "7 Islands" resort on Sunday, August 26th. Train will leave Plymouth at 8:45 a. m. arriving at Grand Ledge at 11:30 n. m. Returning, leave at 7:00 p. m. Round trip fare \$75c.

This will proba ly be the last opportun ity of the season to visit this resort at such low rates. It's a beautiful place, and a very enjoyable day may be spent on the Islands. 263

GEO. DEHAVEN, G. P. A. Low Rates For G. A. R. at Pitts-

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The C. & W. M. and D. L. &. N. lines will sell ticket s from all stations to Pittsburg, Pa., on occount of the G. A. R. En campment, at reduced rates. Dates o sale, Sept. 5th to 10th inclusive. Return limited Sept. 25th. Tickets will be solu via various routes and stop off will be allowed between Pittsburg and Clevelane or Toledo.

Full information will be given on ap plication to our agents, or to GEO. DEHAVEN, G. P. A. 365

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