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Should be Largely Attended .- Floral Offerings will be Numerous and Beautiful.

On Sunday morning at 10: 30, in the Machurch, memorial services will be held for the late. Harry Markham. The ervices will be conducted by Rev. Norton Clark, the former pastor of the

It is earnestly hoped that the church will be packed to pay respects to one of Piymouth's most popular boys. The loving and honorable disposition of Harry while with us, made for him friends wherever he was known. Not an enemy on earth did he have. Certainly this is abundant evidence that the floral offerings

will be both numerous and beautiful.

The service will be a lasting benefit to his friends, a source of comfort and peace to his parents and members of the family, and a tribute paid that we may be called upon to perform for one of our own fam-

alies at any time.

Let it be a success, both in presence

feeling.

After the services at the church, convey ances will take those desiring to go, to

A special program has been arranged for the service at the grave, which will be very unique and original.

All are most cordially invited to atten the service at the grave.

'Give Unto Ossar the Things That are Omear's, etc."

Editor Mail :- For some time I have een tortured in my store by a gentleman soliciting printing, etc., and your article a short time since, leads me to add a word.

First: Why should this gentleman solic it printing? He has no office in which to

such an institution.

I am a firm believer in the old Script-ural aduge, "Give unto Casar the things that are Casar's," etc. I think that Plymouth people, as a whole, should stand by you a: d the MAIL. It's the best "Helping Hand" Plymouth has.

He said he could discount your prices on printing many times over. he could. But, where does the profit go? To some outside man.

Now business men, and citizen general ly, don't be bamboozled by this man, whose main object seems to be to benefit some other town. For a matter of 50 cents or a dollar on a job of printing, don't be a in quality, but prices as cheap as second in grade. member that the Mail man is plying out money that is spent in our stores. I know it to be a fact, for I have been a good win-

per from the MAIL office. If you will consider the matter thoroughly, you will readily see that every penny you put into this fellow's hands out-side of his own legitimate business, you are driving that many dollars away from Penniman Block, Plymouth, Mich. tiwn. Let us rally rather to the support of institutions that support us, for it is a winner every time.

Yours for home institutions, ALLFOR PLYMOUTH.

Excursion to Island Lake.

9th. Train will leave Plymouth at 10:25 a.m., and leave Island Lake, returning at 5:30 p. m. Round trip. 35 cents. Take steamer and row boats furnish opportuni-

druggist, for the latest and best of everything in the drug line. He sells Cham m ele toda posased with the result.

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cursion to i should Lake on Sunday, June Detroit Prices.

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GINGHAMS 6c. Big variety of patterns and best goods

LACES New noveltie All the latest things.

Ducksuitings 12 1/2 c. 10 dif. ferent styles.

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Latest styles, fra good value

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every one new

this year's

make and

guaranteed.

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SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY

30 Strictly all Wool Men's Cassimere Suits, all sizes, **\$10** and **\$12** value at

\$8.98.

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Corset-Waist 50c to \$1.00 In 20 different styles. All leading makes

Suspenders 25c silk embroider'd webs tan and cream

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20 doz heavy

Mac' inteshes \$4 to \$10 Ladies—Gents Every one a bargain. Lace Curtains

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Neckw'arl Straw Hat

50c. and 75c. Fine Negligee 25c Teck, four 50c, 75c \$1.00 in-hands, bows 25c Teck,four values go at

38c Cotton Pants 56c, 68c, 75c. endless variety guarante'd the

best in town. Wool Pants \$1.50 to \$5.00 Every pair a

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Gents 75c to \$1.50

Extra strong value.

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We can save you from 20 to 25 per cent on all grades of footwear. The cut in MEN'S, BOYS and YOUTH'S TAN SHOES will be as follows:

Men's Genuine Russian Calf Hand Sewed, Needle Opera Bals, Regular \$4.50 Cut Price \$3.50

Needle Opera and Square Toe,
Crain

Regular 3.50 Cut Price 2.75
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with other dealers. The cut in prices covers not only tan shoes but the ENTIRE STOCK. We will do just what we advertise.

Leading Shoe Dealers.



Things are Said on the Q

and Sunday outing. The D. L. & N. R. R. About us by the LADIES, which we rather like. keeps the best assortment of Ladies Lundered Waists in town at 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 each. Yes, and a fine line of Ladies Suits—Prints, Percales and Dimitys—for \$1.25, \$2.75 and \$4.00. Ladies Vests 5c each.

your dinner with you. As there are no accommodations at the Lake for meals. A

Perfumery Our people are growing more and more in the habit of looking to Dr. J. G. Meiler, sent you with a fine Perlumery Bottle.

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berlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cures of bad colds, croup and whooping cough. When in need of such a medicine ern, consisting of Dinner, Breakfast and Tea Sets CALL AND EXAMINE THEM. Please We have added to our large stock of crockery another new Gold Band Decorated patthis remarks a trial and you will be remember that you are not compelled to buy a whole set of dishes, but may make your own

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1. you wish for an House Plants or Flowers, please give Us your orders. We can To D L & N. R. R. will run an exactly your a selection from a Large Variety of Choic. Plants and Deliver them at your door at

Groceries

ite and trip fare. 35 cests. Take your.

W a ways have on hand a Fresh Clean lot of Groceries (rood stock). Fine Teas bewritin place. Plenty of row boats and and C fices are our Specialty. If you once try our 50 cent Japan Tea, ou will have no other, a seamer affords means for beating. 404 Om C and Ve, etables and Cannel Fruits are of the best quality.

We are Agents for the New Home Sewing Machine.

Lives Lost by the Sinking of the Steamer Norman in Collision with the mer Jack off Middle Island.-64 Johns Factory Burned.

Norman Sunk-Three Lives Lost The steel steamer Norman, bound down, light, collided with the lumber steamer Jack off Middle island, near Alpena, and the Norman went to the Alpena, and the Norman went to the hottom. There was a fog laying close to the water and the vessels came together with a trenendous crash. The Norman sank in less than three minutes, carrying down the woman cook, a fireman and a wheelman, all of whom were asleep. The rest of the crew escaped in the boats. The bow of the Jack was completely knocked away, and she began to leak heavily, but her full cargo of lumber kept her up. The small steamer M. Sicken went to the ressue, but the captain, the two mates and two engineers refused to leave her, and the Sicken steamed away with 10 minor employes. The tug Frank W. towed the Jack to False Presque Isle.

The Norman is one of the large steel steamers of the modern class. Her measurements are 202 feet long on the keel, 40 feet beam, 21 feet deep, and she registers 2,304 gross and 1,560 met tons. She belongs to the Menomineo Transportation company, of Cleveland, and is fully insured. She cost over \$200,000 to build.

The Jack is owned by Calvin, of Kingston, Ont., and is a new steamer, being on the return from her first trip. The Jack is owned by Calvin, of thingston, Ont., and is a new steamer, being on the return from her first trip. The Jack is owned to break one of the locks so badly that all navigation to Lake Ontario was stopped for exveral days, and just before sinking the Norman she had passed between the Sicken and her first consort, cutting the tow line, narrowly escaping a collision. m. There was a fog laying close water and the vessels came to-

ting the tow line, narrowly escaping a collision.

Counterfeiters Cleverly Captured.

Counterfeit Canadian quarters have been very plentiful about Tekonsha recently, and the United States anthorities were notified of the suspicions against certain persons. U. S. Marshal Large was placed on the case and assisted by Sheriff Swain, of Coldwater, and Deputy Sheriff F. A. Granger, of Tekonsha, diove into Fredonia and arrested William Mohr and Eugene Kittinger. So quietly were the arrests made that Mohr was caught in the very act of making the bogus coin. He made an effort to secrete his guilt, but the marshal was too quick for him. In his pocket was found a mold with a coin just run. Kittinger is not known to be implicated other than passing the money, but claims that he did not know where he obtained it. Marshal Large took his prisoners to Detroit. Counterfeiters Cleverly Captured.

650,000 Fire at St. Johns.

Fire started in the finishing room of the St. Johns Manufacturing company and the Whipple Harrow works at St. and the Whipple Harrow works at St. Johns, through the explosion of the contents of a varnish vat. The floor being saturated with oil, varnish and maptha, a heavy wind and the dry condition of everything and the unsatisfactory working of the water works, the fire soon gained such headway that it was impossible to stay its progress. It was with the great efforts of the fire department and citizens that the fire department and citizens that the fire department and citizens that the fire department are successful to the fire department and surrounding buildings were saved. The loss is fully \$50,000.

MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS

All the Gogebie mines are preparing or an active season.

Isabella county has but two criminal ases on the June docket.

The F. & P. M. depot at Mt, Pleasant was damaged by fire.

John Gore, an old resident of Grand Bapids, died from sunstroke.

Charles Norwood was very seriously injured in a runaway at Wayne.

Adolph Link, of Hancock, fell dow Quincy mine shaft and was killed.

While bathing in Long Lake, neamlay City, George Bohm was drowned Lightning caused the destruction of Henry Marhoff's barn near Gaiesburg.

Jacob Kalicker was killed at Petos-key by the caving in of a well he was digging.

Fire burned two residences and marns at Holland. The damage will

Sanford Kinne, an old and highly respected farmer, suicided near Colon by cutting his throat.

Monroe citizens are organizing a \$20. 600 stock company to work some of the stone quarries near town. es Barrett fell off the D., G. H

& M. bridge at Spring Lake while fishing and was drowned.

The cornerstone of the German Beth-lehem Evangelical church, to cost \$25,000, was laid at Ann Arbor.

Earl Ware; a mail carrier and ex-alderman of Ann Arbor, succumbed to to the heat and fell in the street.

The little 3-year-old girl of E. Jacob-con, of Northport, was burned to death in bed while her parents were absent. There is a movement on foot to make

Gen. Alger one of the delegates at-large to the next national convention. The Homeopathic Medical society of he state of Michigan held their menty-sixth annual convention at De-

Thomas Dickerson, a widewer, aged best 55, committed micide at Grand Ingide by taking morphise. No cause

By a rear end callision at Temple form cars were described on the T., A. A. N. M., and trains on any of sev-

A cow kicked over a lantern in a barn belonging to H. H. Warner, of Algansee, and about \$1,500 will cover the damage.

Two sunstrokes are reported at Erie, that of J. G. Fix, a carpenter, and Henry Clark, a well-to-do farmer. Both will recover.

Lightning rod swindlers are operat-ing in Allegan and surrounding coun-ties, and a number of farmers have been victimized.

Uncle Ben Ferguson, of Coldwater, aged 77 years, ran a race with this young grandson, the latter using a bicycle, and won.

Some unknown person scattered blue vitriol in various watering troughs for horses at Kiles. The poison was discovered in time.

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A seven-year-old son of Joseph French, near Lexingtion, was drowned in Black river while wading across to drive the cowshome.

Mrs. Grise was awarded \$14,000 damages against the D. B. C. & A. railroad at Alpena because of the killing of her husband two years ago.

Peter Capsuma, a laborer at Grand Rapids, suffered a sunstroke. He is 39 years old and has a family. It is thought he will recover.

Durand is figuring on the Oviatt Wagon Co., of Lansing, building a big factory in their town. They are trying to rake \$10,000 to help it along. A correspondent at Lake Linden denies the report that the Calumet & Hecla mining company has raised the wages of their 3,500 employes 10 per

While several persons were attempt-ing to gain admission into a house of ill-repute at Manistee, Minnie Cornell shot at the party and wounded Wm.

Murphy.

The Lake Superior Iron company has closed down its mine at Ishpeming. More than 200 men were laid off. It is said that no market can be found for the product.

A Flushing correspondents ays wheat in Genesce and Shiawassee counties will not be more than one-third of a crop. Hot winds have dried up meadows and pastures.

ows and pastures.

The state board of auditors has awarded the contract for supplying he state with stationery for two years, commencing July 1, to Ihling Brothers & Evarard, of Kalamazoo.

Gov. Crapo Post G. A. R., of Flint, adopted resolutions, denouncing as treason the erection of monuments to confederate soldiers and asking all other Michigan posts to join the protest.

While making the trip between Cedarville and Snow islands, Luke Michigan, a boat containing Tony Shipman, of Cheboygan, and Mike Manion, of Toledo, capsized, and the men were drowned.

While shopping at Jackson, Mrs. John R. Fellows, of Blackham, was, overcome by the heat and dropped dead on Main street. The deceased was 62 years old, and belonged to one of the oldest and wealthiest families in Jackson country. in Jackson county.

in Jackson county.

Fire destroyed the large saw, shingle and picket mill of Samuel Moore, at Elmer City. About 200,000 feet of lumber and 100,000 shingles were also burned. The loss is estimated at \$6,000, with no insurance. This is the third time Mr. Moore has been burned out, and he will again rebuild.

Nearly a thousand sports invaded Pittsford to see a prize fight to a finish between Burt Halleck, of Ransom, and a bruiser of Montpelier, O. Under Sheriff Jim O'Mealey heard the crowd going by his home, and reached the ring at 1 a m. in time to break up the fight. The crowd threatened to mob him, but his nerve cowed them.

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Lemon Bros. circus train was badly wrecked at Beaver. Five circus attendants were severely injured, one of them fatally. Three horses were killed outright, and three thers were so injured that they had to be killed. One lion escaped. The wreck was caused by disregard of orders by engineer and conductor of the circus train.

Trap rock, which has for many years been considered as worthless by owners of copper mines, is now said to be just the thing to pave driveways and boulevards. Cleveland contractors are negotiating with the big copper mine owners of the upper peninsula for the vast piles of traps that have been accumulating about their mines for many years.

road, extending from Frankfort to Thompsonville, and operated as a part of the T. & A. A. railroad, was sold under foreclosure at Benzonia to George Lord Day, of New York, and Albert C. Hall, of Connecticut, for \$100,000. A Hall, of Connecticut, for \$100,000. A new company was at once incorporated, to be known as the Escanaba, Frank-fort & Southeastern Railroad company, ort & Southeastern Kanroan comp and the property was transferred.

August Crampton, aged 23 years, was found dead in bed at Grand Rapide with his jugular vein severed and his hand still clasping a bloodstained jackknife. The young man was a crimbe, having lost hoth legs four cripple, having lost both legs four years ago while attempting to board a train. He became insure from brooding over his misfortune and was confined at Kalamazoo for a time. He had made three previous attempts on his life. his life.

Bank Commissioner Sherwood has issued an abstract of the reports of the state banks and trust companies of Michigan, showing their condition at the close of husiness May 7. There are 167 state banks and four trust companies included in the report, and the consolidated statement shows that from the last previous report. December 19, the aggregate loans increased \$3.765.140.72, and during the same period the deposits increased \$3.226,058.38.

The assembly, at Hay View com-Bank Commissioner Sherwood has

USS. 38.

The assembly at Hay View commences a four weeks program on July 17. The resort opens a week earlier. Important improvements are being made this year. The summer university with its 43 instructors from leading educational institutions now embraces sevent thoroughly equipped schools—college, conservatory, in the achools should make the day of the classes on August 14. All Michigan and for uniters it can be a few of the classes on August 14. All Michigan and firm of the classes on August 14. All Michigan and for uniters it can be a few of the classes of the class The assembly at Ray View companences a four weeks program on July 7. The resort opens a week earlier, and blossoms grow in every apart, maportapt improvements are being ande this year. The summer university with its 40 instructors from leading educational institutions now empanes never thoroughly equipped and server the lady of the executive manner and the chools, schools, echocals culture and few wifes. The quies of Madagnacar always the loss of both his legs. He alleges that he foured boiling water into its least to make the control to the control of the control

STATE LEGISLATURE.

ATE .- 95th day-Bills passed: sendo for the uga as Fine, gave the analysis report strongly recommending that Clark be retained. The Sendors became that fed up in a debate over the reports, resulting in both of them being tabled gad per consequence killed, leaving the matter in statu quo Gov. Rich send were confirmed. H. H. Hinds, of Stanton, member live stock sanitary commission six years, A. V. McAlvay, of Maistee, and Delos Fall. of Album, members of state hoard of health, six years; John M. Longwear, Marquete, and Alfred Kittler. Marquette, mining school for theat, six years; Win M. Spears, Vassist, echool for theat, six years; Win M. Spears, Vassist, echool for theat, six years; Win M. Spears, Vassist, echool for theat, six years; Win M. Spears, Vassist, echool for theat, six years; Win M. Spears, Vassist, echool for theat, six years, with mining the board of state auditors to include the property of the state treasury of the library six years. The benate bassed the flouse plott resolution authorizing the board of state auditors to include the state treasury of the library six years. The benate bassed the flouse plott resolution authorizing the board of state auditors to include the state treasury of the library six years. The benate bassed the flouse plott resolution op system of the state treasury of the library six years. The state officers who were removed by the governor tor neglect of duty in connection with the canvass of the rithress on the state treasury of the rithress on the state treasury of the rithress on the state treasury of the portal circles each \$2 per day and arrolling clerk, but clerk, the clerk of the judiciary committee and two or three other committee clerks at \$1 per day extra. The committee clerks at \$1 per day extra. The modiments made by the House to the durry throuly lift of the modified propositions relative to tomaship business and the state of the stat

Thirty-three Drowned.

A terrible accident occurred on the A terrible accident occurred on the Spanish river, in Ontario, by which 33 mem lost their lives. The victims were lumbermen who had encamped for the night on a crib of square timber mored to shore near the head of the rapids, which at this point are very precipitious and rocky. All had gone to sliep without leaving a watchman to guard the crib. Somehow during the night the crib. The properties were not successful the sight the crib. to guard the crib. Somehow during the night the crib broke from its moor ingsland carried its cargo of sleeping men into the surging waters below. The crib was broken to pieces on the rocks and not a man escaped. The Spanish river flows into the north channel of Lake Huron at a point north of Manitoulin Island.

Mrs. B. A. Allen was robbed of \$1.112 at Coopersville, on the night of May 4. Officers have arrested Fred L. Signor at Grand Rapids. He has confessed to being the author of the job.

WOMEN.

The princess of Wales has a collection of lace that is worth at least \$300

at Monte Carlo, occupying her leisure with the writing of her reminiscences since she ascended the throne of France. The ex-Empress Eugenie is staving

France.

Mme. Sarah Bernhardt denies that
she ever said that woman is the equal of man. What she did say and is that the actress is the equal of the

Is that the actives is all spaces of actor.

The Nevada assembly has voted 13 to 11 in favor of full suffrage for women. The measure had passed the senate two days before by a majority of six votes.

Mrs. Bradley-Martin is always talked

d has Mis Bradley-Martin is always talked about when the questions of jewels comes up, on account of her owning and having worn before she went into There to that a decording to Mr. Cross, in his memoir of his wife, the reason she took the hame of George Eliot was, as she reased same a good, mouth-filling, easily pronounced work."

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

GENERAL NEWS FROM VARIOUS SOURCES BRIEFLY TOLD. Extremely Hot Weather Causes a Great Many Beaths-Pennsylvania Oil Reglous Soffer From Forest Fires - Japanese Bombard Formosa Citles. Scores of Deaths From Heat. The intensely hot weather at the end of May and the first week in June, besides doing incalculable damage to

end of May and the first week in June, besides doing incalculable damage to crops, caused a large number of deaths. The record was broken in New York City, when II persons died from its effect and 10 others were fatally prostrated, all in one day. During the first five days of the heated term in that city 33 deaths occurred from the heat. Chicago reports a total of 10 deaths and at least 40 minor prostrations. Philadelphia made a record of seven deaths in one day. Baltimore reported four, Indianapolis three, and that is the way it went throughout the country, nearly every city reporting deaths and prostrations. The currious feature was that Galveston, Tex. and New Orleans, I.a. were about the coclest places of their size. The states west of the Mississippi river and bordering the Missouri were given relief by terrific rainstorms, as much as five nucles of water falling in 36 hours. At Plowville, Pa., severe lightning accompanied the heat, killing three men. Michigan suffered terribly from the scorching sun. Detroit had not known such torrid weather in many years and at least 25 people were overcome by the heat, three of these resulting in death. The growing grain was greatly damaged by the continued scorching. Throughout Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and neighboring states the same weather prevailed.

OIL COUNTRY ABLAZE.

McKean County, Pennsylvania, Being Swept by Disastrons Fires.

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Sparks from a lumber railroad locomotive set fire to the woods about Knne, Pa., and with the assistance of a brisk wind the flames swept, orward without check. It was not long before the oil fields were reached and several small settlements were completely destroyed. Fires started in other directions and almost half of McKean county, Pa., was visited by the fires. Oil rigisall through that section were burned as well as millions of, feet of standing timber. Coon Runla, a small settlement near Bradford in the heart of the oil field, was wiped off the face of the earth. The people had to flee for their lives and many women and children were panie-stricken and nnable to move. They had to be carried to places of safety. Conductor Tanks, of the Pittsburg & Western, says the people on the oil leases are fleeing for safety, but the fire spread so quickly that he cannot see how all of them could have been saved. Several oil pumpers are reported missing. A message from Knapp's Creek says the leases have been fire-swept and 50 rigs are destroyed. Several dwellings have been burned and the town with 1,000 geople was endangered. At State Line, on the Western New York & Pennsylvania, several dwellings together with 1 a large amount of lumber were consumed. A lumber camp, composed of seven dwellings at Oil Valley Junction was destroyed together with thousands of dollars worth of lumber the consumed.

Junction was destroyed together with thousands of dollars worth of lumber. The fire may be said to extend over the entire northern oil field of Pennsylvania. It is impossible as yet to give any computation of the damage or the deaths on account of the scope of country the fire covers.

Uncle Sam's Financial Deliciency

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Washington: Treasury officials are now contident that the close of the fiscal year one month hence will show a deficit of not more than \$44,000,000, which is at least \$5,000,000 less than was predicted a few weeks ago. It is shown that the pension payments during June will be at least \$2,500,000 less than for May, and that the payments on account of interest will also be reduced \$1,500,000. Then there will be an increase if som internal revenue of \$3,000,000 on account of receipts from special liquor, tobacco and oleomargarine licenses which must be paid before July 1. The month of July, however, is likely to see the deficit increased by at least \$10,000,000, as that month's interest payments will aggregate about \$7,000,000. Disbursements in every branch of the government are usually much heavier in July than in any other month, so that without the receipts are greatly increased the deficit on August 1 next will not likely fall much short of \$55,000,000 for the 13 months.

Fighting in Formosa Hostilities have commenced at Formosa. Private advices received are to the effect that the Japanese are bombarding Kee-Tung, a town in the extreme north of Formosa. It is believed that the bombardment is being cartial that the fact. The Japanese are proposed to the second se that the bombardment is being carried on by the fleet. The Hong Kong correspondent of the London Times reports that the Formosan republic is not popular and is clearly only an official movement, having no connection with the southern agitation. The president of the new republic, Tang Chiang, commands 100,400 Swatow. Hunnn and Cartfon braves, together with the military of Hakka, the chief who was proclaimed king of northern Formosa, all well armed with Mauser, Lee and Peabody rifles, and Winchester carbines, with plenty of ammunition. H. M. S. Redbreast and the German gunboat Illis are inside Tamsui harbor to project foreigners. Active preparations are making at Tai Peh Fu to resist the Japanese advances from Kee Tung.

Tung.

160 LIVES LOST

San Francisco Mail Steamer Founders Off the Coast of Mexico.

San Francisco and steamship Colima. with 182 persons aboard, including passengers and crew, foundered off the coast of Mexico. Fourteen passengers and dive members of the crew reached Manzanilla, Mexico, and gave the first information received at San Francisco is meagre but very definite. The Colima sailed from San Francisco for Panama and way ports. She carried 129 passengers, 40 in the cabin and 36 whites and 46 Chinese in the steerage. The officers and crew numbered 70 making in all 182 people on board the steamer.

steamer.
Later dispatches say that 19 persons rescued were picked up in one of their loats by the steamer San Juan and that although a search was made none of the other boats of the Colina could be found. The passengers were askeep when the accident occurred. A bursting builer caused the disaster.

The Collma was a single serew propeller with an iran hull. She was built in 1870 at Chester. Pa., by John Roach & Sops. She carried about 2,000 tons of cargo, and was valued at \$103,000.

Steamer Runnels Burned.

The steamer H. E. Runnels, Buffalo to Milwaukee with coal, was towed into harbor at Ashtabula and sank after a heroic fight with fire for several hours. At 4335 a.m. the Runnels was on Lake Eric. 30 miles off Ashtabula, when a lamp exploded in the fire-hold. The itanes were soon beyond control of the crew, and gradually worked their way into the cargo of coal. Fortunately there was no sea and but little wind, which enabled the imperilled crew to prolong the fight, until two other vessels came to their assistance. She is owned by the Jenks Shipbuilding company, of Port Huron, and was valued at \$55,000. She was built in 1893. Fully insured. The steamer H. E. Runnels, Buffalo

An Entire Family Insand.

An entire family of seven were taken into custody at Cleveland charged with insanity. The family consists of Henry Buchwold, his wife, and two grown daughters, Eva and two grown daughters. Eva and two grown daughters and two grown daughters. father; Charlotte Juchwold, his wife, and two grown daughters. Eva and Emma, and three snañ children. All of the members of the family are strong believers in the spicitualistic faith and have been looked in their home over a week holding wildly inseate seances. One daughter believed that she was a spirit and the others believed that she must die. The spirit was willing to be sacrificed, but the officers arrived in time to prevent it.

Killed by Good Luck.

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David Weaver of Chiro, W. Va., on whose land a big 240-barrel-per-day oil well was struck, died of heart disease resulting from excitement over his stroke of good fortune. He had been a poor man all his life, and the prospect of sudden wealth was too much fool him.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Three boys-plenty of matches-ess \$60,000-Beaver Falls, Pa.

John Foster was overcome by heat at St. Louis and fell under a passing brigk wagon, which crushed him to death.

Mrs. Wm. Irwin committed suicide at Ellsworth, Kan., by pouring gaso-line over her clothing and applying a match.

A dispatch from Key West, Fla. aspatch from key West, Fla., says that the sympathizers of the Cuban revolution have received telegrams stating that Jose Marti, the Cuban leader, is not dead as the Spaniards reported.

Harry Parker, a 16-year-old colored boy, was standing on a principal street in Omaha when an unknown white man walked up and stabbed him to the heart, causing instant death. The murderer then coolly walked away.

* A mob took Nelson Federoff from the lockup at Laurelville. O.. and hanged him. He was charged with a brutal assault upon a little girl whom he overtook in the road. He was 50 years old and the father of six children.

At the mining town of Littles, near Petersburg, Ind. Hawkins Deball and his brother Albert became involved in a quarrel and neighbors interfered. Pistols and shot guns were used, and when the smoke cleared away six men were found to have been shot.

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Heavy rains caused the banks of Curtis lake, at Curtis, Neb., to give way. The Burlington railroad tracks were washed away and an engine plunged into a washout, killing four men, near Oxford, Neb. The curtis rolling mills are heavily damaged.

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The American steamer Washtenaw was stranded in the Straits of Magellan, and it is reported was a total loss. She was owned by the Saginaw Steel Steamship Co., of Saginaw, Mich., and among the 30 persons on board were five citizens of Saginaw taking a trip from Philadelphia to San Francisto for their health.

China and Japan.

Gen. Rengifo, representative of the Republic of Colombia. S. A., to the United States, has been authorized to present a claim against the United States because of the losses austained through the retaliation of this country when Colombia refused to sign, the retiprocity treaties of President Harrison's administration. Gen. Rengifo and the discriminating tariff rates almost resind the coffee, hides, augurant moiasses trade of his country.

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SATISFACTORY REPLIES.

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A Marked Increase in the Sale of the New Specific Remedy.

Detroit, Mich: City druggists here report a great number of enquiries with regard to the specific remedy for Bright's disease, diabetes and all forms of kidney complaint, known as Bodd's Kidney Pills. A partial investigation has shown that in every case the reply of the druggists to the questions of their customers have been highly laudatory of the remedy and that they have been able to cite mony cases

laudatory of the remedy and that they have been able to cite many cases from their own personal knowledge were the most signal benefits have been derived from its use. The result has been a very marked increase in the number of sales made and several unusually large orders, have been giver.

Dodd's kidney Pills are put up in round, tlat boxes with blue labels and red band. The public is cautioned against imitations and substitutes. If your druggist has not the genuine they will be forwarded on receipt of price, 30 cents a hox or to boxes for \$2.50 ty addressing the proprietors, the Dodd's Medicine Co., Ltd., Ruffalo, N. Y.

Ohio Republican Convention

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The Republican state convention held at Zanesville, O., was an extremely warm gathering there being a fight between what were termed the McKinley and the Foraker forces for their respective candidates for governor. About 5,000 people were crowded into the hall when Col. J. C. Ronner, chairman of the state central committee, called for order. The usual convention preliminaries were preceeded by a speech from Senator Sherman as chairman. The balloting for candidate for governor first resulted: Bushnell, 58: Barger, 86; Harris, 56; Hoyt, 176½; Keifer, 74; Nash, 168; Neuin, 60; Poe, 146½. Five more ballots were required before a choice was declared. The sixth, ballot stood Gen. Asa S. Bushnell 509, Nash 201, Hoyt, 111, necessary for choice, 414. Gen. Bushnell was declared the nominue, a victory for the Foraker men. Gen. Asa W. Jones, of Youngstown, was named for licutenant-governor by acclamation and the other nominees were Auditor of state. W. D. Guilbert, Caldwell: supreme judge. Thaddens A. Marshall. Chillicother; clerk of supreme court. Josiah B. Allen, Athens; attorney-general, Frank S. Monett, Findler, state treasurer, Sanuel B. Campbell. Steubenville: member board of public works, E. L. Bybarger, Coshocton.

The resolutions declared adherence to the principles of the Republican party, and for protection and fair elections. The currency plank favors bimetallism and the use of both gold and sliver as standard money, either in accordance with a ratio to be fixed by an international agreement if that can be obtained, or under such restrictions and such provisions to be determined by legislation, as will secure the maintenance of the parity of values of the two metals, so that the purchasing and debt paying power of the dollar, whether of silver, gold or paper, shall be at all times equal. The Pennocratic administration was denounced as was the free wool provision of tariff act: present administration for pression bureau; government's course in Hawalian and Nicaragua affairs. The resolutions indorse McKinley's ca presidency.

Pittsburg labor organizations with a total of 25,000 members have organized the Union Labor league of western Pennsylvania. They will aim for an eight-hour day and an increase in wages.

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REVIEW OF TRADE.

and among the 30 persons on board were five citizens of Saginaw taking a trip fron. Philadelphia to San Francisto for their health.

President Cleveland and family have concluded preparations for moving to their summer home at Huzzard's lay. It was supposed that an interesting event about which all the people of the Frited States have a respectful curiosity might delay this program. It is now understood that Mrs. Cleveland can travel to the sca shore with perfect safely.

Laprosy is the disease which it is alleged is afflicting 16-year-old Mary Carlin. of Lester street, Cleveland. During the last few years all the small toes have disappeared from her left fold and there are other symptoms which some of the doctors claim to redomize as having been noticed by them in undoubted cases of leprosy in China and Japan.

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A cloudburst along the Johnson and Devil rivers in Texas caused the loss of five human lives, and about 2,500 head of sheep and cattle.

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Maj. Mortimer Higley, of Cedar Rapids, Ia., is an intimate friend of Frenident Dole, of Hawaii. He has just retrained from the islands, and says the life of the present administration is limited unless assess of the powers come to the resum, and that Japan. Suched with recent victories over thim, is terring toward the latent republic and will undoubtedly mass it unless assess of the latent is the latent of the latent of the latent of the latent republic and will undoubtedly mass it unless assess of the latent is the latent of the

INCHIGAN PEOPLE AND WHAT THEY ARE DOING.

Lives Lost by the Sinking of the mer Norman in Collision with the mer Jack off Middle Island.-64 Johns Factory Burned.

The steel steamer Norman, bound down, light, collided with the lumber steamer Jack off Middle island, near Alpena, and the Norman went to the bottom. There was a fog laying close to the water and the vessels came to gether with a tremendous crash. The hottom. There was a fog laying close to the water and the vessels came together with a tremendous crash. The Norman sank in less than three minutes, carrying down the woman cook, a fireman and a wheelman, all of whom were asleep. The rest of the crew escaped in the boats. The bow of the Jack was completely knocked away, and she began to leak heavily, but her full cargo of lumber kept her tip. The small steamer M. Sicken went to the rescue, but the captain, the two mates and two engineers refused to leave her, and the Sicken steamed away with 10 minor employes. The tug Frank W. towed the Jack to False Presque Isle.

The Norman is one of the large steel steamers of the modern class. Her measurements are 202 feet long on the keel, 40 feet beam, 21 feet deep, and she registers 2,304 gross and 1,860 met tons. She belongs to the Menomisso Transportation company, of Cleveland, and is fully insured. She cost over \$200,000 to build.

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The Jack is owned by Calvin, of Kingston, Ont., and is a new steamer, being on the return from her first trip. The Jack seems bound to cause trouble. No sooner had she reached the Welland canal just starting on her first trip, than she proceeded to break one of the locks so budly that all navigation to Lake Ontario was stopped for acveral days, and just before sinking the Norman she had passed between the Sicken and her first consort, cutting the tow line, narrowly escaping a collision.

Counterfeiters Cleverly Captured.

Counterfeit Canadian quarters have been very plentiful about Tekonsha recently, and the United States anthorities were notified of the suspicions against certain persons. U. S. Marshal Large was placed on the case and assisted by Sheriff Swain, of Coldwater, and Deputy Sheriff F. A. Granger, of Tekonsha, drove into Fredonia and arrested William Mohr and Eugene Kittinger. So quietly were the arrests made that Mohr was caught in the very act of making the bogus coin. He made an effort to secrete his guilt, but the marshal was too quick for him. In his pocket was found a mold with a coin just run. Kittinger, is not known to be implicated other than passing the money, but claims that he did not know where he obtained it. Marshal Large took his prisoners to Detroit. Counterfeiters Cleverly Captured

\$50.000 Fire at St. Johns. Fire started in the finishing room of the St. Johns Manufacturing company and the Whipple Harrow works at St. Johns, through the explosion of the contents of a varnish vat. The floor being saturated with oil, varnish and being saturated with oil, varnish and maptha, a heavy wind and the dry candition of everything and the unsatisfactory working of the water works, the fire soon gained such headway that it was impossible to stay its progress. It was with the great efforts of the fire department and citizens that the large piles of fumber and surrounding buildings were saved. The loss is fully \$50.000.

MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS.

All the Gogebic mines are preparing r an active season.

Isabella county has but two criminal cases on the June docket.

The F. & P. M. depot at Mt. Pleasant was damaged by fire.

John Gore, an old resident of Grand Rapids, died from sunstroke.

Charles Norwood was very seriously injured in a runaway at Wayne.

Adolph Link, of Hancock, fell down Quincy mine shaft and was killed.

While bathing in Long Lake, near Imlay City, George Bohm was drowned.

Lightning caused the destruction of lenry Marhoff's barn near Gaiesburg.

Jacob Kalicker was killed at Petos-hey by the caving in of a well he was digging.

Eire burned two residences and barns at Holland. The damage will reach \$3,000.

Sanford Kinne, an old and highly espected farmer, suicided near Colon entting his throat.

Monroe citizens are organizing a \$20,-600 atock company to work some of the stone quarries near town.

James Barrett fell off the D., G. H.

& M. bridge at Spring Lake while shing and was drowned. on Sherwood, of Lyons, poured line in a dish of boiling hot water was seriously burned.

The cornerstone of the German Beth-lehem Evangelical church, to cost \$25,000, was laid at Ann Arbor.

Earl Ware, a mail carrier and ex-alderman of Ann Arbor, succumbed to to the heat and fell in the street.

The little 3-year-old girl of E. Jacob-

in bed while her parents were absent.

There is a movement on foot to make Gen. Alger one of the delegates at large to the next national convention.

The Homeopathic Medical society of the state of Michigan held their menty-sixth annual convention at De-

Thomas Dickerson, a widower, aged about 55, committed suicide at Grand Rapids by taking morphine. No cause

By a rear end collision at Temple three cars were demolished on the T., A. & N. M., and trains delayed several hours.

The farmers of Kellogy, Allegan county, have formed a stock company with a capital stock of \$2,000 to build

A cow kicked over a lantern in a barn belonging to H. H. Warner, of Algansee, and about \$1,500 will cover the damage.

Two sunstrokes are reported at Erie, that of J. G. Fix, a carpenter, and Henry Clark, a well-to-do farmer. Both will recover.

Lightning rod swindlers are operat-ing in Allegan and surrounding coun-ties, and a number of farmers have been victimized. Uncle Ben Ferguson, of Coldwater,

aged 77 years, ran a race with his young grandson, the latter using a bicycle, and won.

Some unknown person scattered blue vitriol in various watering troughs: for horses at Niles. The poison was discovered in time.

A seven-year-old son of Joseph French, near Lexingtion, was drowned in Black river while wading across to drive the cows home.

Mrs. Grise was awarded \$14,000 damages against the D. B. C. & A railroad at Alpena because of the killing of her husband two years ago.

Peter Capsuma, a laborer at Grand Rapids, suffered a sunstroke. He is 39 years old and has a family. It is thought he will recover.

Durand is figuring on the Oviatt Wagon Co., of Lansing, building a big factory in their town. They are trying to raise \$10,000 to help it along.

A correspondent at Lake Linden denies the report that the Calumet & Hecla mining company has raised the wages of their 3,500 employes 10 per

While several persons were attempt-ing to gain admission into a house of ill-repute at Manistee, Minnie Cornell shot at the party, and wounded Wm. Murnhy.

Murphy.

The Lake Superior Iron company has closed down its mine at Ishpeming. More than 200 men were Isid off. It is said that no market can be found for the product.

A Flushing correspondent says wheat in Genesce and Shiawassee counties will not be more than one-third of a crop. Hot winds have dried up mead-ows and pastures.

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The state board of anditors has awarded the contract for supplying he state with stationery for two years, commencing July 1, to Ihling Brothers & Evarard, of Kalamazoo.

Gov. Crapo Post G. A. R., of Flint, adopted resolutions denouncing as treason the erection of monuments to confederate soldiers and asking all other Michigan posts to join the protest.

While making the trip between edarville and Snow islands, Lake Michigan, a boat containing Tony Shipman, of Cheboygan, and Mike Manion, of Toledo, capsized, and the men were drowned.

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While shopping at Jackson, Mrs.
John R. Fellows, of Blackham, was
overcome by the heat and dropped
dead on Main street. The deceased
was 62 years old, and befonged to one
of the oldest and wealthiest families
in Jackson county.

Fire destroyed the large saw, shingle and picket mill of Samuel Moore,
at Elmer City. About 200,000 feet of
lumber and 100,000 shingles were also
burned. The loss is estimated at
\$6,000, with no insurance. This is the
third time Mr. Moore has been burned
out, and he will again rebuffd.

Nearly a thiousand sports invaded

Nearly a thousand sports invaded Pittsford to see a prize tight to a finish between Burt-Halleck, of Ransom, and a bruiser of Montpelier, O. Under Sheriff Jim O'Mealey heard the crowd going by his home, and reached the ring at 1 s. m. in time to break up the fight. The crowd threatened to mob him, but his nerve coved them.

him, but his norve cowed them.

Lemon Bros.' circus train was badly wrecked at Beaver. Five circus attendants were severely injured, one of them fatally. Three horses were killed outright, and three others were so injured that they had to be killed. One lion escaped, The wreck was caused by disregard of orders by engineer and conductor of the circus train.

train.

Trap rock, which has for many years been considered as worthless by owners of copper rines, is now said to be just the thing to pave driveways and boulevards. Cleveland contractors are negotiating with the big copper mine owners of the upper peninsula for the vast piles of traps that have been accumulating about their mines for many years.

The Frankfort & Southeastern rail-The Frankfort & Southeastern rail-road, extending from Frankfort to Thompsonville, and operated as a part of the T. & A. A. railroad, was sold under foreclosure at Benzonia to George Lord Day, of New, York and Albert C. Hall, of Connecticut, for \$100,000. A new company was at once incorporated, to be known as the Escanaba. Frank-fort & Southeastern Railroad company, and the property was transferred.

August Crampton, aged 21 years, was found dead in bed at Grand Rapids with his jugular vein severed and his hand still clasping a bloodstained jackknife. The young man was a cripple, having lost both legs four years ago while attempting to board a train. He became insube from brooding over his mistostund and was confined at Kalamazod for a time. He had made three previous attempts on his life.

The ex-Empress Eugenie is staying at Monte Carlo, occupying her leisure with the writing of her reminiscences since she ascended the throne of France.

Mime. Sarah Hernhardt denies that whe ever said that woman is the equal of man. What she did say and repeats to that the actress is the equal of the actor.

The Nevade assembly has voted 19 to 11 in favor of full suffrage for women. The measure had passed the senate two days before ity a majority of six words.

his life.

Bank Commissioner Sherwood has issued an abstract of the reports of the state banks and trust companies of Michigan, showing their condition at the close of business May 7. There are 167 state banks and four trust companies included in the report, and the consolidated statement shows that from the last previous; report. Becember 19, the aggregate loans increased \$3.765,140.72, and during the same period the deposits increased \$3,226,088.33.

The assembly at Hay View commendes a four weeks program on July 1. The resort opens a week earlier. Important improvements are being made this year. The summer university with its 45 instructors from feading educational institutions how emphases seven thoroughly equipped schools—college, conservatory, hilled schools—college, conservatory, hilled schools—college, conservatory, hilled schools—methods, art oratory, physical culture and for writers. It closes on August 14. All Michigan aniltroads will sell half-fare tickets daily from July 8 to 17, inclusive, return limit August 14.

Grand Eapids board of public works will increase the wages of all employes.

STATE LEGISLATURE.

SENATE. "95th day—Bills passed: Amendage the law relative to the incorporation of the rand Council of Royal Account: providing habit of the relative to the law representation habit meet in duly instead of May; prescribing he size of fruit packages: relative to railroad crossing gates: providing that the question of conding a grounty shall be submitted to the month when it in nears that a county is inauthorizing recompilation of Micutga's statutes, and making Lowis M. Miller, cierk of the House, the efficial compiler of the statutes and supreme copit decisions. Senator Shaw, chairman of the ispecial committee to investigate charges against Superintendent Clark of the school for the deaf at Film and the school for th

A two-thirds vote was necessary, as an amend-ment to the constitution was proposed. Fer-guson who changed his vote from are to no. was hissed. This day was the last of the formal session, and when the two houses adjourned the majority of the members made for their homes. Their will be so-called sensions of both houses for three days but only the sant to keep up appearances while the governor acts on bills passed. acts on bills passed.
The Closing Scenes.
The closing boars were tuil of horse play.
The galleries were well filled and the members of both houses seemed bent on deviltry. Books, paper- and decuments were fired across the chambers, and the one who escaped without a ray or two wals exceedingly artiful at dodging.

Thrty-three Drowned.

A terrible accident occurred on the Spanish river, in Ontario, by which 33 men lost their lives. The victims were lumbermen who had encamped for the light of settings timber. lumbermen who had encamped for the night on a crib of square timber moored to shore near the head of the rapids, which at this point are very precipitious and rocky. All had gone to sleep without leaving a watchman the guard the crib. Somehow during the night the crib broke from its moorings and earlied its cargo of sleeping men into the surging waters below. The crib was broken to pieces on the rocks and not a man escaped. The Spanish river flows into the north channel of Lake Huron at a point north of Manitoulin Island.

Mrs. B. s. Allen was robbed of 81,112 at toopersville, on the night of May 4. Officers have arrested Fred E. Signor at trand Rapids. He has con-fessed to being the author of the job.

WOMEN.

The princess of Wales has a collection of lace that is worth at least \$300.000.

The ex-Empress Eugenie is staying

Is that the uctress is the equal of the actor.

The Nevada assembly has voted 13 to 11 in favor of full suffrage for women. The measure had passed the senate two days before by a majority of alx votes. Mrs. Bradley-Martin is always talked about when he questions 'of jewels' comes up, on account of her owning and having worn hefore she went into crepe the famous jeweled crown of the Ill-tated Queen Maric Antoinette.

According lo Mr. Cross, in his memoir of his wife, the reason she took the name of George Eliot was, as she explains it. "because George was Mr. Lewes' christian name, and Eliot was a good mouth-filling, easily pronounced word."

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

GENERAL NEWS FROM VARIOUS SOURCES BRIEFLY TOLD. Many Deaths-Pennsylvania Oil Regions Suffer From Forest Fires - Jap ancse Bombard Formosa Cities. The intensely hot weather at the end of May and the first week in June, besides doing incalculable damage to

end of May and the first week in June, besides doing incalculable damage to crops. cansed a large number of deaths. The record was broken in New York City, when 11 persons died from its effect and 10 others were fatally prostrated, all in one day. During the first fire days of the heated term in that city 33 deaths occurred from the heat. Chicago reports a total of 10 deaths and at least. 40 minor prostrations. Philadelphia made a record of seven deaths in one day. Baltimore reported four, Indianapolis three, and that is the way it went throughout the country, nearly every city reporting deaths and prostrations. The curious feature was that Galveston, Tex., and New Orleans, I.a., were about the doclest places of their size. The states, west of the Mississippi river and bordering the Missouri were given relief by terrific rainstorms, as much as five inches of water falling in 36 hours. At Plowville, Pa., severe lightning accompanied the heat, killing three men. Michigan suffered terribly from the scorching sun. Detroit had not known such torrid weather in many years and at least 25 people were overcome by the heat, three of these resulting in death. The growing grain was greatly damaged by the continued scorching. Throughout Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and neighboring states the same weather prevailed.

OIL COUNTRY ABLAZE. McKean County, Pennsylvania, Being Swept by Disastrous Fires.

Sparks from a lumber railroad loco sparks 170m a lumber railroad loco-motive set fire to the woods about Kane, Pa., and with the assistance of a brisk wind the flames swept onward without check. It was not long before the oil fields were reached and several without check. It was not long before the oil fields were reached and several small settlements were completely destroyed. Fires started in other directions and almost half of McKean county. Pa., was visited by the fires. Oil rigs all through that section were burned, as well as millions of feet of standing timber. Coon Runla, a small settlement near Bradford in the heart of the oil field, was wiped off the face of the earth. The people had to flee for their lives and many women and children were panie-stricken and unable to move. They had to be carried to places of safety. Conductor Tanks, of the Pittsburg & Western, says the people on the oil leases are fleeing for safety, but the fire spread so quickly that he cannot spe how all of them could have been saved. Several oil pumpers are reported missing. A message from Knapps Creek says, the leases have been live-swept and 50 rigs are destroyed. Neveral dwellings baye been burned and the town with 1.000 people was enlangered. At State Line, on the Western Ace Work & Pennsyth are destroyed. Several dwellings have been burned and the town with 1,000 people was endangered. At State Line-on the Western Kew York & Pennsyk-vania, several dwellings together with a large amount of lumber were consumed. A lumber camp, com-posed of seven dwellings at Oil Valley lunction was destroyed together, with

Junction was destroyed together with thousands of dollars' worth of lumber The fire may be said to extend over the entire northern oil field of Penn-sylvania. It is impossible as yet of give any computation of the damage or the deaths on account of the scope of country the fire covers.

Uncle Sam's Financial Deficiency

Uncle Sam's Finaucial Defletency. Washington: Treasury officials are now confident that the close of the fiscal year one month hence will show a deficit of not more than \$44,000,000, which is at least \$5,000,000 less than was predicted a few weeks ago. It is shown that the pension payments during June will be at least \$2,500,000 less than for May, and that the payments on account of interest will also be reduced \$1,500,000. Then there will be an increase from internal revenue of \$3,000,000 on account of receipts from special liquor, tobacco and oleomar-\$3,000,000 on account of receipts from special liquor, tobacco and oleomargarine licethses which must be paid before July 1. The month of July; however, is likely to see the deficit increased by at least \$10,000,000, as that month's interest payments will aggregate about \$7,000,000, Disbursements in every branch of the government are usually much heavier in July than in any other month, so that without the receipts are greatly increased the deficit on August 1 next will not likely fall much short of \$55,000,000 for the 13 months.

Highting in Formosa.

Hostilities have commenced at Formosa. Private advices received are to the effect that the Japanese are bombarding Kee-Tung, a town in the extreme north of Formosa. It is believed that the bombardment is being carried on by the fleet. The Hong Kong correspondent of the London Times reports that the Formosan republic is not popular and is clearly only an official movement, having no connection with the southern agitation. The president of the new republic, Tang Chiang. commands 100,000 Swatow. Ilunan and Canton braves, together with the military of Hakka, the chief who was proclaimed king of northern Formosa, all well armed with Mauser, Lee and Peabody riles, and Winchester earbines, with plenty of ammunition. H. M. S. Redbreast and the German gunboat Illis are inside Tamsui harbor to protect foreigners. Active preparations are making at Tai Peh Fu to reto protect foreigners. Active prepara-tions are making at Tai Peh Fu to re-sist the Japanese advances from Kee Tung.

Forest fires raged near Highwood, Gladwin county, and a strong wind drove them east. Much damage was done. A large number of telephone poles were burned down along the railroad.

railroad.

Irá Burpee has begun suit at Owosso against his stepmother for \$10,000 for the loss of both his legs. He alleges that she poured boiling water into his boots and compelled him to stick his feet into them. As a result a physician was compelled to amputate the limbs. It will be remembered that criminal proceedings were begun against her several months ago but the jury failed to agree.

160 LIVES LOST.

San Francisco Mail Steamer Founders Off the Coast of Mexico.

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The Pacific mail steamship Colima, with 182 persons aboard, including passengers and erew, foundered off the coast of Mexico. Fourteen passengers and five members of the crew reached Manzanilla, Mexico, and gave the first information of the vessel's fate. The information received at San Francisco is meagre but very definite. The Colima sailed from San Francisco for Panama and way ports. She carried 122 passengers, 40 in the cabin and 36 whites and 46 Chinese in the steerage. The officers and crew numbered 70, making in all 182 people on board the steamer. Later disputches say that 19 persons

rescued were picked up inlone of their boats by the steamer San Juan and that although a search was made none of the other boats of the Colina could be found. The passengers were asleep when the accident occurred. A bursting boiler caused the disaster.

The Collina was a single screw propeller with on iron hall. She was bank in 1879 at Chester. Pa. by John Rouch & Suns. She carried about 2,690 tons of cargo, and was valued at \$103,000.

The steamer Runnels Burned.
The steamer H. E. Runnels. Buffalo to Milwaukee with coal, was towed into harbor at Ashtabula and sank after a heroic fight with fire for several nours. At 435 a. m. the Runnels was on Lake Eric. 30 miles off. Ashtabula, when a lamp exploded in the fire-hold. The tlaines were soon beyond control of the crew. and gradually worked their way into the dargo of coal. Fortunately there was no sea and but little wind, which enabled the imperilled crew to prolong the fight, until two other vessels came to their assistance. She is owned by the Jenks-Shipbuilding company, of Port Huron, and was valued at \$55,000.

An Entire Family Insane.

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An entire family of seven were taken into custody at Cleveland charged with insanity. The family consists of Henry Buchwold, the father: Charlotte Buchwold, his wife, and two grown daughters. Eva and Emma, and three small children. All of the members of the ifamily are strong believers in the spiritualistic faith and have been locked in their home over a week holding wildly insane seances. One daughter believed that she was a spirit and the others believed that she must die: The spirit was willing to be sacrifieed, but the officers arrived in time to prevent it.

Build by Good Luck.

David Weaver of Cairo, W. Va., on whose land a big 240-barrel-per-day oil well was struck, died of heart disease resulting from excitement over his stroke of good fortune. He had been a poor man all his life, and the prospect of sudden wealth was too much for him.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Three boys-plenty of matches loss \$60,000-Beaver Falls, Pa.

John Foster was overcome by heat at St. Louis and fell under a passing brick wagon, which crushed him to death.

Mrs Wm. Irwin committed suicide at Ellsworth. Kan. by pouring gaso-line over her clothing and applying a match.

A dispatch from Key West. Fla., says that the sympathizers of the Cuban revolution have received telegrams stating that Jose Marti, the Cuban reader, is not dead as the Spanjards reported.

Harry Parker, a 16-year-old colored boy, was standing on a principal street in Omaha when an unknown white man walked up and stabbed him to the heart, causing instant death. The murderer then coolly walked away.

the lockup at Laurelville. 0., and hanged him. He was charged with a brutal assault upon a little girl whom he overtook in the road. 4le was 50 years old and the father of six children.

At the mining town of Littles, near Petersburg, Ind. Hawkins Deball and his brother Albert became involved in a quarrel and neighbors interfered. Pistols and shot guns were used, and when the smoke cleared away six men were found to have been shot.

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Heavy rains caused the banks of Curtis lake, at Curtis, Neb., to give way. The Burlington railroad tracks were washed away and an engine plunged into a washout, killing four men, near Oxford, Neb. The curtis rolling mills are heavily damaged.

The losses will reach \$100,000.

The American steamer Washtenaw was stranded in the Straits of Magellan, and it is reported was a total loss. She was owned by the Saginaw Steel Steamship Co., of Saginaw, Mich., and among the 30 persons on board were five citizens of Saginaw taking a trip fron Philadelphia to San Fruncisco for their health.

President Cleveland and family have their summer home at Enzzard's have their summer home at Buzzard's lay. It was supposed that an interesting event about which all the people of the United States have a respectful curiosity might delay this program. It is now understood that Mrs. Eleveland can travel to the sea shore with perfect safety.

safety.

Leprosy is the disease which it is alleged is afflicting 10-year-old Mary Carlin. of Lester street. Cleveland. During the last few years all the small toes have disappeared from her left foot and there are other symptoms which some of the doctors claim to recognize as having been noticed by them in undoubted cases of leprosy in China and Japan.

Gen. Remoifo, representative of the

China and Japan.

Gen. Rengifo, representative of the Republic of Colombia. S. A., to the United States, has been authorized to present a claim against the United States because of the losses sustained through the retaliation of this country when Colombia refused to sign the reciprocity treaties of President Harrison's administration. Gen, Rengifo says the discriminating tariff rates almost rained the coffee, hides, sugar and molasses trade of his country.

Essie Coleman, 20-year-old daughter of Wm. Coleman, a wealthy banker at Dunkirk, N. Y., suicided with a revolver. She was prominent in society. No cause known.

SATISFACTORY REPLIES.

A Marked Increase in the Sale of the New

A Marked Increase in the Sale of the New Specific Remedy.

Detroit, Mich: City druggists here report a great number of enquiries with regard to the specific remedy for Bright's disease, diabetes and all forms of kidney complaint, known as Dodd's Kidney Pills. A partial investigation has shown that in every onse the reply of the druggists to the questions of their customers have been highly laudatory of the remedy and that they have been able to cite many cases from their own personal knowledge were the most signal benefits have been derived from its use. The result has been a very marked increase in the number of sales made and several unusually large orders have been given. Dodd's Kidney Pills are put up in round, flat boxes with blue labels and red, band. The public is cautioned against imitations and substitutes. If your druggist has not the genuine they will be forwarded on receipt of price, 50 cents a box or it boxes for \$5.0 brite.

against imitations and substitutes. If your druggist has not the genuine they will be forwarded on receipt of price, 50 cents a box or 6 boxes for 82.50 ty addressing the proprietors, the Dodd's Medicine Co., Ltd., Buffalo, N. Y.

Ohio Republican Convention The Republican state convention

held at Zanesville, O., was an extremely warm gathering there being a fight between what were termed the McKinley and the Foraker forces for their respective candidates for governor. About 5,000 people were crowded into the hall when Col. J. C. Bonner, chairman of the state central committee, called for order. The usual convention preliminaries were preceded by a speech from Senator Sherman as chairman. The balloting for candidate for governor first resulted: Bushnell, 58: Barger, 86; Harris, 56: Hoyt, 1701; Keifer, 74; Nash, 168; Neuin, 60; Poe, 1461; Five more ballots were required before a choice was declared. The sixth ballot stood Gen. Ass. Bushnell 509, Nash 201, Hoyt, 111, necessary for choice, 414. Gen. Bushnell was declared the nominee, a victory for the Foraker men. Gen. Asa W. Jones, of Youngstown, was named for licutenant-governor by acclamation and the other nominees were: Anditor of state, W. D. Guilbert, Caldwell: supreme judge. Thaddens A. Marshall Chillicothe; clerk of supreme court. Josiah B. Allen, Athens, attorney-general, Frank S. Monett, Findlay, state treasurer, Sanuel B. Campbell. Steubenville: member board of public works, E. L. Lybarger, Coshocton.

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The resolutions declared adherence to the principles of the Republican party, and for protection and fair elections. The currency plank favors bimetallism and the use of both gold and silver as standard money, either in accordance with a ratio to be fixed by an international agreement if that can be obtained, or under such restrictions and such provisions to be determined by legislation, as will secure the maintenance of the parity of values of the two metals, so that the purchasing and debt paying power of the dollar, whether of silver, gold or paper, shall be at all times equal. The Temperatic administration was denounced as was the free wool provision of tariff act: present administration of pension bureau; government's course in Hawaiian and Nicaragua affairs. The resolutions indorse McKinley's administration, the Nicaragua canal, and Joseph B. Foraker for senator, and pledge the party in behalf of Gov. McKinley's candidacy for the presidency. The resolutions declared adherence presidency.

Pittsburg labor organizations with a total of 25,000 members have organized the Union Labor league of western Pennsylvania. They will aim for an eight-hour day and an increase in wages.

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REVIEW OF TRADE

Pun's says: More far reaching than any other change during the past week, if really warranted by facts, is the continued rised in prices of wheat and cotton, heal scarcity of either would effect all business. Happily, there is still room to hope that accounts of injury are would effect all tusticess. Happily, there is still room to hope that accounts of injury are greatly exaggerated, although there has been some evidence during the past week that both the great crops have subered more than at lirst appeared. Other chances are almost all favorable and some slightly encouraging, laborative that the subered more than at lirst appeared. Other chances are almost all favorable and some slightly encouraging, laborative conditions are satisfactory and the substantial increase in the commercial demand is a good sign. Exchanges through the clearing houses have been greatly infinited by specuration. Wheat is largely supported by public buying and the parchaeling orders from narming regions are supposed to indicate an opinion of the would not at current prices if a short crop were assured. The manufacturer is doing well, though not all the machinery is employed, but the demand has been better and there are operational advances in prices of goods. The from manufacturer is gaining rapidly and the average of prices is also higher. It is believed that the wang question will be settled at Pitts faithered during the pass week were 215 in the United States against tESI last year.

A cloudburst along the Johnson and

A cloudburst along the Johnson and Devil rivers in Texas caused the loss of five human lives, and about 2,500 head of sheep and cattle.

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Maj. Mortimer Higley, of Cedar Rapids, Ia. is an intimate friend of President Dole, of Hawaii. He has just returned from the islands, and says the life of the present administration is limited unless some of the powers come to the rescue, and that Japan. flushed with recent victories over China, is turning toward the island republic and will undoubtedly annex it unless some other power does, as there are already 40,000 Japanese in Hawaii.

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Jeannie, throwing down her pen and waving a sheet of paper with a triumphant flourish, "that list is finished at last, thanks be to goodness!
And it's just perfect; you see if it isn't just twelve names."

Jeannie licked the ink off her finger—a schoolgirl habit she had never been able to conquer—and shoved the paper over for her friend's closer inspection who exclaimed in surprise:
"Why, Jeannie, you've left out Tom Cunningham's name!"
"Well' suppose I have?" replied Jeannie.

nie.
"I didn't think," said Meta, siowly,

"I didn't think," said Meta, slowly, "that you would give a party without inviting Tom Gunningham."
"Oh, bother Tom!" retorted Jeannle, with a scornful toss of her pretty head and a deepening pink color in her cheeks. "I ain't going to invite him. I wouldn't have the number thirteen at my birthday party for anything in the world."
"Well, you can leave somebody the out," suggested Meta.

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"Oh. It isn't that."
"What has he done lately to incur your displeasure? You don't seem as cordial to him as you used to be."
"The reason is just this," said Jeannie, decidedly, "he has moved to a new boarding house ann the number of it is that dreadful unlucky thirteen."
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"Of all the silty girls that ever were heard of you are the silliest, Jeannie Gray! If I were you I'd just invite him and break the superstition."

"I couldn't do it," returned Jeannie. "I have a perfect horror of number thirteen, and, you know, Meta, this is my first real dinner party. I have been looking forward to it for years, for mamma always told, me that I could give a dinner party on my seventeenth birthday, and wind up with a dance in the evening, and anything that even suggested thirteen would spoil all my pleasure."

"What did you do on your thirteenth birthday"? Inquired Meta.

"Oh!" gasped Jeannie. "It happened on a Friday, too! I had a big birthday party, but I didn't think anything about it till it was all over."

"And what dreadful misfortune happened to you?"

"Nothing at all," said Jeannie, feebly. "And didn't you enjoy yoursel?"

"To tell the truth, I never had such a good time in my life, but I was young and giddy then."

"And according to that," argued Meta, "the ill-luck accompanying thirteen exists only in your mature imagination."

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"Well, so long as I think it," persisted Jeannie, "it would make me unhappy, and I can't help it."

"I have round thinking a very bad habit," said Meta, "niess I thought right, and you know sometimes we do that kind of thing that is, we think we are right. Now, you don't mean to say you are going to throw over such a nice, good fellow as Tom Cunningham



"DREAM OF LOVELINESS."

for a silly superstition. And you know well enough you won't enjoy yourself a bit if he isn't around somewhere."

CLEVELAND BROTHERS, to a flurray St. New York.

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Of Plymouth and Vicinity

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don't you tell him the reason." It would be only fair."

"He can find out the reason." returned Jeannie, with willful petulancy.
"I have invited my twelve for next week, and I am not going to have any thirteen around. So help me to address the envelopes, like a good girl."

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"I had before you came in, but I have changed my mind about some of them, so will write them over again."
"Shall I address the envelopes from this list?" asked Meta, holding the one recently completed in her hand.
"Well. no," answered Jeannie, hesitalingly. "I shall need that to correct from. Here, are some all ready," she added, taking a few daintily-folded notes of cream-laid paper from a pile and placing them beside Meta. "These I intend to go, and as I finish the others you can address them. I wish my handwriting was as clear as yours."
The gipls worked busily and silently for some time; only once Meta looked a trile papiered as she opened one of the notes age she sized:
"Did you say all of these were to "Tea," answered Jeannie with a little "Tank Meta continued her writing after marking the tears in Jeannie's eyes.

When her work was finished she arose from her chair.

"These are all finished now," she said, taking up her wrap which she had removed on enterlag. "Do you wish me to post them for yul?"

"If you will," replied Jeannie, trying to look bright and gay. "And now that the invitations are out I can think about my dress and other fineries."

"I suppose you will wear pale blue?" said Meta, touching a sore point.

"I don't believe I will," said Jeannie, evanively. "I wore blue at the—the last party I was at, you know."

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This explantion was rather lame, and she knew it, for Tom loved blue, consequently for the past six months Jeannie had sported every imaginable shade and color of blue.

"Oh!" said Meta. "Well, good-bye. I must be oft." And she gathered up the letters and took her departure.

Jeannie arranged the dinner table herself. All the decorations were blue and white. A broad band of blue satin edged with white lace ran down the center of the table. A blue and white china lar occupied the center. It was filled with blue and white violets tied with blue ribbor was placed at the plate of each guest, and Jeannie could not prevent a great lump from bobbing up in her throat as she laid the dantiest touquet at the plate of each guest, and Jeannie could not prevent as great lump from bobbing up in her throat as she laid the dantiest touquet at the place that should have leen Tom's.

Then she ran upstairs to dress hermelf, but when she saw a dream of blue leveliness spreid out on the bed she lisst needled her face in its gauzy folds and sobbed out: "Oh, Tom" and sat down and had a good cry.

"Whet han idde! I am!" she said to herself when she wiped her eyes, "to turn my nose red and my eyes like two hurn heles in a blanket, all for nothing; for why should I dare if he isn't here?"

So she put dn her gayest smile and

why should I care if he isn't here?"
So she put on her gayest smile and
went down to receive her guests, a
study in blue both inwardly and out-

went down to receive her guests, as study in blue both inwardly and outwardly.

The dinner wisn't half as nice as she had expected, although everything was very britiliant except the guests, and she thought them stupid; the man beside her hored the life out of her. And she was glad when it was over and they all adjourned to the large parlors, where tea was served and the musiciann struck up some lively air, which soon set a few of the younger couples to waltzing.

Jeannie had to confess that her parents had spared no pains to make her birthday farty a success.

"If only Tom were here," she kept whispering to herself, "I would be supremely shappy. And, if I wasn't ashamed to add insuit to injury I would send and ask him to come even now."

Just then her mother's voice, behind her, faid:

"I think we have lamps enough; there are thirteen in this room."

"Glad of it," spoke up her father. "There's luck in odd numbers. Hello, Tom' better lite than never. I was wondering way you didn't show up hefore this."

"Softry to be late, sir," answered Tom'n voice; but a business matter that I couldn't help kept me till too late for dhner ard too late to send a message. Good evening, Miss Jeannie," as she turned a raddant face toward him. "Mary happy returns of the day. I have now appologies to make for not fill-

"Many happy returns of the day. I have my apologies to make for not filing many place at dinner, according to your kind invilation, but it was impos-

ing my place at dinner, according to your kind invilation, but it was mapossible, I assure you. I hope you were able to fill my place at the last moment?"

"We filled your chair," said Jeannie, in a flutter of shy delight.

"Trank you" he murmured in her ear. "I am gled to know you, at least, cannot easily provide a substitute for my unworthy self."

"Don't say that," pleaded she.

"I won't," he answered softly. "If you think me worthy will you be my pertner in this wate?"

"With pleasure." she responded, giving him her sweetest smile

"And ever after?" he whispered.

"Ysa."

When their entrancing waltz was and

A sporting Boer has two racing triches, one of which has a strif fourteen feet and can go twent miles an hour.

Efforts are about to be made to all the men out of the town of.

The trick of the town of.

The women are organized trans band.

There is a spring on Percos rive San Miguel dounty, New Mexico, throws out a stream fifteen feet and three feet deep.

Sponges, states and slate pencils have been substituted.

Hail Caine, the author of "The Iman," is said to write with such a scopic fineness that fie is able to pwords on one sheet of note paper.

Dr. Jay W. Sever holds the pof associate director of the Yale nashum, but this does not preve being the bitterest foe that college ball has.

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A man with an eye for the or in discoveries has found out the England Smith is the most free found same in Scotland it is lea aid, and in Ireland Murphy.

William Black, the movellet, writing is disturbed by the sit footfall. Photo, the play with

crowded and noisy hotel.

(Special Correspondence.)



HE Rev. William
N. Cleveland will
continue his pagtorate of the Presbyterian church in
Chaumont, Jefferson county, N. Y.
Such is the decision

Such is the decision of the presbytery, which has just completed its session is that county and to which certain members of the church had made application for the removal of Mr. Cleveland. This is the simple statement of a pleasing termination to a parish trouble, Simple as it is, however, it is a fact of extreme interest, insamuch as a fact of extreme interest, insamuch as government and the entire democracy of our institutions. Elsewhere in history we could not find a parallel to this, for the country parson who has suffered an infinity of worry by reason of petty bickerings among his parishioners is the brother, esteemed and loved, of a vast nation's ruler.

This is one phase of the matter. The nation is not as a whole concerned with the fact that the parson is brother to the president. There is, alas, another side to the situation. Certain individu-

A CELEBRATED CASE.

a misisonary field, with three stations scatters—over a radius of ten miles, and had genuitely to ride the circuit every Sunday. During my work in Forestport I built two churches and a parsonage. It was while there, too, that the president was elected marper of Buffalo. It was a surprise to all of ms. We had believed that he had ability, but we had not expected that he would become prominent so speedily. He was also elected president while I was at Forestport."

come prominent so speedily. He was alsos elected president while I was at Forestport."

I asked Mr. Cleveland whether or not the family had always considered Grover to be the one son destined to eminent success in life. He laughed and assurd me that the president had not been preminently distinguished in the family circle during his early years. Indeedwithout a touch of self-consciousness and very nalvely he told me that his father had always said the brightest boy should be sent to college, and the clergymen was the boy who was sent. "Of all the sons," he added, "I had the préponderance of literary taste and was always particularly fond of books and study. On the other hand, Grover was in no wise fond of learning after my fashion, but he had the faculty of administration. And that faculty is a power by itself.

"As a boy he had, too, a strong sense of personal right and dignity. When his conviction dictated a certain course of action, he would pursue that course and no other motives were sufficient to divert him. He managed himself in such a way that he secured attention and admiration of a solid sort. More than that, when he achieved a satisfactory position he preserved it. We who knew him best in his youth did not understand the full significance of such characteristics. We did not consider him as one born to gain fame. Now, looking back and reviewing his life as I know it, I

od's Sarsaparilla are wonderful, of explanation is simple. Hood of the state of the "My girl had hip disease when five years old. She was confined to her bed and for six or seven weeks the doctor applied weights to the affected himb. When she got up ahe was unable to walk, had lost all her strength and day by day she he came thinner. I read of a cure of a similar case by Hood's Sarsaparilla, and decided to give it to Lillian. When she had taken one bottle it had effected so much good that I kept on giving it to her until she had taken three bottles. Her appetite was then excellent and she was well and strong. She has not used crutches for eight months and walks to school every day. I cannot say too much for

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People who cross a bridge before they get to

AN ACCIDENT.

Mr. Quintus Hummel, of 118 Michigan Ave., Detroit, tells a War Story of his own Experience, and

the Result.

(From Detroit News)

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Our representative called at 118 Michigan Avenue, the residence of Mr. Quintum Hummel. Mr. Hummel is a veteran of the hate war, and received, in the carapaign, an injury which has given him much pain and suffering since. He belonged to a Michigan cavulry regiment and his borse becoming frightened one day reared up, throwing him backward. In falling he struck his spine on a sharp stone, inflicting a deep cut over five inches long. The injury affected the kidneys. About two years ago the left kidney started to bleed, and has been doing so ever since. Mr. Hummel, in a few pointed sentences, gave our representative the following accounts:

"The accident of my war days' left me in bad shape; pain in my back and spine rendered me almost useless, and I was compelled to give up wonk entirely. I could not turn over in bed without assistance. I have spent hundreds of dollars in various ways trying to find relief. Physicians have told me my spine was honey-combed for 13 inches. I had given up in despair, never hoping for relief, when a friend told me about Doan's Kidney Pills, and they have done me a world of good. The pains lave disappeared from my back, and the bleeding of my kidney has almost entirely stopped. I know I can never be cantiefly cured, as I would have to be 'a new man,' but Doan's Kidney Pills have done mere to make me feel like 'a rew man' than all the other things I have tried during past years. I have not had any recurrence of, the pain or bleeding since taking them."

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CHILDREN

"And ever after?" he whispered.
"Yes."
When their entrancing waitz was ended he left her in the flowery recess of a pay window while he went to fetch her some crosm.

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"Of course he's come," echoed Meta, "when you invited him." Full don't care may so long as he is here."

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"Ahem!" said Meta.

A FEW ODD NOTES.

Within a few weeks Lord Roseberv's hair turned quitrely gray.

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'The Right Rev. Arthur Cleveland
Coxe, who is now one of the Episcopal
ishops, is also descended from this
man, and is Grover's and my cousin. with, and is Gaover's and my cousin.

"There are many members of our family was are widely known. Charles Detter Caveland is prominent in the functional world, and his History of English "Literature' is a standard. He was cousin to Grover and cousin to Grover and cousin to Grover and so of the William E. Dodge was also a routin, and Clarence Stedman's nother was Mr. Dodge's sister."

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Friday, June 7, 1895.

WATER AT LAST.

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reason and another the eco-Monday evening the Water Hoard, through its President, Mr. Sherwood, ir strong a showing of the need of a rein which to store the water, which every conock every morning, the flow from the stand pipe at least eight months. + Advina Press. hous out of twenty four, that the eby resolution authorized the Board to ascerton if the land could be secured of a reasonable rate, the price of excavating wish for change etc.

from Detroit look the ground over and were ready to report to the council Wednesday evening that a reservoir of suffi-

The reservoir will be located on the hill near what is known as the stand pipe : will be 150 feet long by 100 feet wide on the bottom, and 12 or 14 feet deep, hold-ing 1,500,000 gallons, sufficient for a week's consumption. The water from the reservoir will be used only in dry hot weather and on extraordinary occasions. At all other times water takers will have the water cool and fresh direct from the

had, 1,500,000 gallons could have been added, no complaints would have been

heard from our citizens.
Our Water Board has been unjustly criticised in the past, for failure to pro-cide an adequate water supply; but as they cannot construct or even maintain the system without the consent of the council, we fail to see where the Board is blamable. As for the MAIL, we have only praise to sound for the members of the Water Commission.

It certainly is a great relief to the Water Board to be granted this privilege. It has been their main object for nearly a year and a half. They have labored willingly to provide for the people the best supply of water possible, and at the same time provide for an emergency. That they have succeeded in having had granted to them this privilege, will be bailed by all. Let the good work be pushed.

Council Notes.

A regular meeting of the common cour cil was held Monday evening, June 3rd, at village hall. All the members were

Minutes of the last meeting were read

An ordinance creating a fire department for the village of Plymouth had its second and third reading, and was adopt-

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James Hewitt	5	00
George Arthur	3	00
J. Schilling	3	00
James Hewitt	12	50
C. Chambers		
J. E. Knapp	6	50
L. E. Cable	3	05
F. E. Lamphere	1	90
Lute Lyon	18	41

On motion it was decided that, until further notice, the use of hose for sprink-ling purposes be restricted to the hour en six and seven, morning and even

The following resolution was presented by Trustee Gale, and adopted by the council:

Resolved, by the council of the village of Plymouth that the Board of Water Commissioners be, and are hereby in-structed to at once investigate the matter of building a reservoir, and are empowered to secure the a petent engineer, and to arrange for the purchase of suitable land on which to build sald reservoir.

SPECIAL MEETING

The council held a special meeting on Wednesday evening to hear the report of VENTORS will prove interesting.

the water commissioners.

Chairman Sherwood, of the water board, made a complete statem nt as to what the board had done towards ascertaining the cost of constructing a reservoir. He said that \$1,200 or \$1,500 would build it.

By Trustee Gale: Resolved, that the Board of Water Commissioners have authority to purchase from Mr. Wm. Johnson land sufficient for a voir, and that said Board be author-

FROM OUR EXCHANGES

et room may call a ditor. This is owing min Lee. cople believe what an lawyer say cuts no

Delson, of Jonesville, certainly one the books. He feared the frost kind from blankets, carpets, bedand covered as much as possible he ground he built a ar arose in the morn ost on his vines, not kets nor sheets. Fire altehing between the goods, but burned the

hired a couple of have agreed to disagree.

Hill dale way to kick him before six The G. A. R. and W. F. o clock every morning, for the next three the choir for singing on Decoration Day,

lebrate the 4th

It is of fux of life, not the necessis a change. He may pictures on the wall of tracted with Wm. Johnson for two or the parkle and the ety of his siry friend more acres of land, had practical engineer with his light sof with allies of with and his keen when a waning pleasure: He will find that humor, and the him a waning pleasure: but the friend, whose heart is to-day, yesterday, and ever the same, whose nesting evening in a a restord color less touch is the touch of sympathy, whose than \$1,500.

The council accepted the report and by resolution ordered the Water Board to proceed with the construction of the him when he is sad—no man wishes to past from such a friend; no man can afford to do it, for that friend is one of the necessities of life.-From Useful Educa-

Take a walk through, any of the ceme teries through the country and you will almost believe that the fools are slowly but surely passing away. You pass the last resting place of a man who blew in to an empty gun; the tombstone of him who lighted the fire with kerosene; the During the hot weather of last week an enumerse amount of water was used in Plymouth, and if in addition to what we had 1.500 000 callage capital to what we had han who didn't know it was loaded over-shadows the man who jumped from the cars to save a ten rods walk. Side by side lie the ethereal creature who kept her corset laced to the last hole and the intelligent idiot who rode a bicycle nine miles in ten minutes. Here reposes a doctor who took a dose of his own medi cine and the old fool who married a young wife. Right over yonder in the north west corner the breezes sigh through the weeping willows that bend over the lowly grave of him who told his mother-in-law she lied. Down there in the potter's field, with his feet sticking out to the cold blasts of winter and the blistering rays of summer sun, is stretch ed the earthly remains of the misguided regulator who tried to lick the editor while the broken bones of the man who would not pay for his paper are piled up in the corner of the fence. Over the gate reposes the boy who went swimming on Sunday, and the old woman who kept baking powder side by side with strych-nine in the cupboard. The old fool killer gathers them in one by one, and by and by we will have quite a decent world in which to live.—Ex.

Threw Away His Canes.

Mr. D. Wiley, ex-postmaster, Black Creek, N. Y., was so badly afflicted, with rheumatism that he was only able to hobble around with canes, and even then it caused him great pain. After using Chamberlain's Pain Balm he was so much improved that he threw away his canes He says this liniment did him more good than all other medicines and treatment nut together. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by Dr. J. G. Mieler, druggist.

Excursion to Grand Ledge.

Prettiest place in Central Michigan and a popular pienic point. To open the season, the D. L. & N. will, run a popular price excursion to Grand Ledge and return on Sunday, June 16th. If you have never been there, you ought to go. If you have been, we know you want to go again Train will leave Plymouth at 8:45 a. m and arrive at Grand Ledge at 11:80 a.m. Returning, leave at 7:00 p. m. Round trip rate, 75 cents. Children under twelve half rate.

To Our Readers

readers to the advertisement of John Wedderburn & Co., Solicitors of Ameri can and Foreign Patents, at Washington se of an inventive turn D. C. To the mind \$1,800 GIVEN AWAY TO INyou desire to secure a valid pater feel sure that your ideas, or the sec trusted to your attorneys will be pro and that you will not be imposed upos, we would recommend John Wedderburn & Co., to your kind consideration. This firm has had years of experience in the practice of patent law, and in thoroughly competent to handle that class of husin and bear the reputation of being diliguis reservoir, and universal reservoir, and that the same be not less than 100 feet long by holder in this concern, and in recommended the man of such depth as the Board shall deem sufficient, and that the argence of such be paid from the gener-when your are ready to make your as casion for letters posted.

Several of the Tonquish young people d, villsih, or a thief, went to Ypsisatti to witness the unveiling permitted to make this extract: omplaint when court of the soldiers monument, on Decoration no hesitation in recommending I spaper prints such a Day. The crowd was immense.

character there is a Mrs. Resecrans is visiting Mrs. Benja

Remembe the Sunday school at 10:00

While Mr. Craiger was at work clear ing out some brush, he asked his son to throw him the ax, and doing as he v told, he threw it too hard, and the handle his arm, injuring it quite badly

Tuesday. June 4th, was the last day o school at this place, and the scholars pre-sented their teacher, Miss Cro-by, a beauiful water set and rose bowl!

As this goes to press, news has been re-ceived that Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Brown

The G. A. R. and W. R. C. wish to thank

We learn that the postoffice at Tonquish is to be discontinued Too bad, isn't it? Well, well that Newburg reporter for the Courier is getting to be a regular crank, isn't he? Those whom he wants to oun, with his golden hit don't take the paper, so they don't get the news straight. Ha! Ha! This rety of his siry friend minds me of a man whose name was Who now does live on Grumble Corne Grumble Corner, in Newburg town, and he never speaks without a frown.
P. I. K.

Newburg.

Because of the inclement weather Tues day evening the Epworth Leaguers did not meet, however business requires a meeting this week and the President calls it for Saturday evening.

The Legislature at Lansing having adjourned, Robert Rutter is once more in our midst.

The Stateaman's Wife.

"Pfwat," asked Mrs. Grogan severely, kep' yez so late th' night "
"Oi was down at Harrigan's barroom

discoosin questions av the coinage. in-therchangin oideas, Oi may say, Misthress Grogan, on free silver."

And fwin yez got t'rough yez had th oideas and Harrigan had th' silver. It is a foine statesman ye are, Oi don't think!'
-Indianapolis Journal.

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marvelous in the case of my wife. I was pastor of the Baptist church at Rives Junction she was brought down with Prieumonia succeeding La Grippe. rible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery,; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at John D. Gale's Drug Store, Regular size 50c, and \$1.00

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Dated May 13th, 1895.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE. In the matter of the estate of Louisa A. Wilson, deceased, We, the understand, having been appointed by the Probate Court for the County of Wayne, State of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine, and adjust 16 sains 18 sains 18

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS AND PERSON-AL MENTION

What Our Scribe Gathered on the Out side Other News

Items.

All kinds of weather.

John Steele and wife were in Detroit both of this place. Wednesday.

Mrs. J. Briggs, of Detroit, is visiting E. H. Briggs and family.

We desire a correspondent from New burg. Stationery and stamps furnished.

E. P. Coy, Earl Goldsmith and Bert Howe, all of Wayne, were in town, Tues-

Children's Day exercises will be held in the M. E. church on Sunday evening, Mrs. O. N. Baker spent Tuesday and

Wednesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. F. Gray. The Aetna Hose Co. were out practic

ing last Friday night, and the Phoenix on Wednesday night. Northville dropped another game on

Tuesday. This time it was Birmingham, by a score of 10 to 9. E. P. Lombard and M. R. Granger will

occupy the building recently vacated by the editor of the MAIL. Save money by trading with

Bennett & Co. Chas. Rutter will manage the Monroe ball team, instead of Robt. Rutter, as an nounced two weeks ago.

Miss Ida Boise, of Lansing, who is at tending the University at Ann Arbor, visited W. O. Allen, Thursday and Friday of

Harry Bell and wife spent Sunday and Monday in Rockwood. Mr. Bell is having quite a run in his line of business, in that neck o' the woods."

A memorial service for Harry Mark ham will be held in the M. E. church next Sunday morning. Rev. N. Norton Clark will conduct the service.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Univer. salist church will give an ice cream social at Safford's Hall on Saturday evening, June 8. All are cordially invited.

Mrs. E. H. Briggs and Miss Mary Rogers left Tuesday morning for Battle Creek to attend the state convention of the W. C. T. U4 which is held there this week.

The Plymouth Pearls went to Wayne last Saturday and returned minus their scalps. Score 16 to 8. They will play a return game here one week from to-morrow (Saturday).

The summer meeting of the Ypslanti Driving Club will be held July 2, 3, and 4. \$2,500 will be hung up in purses. Horse racing, foot racing, bicycle racing and base ball will be leading events.

The famous Nellie Pope murder trial ended in the Circuit court last Tuesday. The jury pronounced her guilty of murder in the first degree, and the judge sentenced her to prison for the remainder of her natural life.

W. H. Palmer, the artist, turned out elegant group picture of the Cherry Hill Dramatic Club. In fact all his pictures are of the highest order. It's a pleasure to note that people do not have to go out-side for first-class photos.

The Rev. G. H. Wallace will deliver the baccalaureate sermon before the graduating class this year. It will deubtless be in the evening of the 16th of the roonth in case of his absence elsewhere, a sub stitute will be provided.

Joseph A. Thick, railroad contractor who moved with his family to Plymouth a few weeks ago, has secured the contract for building the railroad from Port Huron to Lexington for \$40,000, also the contract for building the electric railway from Saginaw to Bay City for \$42,000.

on Monday evening next the Epworth League will hold a group meeting in the M. E. church, at which a choice program will be rendered. Leaguers from Detroit, Wayne, Newburg and Northville will be here in large numbers, and a genuine, good time is expected. Spend a pleasant craning with the Leaguers next Monday

Bennett & Co.'s shoe sale lasts 30 days.

A concert will be given some time in July for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church. Clarpart of the program, and has already be-gun drilling a large cherus. The chorus met last Tuesday evening for the first time, and will meet again next Tuesday evening at the Presbyterian church.

Rev. Geo. H. Wallace went to the city last week to start a young and happy couple in joint partnership for life. The arties are well and favorably known a parties are well and favorably known a short distance east of Plymouth. They were Mr. Fred Gumore and Miss Kate Rathbone. The bride's sister and Mr. — Dean stood up with them. With the virtues of health, hops, and industry, they will work out for themselves a happy and

Yol. 1, No. 1, of the Laxington News sached our table this week. The fact ast it is published by J. H. Keyes, former er of the Northville News, is sufs of its morits. The new with nearly twelve cal-rials; which is evidence

Read Bennett & Co.'s ad

Thursday.

John Fuller and family are about to nove to Detroit. Mrs. L. C. Hough and Mrs. Dr. Kimble spent Thursday in Northville.

Chas, Draper and Chas, Fisher spent Sunday in Ypsilanti. They rode over on

their whaels. Cards are out announcing the marriage of John Hood and Miss Ella Walker.

Mrs. Dr. Kimble returned Tuesday fron a visit of several weeks with her husband vho is traveling in the south.

The MAIL advertisers are reliable mor chants. Trade with them and if every thing is not satisfactory they will make it right

An elaborate program has been arranged for commencement week at Olivet College, the date being June 9 to 11, inclusive Program is on file at MAII, office if you desire to see it.

The Detroit Y. M. C. A. Wheelmen will make a tour to Niagara Falls, leaving Detroit August 14, at 9 a. m. Write A. E. Sutphin, Y. M. C. A. Building, Detroit, for full particulars.

We have again settled down to business being very comfortably located. Many are the compliments we have received this week. We believe Plymouth people will appreciate our efforts.

Another of our young men has taken upon himself the responsibilities of mar-ried life. Dewey Holloway and Minnie Adams were married at the M. E. parson age last Saturday evening by Rev. J. B. Oliver. The Mail wishes them success.

On Memorial day the veterans of Plymouth quietly decorated the graves of their dead brothers. Let no more such decorations he held in Plymouth. Surely one day in each year can be spent in paying respects to our honored dead in an appro-priate manner.

H. Roe, E. Roe and Czar Penney assist the normal base ball team at Hills-dale to day Friday.) They have sort of a field day at Hillsdale and the Normal club accompanied by the Normal athletes expect to participate in the sports. inderstand Hiram Roe will represent the Normals in a running race.

Rev. G. D. Ehnis, Lutheran minister of this place, and Miss S. E. Schleh, an es-timable young lady, of Saline, were united in marriage at the Lutheran church, in Saline, on Tuesday afternoon, June' 2 p. m. Rev. C. Lederer conducted the ceremony. The Mail extends congratulations to the happy couple.

Don't'miss the shoe sale at Bennett & Co.'s

On Tuesday evening, at the Presbyter ian parsonage, Miss Winifred Cable changed her name and promised to be the loving and dutiful helper of another, W. Burton Hannan of Canton. Mr. Hannam is a young farmer, and promised to take good and loving care of Miss Winnie. Miss Cable is well known in Plymouth as a young lady of fine character and lively disposition, and a graduate of four years standing from our high school. Mr. Hannan is to be congratulated on the choice he has made, for he will find that Winifred will make him an excellent wife Mias Cable's many friends and acquain-tances will wish her all joy and happiness in her new life.

The Rev. Mr. Ware, state agent of the Michigan Sabbath Association, gave a most interesting and profitable talk on the Sabbath question, and the work of the Association, in the M. E. church on Sun day morning. He spoke of the obstacles and hinderances to the right and honor able observance of the day, and the differ ent sources from which the greatest oppo-sition came. These were the saloon and its patrons, base ball leagues, railroad corpor ations, theaters, and thoughtless, shallow, professing christians. It was a constant fight with those powers and peoples, but the laws of God and man, on the whole, prevailed, and the Sabbath was generally respected and observed. A collection of eight or ten dollars was taken at the close, for the aid of the Association.

Standard Cyclometers for bicycles, at C. G. Draper's.

The Detroit Railway, that new line in Detroit which was built by Mesers. H. A. Everett and Albert Pack, in response to a very general, popular demand for an up-to-date street railway line, is to celebrate its opening by a grand festival fete, the main feature of which will be the presentstion of Pain's marvelous Pyro-Si "Lalla Rookh," which was the main feat-

mer. This Spectacle will cost to proper-ly produce, \$25,000, and it will be given in the northern section of Detroit, where the high ground and pure air make living even in the heat of summer, pleasurable The preparation of this spectacle center plates the use of a plot of ground 750 fee long by 300 feet deep, the building of a lake 250x60 feet, the erecting of a grand stand 300x100 feet, and an en stand storico less, and an attraction of the control of feet long by 50 feet deep. Other incidental building, in all nearly a dozen structures, will be erected. The fete is to be given July 28, 25, 37, 30; August 1, 3, 6, 7, 8 and 10, and railroad excursion be run from all points in the stat will be beyond doubt the grandest di of scenic and pyro w York City. Over 5 people will be employed in use ation. Further details as to deter eation of the park will be given by

We understand that the Northville club has arranged with the Playmates for a Northville will have, they certainly made a wise choice when they selected the Plymouth team to play them on the Fourth, it will be the drawing card from Plymouth, Wayne Dearborn, and other places. A hot gain and Plymouth wil o in to win.

Mrs. Arvilla Holloway died at he in Plymouth on Thursday at one She has suffered from a tumor for a long time and a few months ago had an operation performed which-seemed to be ccessful and hopes were entertained r her recovery. The old trouble refor her recovery. The old trouble re-turned, however, and she again became a patient sufferer until death relieved her-Funeral will be held at the house Satur lay morning at 10 o'clock.

"The Revelers" have come and gone and perhaps no company of players have ever received kinder words and louder praise than they did in the distinction of being classed as one of the best that has ever played here. They played "The Kid" and "Vendetta" here the former being a regular cyclone of fun while the latter is a romantic drama, put up in good style. In both plays Mis-Stella Blair delights the audience with he catchy dancing, and, as the boys say, is out of sight." Harry E. Lester and J. P. Carrol are the leaders. The former's character in "Vendetta" being especially note worthy. G. Bruce Richardson, Robert P Elliot and Bert E. Pier, make good assistants, while Georgia Freeland's "Mother Biscardi" in "Yendetta," was perfectly executed. The last, but not least, Rea Grastop, as "Nina Romani," simply won the hearts of the single—by her pretty face and clever act ng. In short, they are a company of stars, and every star is a perfect lady or gentleman.

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There is not the slightest doubt but the weather owes several apologies to the summer girl.

Would Gladstone have cared to cast slurs on the "new woman" if he had act retired from politics?

That Ohio editor who wants to take 500 hers on subscription account evidently wants to break into our set.

Wasn't that follow who used to sine about "Silver Threads Among the Gold" the original bimetallist in music?

The agitation of the financial ques-tion is at least causing a tremendous boom in the book-publishing business.

It doesn't seem to make much difference whether or not they are called bloomers. They will look just the

Fashion has decreed that the feminine bang must go. Henceforth Time is the only old girl who will have a

The people in Goodland, Kan., pray ed for rain and were pelted with hail-stones. The supplication business needs regulation.

The Cincinnati undertakers have decided to call themselves "morticians." This looks like running phraseology

Counterfeit pennies are in circulation in New York, Now, then, counterfeiting has reached a point where it be-

Russell Sage says a man ought to support a family on \$5,000 a year. The average man can't do it.—because he can't get the \$5,000.

Instead of making herself perni-ciously active in the world's diplomacy, Japan can afford to stay at home for awhile and sleep off her victory.

A few barrels of alcoholic beverages applied in the proper way would make it unnecessary for the Hawaiian goverament to import horned toads.

A Philadelphia hostler out of a job advertises to teach "the true English accent" for a moderate fee. Here's a rare chance for the Anglomaniacs.

It is said the Shah of Persia will not remain at the table after lobster has been brought on. What he would do in case of the substitution of a Welch rarebit is puzzling the gastronomers.

It is the general impression that business in all lines will be good next fall, but quiet during the summer. A wise advertiser, who, in anticipation of this, makes yearly contracts now, will be in the best position to take advantage of a brisk fall trade, and it is highly probable that the yearly price demanded for space by publishers now will fo many instances, he no more than the nine months' price insisted upon then.

The world is growing older and in a general way the people are improving in wisdom and culture, but in the lower levels of good common sense the slant is not upward. Witness the old thread-bare scheme of two young men in Oklahoma trying to score, or to have fun with, a man with a grin in his posses-sien. This experiment rightly belonged in the year 1703, but it was actually tried on the 11th day of May, 1895. Results as lament. The as they would have been 200 years ago.

Mayor Latrobe of Baltimore, who has been for teen years in the executive chair, is coulded with being one of the most expeditions and business-like mayors in the untry. He is a firm believer in absolutism in munici-pal government, and says: "I should like to have a chance to run this city two years without any city council at all, and to have the absolute power of appointments and removal in II the departments. It him I could show the departments. I think I could show the people 2 business administration of the

Mr. Balfour in his recent address before the English Newspaper Society, among other things said: "The news-paper in its capacity as an advertising agent is after all of the first import-ance to any civilized society, inasmuch as it brings together those who have something to sell and those who have something to buy." This comes not from a newspaper man, nor from any one interested in newspapers, but from one of the leading statesmen of England, who has had abundant oppor tunity to study the power of communi-cation by advertisement. This is as true and comprehensive as anything the eminent gentleman ever said.

A Cleveland widower who promised his wife that he "would never marry any other woman on earth" is to be mar ried in a balloon on the Fourth will probably be a wedding July. It will propaga

The supreme court of Louisiana has shows that it will be unasie for priza-fighters is give any more brutal enter-tainments in that state, and Florida-new as a nestopety on the prize ring as a legal institution. Florida should blight the prize ring as the cold wave blighted her orange groves.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

LESSON X.—JUNE 9--"THE WALK TO EMMAUS.

The Golden Text: "He Opened to Us the Scriptures"-Luke XIV: 13-32-Jesus Reveals Himself to His Fol-

Introductory: Jesus appeared three times in the morning of the first Easter day, and then left the disciples to become gradually accustomed to the fact of His resurrection. Emmaus was a village seven or eight miles from Jerusalem. The name means "warm water." probably for baths. The site is uncertain

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An Afternoon Walk, verses 13-14.

In the afternoon of that same day he appeared to "two of them." One was Cleopas (an abbreviation of Cleopatras), of whom we know nothing, for the name is not the same as Clopas (John xix.: 25-)—Cambridge Bible. The other one's name is unknown.

14. "And they talked together of all these things." Their conversation unturally twored on the all-absorbing question of the hour.

II. Josus Joins Them, verses 15-24.

15. "While they communed," Talked together. "Jesus Himself drew mar."

Josus was already walking with them when they observed Him.—Vincent.

16. "But their eyes were holden." In what way is not said, but a partial explanation is given in Mark xvi.12, where it is said that he appeared in another form.

17. "What manner of communications are these?" Implies that they were discussing with some earnestess.

18. "And Cleopas said unto Him." Literally, "Dost Thou alone sojourn at Jerusalem and not know?" Have You live wholly alone, and so not heard? or do You live wholly alone, and hence do not know?

13. "And He said unto them. What

live wholly alone, and them, 'What things?' In order to draw out their opinions. "A prophet, mighty in deed and word before God." However, the death of Jesus had made them doubt His Messlaship, they had no doubt that He was a prophet.

20. "Our gulers have cruci-

20. "Our rulers . have cruck fled Him." Treated Him as a malefac

ded Him." Treated Him as a malefactor.

21. "But we trusted." Rather, we hoped. "That it had been Me which should have redeemed Israel." The deliliverance from Rome, a new kingdom of Israel. "And beside all this, to-day is the third day." Referring either to the length of time as extinguishing all hope, or to a reminiscence of the promise of Jesus that he would rise on the third day, and the reports may be true and there is hope.

III. Jesus Opens the Scripture, 25-27.

25. "Then he said unto them, O fools." Not "fools" in the sense in which it is now used. Lack of personal, independent thought. Reluctance to receive truth which is opposed to time and prejudice. "To believe all." They believed a portion of what the prophets taught, and rejected many things they could not reconcile with what they did believe.

IV. Jesus Reveals Himself, verses 28-

lieve.

IV. Jesus Reveals Himself, verses 28-32: 28. "The village." Emmaus. Probably the home of one of them. Fe made as though he would have gone further." He certainly would have gone had he not been invited. *
29. "But they constrained him." Pressed him with urgent entreaties. "To tarry with them." His personal friendship and love, his words and wisdom and help, are some of the blessings that flow from the abiding presence of Jesus. "So "Sat at meat." Reclined at the

that flow from the abiding presence of Jesus.

20. "Sat at meat." Rectined at the tuble." "He took bread," or the loaf, thus assuming the position of master. "Thessed it," Gave thinks.

21. "And their eyes were opened." Whatever had hitherto held their eyes was taken away. Confirmed by the fact that "He vanished out of their sight." like one of supernatural power. "His place is empty, but His love is there."

22. "Did not our hearts burn within

Did not our hearts burn within of the following with feeling and inter-est, kindling with desires after a better-life, with love and joy and hope. "While He opened to us the Scriptures." The Old Testament, their entire Scriptures. Soon after Jesus Jeft them, they has-tened back to Jerusalem, to report the womerful interview to the disciples.

TRANSATLANTICS.

About seven and a half millions of tons of coal are annually consumed in London.

London.

Count Tolstoi has another book, called "Priceless Wealth and the Trouble Attached to It."

The Scottch banks have reduced the rates of interest on deposits to 1 per cent, the lowest rate known.

During the last three years the deposits in the Irish savings banks have increased by over a millionate the lowest transfer or the processed by over a millionate transfer.

increased by over a million sterling. A new symphonic poem by Slegfried Wagner, based on Schiller's "Schn-sucht," will be performed this spring in London.

For a charity festival in Brussels re-cently the sculptors got up a novel ex-biblition of statues executed in snow in one of the parks,

A man with an eye for the curious in discoveries has found out that in England Smith is the most frequently found name, in Scotland it is MacDonald, and

in Ireland Murphy. in Ireland Murphy.

Forage made up in the form of bricks is being tried by the French war office. The bricks are made of hay, oats and bran in cakes as hard as a board and can be handled easily.

Berlin proposes to have an international art exhibition next year. The Association of Berlin Artists, with Anton von Werner, the painter, at its head, has the matter in charge.

Alluvial and reef sold hay been displaced.

Alluvial and rect gold has been discovered in Madagascar at Antinahaka, north of Antananarivo. A thousand ounces were taken by native workers from a strip of ground twenty feet by three.

Herr Treitl, a Vienna hardware Herr Treiti, a Vienna hardware mer-chant who died recently at 91, left 800, 000 florins of his fortune to the Vienna Academis of Sciences for the promotion of scientific research. He left a quarter of a million florins besides to charitable institutions.

institution.

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cued boy. How he succeeded in his investigations at Cincinnati is already well known. He became satisfied that his brother Jefferson was truly the vic-

est scheme at Cincinnati, and had been

in turn overreached and outwitted by

old Charley Molier.

When Sam Blake had returned to

his room after reporting his ill success at Cincinnati, and his father had gone

away from Myra a minute or two later, the father went to the stables to see how Sam's horses had fared during the trip to Cincinnati and back. At

the stable door he was met by the negro hostler Pompey, who held a bit of paper toward his master, saying:

The old man glanced over it and "Where did you find this, Pomp?"
"In de ca'idge, sah, under de seat,

sah. I specit blowed under dar."
When old Tom Blake had spelled through the paper found by Pompey, he called the negro close to him with

an ominous crook of the finger and

"Pomp, you keep quiet about this paper."
"Yes, sah."
"Don't tell Sam you found it-

mind!"
"No, sah."
"Nor anybody else in the world—
never, you bear?"
"No, sah—yes sah."
"If you do J'll give you a round
hundred."
"Yes, sah," said Pompey; and old
Tom walked anary with the name.

FRAID YER OWN

himself, he had witnessed the whole

scene between his father and Pompey. Half an hour later he met his father alone and said calmly:
"Pap, I'll thank you for that memo

"What memoradum is it, sam"
"The paper Pomp found under the
sent. And you needn't thrash Pomp,
I saw it all from my own window."
"Could you read what was on that
paper from the window, Sam?"
"I knew the paper. It's mine. Can
"have it?"

randum."
"What memoradum is it, Sam?"

'I spec dis belong to Mas'r Sam'

Sam made no direct reply, but going straight to Mrs. Blake, and taking her hand with much pretense of warmth and personal attachment, said with assumed regret;
"Not a ward of good news. Myrs. The whole story was a fabrication, or at least a perversion of some facts which really occurred. A min and a boy were thrown into a mill dam three years ago; the man and horses were drowned and the boy was fished out alive. But it wasn't Jeff, and the boy was not our Little Joe."

tention. He had no doubt of his season. But Mrs. Blake did not cleave in the death of her husband and son, and as a means of getting rid of Sam's persistent suit she delived in the final answer could only be given when she could be assured be she had casually learned at Cincinnati, and then the sorrow for a husband

was not our Little Joe."

"What kind of a man was it?" asked
Mrs. Blake, wiping a tear from her
eyes. "Did you ascertain?"

"I found Mr. Gust. the city surveyor,

who saw the accident, and got from him a full description." At the same time he drew from his pocket a paper vestigations at Cincinnati is already set of the same to the same (prepared purposely to deceive,) and

"Five feet and a half in height, (Jeff tim of the tornado and had been was six feet,) black hair and eyes, (Jeff drowned, and that the boy whom he had brown hair and blue eyes,) weight saw was none other than that brother's had brown hair and blue eyes, weight about one hundred and forty pounds, (Jeff weighed about one hundred and eighty,) dressed in gray cloth (and Jeff was dressed in Kentucky jeans,) 'of course that wasn't your husband, Myra. I think that mystery will never be solved; and Jeff's dead of course, or we should hear from him and Little Jue." and Little Joc.'

"But the boy who was saved was named Little Joe." said Mrs. Evans, a lady who had come from Cincinnati to the Springs, had made the acquaintance of Mrs. Blake, and had told the story of the tornado and its sad results, and so brought about Sam Blake's visit

of inquiry.
"You are mistaken, Madam," said the man who had falsely called him-self Blakewell. "The boy's true name is no doubt Job—not Joe. And, be-sides that, he is an idiot."

"I can hardly be mistaken," replied Mrs. Evans, "for Mr. Gust himself told me the boy had a medal on his neck inscribed Little Joe, and giving the

boy's age."
"I have a copy of that medal,
Madam." replied Blake, with constrained politeness, "and I can hardly
be mistaken. I saw Mrs. Gust copy
this from the face of the medal myself:

Little Job: Jan. 20, 1814."

Mrs. Evans, though not satisfied, gave up the point, and soon quietly retired from the room, and was then followed by all except the three Blakes.

lowed by all except the three Blakes. "Did you see that boy, Sam?" sorrowfully inquired Mrs. Blake. This was a question Sam Blake could fully answer without a falsehood, and he gave a complete and faithful account of all he had seen and heard of the boy, and concluded by saying: "Now Myra, that boy is a born idiot, and of course never could have been your bright little Loe."

your bright little Joe."
"Might not the terrible ordeal he passed through in the water have bereft

Now Sam Blake had satisfied himself that just that had happened. But he had also become assured that all hope of his recovering his senses—if any such hope had existed—was past forever. Saying then in reply to the mother's last suggestion, that such a mental change was wholly improbable, he added that the hor's—last was the hor's—last suggestion. mental change was wholly improbable, he added that the boy's eyes were black, while Joe's had been blue; and then retired to his own room. During all this conversation Old Tom

Blake, the father, said not a word. But as soon as Sam had gone out he said gruffly: "Myra, Sam's account don't hold water:" and he also retired, leaving Mrs. Blake alone with her newly-

over the situation and counted the chances of final success in the scheme which he had prosecuted ceaselessly for the past two years -the possession and control of his father's estate, temporarily during the old man's life and permanently after his

death.

But Sam Blake was not at heart a
very bad man, and had satisfied himself that he was justifiable in all that
he did. His father had disinherited
him twelve years before for his dissolute habits-not because they were es-sentially bad, for he had himself once done the same things—but because he wasted the old man's estate and he had grown avaricious in riper years. Two years after that disinheritance the other son, Jefferson, had been cut off for marrying Myra Cushing with-out his father's consent and approval. And when his grandson, little Joe, was born and had won his grandfather's affections he devised his entire estate to Joe. A year after the mysterious disappearance of his brother and nephaw, therefore, Sam Blake had determined to make love to M. "I knew the paper. It's mine. Can have it?"

"I tell you what, Sam—if you own that you can tell what itsays. Say it now, while I look over the paper," taking it from his pocket.

"That's all right," said Sam "Now compare: 'Little Job—'" termined to make love to Myra, marry her if possible, and so secure the final control of the estate—she being, as he happosed, the legal heir of Joe. For two years past Sam had devoted his Dif to Myra with pertinacious at-

"No, you're wrong," interrupted old "January 20, 1814," continued Sam,

"and that's my paper, gap."
"I guess not sam: it doesn't read so." Then putting the paper in his pocket, with a determined bok he

"Accordin' to your own showin," Sam, this paper isn't yourn, I'll take c'yar of it for the r'al owner," And the old man walked away determined the old man walked away determined to keep the paper and see what came of it. Sam was beaten, but not badly disturbed. He had thrown into the river the original medal, as he supposed, and he now repeated the words he had used at that time: "That will tell no tales." And if he could not make it appear that Jun. stood Jan.—June for January—he could at least boldly claim that this memorandum was a mistake, and the one shown by himself the core. and the one shown by himself the correct one. At any rate, he was re-solved to redouble his efforts to marry his brother's widow as the surest road to the final control of his father's estate, though Myra had thus far—with-out suspensing his real motive—put him off from month to month without a definite answer. Myra Cushing-now Mrs. Blake-

was the daughter of a Congregational minister who had resided at Maysville, where young Jefferson Blake had made the acquaintance of the daughmade the acquaintance of the daughter and maried her. A lady of education and culture, handsome, rosy and full of life, polite and kind to all about her. And of her own volition she had opened a Sunday school for teaching slave children. This was not at that time unlawful, but the systematic effort to teach the slaves was exceedingly distasteful to all far-seeing slave holders, of which old Tom Blake was one of the shrewdest. His son Jefferson had foreseen his father's hostility, and, after winning the affection of Myra and her consent had married her without consulting his father. When the father learned this father was furious He swore that no son of his with "a ninger school keeper" for a wife should tim of the tornado and had been to the tornado and had been to drowned, and that the boy whom he to saw was none other than that brother's son "Little Joe." But while he was an anxious to demonstrate his brother's death to the widow, he was not anxious to restore the son, who, bereft of his senses though he was, was still the heir of his grandfather, and if known to be alive might sadly interfere with his scheme for the possession of the estate. Moreover, he reasoned to himself, by way of quieting all qualms of conscience, Joe had a good home among friends who would care for him, and could not enjoy a great estate if he possessed it. And so he had planned and executed his dishonest scheme at Cincinnati, and had been it seems a state of the second second second second. He swore that no son of his with "a nigger school keeper" for a wife should eyer inherit a dollar of his property. But Jeff Blake had taken his wife But Jeff Blake had taken his wife home to the Springs, notwithstanding his father's ill humor. Old Tom was struck with the young woman's beauty and her kindly ways, and telling Jeff that his wife was "a cussed purty gal," admitted them to the hospitality of the Springs: but at the same time he held to his purpose that "no man with a nigger teacher for a wife" should be his heir. After Joe was born, and as he grew in beauty and pleasant ways, the old man gave way pleasant ways, the old man gave way pleasant ways, the old main gave way so far as to take the boy to his heart, though he did not forgive the father. At length, after a few years, even Myra, with her gentle and loving ways, won the old man's good will, and in a fit of anger at both his sons he had made an amended will devising his, entire estate to Joe on comping of see. He was much east down vising his entire estate to Joe on coming of age. He was much cast down at the loss of his son, and especially his grandson, and anxiously awaited the return of Sam from Cincinnati in hope of learning tidings from them. He was disappointed. He did not suspect Sam of rescality in his account of matters at Cincinnati, and white he was assured that his son was somehow prevaricating; he thought the motive was only to mislead Myra as to some of the facts, remove her last hope and induce her to marry him. Nevertheless, with his usual craftiness, he resolved to keep his ewn counsel and solved to keep his own counsel and

Shortly after the event of the memorandum between Sam Blake and his randum between Sam Blake and his father, a scene growing out of the same matter occurred at the negro quarters in the cabin occupied by Pompey the hostler and his mother, "Aunt Winney," as the old megress was called by whites and blacks. Aunt Winney was head of the laundry department of the Springs totel, grid was very wain of her superior knowledge in that line. She was 50 years old, black as night, very shewd, wary in avoiding the lash and was a general favorite among the colored people constituting her fellow-servants at the hotel. In warm weather, as at present, tel. In warm weather, as at present, she was usually dressed in a long smock of unbleached tow-linen, reaching from neck to foot without band at the walst; a showy cotton kerchief over shoulders, and on her head a cotton bandanna handkerchief done up into a turban.

Socing Pompey pass her cabin door oon after the conversation between Sam and his father she called him in "Chile," said Aunt Winney, 'you find dat paper fur?"

'I done find no paper," replied Pom-

pey.
"Needn't tell no lie, chile; Mas'r "Account tell no life, chile; Mas'r Sam say you'r not gwine to be whipt. He seed you gib dat paper to ole mas'r; and Mas'r Sams say you not gwine to be whipt, kaze you didn't tell, an' he seed it hisself. What kind o' paper was it, Domnar?"

Pompey?"
Winney knew just enough to wish to learn more, and as she was certain her son was not to be whipped for telling, she conditued to ply Pompey with such questions and assurances as she thought would extract the whole matter from him. But Pompey also was shrewd, and hall a mortal fear of the

shrewd, and hal a mortal fear of the lash: so he only said in reply:
"Mammy, did you see dat paper?"
"Yes, I seed il. Ole mas'r had it, an Mas'r Sam wan it an' couldn't git it."
"Den yer knows all 'bout de paper as I does, and I doesn't know nuthin'. I ain't gwine to take dat roun' hund'ed, and you needn't a me."

and you needn't ax me." "Fraid yer own mammy 'll tell,

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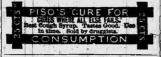
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We think those Livoni , people are right in luck if they can have ice in their tubs every morning now. We can't even have the water.

The silver meeting at the P. of I. Hall on Saturday evening was poorly attended. If there are any Monometalists in christendom we would be pleased to have them come-forth and plead their rates any time that would be convenient for them.

Foster Hanchett, while marking one day last week, cut some of 1 - feet quite severely, but it is better to

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Cimouth, were the guests of Bus. Nollett on competition, is to concentrate and monop Wednesday last We have just learned of the marriage of

Sherman Cummings, of Clare Co., formerly of this place. The farmers of this vicinity are com-

Preining considerably of the cut worms destreying a large share of the cord. We have an idea that if some people in this locality don't keep their dogs a little more confined, the sausage market will be

Wm. Hunter's wagon maker, Mr. Jones. is again seen at his bench, as steady as ev

From Nebraska

glutted with raw material.

WEEPING WATER, NES. June 3, '95. Friend Gray Enclosed please find one dollar. Renew paper. Just had a big rain, which was badly needed. Corn looks fine; wheat and oats light; froit of all ds, pretty fair. No frost to amount to Respects to all,

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Livonia

Charles Smith received the sad new last Sunday morning that his sister's daughter was found dead in her bed. Her parents' name is Westfall. They live in the township of Farmington. The young lady had a number of friends in this town was highly respected.

We would advise the citizens of Stark when they see an excursion train coming from Detroit, to bolt their doors and arn themselves with Winchester rifles.

G. W. Flint and wife of Detroit, were in the village last Sunday.

Oliver Ball has a brothe: from Albion. visiting him. Your correspondent has talked with

several firmers, from different parts of the state, and they all agree that there is a very poor prospect for the wheat crop.

H. Wollgast has been moving a large building once used to store cider in He will model it over for a cow barn.

Several of our citizens went to Orchard Lake fishing last Saturday.

There have been a number of fast horses imported into this village recently

Meads Mills.

here last Friday

Mrs. Buhl Simmons was a visitor at G P. Beuton's last week.

The Misses Edna and Kate Hughes, and escort, were at Orchard Lake, Decoration

Mrs. Joseph Welch and daughter, Eliza vere visitors at W. J. McRobert's, Decoration Day.

Mrs. Phoebe Rogers visited her son, C. E. Rogers, a few days last week.

Mrs. Hoisington, of Canton, visited friends here last week.

Will Thornton spent Sunday with his parents in Novi.

Mrs. Boston's niece, of Wayne, visited her last week.

Miss Hilmer spent her short vacation in Detroit last week with her brother George Mrs. Burdick has returned from her

visit to Birmingham.

There was a graphophone entertain-ment at the school house last Friday evening, given by Mr. McClumpha. A small crowd was in attendance on account of

Rich Benton has a new flyer, a saidle

The road at Phonix, which our high way commissioner has just completed, a credit to him and the township. All the best teamsters are loud in praise of it.

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Spiritualists Sunday Pionic

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can go on will be reached. The era of low prices caused by pro fuse production and intense competition has given birth to the settled capitalistic policy of combining with, or buying out such competitors as cannot be starved out. Every product of industry, where it is pos-ible, has been, or is being brought under monopolistic control. The natural course of capital when the desired amount of profit can no longer be made in straight olize. Capitalists are driven to this kind of co-operation by the downward force of competition and adopt it not only as a wise business policy, but as the only away left open for success. If we study the his toric development or competitive econom ies from the primitive competition be ween neighbors working with a few rude implements, to the giant competition be-tween great corporations employing all the modern methods of science, we find when it reaches the later acute stage it soon develops into capitalistic co-opera-tion, yet when the "wild-eyed socialist" proposes co-operation for the masses of the people who are more and ever more the victims of the monopolization of the very commodities their labor has pro-duced, the capitalists look wise and call it Utopian, insane, impractical, dangerous, etc. They find by combining together

constant of competing with each other, they can deepoil the people and acquire wealth much more rapidly, hence they seek to add co-operation to their let of monopolies. Success in life is often attained by imitating the methods of some previous success, and in the light of the success of capitalistic co-operation, which now co trols the earth, the people would be wise if they discontinued condemnation of monopolistic methods and imitate them in stead. As greed has no limit, and monop oly is the lineal descendant of the flint lock pistol used by the highway robber of a century ago, the people as a measure of self preservation will eventually be com-pelled to use similar means. The dynamic force of competition is downward and the reaction produces co-operation as a natural effect. The reaction is already strongly felt by plutocracy, and it will soon carry the whole of humanity to high er conditions.

W. O. T. U.

John G. Woolley's sentiments on the unform nied wine question accord with those of the National W. C. T. U. In a great mass meeting in Chickering Hall, New York, recently, he declared: "The communion of the christian churches of this country to day, is not safe for you or for me. It ought to be swept away. About 60 gallons of alcoholic wines are annually dispensed in the churches in this country John Wesley and wife visited friends Holy Land, reported that he found seven bar keepers in Nozareth, the birth place

of our Savior."-Union Signal, May 30. "Women spend money on some thing a worthless as whiskey," says a proverb maker. Yes, but those "things" don't make them abuse their children, set fire to the house, kill friends or blaspheme God. Whiskey is not simply "worthless," it is when it gets into a man's stom ach .- The Lever, May 9.

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Matthew, x., 21,

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"One thing thou lackest!" It cannot be, I'm well supplied with all that makes life There may be those | who something need, bu

Tell me not thus, I do entreat,"

"One thing thou lackest" Still the same Unchanging word—what canst thou mean Have I forgot; confess you only came To fright me in my pleasant scene?"

"One thing thou lackest!" "Oh, pray tell
What is the wondrous thing I have forgot;
Perhaps "tis useless, and I may well say unto
thee, I have it not."

One thing thou lackest!" "Son of God I do beseech thee, tell me, thou must ke teveal the trath, and from thy word I will in grace and wisdom grow."

"Hast thou the love of God within thine heart Is it supreme, controlling? Dost thou deny Thyself aught that mars its beauty? What par Of life is earth's—What part is His on high?" "That is the thing thou lackest—therefore go, And by self-aszrifice prove my word: Deny thyself—take up the cross—for so Is Henven won, saith Heaven's Lord."

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