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Breezv Items

TONQUISH Gus. Fleshemen is quite sick. He is a hard working young man when able, and we hope his recovery will be speedy Misses Emma Guest and Edith Proc-

tor took a trip to Ann Arbor Sunday.

A new clerk put in an appearance at the Tonquish store Saturday and ex-

pects to stay. All doing well.

Mrs. A. Morey, of Eloise, spend Mon

treated at Ann Arbor, has so far recov-

Jack Fogarty took a business trip to

Ann Arbor last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hix and Mrs. Jane

LIVONIA CENTER.

Hazel May, the six months old child

of Mr. and Mrs. R. Z. Millard, died

Tuesday noon. Funeral at 2 o'clock Wednesday. Interment in Center cem-

Miss Edna Smith, who has been at

tending school in the city the past term, is at home for vacation.

Miss Grace Peck spent Friday and Saturday with her grandmother.

George Fisher and wife buried a little daughter last Thursday in Center

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peck and Harry

Quite a nice time was had at the bowery last Friday night. The next party will be July 12th; so get your

Haying has begun in these parts.

Mrs. Grace, employed in Plymouth Sundayed at home with her parents.

Hurrah for the fourth of July; when

the small boy amuses himself burning

his fingers, or worse still, crippling himself some way.

Thos. W. Carter, of Ashboro, N. C., had kidney trouble and one bottle of Foley's Kidney Cure effected a perfect cure and he says there is no remedy that will compare with it. '93 Pharmacy.

MURRAY'S CORNERS.

Mrs. Elwin Pooler spent Saturday at

Miss Alma Murry spent Sunday at Dr. T. W. Felt's at Belleville.

on Hiram Murry's farm and is moving back to his old home at Sand Hill. Mr.

John Foster will take Mr. Durham's

The Ladies Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Orson Westfall next Thurs-

NEWBURG.

Mr. and Mrs. Day Dickerson and children have gone to Lakeville for a week's visit with their parents, Mr. and

Newburg ball team were defeated by

the Elm team in a game last Saturday Nelson Barrows, his daughter, Clara Bennett, and children, went to Burton,

the former's sister, who is quite ill.

Mr. Gillett, with his two boys, Sylves

Bertha Ostrander is expected home

farm, has sold out his interest and will

the first of the week. Her sister Mar

STARK.

The next meeting of the Union addes Aid Society will be held at the nome of Mrs. Fremont Barker, Wednesday, July 10th. All are invited.

garet returned with her.

Supper will be served

Mr. Brown, who rented Mr. Ta

Newburg's young peop Fourth at Walled Lake.

Mrs. Adams from the Soo, is visiting

Mr. Ed. Shuarts'.

her brother, Bert.

Mrs. Tom Kerr.

this month.

partners all.

called on Perrinsville people last Sun-

friends that she will soon be well.

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8 bars Queen Ann Soap, cash, for	25c
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& cans Choice Tematoes	
Rest Early June Peas, per can	l0c
Best Corn Syrup, per gal	250
Pure ground Pepper, per pound	ALIA MIN
Our Best Tea, per pound now	500
Our Best Tea, per pound now	200
Tea Dust, per pound	200
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oon move away from there.
Miss Emma Arnold attended the A portion of your business Orr-Ryder wedding at Salem Wednes day evening.
Mrs. C. J. Tuttle visited in Detroit

E. K. → BENNETT,

R. E. COOPER, M.D.C.M.,

Physician & Surgeon,

Charles Meining has sold his interest n the store to Charles Kuhn and son.

Wm. E. Hart has purchased the house and lot owned by O. E. Chilson. C. J. Ward, of Dearborn, spent Sun-

day in Stark. Gertie Dierline, of Detroit, is visiting

overalls, a package of sugar, lemons and candy not purchased by himself. The goods will be found at the store in

SALEM.

this place.

Frank and Bert Haywood and their families spent the 4th at Silver Lake. Rev. Lyon expects soon to move to day with friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Arden Sackett, who has been Massachusetts.

Frank Woodworth, of Grand Rapids, was nome the 4th.

Geo. Murray, of Detroit, visited ralative here the 4th.

S. D. Chapin has bee at Orchard Lake

for the past week.
W. W. Thayer, of Detroit, is home on

a two weeks vacation. There was a blue rock shoot and picnic at Linas Galpin's, Lapham's Corners, the 4th. A good time is re-The greatest healer of modern times is Banner Salve for cuts, wounds, sores, piles and all skin diseases: it is guaranteed; use no substitute. '93 Pharmacy. ported by all.

Marshall Withee and wife, of Detroit are visiting at his father's, N. A Withee's.

Burglars broke into the depot Friday night by pulling the staple on the freight house door. They took a re-volver belonging to the agent and some change left in the money drawer of the express company. After leaving the depot they broke into the section house and stole a hand car, which was found

just this side of Plymouth.

Married, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Ryder, their daughter Lena to Fred Orr, Wednesday evening, at 7:30. Rev. Allen, of Laingsburg was the officiating clergyman. About 60 guests were present and after the ceremony all sat down to DRESS GOODS, BATISTE a sumptuous wedding supper. The young couple left on the evening train for Port Huron and other places.

The valuation, as fixed by the Wash county supervisors, of Salem township is —real estate \$786,184; personal \$85,489; total \$871,673. The total valuation of the county is \$33,939,

A dispatch from Ann Arbor under date of July 3, says: Deputy Sheriff Fred Gillen returned this morning from Cleveland where he was investigating the property and record of Fred Shoe-maker, the man under arrest here charged with horse stealing near Ypsi lanti. The horse and buggy belonging to Mr. Jarvis of Ypsilanti, were found Mr. and Mrs. R C. Safford and and facilitified. Shoemaker has refused daughter Ada, visited at Hiram to talk since his arrest, and even keeps Murrys, Sunday.

Miss Lillian Moore, of Belding, and but now he has changed his tactics and is trying to get admitted to bail. Wholesale horse stealing has been going on in this and neighboring counties during the past two years. In that time Washtenaw county has lost nine horses, Lenawee about 20 and On account of poor health, Joseph Monroe eight. Shoamaker's hearing Durham has had to give up his position has been set for Monday next.

Dr. Geo. Ewing, a practicing physician of Smith's Grove, Ky., for over thir ty years, writes his personal experience with Foley's Kidney Cure: 'For years have been greatly bothered with kidne, westate sland: with Foley's Kidney Cure: "For years have been greatly bothered with kidney trouble and enlarged prostate gland; I used everything known to the profession, without relief, until I was induced to me Foley's Kidney Cure. After using three bottles I was entirely relieved and cured; I prescribe it now daily in my practice and heartily recommend its use to all physicians for such troubles, for, I can honestly state I have prescribed it in hundreds of cases with perfect success." '98 Pharmacy.

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WE have a small amount of that CROCKERY left and we are going to dose it out at 1-2 PRICE. Don't we are going to dose it out at 1-2 PRICE. wait, but come at once and get the benefit of these bargains.

at Warren Brown's. John Kuhn, on his return from Plymouth, found in his buggy one pair of overalls, a package of sugar, lemons

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Aden guards the lower entrance of he Red sea. It is built in the crater f an extinct volcano and all the land s barren. This is the country where ever rains. There is good reason this in the eyes of Mother Nature, reason, good or bad, according to pilots who guide the boats among islands, of the sea. And all the islands, of the sea. And all the islands are of the same mind, espelly those who have listened to the files of hardship and trials told in their childhood as they swung in their grass hammocks in the shad-aws of their huts. Mahomet Bey,in his wing robes of bise and his turban of wing robes of bise and his turban of sea and his yellow shoes, told the say as he sat before his open door anning the sea for a sail or the soke of a steamer looking for a pi-

the rains fell here as they do In Port Said at the other end of the , and even as they do in Co-nd Singapore, and all the rest world." Mahomet Bey shook d and sighed as he thought of n no one had to carry when no one had to carry wafrom the springs beneath the tides
the sea. "But this was in the days
long, long ago, and all we know of
time or of the things that hapthen is what is told us by our
or sung to us as we lay in our
alles. According to the legends Ras
mallsh, which same is now Aden,
to a heartiful valley with palms y in a beautiful valley with palms aving on the hills and figs and vines alling off as far as the eye could see this valley was a beautiful city, and the center of this city stood the palof the queen. Surrounding her are her attendants and her armies the soldiers had little to do, for

whole land was at peace.
One evening when the sky was ad with a red haze, the enemy came, ing upon the sea and swarming one the land, trampling under foot the land, trampling under foot the beautiful valley and finally sitting down before the gates of the city. Fing for its surrender. Black were he hearts of the besigers and dark were their deeds as they went back at forth. The queen was helpless in a palace, and after a time all the revisions were eaten. One dark night hem the thunders were crashing and we floods were descending upon the he floods were descending upon the erth a captain of the queen's army gened the gates just a little way that might slip out and so escape in the term to the bills. Another captain w him, and he, too, tried to escape. So it was the enemy saw these two captains of the queen's army running down the highway and threw its whole igth against the gate and forced it



ELLA MENDER WOULD

FARE BADLY IN ADEN.
Here was a great cry from all the
in the city and the palace.
Adylight came not one was left in the city and anylight came not one was leading the two captains were and carried back to their suffellows and thair bodies were to the great procession which to the great procession which has a that this queer has a

see to the great procession which the day is appeared that this queen the faughter of a grid, who at the war on a hunt in the wilds angles of the desert, and so did know of the trials his daughter, queen was enduring all the days the siege. As she was mortal she to die as the rest had died, but father, the god, was very worth the he iserned of the fate of Rasmitch and hurried away across the cru and jungles of Africa to this life. The snemy was living in all a good inques of the city a sil as the paints. In the me' at place the paints in the me' at place the paints in the me' at place the paints and thought what all he is the most sweet and lasting that he could inflict. He is the should put them to death papels would come and take the paints would come and take the papels would the papels would come and take the papels would come and take the papels would be the papels would the papels would come and take the papels would be the papels would the papels would the take the would take the

would come and take Then he bethought him Then he bothought him the valley and the hills and. Even this would be say as far as the immortals have would again spread her and the fronts of his legs and has grapes over and the hills. Be it was this to be a supple over the hills. Be it was this would be a supple over the hills.

fall in Ras Sanailah, and that all wells should run dry, and that all rocks should turn black, and the soil should

should turn black, and the soil should become barren. So no more rain fell in this town, and all the wells became dry, and all the rocks furned black, and all the soil grew barren.
"And the strange people who had driven the queen from her throne cried with a great cry for water and for food. Their god, to whom they were building the temple in the market place, heard their cry and came to them. Over the gate of the city the father of the queen was sitting when ather of the queen was sitting when this strange god came down the hill. The two gods met in the valley. Then they fought as mortals never fought, and the hills shot forth fiames. The new god fell. And with him were designed. troyed his followers, and all the vic-torious horde was wiped from the earth. The father of the queen was grievously wounded and was carried home by his angels, and even to this

day has never recalled the curse which he cast upon this land. "For many years nothing but the memory of the departed hosts filled this valley. At last commerce came with her galleys and her ships and people again landed here and built their houses upon the rocks, broken and twisted into heaps by the feet of the warring gods. Today Aden has many inhabitants. Water is brought many inhabitants. Water is brought by ships from fairer shores. Divers go down into the sea and fill their goat skin bottles from the spring of the deep.

"But it never rains in Aden."—Har-A. Armstrong in Chicago Record-Herald.

Dreams; Life's Bow of Promise Youth dreams and the rich color of expectancy lends beauty to all the coming years. Man dreams and the vision strengthens his hand and makes gentle his heart Age dreams and the spirit picture has suggestion which softens pain and holds glad promise of the life beyond the hills. The year without a dream is a barren, fruitless time. Dreams are the sowing and ometimes the harvest. Happy, thirce happy, the man who keeps uncrippled his capacity to dream through all the blundering days, his ability to use the apiritual telescope which sees further and truer than material eyes. If one's dreams come true, well. If dreams come not true, still well. are the better and the braver for the dreaming.-St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Filipines Seek Appointments.

Late mail advices from Manila give interesting details concerning the recent civil service examinations held in that city. Nearly 700 English and Spanish-speaking competitors made application for examination. One of the salient differences between the Philippine civil service and that of the United States is that the former provides for the promotion from the junior grades to the highest positions. Another feature novel to the Filipinos was the allowance made for female employes, and there were about a dozen Filipino women who applied for positions as clerks. The positions chiefly sought were those of postoffice clerk, junior clerk, clerk, bookkeeper, under clerk and stenographer and typewriter.-Washington Post.

If I could obtain the services of eight or ten young men who have studied chemistry as applied to photography, and who have attended some recog-nized art school, I would give them positions in my studio, writes a cele-brated photographer in Success. But, unfortunately, such men are not ob-tainable. There are hundreds of photographers, so called, whose services can be secured at any time. But those who understand the art from a scien-tific standpoint are decidedly rare. The young man who will take my hint can always obtain employment, either

Universal Creature
"In these days," he said, "individual effort goes for nothing. It is useless for a man to start out alone. He must....."

TALMAGE'S

BE YE ANGRY AND SIN NOT -EPH. IV: 26.

ling-Aid for the Uni Indignation Over Fraud-Mercy for the Erring One.

(Copyright, 1901, by Louis Klopsch, N. Y.) Washington, June 30.—A delicate and difficult duty is by Dr. Talmage in

Equipose of temper, kindness, pa-tience, forbearance, are extolled by most of the radiant pens of inspiration, but my text contains that which at first sight is startling. A certain kind of anger is approved—aye, we are com-manded to indulge in it. The most of us have no need to cultivate high tem-per, and how often we say things and do per, and now refer we say things and to things under affronted impulse which we are sorry for when perhaps it is too late to make effective apology! Why, then, should the apostle Paul dip his pen in the ink horn and trace upon parchment, afterward to be printed upon paper for all ages, the injunction, "Be ye angry and sin not?"

My text commends a wholesome indignation. It discriminates between the offense and the offender, the sin and the sinner, the crime and th criminal.

To illustrate: Alcoholism has ruined nore fortunes, blasted more homes, destroyed more souls, than any evil that I think of. It pours a river of poison and fire through the nations. Millions have died because of it, and millions are dying now, and others will die. Intem-perance is an old sin. The great Cyrus, writing to the Lacedemonians of him-self, boasted of many of his qualities. among others, that he could drink and bear more wine than his distinguished brother, Louis X and Alexander the Great, died drunk. The parliament of Edinburgh in 1661 is called in history "the drunken parliament." Hugh Miller, the first stone mason and after-ward a world renowned geologist, writes of the drinking habits of his day, saying: "When the foundation was laid, they drank. When the walls were leveled for laying the joists, they drank. When the buildings were finished, they drank. When an apprentice joined, they drank," In the eighteenth century the giver of an entertainment boasted that none of the guests went away sober. Noah, the first ship captain, was wrecked-not in the ark, for that was safely landed—but he was wrecked with strong drink. Every man or woman rightly constructed will blush with indignation at the national and international and hemispheric and planetary curse. It is good to be aroused against it. You come out of that condition a better man or a better woman. Be ye angry at that abomina-tion, and the more anger the more ex-altation to character. But that aroused feeling becomes sinful when it extends to the victim of this great evil. Drunkenness you are to hate with a vivid hatred; but the drunkard you are to pity, to help to extricate.

Prostrated by Alcoholism. Just take into consideration that there are men and women who once were as upright as yourself who have been prostrated by alcoholism. Per-haps it came of a physician's prescription for the relief of pain, a recurrence of the pain calling for a continuance of the remedy; perhaps the grandfath-er was an inebriate and the temptation to inebriety, leaping over a gen eration has swooped on this unfortu-nate; perhaps it was under an at-tempt to drown trouble that the be-numbing and narcotic liquid was numbing and narcotte liquid was sought after; perhaps it was a gradual chaining of the man with the beverage which was thought to be a servant, when one day it announced itself master. Be humble now, and admit that there is a strong probability that under the same circumstances you under the same circumstances you yourself might have been captured. The two appropriate emotions for you to allow are indignation at the intoxicant which enthralled and sympathy for the victim. Try to get the sufferer out of his present environment; rec-ommand any hygienic relief that you know of and, above all, implore the diknow of and, above all, implore the di-vine rescue for the struggle in which so many of the noblest and grandest have been worsted. Do not give your-self up to too many philippics about what the man ought to have been and ought to have done. While your cheek flushes with wrath at the foe that has brought ruin, let your eye be moisten-

"In these days," he said, "individual effort goes for nothing, it is useless for a man to start out alone. He must—"

"Oh, Cuthbert," she cried, "how mean of you to bring me away out here in this boat and then, knowing I could not escape, say such things to me. But—but if you insist, I will ask paps when we get back."

Seit-matesm at Different Ages.
Said W. W. Goodwin, a retiring Harvard professor, at a dinner in his honor the other evening: "When I was 20 I thought I was 50, when I was 31 I thought I was 50, when I was 32 I thought I was 55, and when I was 35 I wondered if they were going to bring in the high chair at the table and give me a bottle."

As the result of the military and naval manselvers for testing the possibility of a successful attack on hisraelles, France, it has been decided to construct farther fortified works the same and the contract of the time of the same spirit of gameling in the high chair at the table and give me a bottle."

As the result of the military and naval manselvers for testing the possibility of a successful attack on hisraelles, France, it has been decided to construct farther fortified works the same spours to the same and there a case is reported, but the recent insanities in Wall street. Here and there a case is reported, but the recent insanities in wall street. Here and there a case is reported, but the recent insanities in wall street. Here and there a case is reported, but the recent insanities in wall street. Here and there a case is reported, but the recent insanities in wall street. Here and there a case is reported, but the recent insanities in wall the wardrobe be denied replenialment, the table wall have seant angely, will a surread into grins the contract of the difference of the case is reported. But the recent insanities in wall the wardrobe be denied replenialment. The children are brought home from achood fine wardrobe be denied water and the company of the contract of the contract of the case of

SERMON, felt the disaster of last month's black do not positively say that in a pro-

Can you hear the story of the unprin cipled manipulators of stocks and of the devices of the gambling saloon to entrap the verdant and unsuspicious without having your pulses tingle, and your heart thump, and your entire na-ture shocked with the villainy? If so, you are not much of a man or much of a woman. You ought to be angry, for there is no sin in such vehement dislike. You ought to be so angry that you could not repress your feelings in the presence of young men who are just forming their life theories. In every possible way you ought to denounce such stupendous robbery. Let it be known that the only successful game in which a man plays for money is in which a man plays for money is the one which a man loses all and stops.

There is another sin that we are of tentimes called to be angry with, and that is fraud. We all like honesty, and when it is sacrifiedd we are vehemen in denunciation. We hope that the de tectives will soon come upon the track of the absconding bank official, of the burglar who blew up the safe, of the clerk who skillfully changed the figures in the account book, of the falsifier who secured the loan on valueless property of the agent who because of his per centage wrongfully admits a man to the benefit of a life insurance policy when his heart is ready to stop and who comes from an ancestry char-acteristically short lived.

One act of fraud told of in big head-lines in the morning papers rightfully arouses the nation's wrath. It is the interest of every good man and good woman who reads of the crime to have it exposed and punished. Let it go unscathed, and you put a premium on fraud, you depress public morals, you fraud, you depress public morals, you induce those who are on the fence between right and wrong to get down on the wrong side, and you put the business of the world on a down grade. The constabulary and penitentiary must do their work. But while the merciless and the godless cry: "Good for him! I am glad he is within prison doors!" be it your work to find out if the man is worth saving and what were the causes of his moral overthrow. Perhaps he started in business life under a tricky firm, who gave him wrong no-tions of business integrity; perhaps there was a combination of circumstances almost unparalleled for temptation; perhaps there were allevia-tions; perhaps he was born wrong and never got over it; perhaps he did not realize what he was doing, and if you are a merciful man you will think of other perhaps which, though they may not excuse, will extenuate. Perhaps he has already repented and is washed in the blood of the Lamb and is as sure of heaven as you are. What an opportunity you have now for obeying my text. You were angry at the misdemeanor, but you are hopeful for the recovery of the recalcitrant. Blessed all prison reformers! Blessed Blessed all prion renormers: Disassonare those governors and presidents who are glad when they have a chance to pardon! Blessed the forgiving father who welcomes home the prodigal. Blessed the dying thief whom the Lord cook with him to clave saving "This took with him to glory, saying, "This day shalt thou be with me in para-

Haln for the Unbeliever

Have a lightning in your eye and a flush in your cheek and a frown on your brow for a dastardy that would blot out the sun and moon and stars of Christianity and leave all things in an arctic night, the cold equal to the darkness. You do well to be angry, but how about those who have been flung of scepticism, and that is more milof scepticism, and that is more millions than you will ever know of until
the judgment day reveals everything.
Ah here comes your opportunity for
gentleness, kindness, and sympathy.
The probability is that if you
had been plied with the same influence as this unbeliever there
would not be a Bible in all your
house from cellar to attic. Perall your house from cellar to attic. Perhaps he was in some important transhaps he was in some important trans-action swindled by a member of the church whose taking of the sacrament was a sacrilege. Perhaps he read agnostic books and heard a costic lecture no books and neard a costic lectures and mingled in agnostic circles until he has been befogged and needs your Christian help more than any one that you kno 7 of. Do not get into any labored argument about the truth of Christianity. He may beat you at that. He has a whole artillery of weapons ready to open fire. to open fire. Remember that no one was ever

to come by an argument, but in hum-blest and gentlest way, your voice subdued, ask him a few questions. Ask him that way you will have fulfilled the injunction of the text, "Be ye angry and sin not."

dued, ask him a few questions. Ask him if he had a Christian parentage, and if he says yes ask him whether and if he says yes ask him whether the old folks died happy. Ask him if he and if he says yes ask him whether the old folks died happy. Ask him if he has ever heard of any one going out of this life in raptures of infidelity and agnesticism. Ask him if it is not a somewhat remarkable fact that the Bible, after so many years, sticks together and that there are more copies of it in existence than ever before. Ask him if he knows of any better civilization than Christian civilization and whether he thinks the teachings of Confucius or Christ are preferable. Ask him if he tninks it would be a fair thing is the Creator of all things to put in this world the human race and give them no direct communication for their guidance and, if they did wrong, tell them of no way of recovery. I think if a famous infidel of our time, instead of being taken away instantaneously, had died in his bed after weeks and months of illness he would have revoked his taachings and left for his beloved family consolations which they could not find to obequies at which not one word of Holy Scripture was sead or at Freah Point Carontony, where no Christian bestelfelo was prosonated. I

a retraction, but I think there would.

A man thoroughly mad can say enough in two minutes to damage him for 20 years. It took only five minutes for the earthquake to destroy Caracas One unfortunate sentence uttered in one difformate sentence access and affront in a speech in the United States senate shut forever the door of the White House against one of the most brilliant men of the last century. You can never trust a horse that has once run away, and you do not feel like trusting a man who has just once lost his equilibrium. You need to drive your temper as a man drives a frac-tious span amid the explosions of a Fourth of July morning or the pyro-technics of the Fourth of July night, with curbed bit, taut rein, commanding nastering yourself and maste ing what you drive. If you are naturally high tempered, do not unnecessar ily go among irritations and provoca-tions. Do not build a blast furnace next to a gunpowder mill. Then, also such demonstrations of ungovernabil ity belittle one. Men take out their lead pencils and in estimating such a one take 50 per cent off. About the most hideous spectacle on earth is an angry man or woman burning not with inger commanded in my text, but with he sin represented. After such a dis-play of gall, irrascibility, virulence, his influence with many is forever gone. The world is full of politicians, doctors, lawyers, merchants, mechanics, min-isters, housewives, who have by such explosions been blown to pieces.

I say to all young men hoping to achieve financial, moral or religious success -control your tempers. Do not Ist criticism or defeat rebuff you. Verdi, the great musician, applied to become a student in the Conservatory of Music at Milan and he was rejected by the director, who said that he could make nothing of the newcomer, as he showed no disposition for music. But the criticism did not exasperate or defeat him The most of those who have largely succeeded in all departments were characterized by self control. In battle they would calmly look at the bomb thrown at their feet, wondering whether it would explode. In commercial life when panics smote the city, these mer were placid, while others were yelling themselves hoarse at the Stock Ex change. While others nearly swooned because a certain stock had gone 100 points down they calmly waited until it would get 100 points up. While the opposing attorney in the courtroom frothed at the mouth with rage because of something said on the other side, he of the equipoise put a glass of water to his lips in refreshment and proceeded with the remark, "As I was saying when the gentleman interrupted Self control! What a glorious thing! We want it in the doctor feeling the pulse of one desperately ill, we want it in the engineer when the head-light of another train comes round the curve on the same track. We want it in Christian men and women in times when so much in church and state seem going to demolition—self control! What are you going to be good for, O man or woman in a world like this, ever and anon your dander up, and so often in the sulks? We admit tout you have many things to stir your blood and fill you with wholesome indigna tion, but going to such extremes you offend my text, which says you must discriminate and not lose your self

control, "Be ye angry and sin not." Mercy for the Sinner. Surpassing all other characters in the world's biography stands Jesus Christ, wrathful against sin, merciful to the sinner. Witness his behavior toward the robed ruffians who demanded capital punishment for an offending woman—dehunciation for their sinful woman—denunciation for their sinful hypocrisy, pardon for her sweet penitence. He did not speak of Herod as "his majesty" or "his royal highness," but dared to compare him to a cunning fox, saying "Go ye and tell that fox." But, alert to the cry of suffering, he finds ten lepers, and to how many of the ten awful invalids did he give convalence and health? Ten. give convalescence and health? Ten. kebuking Pharisiaism in the most compressed sentence in all the vocab-ulary of anathema—"Ye serpents, ye generation of vipers, how can ye escape the damnation of hell?"—yet looking upon Peter with such tenderness that no word was spoken—and not a word was needed, for the look spoke louder than words. "And the Lord looked upon Peter, and Peter went out and wept bitterly." Oh, what a look it must have been to break down the swarthy fish-erman apostle! It was such a hurt look, uch a beseeching look, such a loving look, such a forgiving look! Was there such a combination of wrath against wrong and compassion for the wrong doer? "Lion of Judah's tribe!" Hear that! "Lamb of God who taketh away the sins of the world!" Hear that!

Miss Letitia Semple, daughter of President Tyler, and so a former mis-tress of the white house, is living in Washington and was present at the reception given to Mrs. Daniel Mannreception given to Mrs. Daniel Manning and the Daughters of the American Revolution. She was spoken of as "the little lady in black, with a quaker bonnet," for few knew her. She has for years been an inmate of the Louise home, established by Ranker Corcoran in memory of his wife and daughter and endowed for the benefit of gentlewomen of southern birth who are in reduced circumstances.

Many old houses in Holland have a special door which is never opened asve on two occasions, when there is a marriage or a death in the family. The bride and groom enter by this door; it is then nailed or barnet up until death occurs, when it is command and the berry is removed by this call.

THE GRAND MEDICINE MAN

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ceremony of the Grand Medi-an elaborate The ceres tine is an elaborate ritual, covering several days, the endless number of gods and spirits being called upon to minister to the sick man and to congition his life. The several degrees of the Grand Medicine teach the use of incantations, of medicines and poisons, and the requirements necessary to constitute a brave. "When a young man seeks admission to the Grand Medicine seeks admission to the Grand Medicine lodge he first fasts until he sees in his dream some animal (the mink, beaver, otter and fisher being most common), which he hunts and kills. The kin is then ornamented with beads or porcupine quills, and the spirit of the animal becomes the friend and companion of the man." The medicine men have only a limited knowledge. have, only a limited knowledge of herbs, but they are expert in dress-ing wounds, and the art of extracting barbed arrows from the flesh can be learned from them. In olden times-yes, to within the memory of the Olibways—the medicine man at the funeral ceremony thus addressed the depart-ed: "Dear friend, you will not feel lonely while pursuing your journey to-ward the setting sun. I have killed for you a Sloux (hated enemy of the Ojib-ways) and I have scalped him. He will accompany you and provide for you, hunting your food if you need it! The scalp I have taken, use it for your moccasins."—Open Court.

Better Than 'Christian Sel-Jetmore, Kans., July 1st.—Mrs. Anns ones Freeman, daughter of Mr. G. G. Jones of Burdett, and one of the most popular ladies in Hodgeman County has been a martyr to headache for years. It has made her life a continual misery to her. She suffered pains in the small of the back, and had every symptom of Kidney and Urinary Trou-hle.

Today she is as well as any lady in the state.

This remarkable change was due entirely to a remedy recently introduced here. It is called Dodd's Kidney Pills, and many people claim it to be an infallible cure for Kidney Diseases, Rheumatism and Heart Trouble.

Mrs. Freeman heard of Dodd's Kid-ney Pills, and almost with the first dose, she grew better. In a week, her headaches and other pains had gone, and she had left behind her all her

and she had left behind her all her illness and days of misery.

A medicine that can do for any one what Dodd's Kidney Pills have done for this lady, is very sure soon to be universally used, and already the demand for these pills has increased wonderfully in Pawnee and Hodgeman Counties, where the particulars of Mrs. Freeman's case and its cure are

How a Spider Used Sixpence. A correspondent sends us a remarkable instance of adaptation of instinct in a trapdoor spider. Says the writer; "A friend of mine noticed near his camp a trapdoor spider run in front of him and pop into its hole, pulling the 'lid' down as it disappeared. The lid seemed so neat and perfect a circle that the man stooped to examine it, and found to his astonishment, that it was a sixpence! There was nothing but silk thread covering the top of the coin, but underneath mud and silk thread were coated on and shaped convex (as usual.) The coin had probably been swept out of the tent with rubbish." Commenting on this, a contributor to Nature says: "As is well known, the doors of trapdoor spiders' burrows are typically made of finitened pellets of earth stuck together with silk or other adhesive material. The unique behav-ior of the spider in question showed no little discrimination on her part touching the suitability as to size, shape and weight of the object selected to fulfill the purpose for which the six-pence was used."—Sydney Bulletin.

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And Thus We Became United. The board of civil service examin-ers for the New York sub-treasury in-Fig. 1. The New 107z sub-fressing in-felludes Ulysses S. Grant, Republican, and Edgar F. Lee, Democrat. The former is a nephew of the great gen-eral and the latter bears the same re-lationship to the leader of "the lost cause," Robert E. Lee.

Illiteracy Among Scathern Hill-Illiterate white inhabitants in southern and border states are most account the mountains. Kéntucky has 16 per cent, Tennessee South Carolina 18 and Alabama 18 pent of illiterate whites.

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.. The Filibusters of Venezuela...

Or the Trials of a Spanish Girl.

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************************************ CHAPTER L. The President's Message

There is no fairer spot in all Vene-suela than the valley of Coroni, and there is no brighter luxuriance in the valley of the Coroni than that of the great plantation of General Jose Saivares, which lies on the left bank of the Coroni about twenty miles from the point of confluence of that river with the great Orinoco. Here are raised coffee, second to none, not even the famous product of Maracaibo; sugarcane, bananas, cotton, indigo, cocoanuts, corn and wheat.

Along the river was a thick growth, where, among many other things, could be found caoutchouc, the tonkabean and gutta-percha. great plantation of General Jose Sal-

bean and gutta-percha.

Besides being the proud owner of twelve thousand acres of this magnificent and wealth producing territory.

General Salvarez was the commanding general of all the troops of the Republic of Venezuela south of the Orinoco. There were, in all, not more than a thousand, and were scattered over miles of territory; but under the immediate command of General Salverez, quartered in the comfortable fortre quartered in the comfortable fortress which formed part of Castle Salvarez, was a regiment consisting of two hundred men, with a battery amounting to six guns; and at the city of Bolivar, above the Coroni, on the Orinoco, was a small company in the tumbledown harracks that formed a poor shelter even when they needed shelter least. Some of these soldiers of the Republic were of Spanish blood without mixture; some were in egrees, and some were insome were negroes, and some were in-dians; but the majority were half-breeds, the descendants of whites and negroes or whites and Indians. There cegroes or whites and Indians. There was another type of half-breeds, too utterly worthless for use as soldiers, and thoroughly untrustworthy, the result of a mixture of negro and indian blood. There were many of these in the Coroni valley, and they frequently made trouble. Their patriotism was sothing. They were ready for any uprising or deeds of violence for which they were well paid. These were the Zamboe, the distinctive name of their type.

The forces of General Salvarez wer fairly well armed and disciplined brave, and thoroughly devoted to the Republic. They adored their brave commander, and were ever ready to follow him, ever faithful, unflinching. uncomplaining.

General Salvarez was a very weaithy man. In fact, it had been said that he could not count his wealth. Taking this to mean that the value of his crops this to mean that the value of his crops depended on favoring weather and the worth of his great herds of cattle out on the llanos, or plains, rose and fell increased or diminished by favoring or untoward circumstances, then the saying was true. Be that as it may, Don Jose Salvarez was a wealthy man, a general of the Republic and a personal friend of President Crespo.

But of all the valuable presentings

But of all the valuable possessions of Don Jose Salvarez, none compared, in his estimation, with his lovely wife, Dona Maria, or his daughter, Senorita Jacinta.

Senorita Jacinta was the brightest jewel of the Coroni valley, and no one knew this or appreciated it better than Senoritz Jacinta. She was the toast and often the sweetheart of the officers of the garrison, and with whom she would frequently promenate under the frown-ing guns, with her mantilla thrown loosely about her well-rounded form and her black eyes snapping with the passions of her southern blood.

passions of her southern blood.

Senorita Jacinta, at the time our story opens, was about 18 years of age; but maturity comes early to the girls of the warm countries, and Jacinta's physical developement compared well with that of an American young wom an of 23 or 24.

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I have spoken of Jacinta as sometimes being the sweetheart of an officer
in her father's garrison.
But it was not only the officers of the
garrison that loved Jacinta. Pedro
Francisco, the wealthiest land and cattie owner south of the Orinoco save General Salvares, had woose her persistently; but Jacinta was a repub-lican, and Francisco leaned toward Spain, and she would have none of

him.

Though Jacinta had had many lovers at her feet, her own heart had never yet been touched. Yet so quick was her nature, so warm her blood, that it needed but a rk to kindle the flame. Love at firs spark to kindle the name. Love as nest eight is more than a possibility with girls of Jacinta's temperament. It is the rule. And when once that fathom-less depth of fire and passion should spring into volcanic action, who can

the constant of General Salvares was, like all other houses of wealthy men in the Orinoco valley, attuated on high ground, to keep it up out of the floods that sometimes cover the land. It was a great square beliding, partly of sone, partly of iron, and parely of co sent.

But there was to come a time when this repeas was to be rudely interrupted; when the soul of facints was to be sorn by grief and amplety; when for a moment she was to know the consuming power of love; when the voice so great in song would tremble as it pleaded for mercy.

great in song would tremble as it plended for mercy.

And there was coming a time when the peaceful valley of the Coroni arould run with blend; when the hateful passions of wicked men would wreck place and happiness; and when even the Orinco tites?, as it, favored majuration to the see, would carry with it

the crimson testimony of the conflict between Right and Wrong, between Passion and Patriotism, between Heav-en and Hell. For the hand of God is in the battle, and when the swords of the

the battle, and when the swords of the defenders of Right are weak. He brings a powerful sustenance to the waning strength, or sends some message of His power to stay the course of the powers of Evil.

One day General Salvarez was ritting on his shady porch, smoking his after-dinner cigar. When three horsemen, covered with dust, and bearing other evidence of a long and hurried journey, came up the shell road leading to the castle and saluted the commander.

castle and saluted the commander General Salvarez rose in some sur-prise to meet them, for he recognized their uniforms as selonging to the gen-

eral staff at Caracas.

"From the President," said one, leaping from his horse and placing a packet in the general's hand.

Salvarez replied graciously, and took the packet.

"How far have you come in the saddle?" he asked. "Not from Caracas, surely, else how did you cross the Orinoco?" eral staff at Caracas.

"We came from Caracas, neverthe-less," said the officer, "but our horses came only from Bolivar. We rode to the Orinoco, and at the village of Cando left our horses, hired some fisher-men half-breeds to row us over, ob-tained fresh horses at Bolivar, and hurried on."

Your message must be important.' said the general

He called an officer, and, having or-dered the best entertainment for the three riders that the castle afforded, sat down to read his message. As he

read, his brow grew dark with anger:

"Gen. Jose Salvarez," the message ram— "We are in receipt of cable dispatches from our consul in New York city, conveying the startling news that a band of conspirators sailed from that port on the 6th of this month, June, in steamer Accessive, bound for Cludden. port on the 6th of this month, June, in steamer Agostura, bound for Cludad Bolivar, carrying a cargo of firearms and ammunition, invoiced as agricultural implements, and consigned to Pedro Francisco, the friend of Spain in your valley. The startling information is furnished by the consul that the chief conspirators are Don Juan Garza, who was driven out of Venezuela some years ago for consulring against the years ago for conspiring against the government, and Ferdinand Gomez, a most unscrupulous adventurer. The ob-ject of this expedition is to organize an army in remote regions, seize prop-erty and march on Caracas, overthrowerty and march on Caracas, overthrowing this government and replacing it with a monarchy. The information is also furnished that the conspirators are accompanied by a mysterious person who wears the royal purple and the arms of the house of Aragon, He is addressed as king by his associates, and is probably the one chosen to be monarch of Venezuela in case of a successful invasion or unrisher. You successful invasion or uprising. You successful invasion or uprising. You will accordingly take prompt and effective measures to give these invaders a warm reception and prevent the landing of these arms. You will also need to keep your own force well in hand, for it is certain that a few men would not undertake this task unless they re assured of prompt support by the

'If necessary, sink the ship with all

on board but I would prefer to have this Pretender, who is known as Phil-ip of Aragon, selzed alive, that his identity may be ascertained. "The Agostura may never come to port, for we shall have gunboats watching for her in the usual path of Orinoco. Should she succeed in passing, she will be due at Bolivar about the 18th.

"The consul further states that Don Juan Garza, who seems to be the most powerful among the conspirators, is accompanied by his daughter, a beautiful girl, who is to be married against her will to this Philip of Aragon, when he becomes King of Venezuela. This is put here to explain to you the fact that two young American gentlemen, one of whom is engaged to be married to Dom Pan's daughter, will arrive at Bolivar on the Steamer Callao, bearing letters of introduction from the consul. As these young men are earnest in their efforts to defeat the purposes of Garza and his associates, show them the courteales due citisens of our great and friendly neighbor, the United States.

"CRESPO. President." The consul further states that Don

"CRESPO. President." When General Salvares had read this through, the clouds cleared away from his brow, and he lighted another cigar and strolled lessurely away to meet his subordinate officers, and to communi-cate the news to them.

General Salvarez felt that he had no cause to feel alarmed or disturbed over

Salvarez, however, found that could not obey the commands of the President without betraying to the en-emies of the Republic the fact that their plot was discovered.

In the first place, there was only one gun at Bolivar, and it was nearly worthless. Cannon had to be dragged there from the castle. The infantry would have to be withdarwn, surely by the 18th, to march to Bolivar, for it was at Bolivar, no doubt, that the first act of aggression was to take place.

So the General abandoned all thoughts of secrecy, placed a garrison of thirty men in charge of the castle, fondly kissed his wife and Jacinta good-bye, and marched away to Boli-var, with his band playing merrily, his hundred and sixty odd men marching proudly, and his artillery, consisting of two guns lumbering along in the

Reaching Bolivar, he so placed his guns as to command the river, and calmly awaited the 18th and the Agos-

The 18th came but no steamer came in sight, General Salvarez smiled cates, ly to himself at this verification of his hopes. The gunboats had captured the Agostura. The soldiers played games and got drunk, for surely no

games and got drunk, for surely no enemy was near.

The 19th was a day of impatience, for, although it was plain that Agostura need not be expected at Bolivar and Salvarez was in a hurry to get back to his plantation, it was not be coming in a general of the Republic and a friend of the President to put his private affairs ahead of the safety of the Republic, so he remained at his

On the 20th the steamer El Callao. orth and Jack Tempest.

Medworth was a tall, handsome young fellow, about twenty-two years of age; and Tempest was tallor still, and of a gigantic breadth of shoulder, his development showing great muscular strength.

These young men at once inquired for General Salvarez, and, having found him, placed in his hand two very satisfactory letters of introduction from the Venezuelan consul at New from the York.
When General Salvarez had read the

letters of introduction and greeted the young men warmly, he took them to his headquarters.

his headquarters.

"Now, gentlemen," he said, when they were comfortably seated, "please give me all the information you have in regard to this business. I am working mostly in the dark. The Agostura, now. What do you know of her.

(To be continued.)

Fancies in China.

Much of the handsome china used nowadays is marked with the mono-gram or crest of the owner. It is a distinctive mark that differentiates the china from all the other ware, and the lettering is an ornament in itself. It is usually the more simple china that is usually the more aimple china that is ornamented in this way, and an attempt is made always to put the lettering upon the side or wing of a plate, as the professional will say, to prevent wear. Old-time china was frequently marked in the center of the plate and the marking was worn away by the knife and fork. In some instances entire sets of china for different courses are marked, and always each piece of a dish—the cover, the dish itself, and, if soup tureen, the piece upon which it rests. The letters for the marking are always the initials of the mistress of the house and are put on in script in preference to the black letters. The lettering is usually in gold, but occasionally one letter will be put in color and the others in gold. The gold may be flat or raised, and upon this will depend largely the cost of the lettering .- Chi-

One of the most remarkable breach One of the most remarkable breach of promise cases that have ever been brought before the courts is about to be tried in Athens. Plaintiff, a young woman from the village of Marcopoulo, some 35 miles from Athens, bases her claims upon an ancient cus-tom of the village, which, it is held, will influence the jury in her favor. The custom, which has the force of law in the village, is as follows: On certain fete days the villagers as-semble on the green, when dancing is indulged in. Any girl wishing to marry drops her handkerchief, and the awain who picks it up is bound to marry her. In the case in question the young man, who picked up the bases her claims upon an ancient cus the young man, who picked up the bandkerchief by accident, had never seen the girl before: When acciaimed by the assembled villagers as the prosyoung girl is decidedly good looking.

General Salvares felt that he had no cause to feel alarmed or disturbed over the news he had received from Caracan. In the first place, the Agestura, allowing that she reached the Chudad Bolivar, at all, would not arrive for four days to come. But Salvares did not for a moment believe that the ahip of the adventures would ascend the Orinoco, for it would hardly be possible that abe could pass the gunboats at the delta, even though she had succeeded in cluding those farther north. Therefore, there was ample time for Salvares to act, and an reason to depart from the usual dignified deliberation and coolness.

His first thought was to place a spy on the heels of the wealthy Pedro Francisco, to dog his footsteps. But, he reflected, Francisco was far more shrewd then the most capable spy he

The city of Tien Tain is now more crowded than ever. Officers of all nations are en route for their homes and the hotels are placing cots in every available place. Apartments have been prepared at the university of Tien Tsin for Prince Chun and his suite of forty, who will remain there for three days before leaving for Germany to make formal apology for the murder of Baron von Ketteler. Mr. Denby who, when the foreign troops arrived, was appointed by the China Merchante' Company to protect their property. Says the greater part of the company's property consisted of rice, which was afterward distributed under orders from the British and American generals to assist those in need. It is pointed out that the company stored three boxes of valuables with the chartered bank before the troubles began and did not withdraw these until October and that consequently it is quite improbable any lewels were left to be looted. not withdraw these until October and that consequently it is quite improbable any jewels were left to be louted. Moreover, the palace was thoroughly gone through by local looters before the allied forces arrived. It would be legally impossible to hold any portion of the relieving force responsible for anything but the rice and coal.

Marquis Tseng says that the empress downger, fearing a trap to capture her, declines to return to Pekin and has notlided the grand council that the future capital will be Kai-Feng-Fu in the province of Ho-Nan.

Boer Frisoners.

The nine hundred and thirty Boer prisoners who arrived at Hamilton. Permuda, on the British transport Armenia, have been moved into the camps prepared for them on Darrell's and Tucker's islands. These Boers are part of the force of Gen. Cronje, and were captured at Paardeberg; they include several hoys of 8 or 10 years, who carried animunition to their fathers when the latter were in the trenches; among—the prisoners were also two Boers so old that they crawled on all fours down the transport's gangway. Those two old men aver they never saw sult water before reaching Cope Town. The pullpoats Medica and Medway are guarding Darrell's and Tucker's islands.

Philippine Trade.

A marked increase in the trade of the Philippine islands during the cal-cudar year of 1500 over the commerce of the previous year, is set out in a statement made by the division of in-sular affairs of the war department. The year of the year department. sular affairs of the war department. The value of imported merchandise, gold and silver, for 1990, is set down at \$27.765,100. This, according to the war department's statement, was the greatest importation for any single year in the history of the archipelago. In 1899 the imports amounted to \$20,440,074 in value, thus showing an increase of nearly 30 per cent in favor of 1960,

FOREIGN NOTES.

Owing to his increasing feebleness, Dr. Lapponi, his physician, has forbid-den the pope to follow his usual cus-tom of passing the hot weather in a tom of passing the hot weather in a pavilion in the Vatican garden.

A South African war medal has been awarded A. M. Blenn, an American citizen, in recognition of services rendered by him as driver of the engine connected with the water supply of Ladysmith during the slege of that fown.

BASE BALL.

Delow we publish the standing of the American and National league on Tuesday, July 2:

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THE MARKETS.

DETROIT.—Supply of stock monade, ew fat cattle; prices ranged from 34.0 a. of for bet grades, \$2 to \$3 for low grades. Steep and lambs an over supply; best grambs, \$5 to \$6 per cwt; sheep, best, \$2.5 to \$1.75. Hogs, prices ance from \$1 to \$1.75. Hogs, prices ance from \$1 to \$1.75. Hogs, prices ance from \$1 to \$1.75 t

1-2 \$6.25; lowest, \$2.75 for cattle; spring \$5.30 to \$5.75; sheep, fat, \$3.50 to \$2 lis. Hogs, \$6.30 to \$6.25; market or knes.
CINCINNATI.—Best cattle, \$5.40; butchers' extra, \$5.25, top price; common to fair

\$4. BURG.—Supply light; prime steers. ex 75. medium, \$4.35 to \$5.30; prime 5.50 to \$5.75; medium, \$4.35 to \$5.20; prime pigs, \$5.30 to \$5.50; sheep range in price from \$4.50 to \$5.50. NEW YORK.—Price ranges from \$5 and \$6 to \$2.50, latter for cow beef. Sheep, 35 to \$1, and \$4.50 for extras. Hogs, \$2.37 1-2 to \$6.60.

Grain. Etc.

The Michigan market for wheat shows 69 1-2 as highest for No. 2 red; corn. 46c; costs, 31 1-5 costs, 31 1-5 costs, 31 1-3 to 35 c.

The New York market shows: Wheat, No. 2 red, 74 1-3c, elevator; corn, 47 1-4 to 35c.

Toledo wheat price, 367 1-20 costs; corn, 43 3-4c; costs, 27 1-4c.

Cincinust reports No. 2 red wheat, 67c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 48c; costs, 33 3-4c.

Wu. E. Douglass, until recently at assistant to the receiving teller in the transmice Trust and Safe Deposit Co., or Philadelphia, has disappeared owing the institute \$12,000.

Twelve men were killed and a boy Twelve men were killed and a hoy was probably fatally injured Sunday aftersoon by a single bolt of lightning. The victims were fishing in Lake Michigan at the foot of Montrose boulevard, on the north side, Chicago. The ten bolt struck the pier where they were seated and all were thrown into the lake. Only the boy has been so furgree covered. The storm broke the hot waye.

Late Anderson's Washington Palac Lars Anderson, who was formerly attached to the United States legation in Italy, has begun negotiations for the erection of one of the most palatial residences in Washington. He has purchased from the Misses Patten a building site on Massachusetts avenue between Florida avenue and Twenty first street. Mr. Anderson purposes to erect a winter residence which will cost in the neighborhood of \$1,000,000. Three years ago he married Miss Per kins of Boston, heiress to several mil

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ordered discontinued.

Collector Yerkes has practically de cided that while he has no authority to cancel stamps imprinted on checks and return the checks to the banks for use he can preserve them until next winter and give Congress a chance to authorize their return. By this plan, the entire loss of hundreds of dollars worth of fine check books prepared by the banks will

The State Department has received corroboration of the foreign allegation women connected with the American legation led in the looting of the sacred palace at Pekin. Among those guilty of the looting was one lady who is said to have been at the bottom of the "femininity" referred to
by Admirial Remey in connection with
Herald and Presbyter, as to whether the wholly unwarranted charges against Captain Hall, of the Marine Corps.

th Washington a day or two ago. It was a box addressed to Academy of and billed "four hundred mosquitoes." The insects were quite lively when they arrived here, and were apparently in as good health as when they started on their journey from South Carolina, where they were captured. They are brought here, of course, for scientific investigation

Men are needed for the enlisted force of the navy to complete the authorized strength of 25,000. The apprentice system is over 1000 short and the regular establishment about the same number, with poor prospect of being fully recruited during the summer. Sailors whose terms of enlistment have expired, are being discharged at such a ing extract from the letter will illustrate rate that the Navy Department finds it this:

formally announced its acceptance of and perhaps Bolivia will be the only adopted it. ones to absent themselves.

A handsome model of the new pro-tected cruiser Denver has been set up Elocutionary contest will be held early in a corridor of the Navy Department, in August with five contestants from reason of its trimness. The model re- entertainment is anticipated. presents not only the Denver, but also the Cleveland, Des Moines, Chattanooga Galveston and Tacoma, which are exact counterparts. These vessels will Mrs. C. G. Curtis will have readings have graceful lines, two tall, raking for next week on the subject of "Health masts and the general aspect of an ocean yacht of large dimensions.

Counsul-General Law reports from Barcelona that since the old trade treaty with Spain was canceled and no new compact has been made to take its place. Spain has been obliged to impose maximum tariff duties on American goods, which amount to discriminatory rates. However, it is thought that mutually satisfactory trade relations between the two countries will soon be established. Despite high prices Amer ican goods find ready sale in Spain.

Stops the Cough And Werks off the Cold. Laxatire Bromo-Quinina Tablets cure a cold ope day. No Cure, no Pay. Price 23 conts.

PLYMOUTH MAIL The United States has decided to abandon all efforts to encourage the maintenance of the naval militia organizations of the States, owing to the lack af interest taken by the men in the plan for their education and training. At the beginning of the year the Navy Department prepared a program which contemplated the taking of naval militiamen to sea in any one of the naval vessels. The whole thing

feli flat, however, only one or two states

accepting the offer.

Hereafter examinations for entrance to the Naval Academy will be conducted by the Civil Service Boards in various parts of the country instead of at Annapolis by the Academic Board, as has heretofore been the case. The examination papers will be prepared at the Naval Academy and turned over to the civil service commission, and when papers will be forwarded to the Navy main purpose of the plan is to save the young men nominated as cadets the trouble and expense of leaving their homes and going to Annapolis for examination.

Science has found that rheumatism is caused by uric acid in the blood. This poison should be excreted by the kidneys. Foley's kidney cure always makes them well. '93 Pharmacy.

Was It Original?

Thos. Jeffersou recast the "Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence and called it the Declaration of Independence," that paper replies as follows:

The Declaration of Independence by the Mecklenburg Convention was made Natural Science, covered with gauze May 31, 1775, thirteen months before the Declaration by the Continenal Congress. It was sent by a special mes-senger, Captain Jack, to the Congress, then in session at Philadelphia, and placed in the hands of Delegates Caswell, Hooper and Hews, who addressed a letter to the Mecklenburg people, complimenting them on their patriotism and expressing the belief that the whole continent would speedily follow their example if grievances were not soon righted. Those who read both Declarations will see that the principles and many of the phrases of the nation al document are in that previously adopted at Mecklenburg. The follow

rate that the Navy Department finds it impossible to maintain the service at its full strength.

The Goverment off Brazil, one of the countries which it was feared would not be represented at the Pan-American Congress, to be held in the City of Mexico next October, on account the restriction imposed upon the application of the principle of arbitration has formally announced its acceptance of The author of the Mecklenburgt Decided in the City of Mexico next October, on account the restriction imposed upon the application of the principle of arbitration has formally announced its acceptance of The author of the Mecklenburgt Decided in the City of The author of the Mecklenburgt Decided in the City of The author of the Mecklenburgt Decided in the City of Mexico next October, on account the restriction imposed upon the application of the Mecklenburgt Decided in the City of Mexico next October, on account the restriction imposed upon the application of the Mecklenburgt Decided in the City of Mexico next October, on account the restriction imposed upon the application of the Mexico next October, on account the restriction imposed upon the application of the Mexico next October, on account the restriction imposed upon the application of the Mexico next October, on account the restriction imposed upon the application of the Mexico next October, on account the restriction imposed upon the application of the Mexico next October, on account the restriction imposed upon the application of the Mexico next October, on account the restriction imposed upon the application of the Mexico next October, on account the restriction imposed upon the application of the Mexico next October, on account the restriction imposed upon the application of the Mexico next October, on account the restriction imposed upon the application of the Mexico next October, on account the restriction imposed upon the application of the Mexico next October, on account the restriction of the Mexico next October, on account the restriction imposed upon the a

The author of the Mecklenburg! Dec-The Ad-laration was a Presbyterian as was the invitation to participate. The Ad-ministration is confident that Peru and every member or the Convention which

W. C. T. U.

where it has attracted attention by Plymouth and five from Salem. A fine The readings for last week were in

charge of Mrs. R. C. Safford who gave several fine selections on "Franchise."

and Heredity."-Supt, Press.

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A ROBIN'S QUEER ACTIONS

It Play Hide and Seek with Its

Own Image? Meehan's Monthly prints a queen story of a female robin. Every morning about daylight, and at irregular hours during the day, but more par hours during the day, but more par-ticularly in the morning, the bird flies to the window-sill, tips back her head, looks straight up, and then makes a flying leap up some three or four feet and pecks at the window-glass, generally giving three knocks while poised in mid-air. This it continues for an hour or more, sometimes going out to the lawn for a worm and then returning to its queer tactics. When driven away, it will return within three minutes. Where the inside shades are drawn down, if of light color, she does not bother that window; but if the shades are dark green, she will peck at the glass. Only windows under a porch cover are attacked. Even when all these are shaded with light shades, she does not bother other windows not shaded that have no porch covering over them. When all the windows under a porch were covered with light in-side shades, leaving one small transom window unshaded, she attacked that, but left windows, within five feet unshaded and not covered by porch, alone. She is not attacking her reflec tion, because the reflection would be near the window-sill. Sometimes her mate sits on the porch railing, some ten feet away, watching her. If a win-dow is left open, she leaves it and goes to another. What does it all mean?

The Mule in Hypnotism.

Max Carnaveaux, who gives exhibi-tions of his power in hypnotism, has decided that in future he will be more careful in the selection of his subjects for experiment. One of his fav-orite tricks was to persuade the man who submitted to him for test that he was a mule, and great merriment al-ways followed the mulish antics of the victim while he was under the hyp-notic influence. But one day, down in Lyndon, Kansas, Mr. Carnaveaux, feeling unusually sprightly and jovial, presumed a little too far on the good nature and geniality of the mule pro tem, and carried away by the strength of hypnotic suggestion, the man under the spell suddenly kicked out with great violence and struck the hypnotist in the hand, fracturing one of the bones. For a few weeks, therefore, there have been no hypnotic experiments of any sort, and Mr. Carnaveaux has made up his mind to give up the mule trick and rely on animals of more peaceable and reliable dispositions. Youth's Com-

De Wet and Nicholson's Nak. A "British Weckly" correspondent in

South Africa has been told by a burgher that it was De Wet who organized the capture at Nicholson's Nek: He was in charge of a small commando and noticed the position of the Glou-cesters, extended on a long ridge Seizing an eminence which commanded Seizing an eminence which commanded their position, he occupied this under cover of darkness with few marksmen, whose fire in the early morning led the British force to concentrate, and covered the tactics of the rest of the commando, which quietly took every dominant point round the British position, until the surrender became invitable. We accuminance whiches evitable. My acquaintance watched the whole affair from his place with the ambulance, some 800 yards from the British center.

EXCURSIONS PERE MARQUETTE

Grand Ledge, Sunday, July 7.
Train will-leave Plymouth at 8:50
a.m. Returning, leave Grand Ledge
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Cocal Newslets

Pay village taxes now.

Mrs. Ed. Huston is quite sick, Don Safford, of Grand Rapids was

Mrs. Celia Clark, of Detroit, is visiting at Jay Burr's.

Sunday School excursion on Wednesday to Belle Isle.

Miss Edith Rauch, of Ovid, is visiting at J. R. Rauch's.

Miss Maggie Joy, of Detroit, is visiting her father Asa Joy, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hodge left Wednesday for a visit at Cincinnati, O.

Mrs. Briggs and daughter, of Battle Creek, are visiting Mrs. Mercy Durfee

Mrs. Ed. Pelton and daughter June left Tuesday for a visit at Grand Rapids

Mrs. E. C. Bassett, of Newburg, visited her daughter Mrs. T. W. Davey Wednesday,

A contractor from Romulus will build a new house on Sutton street for Fairman, of Plymouth.

Miss Maud Merrill, of New Boston is visiting her sisters, Misses Sadie and daily. The Journal is a creditable celeste Merrill. Miss Nell McLaren and Mary Conne.

visited at Miss McLaren's home near Chelsea the 4th. K. Bennett left Saturday for

Petoskey and Walloon Lake for several weeks' vacation. Miss Bernice Goodrich, of Bath,

The Plymouth city ball team go to

Pontiac next Friday to play the return game with that club. Merritt Bros. have secured the contract to build W. F. Riggs new house

and also Charles Miller's. E. L. Riggs and wife, F. E. Riggs and children and Miss Avis Green left

to-day for St. Clair for an outing. Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rauch leave to-day for a

several weeks' outing at Walled Lake. Dr. Cooper left Monday for a week's

vacation, taking a trip down the St. Lawrence river to the Thousand Isles. F. E. Riggs and children, of Louis ville. Kentucky, are visiting his brothers, E. L. and W. T. Riggs this

Supervisor Nash, of Canton, was last week elected chairman of the county building committee, a responsible

Miss Maud Patterson, sister of Dr. Patterson, who has been teaching in the schools at St. Marys, Canada, is home for the summer.

Geo. Knapp, who has been working with bridge crrpenters on the Pere Marquette, had his right foot badly cut with an adz while at work Wednesday

Rev. Stephens was called to Deer-field to-day to preach the funeral sermon for Leal Logue, a young man of 18 years, who was drowned while bath ing in the Raisin river.

The last outstanding water works note of \$1,000 against the village of Plymouth was ordered paid by the council last Monday evening. Only the bonds-\$30,000 - are now outstand

The evidence taken at the coroner's inquest in the case of Mrs Geo. Cooper at Perrinsville, last Thursday, was on Saturday submitted to Prosecuting At torney Hunt for action. So far, The Mail has not understood that an arrest will be ordered by the Prosecutor.

Gov. Pingree's funeral takes place Saturday, and it will be a large and imposing affair. Thousands of civic and military organizations will be in line and people from all over the State will be in attendance. The remains will lie in state to-day at the city hall.

FARMERS—Go to Shafer Bros., Plymouth, for mower and binder knives, knife heads and sections of all makes.

It was a very small crowd that turned out to see one of the best ball games of the season at the fair grounds last Friday afternoon between the Pontiac City ball club and Plymouth. It was a good game from start to finish, both teams playing fine ball. The Plymouth boys did great work at the pounded out 9 runs to Pontiac's 5. Turn out to see the next game, and show the boys Pymouth takes an interest in ball

It seems The Mail was in error last week when it stated that the liabilities of F: Markham Briggs were about into trouble with a woman whom, he 86000. The statement was made on information given us by a reliable party. Receiver Starkweather says the liabilities will exceed \$26,000, with assests of but a few thousand dollars at the most, and instead of paying out about even, scarcely ten cents on the dollar will be realized, unless a transfer of real estate to Mr. Briggs' wife, made by him, can be set aside, and an effort to do which will be made. The drug and grocery store is being run by Druggist Hobbell, all the other clerks being dis-charged. Several prospective buyers of the stoot are already in sight.

Pay village taxes now.

Clay Hoyt of Lansing was home the

Frank Black of Detroit spent the 4th. in Plymouth. Mrs, Chaffee, mother of A. W., is visting another son in Pontiac.

New bar fixtures were placed in the Hotel Plymouth bar room yesterday Mrs. Geo. Van Vieet left Tuesday tor

visit with friends at Flushing, Mich. E. P. Baker made a business trip to Fort Wayne, Ind. the fore part of the

The Plymouth Junior ball team play the D. A. C. junior team at Belle Isle July 10th.

Mrs. Hawley and grand-daughter Miss Levison, of Jackson, visited at A W. Chaffee's Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Bingham, of Rochester, N. Y., are visiting in Plymouth, as the guests of Mrs. F. W. Fairman. Remember the excursion to Belle

Isle on Wednesday next. Fare to Detroit and return 25cts. Everybody go and have a good time. Mrs. Emory Townsend with her

family, of Saginaw, is spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. F. W. Beginning with last Monday the De troit Journal will be issued as a penny

Mrs. Harry Shattuck entertained the infant class of the Presbyterian Sab-bath School Wednesday at her home, the little ones enjoying a good time.

Are you going on the S. S. excursion on Wednesday to Belle Isle? Fare only 25 cts. to Detroit and return Mich., is visiting her sister Miss Blanche
Goodrich this week.

Train will leave in the morning at 6:55 standard time. It will be the excursion of the season.

> All friends of the Political Equality club will please meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Curtis for the last meeting for the summer on Wednesdaylevening, July 10. Let us have a good turnout,-E. M. S.

> The heat the fore part of the week was terrific. July 1st is said to have peen the hottest in thirty years on the same day. Plymouth suffered with the rest of the country but fortunately there were no fatalities.

> The Boland syndicate is running cars petween Jackson and Grass Lake. About 100 car loads of ties have been unloaded at Plymouth and it is expect ed grading will be begun in a few days. Farmers who have buildings to move on the route have already begun the

> Outside of the ball game at the fair grounds yesterday, there was no excitement in Plymouth. All business body that did not go out of town made themselves as comfortable as possible at home. Many went to Wayne, where a celebration was held, and others to the city, Belle Isle, the Flats, etc.

Sailors and walking hats from 25c, to 50c, each. NELL B. McLAREN.

There should be some systematic way of ringing the fire bell, that the department may know in which the direction the fire is. At the ringing of the fire bell Monday the cart in the park stand was run north when it should have gone south on Main street. The firemen are often at a loss to know where the fire is. It would be wise for the chief, or the council, to divide the village into districts and make a rule that the bell be tapped for the number of the district in which the fire may be

Mrs. T. W. Davey was about to light the gasoline stove in her kitchen Mon-day about six o'clock, and after she had turned on the gasoline a few drops ran over into a box containing some paper. In a moment they were blazing up to the ceiling, igniting also some paper on the wall. - She seized the stove courageously and threw it out of doors. neighbor, Mrs. Johnson, heard het call for help and responded with a garden hose with which the fire was put out. An alarm had been sent down town and the fire bell was rung, to which the department promptly responded. but their services were not needed.

I have about one dozen trimmed hats NELL B. MCLAREN

Frank Miller and wife returned home from Arizona Wednesday afternoon and if any one was ever glad to get home it was Frank and his wife. left here two or three years ago for the west and located on a ranch near alleges, squatted on land belonging to him, and in efforts to dispossess her, a deputy sheriff shot and killed the woman, as she was about to raise a gun to do a little killing herself, as she threatened. Frank and the eputy sheriff were lodged in jail and the deputy was later lynched by an infurimob, as he was to be tried for murder It looked bad for Miller, but through the efforts of friends in Plymouth s change of venue to another court was secured and a jury acquitted him from all blame, when both he and his wife lost no time in leaving the country

Preaching service at the M. E. church by the pastor Sunday morning.

Rev. Stephens preached a fitting sermon last Sunday morning in the M. E. church.

Episcopal church services will be (over Plymouth Savings Bank) next Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited. Sunday-school at 6:30 p. m.

The subject for next Sunday at First Church of Christ, Scientist, will be-"God." The Christian Science hall ing the months of July and August.

A number of families sojourned down to the Markham flats yesterday to get a cool breeze and lay in the shade. The storm came up so suddenly that all were drenched to the skin.

A large walnut tree in the yard of Joel Kellogg was struck by lightning during the thunder storm vesterday, me of the members of the family had been sitting under the tree less than half a minute previous to the shock and were more or less affected by the fluid as it shot down the tree from top to bottom, scattering the bark in all directions. The tree is thought to be over 75 years old.

Plymouth Division No. 160, of the Knights of the Loval Guard, was or ganized Thursday evening of last week in Odd Fellows hall, by Hon. Edwin O Wood, supreme commander-in-chief, Hon. Marx W. Stevens, supreme captain general, and Dr. Orson Millard, supreme medical examiner, of Flint. The dge starts off with 28 charter members and six new members for the next meeting, July 10th. Special induce-ments will be offered new members during month of July. M. E. Kimball, of the P. M. Ry., has been appointed deputy commander-in-chief. The order is based on the military plan and the thoor work is very interesting and instructive. The following officers were

lected:

Captain General—J. E. Mealley.
Sen. Captain—Nelson G. Riley.
Jun. Captain—H. W. L. Himmer.
Recorder—E. Partridge.
Treas. and Paymaster—H.M.Jackson
Chap.—Rev. T. B. Leith.
Sen. Lieut.—William McLaren.
Jun. Lieut.—Chas. Horner.
Sargeants—Adelbert Knapp and Ben.
fott.

Sentinel—Warren O. Brown. Standard Bearer—Ambrose Roe. Ex. Physician—Dr. Patterson.

NOTICE.—From July 4th until Sept. 1st, my store will be closed at 6 o'clock every evening, except Saturday even ings. Nell. B. McLaren.

The Ladies' Home Journal for July. From West Point, as pictured by George Gibbs on the cover, "A Boston Street at High Noon"; next try "Goin' Fishin' with Joe Jefferson" in Florida; then travel out West with Ernest Seton Thompson to see "The Mother Teal and the Overland Rout": next go along the Atlantic Coast to find out how the places "Where Our Country Begun' ook to-day; then seek Northern Michigan to hear "The Story of a Maple Tree," by William Davenport Hulbert; next visit an Eastern magazine editor's office and enjoy the good-humored raillery of "The Case Against the Editor," by Edward Bok; and finally what "The Country of Sheridan's Ride" looks like nowadays. There are many other articles of equal interest on various subjects. By The Curtis Publishing Company, Philadelphia. One

On the First and Third Tuesdays of each month special low rate, One Way Settlers' Tickets will be sold by Agents of the Obio Central Lines to points in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentuckey, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia. For full-particulars, Rates, Routes, etc. call on any Agent of Obio Central Lines, or address S. G. Harvey, l'ass. Agent, Toledo, O.

The North Side {

Mrs. H. M. Jackson is improving rap

Mrs. H. E. Riley returned Monday

Miss Mabel Smith visited friends in Detroit this week

Mrs. M. L. Markham visited relatives in Detroit this week.

Mrs. Wm. Bentley is visiting relatives at Tuscola this week.

Wm. Slater, of Marshall, is visiting at M. Smith's this week. Geo. Van Vleet has a string of horses

at the Jackson races this week. Operator McIntyre was offered a po-

sition in Grand Rapids this week. Miss Lida Hassenger is home spend-

ing the vacation with her mother.

John Gill, Otto Mealow and Ira Smith were Defroit visitors Sunday. James Stewart, of Detroit, was a

visitor this week at Conrad Springer's. A number of Detroit friends of Mr.

Mrs. F. VonNostitz and children, of Detroit, visited her sisters here Tuesday. Engineer Kingston and family will nove into the Gleason house next

week. Mrs. Willard Roe returned home Saturday from a two weeks' stay at Saginaw.

Rev. A. E. Ketcham, of South Haven risited at Robert Maiden's Tuesday and Wednesday.

Elmer and Arthur Whipple left Monday for a two. weeks' visit in Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

Mrs. M. E. Kimball and daughter Elma returned Saturday from a ten days' visit at Flint.

Oliver Johnson and Mr. Ash have moved into Lafavette Dean's new house on Oak street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Germer and daughter, Mattie, are spending a couple of weeks at Ludington.

Engineer Harry Ables and wife, of Saginaw, are visiting Mrs. Ables' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Dickerson attended the wedding of Fred Orr and Lena Ryder at Salem Wednesday evening.

The B. Y. P. U. will have an ice cream social on Mrs. Carrie Markham's lawn Friday evening, July 12th, to which all are cordially invited.

The social on Mr. Wilske's lawn on at home traveling" been offered than Friday night last was well attended and the Sunday-school netted nearly \$10. The superintendent wishes to thank all who attended and helped to make it a success.

For Sale Cheap—A good second hand lady's bicycle. Enquire at E. L. Riggs' store.

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AUCTION SALE.—I will sell at public auction at my home near the school-house, on Saturday afternoon, July 6th, at 2 o'clock, a large lot of household goods and furniture of all kinds. Harry Robinson, auctioneer. goods and Turniture of A. Harry Robinson, auctioneer.
MRS. REBECKAH PALMER

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PLEMOUTH, MICHIGAN

Einteric fever is calculated to have filled ten Britishers in South Africa for tack one who has fallen a victim to Boer bullets.

The heaviest precious stone is the stron, which is four and one-half times heavier than an equal amount of water; the lightest is the opal, only ice as heavy as water.

The 18th anniversary of the estab lishment of a territorial government for Arisona was marked by the dedi-cation of the new capital at Phoenix. Governor Murphy presided.

Pope Lee XIII. has just, reorganized his historic bodyguard. These gentlement always accompany the pope in his walks and attend him at all public functions. Lee XIII. has increased the cores from always to 240 in number corps from eighty to \$40 in numb d has placed them at the head of the Vatican troops.

The numerous islands of the Pats gonia archipelago are covered with evergreen forests capable of supplying mmense quantities of valuable timber the same geological formation as those of Chili and Peru, are probably rich

A passenger train on the Minne-apolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railroad was recently delayed an hou by heaps of Russian thistles which had n blown upon the track by heavy ids. The thistles were caught on the wire fences along the right of way where they collected in bunches in much the same manner in which snow drifts into railroad cuts.

The king of Italy has just asquired the island of Monte Cristo, the scene of Dumas' thrilling romance, as a hunting ground. It is about six miles in extent, and abounds in fur and feather are to be found the wild boar When he was Prince of Na ples the king used to often go hunting on the island, which then belonged to the Marquis de Ginori-Lescl.

Colonel James G. Milner, once assist ant secretary of the confederate navy when he died at Milford, O., on Tues-day, had in his trunk a million dollars confederate bonds and money. Has he sold these to collectors he would not have been so poor that his wife' burial and his own need be at the charge of friends, as was the case Colonel Milner's wife, 80 years old died three weeks before him; a neighbor then took him to her home, where the desolate man died at the age of 82,

Galveston is arranging for a large sup-ply of oil from the Beaumont wells to be used in fighting magnetic. be used in fighting mosquitos. The oil will be distributed in all the stagnant pools in the city, sprinkled on the sur-face of water in the gutters, and dis-tributed free to owners of open cisterm for use in destroying mosquitos and the fever-breeding germs which collect in the ponds. Experiments made by the board of health have demonstrated the virtue of crude oil as a canitary measure if properly used and petroleum water as healthful and nourishing for drinking purposes.

Agents of the German governmen are scouring Arizona for horses for use in the army. Several days ago they closed a deal with ranchers in the northern and central parts of the ter-ritory for several hundred head, and will buy as many more. The Arizona e horse is peculiarly adapted to campaigning. The stock comes seculent blood. Indeed of such Hity is the Arzona horse that United States army buyers prefer him when he can be secured, to the product of any other region. The heavy demand. however, of the past three years has drawn heavily on the Arisona horsz ranges, and prices have resen. Army buyers are paying from \$25 to \$55 and getting horses from three to five years

Pennsylvania is the latest state that is trying to encourage and regulate marriage by new methods. Represenmarriage by new methods. Represen-tative Roth of Lehigh, introduced a bill in the state legislature lately which provides that a male citizen of Penn-sylvania over forty years old, making application for a marriage license shall pay to the clerk of courts a license of camiry for the purpose of main-homes for women over farty id, who have not had a suitable money. Any bachelor over forty years bid who shall go outside of the state for a wife shall pay \$100 into the state for a wife shall pay \$100 into the state freezes. The set is irrevenished an sever be repealed without the basest of the majority of the old women who have been regularly admitted a the house established for them.

The negro population of the United lates is not diminishing, as many years but is on the gain. The persons of increase since 1356, according to the causes of 1906, is 12.78, the is a greater percentage of inches that of the pervious decision that of the pervious decision are as follows: Colmistic 2,500,000; increases. That is the largest increases are one of the collection of the largest increases are one of the collection of the largest increases are one of the collection of the largest increases are one of the collection of the largest increases are one of the collection of the c

Carnegie Gives Detroit a Library Fund.

A MURDER NEAR ELK RAPIDS.

Wempa-Mangled by an Electric Car-Various Matters of Note and Inter-About the State.

The Grand Rapids Bribery. he trial of Gerrit H. Albers, indict ed by the grand jury for alleged brib-ery of Grand Rapids officials in connec-tion with the water deal, was booked to ery of Grand Rapids officials in connection with the water deal, whis booked to start Monday but the superior court dismissed the jury for a month and thus postponed the trial. In the circuit court arguments to quash indictments against Sulsbury, MacLeod, McGarry and Taylor were postponed to July 12 by agreement between the prosecutor and attorneys for the defense. Although Albers is the only one who has not resorted to technicalities to delay the trial and therefore will be the first to be ready to face a jury, it is believed some of the others will be tried first. It is said that the prosecutor's office has come into possession of some important evidence bearing upon the indictment cases since the grand jury took a revess, but the nature of the new evidence will not be disalged by those who are understood to have it under their hats.

Cook Wante \$50.

Cook Wants \$50.

Cook Wasts \$50.

Samuel F. Cook, journal clerk of the house, asks the Supreme Court for a mandanus to compel Aud-Gen. Powers to countersign his order for \$50 milesge representing \$60 miles from Rock River, Alger county, to Lausing and return. Cook claims Rock River as his home, always voting there. Powers refused to countersign the certificate, claiming that Cook was in Lansing at the time the legislature convened, and therefore was not entitled to the mileage. Chef Clerk Miller, of the house, who appointed Cook, and who is his attorney in this case, claims that as the legislature declared Cook entitled to the mileage, that question of fact is determined for all time, and cannot be reviewed, even by the jucannot be reviewed, even by the ju-diciary, and much less by the auditor-

The Elk Rapids Murde

The coroner's inquest over the bod of Fritz Huegil, Elk Rapids, shot Fr of Fritz Huegli, Elk Rapids, shot Friday by D. J. Dokey while raking hay on the land claimed by them both, developed the fact that Dokey ordered Huegli off the land and shot in the air to scare him. When Huegli, who continued to work, drove around the field again Dokey ordered him to desist and shot the contents, of the second barrel of the gun into the left side of Huegli's neck. Huegli fell from the rake, his feet catching in the machine. He was dragged across the field until the team stopped. Then it was found he was dead and clutched in his hand was a half-cocked Smith & Wesson revolver. Dokey walved examination, and has Dokey waived examination, and has retained Hon, W. H. Foster of Traverse City, as one of his counsel.

Horribly Mangled.

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George Mariborough, a blacksmith living in Greenfield township, was run over Sunday night by car No. 20 of the Northwestern road. In front of his home. His body was carried about four rods before the car could be brought to a stop and was frightfully mangled. Motorman Rich says that the first be saw of Mariborough, he was first he saw of Marlborough, he was lying face upward across the track in lying face upward across the track in the moonlight. He put on the air brake at once, but could not stop in time. All those who were with Mariborough during the evening state that, while he had taken a glass or two of beer, he was not intoxicated. He had no reason to wish to commit suicide. Mariborough was 35 years of age, and made his home with his father.

The Pingree Funeral

The Fingree Funeral.

The steamer Zeeland arrived in New York Monday. She carried the body of the late ex-Gov. Pingree of Michigan, who died in London June 18. Everything indicates that there will be over 10,000 people in line at the funeral procession. The trades unions will furnish several thousand men alone. Assurance that they will turn out in force was conveyed to Col. Harnh Saturday by the secretary of the trades and labor council. The K. O. T. M. tents promise a division of 500, and various other organizations are sending in aptifications to the colonel that they will be in line.

Saved the Money.

Mrs. Daniel Keller, wife of a farmer living near Clayton, while alone at the house discovered two men approaching from the barn, with masks over their faces. Suspecting something wrong, she rushed to her room, securing the money in the house and hiding the house and hiding the hiding the house and hiding the house are hiding the house and hiding the house are hiding the house are hiding the house and hiding the house are hiding the house are hiding the house at the house are hiding the The robbers approached her, seized her, bound her hand and foot, and de-manded the money. She claimed they had none, and after hunting the hou left, securing nothing but a little change. Mrs. Kelley was found two hours later by her husband.

be in camp in Manistee August 5th to

W. E. Scott, aged 70, who pleaded guilty to passing a forged check on a Bromson bank, was sentenced to two

Bert Hartwick, of Coloma, started to

Bert Hartwick, of Coloma, started to show another man how to manipulate an acceptene gas plant. He started in wrong, however, as he entered the room with a lighted lantern. An explesion followed, burning Hartwick and nearly wrecking the building.

After making a careful canvases of the northwest territory and preparing conservative estimates upon the conditions found throughout the grain helt, the traffic officials of the St. Paul, the Northwestern, the Northern Pacific, the Great Northern and the Burlington systems, are agreed that the wheat crop of this region for 1901 will

Bad Work; Reavy Excess.

There is a good deal of criticism of the state tax commission, some of which seems to be well men who have been out in the state looking up valuations of property have been so heavy as to excite auspicion, and the accounts of the commissioners and the expenses of the commissioners and the expenses of the board of state auditors. The allowances of the board of auditors for the tax commission for June were \$7.146.00, making the cost of the commission a heavy burden. The salaries and pay rolls of the office aggregated \$4.975.30: railroad fare, \$367.11; telephoning, \$12.40; telegraphing, \$11.28; passistants, \$13.65; livery hire, \$560.05; hotel expenses, \$809.02. Some of the field has been so badly done that it will have to be done over at heavy expense. The men were instructed to obtain from the super-sors certain information to be used determining the actual value of sors certain information to determining the actual value of the countles for the benefit of the state board of equalization whileli meets in August. A necessary part of this to-formation is the values of property in formation is the values of property 1 1896 when the last board or equaliza tion met as well as in the present year. In some cases the field men have falled to take the valuations required and their work is therefore worthless to the

Carnerie's' Gift.

Andrew Carnegie writes from Scotland that he will contribute toward the erection of a new public library building in Netrolt a sum of \$750,000. This gift is to be in accordance with terms entered into between Mr. Carnegie and representatives of the Detroit library commission through extensive corre-spondence that has been carried on for some time.

MINOR MICHIGAN MATTERS

Galesburg is to have rural free de

Lade Odessa is to have fair grounds fitted up.

Detroit has on its books \$149,000 of

back taxes. Free rural mail delivery will be tablished in South Haven.

The postoffice at Ingersoll has been discontinued. Mail goes to Delta

Work on the electric road from Bat tle Creek to Coldwater has begun. The hay crop in Huron county will be small on account of the drouth.

The postoffice at Ellis has been discontinued. Mail will go to Marshall.

The equalized valuation of Genes county has been fixed at \$24,986,391 Miss May Lawton, U. of M., 1901, will go to the Philippine islands as a

The Soo line steamer Hennepin was damaged \$25,000 by fire Thursday.

Indiana capitalists are organizing a company to drill for oil near Three Oaks, Mich.

Some one poisoned eight head of cat-e near Montague, belonging to Butch-r Fred Herren.

Alfred William Balch, of Saginaw, has been appointed an assistant sur-geon in the navy.

Ofto Bennett, aged 11 years, Kala-mazoo, was drowned in the river Mon-day while bathing.

The common council has ordered gates at all the street crossings of the Michigan Central in Albion.

Col. James Crozler, of Menominee, formerly commandant at the Soldiers' home. Is geriously ill at Alima.

Thirty bollermakers in Bay City are on a strike for a nine-hour day and 12½ per cent increase in wages.

The last smallpox patient in City has been discharged. The demic has cost the county \$10,000. It is expected that electric cars will be running over the new line between Holland and Zeeland in a few days.

A gold mining company, of which Gov. Bliss is president, is reported to have made a rich strike in Colorado.

Huron county has 38 liquor sellers felding her the neat sum of \$16,000 Only six have refused to pay this year.

The increase in real property over last year in Adrian was but \$3,150, and in personal \$8,424, making a total of \$11.578.

nect at Adrian with the Toledo & Jack son line, are seeking a franchise in Hudson.

A stranger passed two forged-checks for \$27 each in Albion Saturday, G. W. Schneider and Hill & Allen were

The hot weather is proving a great thing for the hay crop in Livingston county. Farmers are offering \$2 per

day for help. Dundee thermometers registered 102 in the shade Tuesday. An electrical storm in the evening put nearly all the lights out of business.

The Muskegon Traction and Light-ing Company will increase the wages of its motormen and conductors about 20 cents a day on Ang 1

Bellaire is now lighted by electricity. Work on the plant was begun two years ago, but was delayed by a change of village officials.

William H. Selicek, a prominent resident of Orleans, committed suicide by shooting himself. He was despondent over fluancial difficulties.

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The wrecking tug Fern of Algonac sank at her moorings over the wreck of the old Colorado on Eugle river reef. In the hig blow Friday night. She was discovered Sunday afternoon. It is supposed that her crew-of he were drowned while askeep in their herths.

An effort is to be made by the company officials to get into the fatal Port Royal mine pit and bring out the bodies of the 13 men. killed in the explosion two weeks ago. The party sit work is composed of prominent officials of the company, who prefer to risk their wine workers to take the hazard. The Benton Harbor and St. Joseph supervisors allege that the supervisors at Niles have not assessed property there to its full value and will appear to the state tax commission. The local supervisors raised the assessment is the twin cities this year, and they want fair play from other supervisors.

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Two libel suits for \$20,000 each have been started against the Grand Rapids Democrat by the Old National bank and Cashier H. J. Hollister. The suits grew out of the water scandal.

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Fruit in the vicinity of Lawton has been injured to a great extent recently. Some peach orchards will bear no fruit at all, while but very few will produce more than half the usual crop.

The Epworth League of the fourth that the comprising the counties of

district, comprising the counties of Kent, Montcalm, Allegan and Ottawn,

Kent, Montcalin, Allegan and Ottawi, will hold a mammoth picnic at Ottawa Beach and Macatawa park on Aug. I. Orsegus P. Bates, of Coldwater, paid no attention to an order of the court to pay his wife \$80, pending the result of diverce proceedings brought by her, and will spend 30 days in jail. About ten men employed by the Sag inaw City Gas Co. are on strike for shorter hours. They have been work-ing ten hours per day for \$1.50. The company will try and fill their places.

The main river log drive on the Menoninee has started, and as the water is high this year, it is expected that the drive will be fast. All of the tributary stream drives have been completed.

The July term of the circuit cour The July term of the circuit court opened in Charlotte Monday, Only one criminal case is ready for trial and the defendant has announced he will plead guilty. There are four divorce cases on the list.

There are two drug stores located in Hesperia, and the president of the VIllage has made complaint and the druggists have been held for trial on a charge of seiling liquors without filing a druggist's bond.

A 60-mile gale did \$1,000 damage in Marquette. The old rolling mill fur-nace at South Marquette was blown down: Chet. Michaljohn, a gryps, was killed. Six horses belonging to the band were also killed.

band were also killed.

Chas. S. Biller and Jay L. Weinberg caught a muskalonge at Mills Lake which weighed 34 pounds. When opened a half pint bottle of bourbon whisky was found inside the fish. Will

owner prove property, etc.?

Work on the Swift salt plant at Del ray has commenced in earnest. Two wells will be bared and work on the plant will commence at once. The out-put will be 50 carloads a day, and will

be shipped to the Swift plants.

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The supervisors have equalized Hillsdale county at \$16,828,400 this year, a slight increase over last. Hon. O. B. Lane, supervisor of Pittsford township, will represent the county before the state board of equalization. The residence of Bert Wheaton, at Kingsley, was destroyed by fire Monically and an infant 1 year old cremated. The mother and father and other children were absent. The child was left lying on a couch, which was in a lower room, that burned before help arrived. The state's cash balance at the begin-

The state's cash balance at the beginning of the fiscal year, July 1, was \$2,027,523.84 as against \$2,501,557,53 one year ago. The disbursements for the year from all funds were \$5,700,007,05, and the receipts \$5,825,973,30. The balance in the general fund of the state is \$2,007,704,80. \$2,097,704,90.

By a vote of 12 to 5, the Emmet county board of supervisors decided to submit the question of removing the county seat from Harbor Springs to a county seat from Harbor Springs to a vote. Petoskey must give free rent, and the \$20,000 city hall now being erected will be used in case the election goes right next spring.

Albert Spring.

right next spring.

Albert Suyder was found at an early hour on the streets of New Haven, suffering from a number of bad cuts about the legs. He at first told different and conflicting stories as to how he came in that condition, but at last it leaked out that he became scared and rain into a mowing machine.

The Shelty Herall says that the surface of the street and the surface of the street and the surface of the surface

The Shelby Herald says that the sur rounding country is already five years ahead of the town in growth and development and the farming commun ity has shown more enterprise, public spirit and, in some ways, more busi-ness ability than the town. And yet Shelby wants to be made the county

The 9-months-old infant of Prof. H. E. King, of Coldwater, cried whenever the mother dressed it. Examination showed a lump in the abdomen at the pit of the stomach. A doctor opened the swelling and took out a good-sized How it came there is

known.

Although the railroads of the state have until August 1 for the payment of their specific taxes, quite a number have already paid. The following railroads paid their taxes Monday: Chicago & Northwestern, \$80,000; Mineral Range, \$11,924; Hancock & Calumet, \$8,881; Manistee & Northeastern, \$2,933.

The higgest patriotic blowout in the The higgest patriotic blowout in the history of southwestern Michigan will be the carnival and celebration in Kalamazeo July 3 and 4 for which nearly \$3.500 has been raised, \$2.800 in cash and the balance in valuable puzzes contributed by the merchants. It will be a twentieth century celebration.

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Mrs. Authony Kittle, living on the
State road; one mile north of Norris,
was badly burned Wednesday and died
that night. Her clothing caught fire
from an explosion of an oil can in the
kitchen. Her husband stripped the
burning clothes from her and was badity burned in doing so. Mrs. Kittle was
34 years of age and was the mother
of five children. The house was set
on fire by the burning kerosene and
with its contents was destroyed.

K. E. Reardsley, of Charbotte, is under arrest charged with fosgery. Infayette Tubbs, a prosperous farmer of
Katon. died in February, 1900, and it
is alleged about the same time Beardsley sold the Merchant's National Hank
a note for \$150, bearing Tubbs' signature, which was pronunced a forgeryand the administrator promptly refused payment. The bank offered itcompromise with Beardsley, but he declared he was innocent, His arrest followed.

Dayld A. Eillott, of Greenville, aged

George W. Partridge, an old and respected citizen of Detroit for over a quarter of a century, was found dead in his bed Monday morning.

The Sheet Steel Workers and The Mammoth Trust.

A BATTLE ROYAL IS NOW ON.

Not a Strike For Wages but for Uni -Which will Bow to The Inevitable?-The Boast of the Amalgomated Asso ciation.-A Busted Bank,

The Great Strike.

As a result of the refusal of the representatives of the American Steel Hoop Co., subsidiary companies of the great United States Steel Corporation, usion the workers' new scale at Satto sign the workers' new scale at Sat urday's conference in Pittsburg, clu culars were sent out from the national headquarters of the Amaigamated As headquarters of the Amalgamated Association of Iron. Steel & Tin Workers Sunday and Monday declaring a strike at all the plants of the two combines. The great strike is now on, but it will be several days before its actual extent is known. At the outset, however, over 35,000 men will be involved. It will be after the 1st of August, perhaps, when the combine makes a serious attenum. the combine makes a serious attempt to start up in full, that the real battle to start up in full, that the real battle will begin if no settlement has been reached at that time. The company cannot well delay oberating longer than that on account of the present floods of orders. In fact, the urgent orders now on the books can scarcely wait through July. Thus the association has almost a month to prepare for the coming struggle. It is the boast of the Amalgamated association officials that by that time they will control 80 per cent of the capacity of the combined plant. Gradually the plans of President T.

bined plant Gradually the plans of President T. J. Shaffer of the Analganated association are being uncovered. Since the trouble in the W. Dewer Wood mills in McKeesport a few months ago, the Amalgamated association has been actively engaged in breaking up the present arrangement of the combine in onent arrangement of the combine in op ersting part of their plants with non-union men and the others with unlow men. Mr. Shaffer says that if this is not checked the life of the Amalgama-ted association is threatened for the combine will always work their union mills last, and the union men will be sufferer by this discrimination.

Thus is arrayed against the union organization the two branches of the United States Steel Corporation. The scale for the American Tin Plate Co., aiso a part of the greater corporation, has been signed. It is said, however, that in case the struggle continues erating part of their plants with nor

has been signed. It is said, however, that in case the struggle continues Amaigamated officials have the power to call out these finplate workers as a means of defense against the parent corporation, which they hold responsible for all disagreements.

The strike now threatened in the har mills, following so closely upon that of the sheet mills, has therefore a most serious aspect and may spread to enor-

serious aspect and may spread to enor-nous proportions. Indeed, in some cir-cies, it is predicted that the gigantic struggle that has been talked of since the organization of the United States the organization of the United States Steel Corporation was formed is on the eve of breaking out, and that it is cou-ing much sooner than many believed was probable.

The situation the greater corporation

was probable.
The situation the greater corporation is placed in practically frees the independent plants from compileity in the battle. The fight is not for wages, but for organization. Either the Amalgamated association must bow to the will of the greater was probable to the state. of the greater combine or else the greater combine will have to give up its non-union mills

A Busted Bank

The Seventh National Bank of New York closed its doors Thursday. The bank was custodian of the funds of the New York postoffice. When the account was opened the bank pur up \$250,000 in government bonds as security. The bank have hearly have the security. \$256,000 in government bonds as security. The bank has on deposit \$207,000 of postal funds. It is said that the bank's heavy debt balance was the result of the news of the bank's embarrassment on Tuesday heing telegraphed throughout the country. Interior institutions having moneys deposited with the Seventh drew on the bank, and these drafts, all coming in at the same time, were too much for the institution.

Shufter Retires.

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On Sunday two important events occurred at the government army post in San Francisco, the retirement of Maj-Gen. W. B. Shafter and the mustering out of four volunteer regiments. Gen. Shafter went on the retired list at noon, when he formally transferred the command of the department of Callfornia to Maj-Gen. S. B. M. Young. In the afternoon the Forty-fourth. Forty-ninth. Forty-eighth and Thirty-eighth volunteer Regiments were mustered out. The mustering out of the four regiments required the services of eight paymästers. More than a million dollars was paid out.

Now a combination of the lead interests with \$20,000,000 capital is being

Organized.

United States Senator James H. Kyle, of Aberdeen. S. D., died on Monday after a brief iliness.

The government will buy no more horses for use in the Phillippines, owing to the ceasation of active hostilities in the islands.

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The state democratic executive committee of Pennsylvania has decided to hold the state convention at Harrisburg on Aug. 15.

Some of the high temperatures recorded yesterday by the westher bureau were: Atlanta, Ga., 90 degrees; Atlanta; City, 90; Boston, 82; Chicago, 82; Chicago, 82; Chicanati, 90; Des Moines, Ia., 92; Indanapolla, 92; Jacksonville, Fla., 94; Kanasa City, Mo., 100; Little Bock, Ark., 90; Memphis, Teon., 92; New Orleans, 90; New York, 98; Omaha, 94; Pittsburg, Pa., 39; Salt Lake, 92; St. Lonis, 100; St. Paul, 90; Gpringfield, Ill., 90; Vicksburg, Misa, 90.

Hatty Acheson, who has been an usher at the white house since Gen. Garfield was president, will be a pension examiner.

THE NEWS CONDENSED

A strike of iron molders in Chicago

The City National Bank of Buffalous busted. Bad loans caused it.

A German firm has secured the con-tract for electric lighting Pekin.

The North American Trust Co. is trying to buy the paper box factories

of Detroit. Five persons dropped dead on the treets in Chicago Monday from exces-

The city council of Newcastle, Pa. have rejected Andrew Carnegie's offer to donate money for a free library.

W. J. Bryan says that Senator Hau-na is the logical candidate of the Re-publican party for president in 1904.

The Forty-third regiment, the last of the volunteers to leave the Philippines. has arrived at Sau Francisco on the transport Küpatrick, 23 days from Manila.

Good judges of the situation assert that the great railway "deals" now in process of consummation will be com-pleted before the crops of 1801 are moving.

Between 350 and 400 freight handlers employed in and about the warehouses of the different railroads entering East St. Louis are on strike for an advance of the dis St. Louis in wages

Eighty-five Culan school teachers have salled from Havana for the United States to attend at the invitation of President Eliot, the Harvard summer school.

Ald. Goodman, of New York, wants to send at least 5,000 of the nnem-ployed men and women of New York city to the fields of Kansas and other western states to help harvest the

crops.

Friday's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available crash balance, \$173,733,135; gold, 38.092.12G During a heavy thunder storm Tues-

During a neary tunner storm Tuesday night a bott of lighting struck the College of Physicians and Surgeons, on Harrison street, Chicago. The fire destroyed the college building, one of the fluest in the west.

Owing to the machinists' strike, work is entirely suspended on the armored cruisers California and South Dakota, and on the monitor Wyoming and the cruisers Tacoma and Milwankee, at San Francisco. Under the recent decision of the United States Supreme Court declaring the war revenue tax on export shipments unconstitutional the government.

will have to refund millions of dollars to the railroad companiess The government at Washington has received some of the franchises grant-ed by the Porto Rican legislature. Un-der the Foraker law these franchises

must be passed on by the president be-fore they become effective. The navy department has given out a statement to the effect that it is ready to give every encouragement to the naval militia. This was called out by reports that the department had decided to abandon the militia.

Licut. J. H. Scott, of the revenue marine service, who distinguished himself at the rescue of the persons on the disabled torpedo boat Winslow, off Cardenas, on May 11, 1898, has resigned and gone into the railroad business.

What is said to be the largest oil under is said to be the largest off gusher yet struck in the southwestern field is at Red Fork, Creek Nation, north of Denison, Tex. The oil spout-ed 400 feet in the air. It is still gush-ing and is wasting in great quantities. The Big Consolidated Street Car Co., of Cleveland, which controls the larger portion of the electric street car ser-

portion of the electric street car ser-vice in that city, has granted its 1,200 employes a voluntary increase in wages, amounting to about ten cents

a day a day.

The United States grand jury, at Holena, Mont., has returned 102 indictments against land locators in the Alissoula district, charging perjury in swearing that they filed upon lands for personal use, whereas they transferred them after getting the titles.

With a compliant of ordinary receipts

With a surplus of ordinary receipts of \$80,000,000 and a cash balance of \$185,000,000 confronting the treasury at the beginning of the new fiscal year on July 1, it becomes an interesting question how congestion of money in the treasury can be prevented.

The comparative statement of the government receipts and expenditures shows that during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1601, the total receipts from all sources amounted to \$585,848,309 and the disbursements to \$509,983,310, leaving a surplus for the year of \$73,804,999.

804.099.

The following over the signature of Wm. J. Bryan appeared in the Buffalo Times: "I am not only not a candidate for any office, but I have no candidate in mind for any office. My between centers in paradoles and candidate in mind for any office. My interest centers in principles and men are important only as they aid in carrying out these principles."

The steamer Kakamaria Maru has

arrived at Victoria. R. C., bringing news of the massacre of over 300 Kreinch converts at Qualpari. Korea. The converts attacked a meeting of natives, wounding one and carrying of six. They then invaded Smishifa. The intives returned and massacred the entire number.

The United States Court of Appeals has denied the motion of Lone West and commande indicate for a special appeal from the decision of Judge Bradley, refusing an injunction against the secretary of the

injunction against the accretary of the interior and other officials, to prevent the opening of the Klowa, Comancia and Apache lands in Oklahoma.

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Gen. Maximo Gomez is in New York with his son Urban and Alexander Gonzales, private secretary to Gen. Wood. The general's son said his failact's visit was one of pleasure. He intended to see his friends. How long he would remain in the country the general did not know, and the son, but the party will remain some days in the city. He said Gen. Gomes would call on President McKimley before leaving the United States.

Beveral persons have been burned in the fire which was starting Theoday night by lightning striking a tank belonging to the Standard Of Co. at Proble, Ind.

Life is a privilege. Its youthful days
Shine with the radiance of continuous Mays.
To live, to breathe, to wonder and desire,
To feed with dreams the heart's perpetual fire;
To thrill, with virtuous passions, and to glow
With great ambitions—in one hour to know
The depths and heights of feeling—God! in truth,
How beautiful, how beautiful is youth!

Life is a privilege. Like some rare rose
The mysteries of the human mind unclose.
What marvels lie in earth, and air, and sea!
What stores of knowledge wait our opening key!
What sunny roads of happiness lead out
Beyond the realms of indolence and doubt!
And what large pleasures smile upon and bless
The busy avenues of usefulness!

Life is a privilege. Though noontide fades
And shadows fall along the winding glades.
Though joy-blooms wither in the autumn air,
Yet the sweet scent of sympathy is there.
Pale sorrow leads us closer to our kind,
And in the serious hours of life we find
Depths in the souls of men which lend new worth
And majesty to this brief span of earth.

Life is a privilege. If some sad fate
Sends us alone to seek the exit gate,
If men forsake us and as shadows fall,
Still does the supreme privilege of all
Come in that reaching upward of the soul
To find the welcoming Presence at the goal,
And in the Knowledge that our feet have trod
Paths that led from, and must wind back to God.

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox, in the Cosmopolitan.



What Became of Elizabeth.

BY EVA WILLIAMS MALONE. (Copyright, 1901, by Daily Story Pub. Co.) "Since collaborating is the popular fad, why shouldn't we try it?" he said, tentatively, as he handed her a packof accepted manuscript for her

Years before they had projected the collaboration of their lives, but a base-less lover's quarrel, backed up by two hot tempers and two stubborn wills, had east all their rosy dreams into "pie." In a spasm of resentment she until death relieved her in repenting her rashness. He had vented his resentment by assuming a bitter at-litude toward all women, and especial-

Now, by a strange irony of fate, they were thrown together as workers on the same magazine. When they ascertained that this was to be their relation, the first impulse of each was ign the work-the second was to

sep straight on so as to show the ther that they "didn't care." At first the situation was horribly



"Let's Try One."

Inco-he called her "Madam,"
I "mything—rather than to sigthe triumph of the man; who had
her from him by calling her
Martinean." She dodged his
with faminine, afrottoms: and,
and could no longer avoid it,
him "Rr. Raymond" with painticle. In the unconsciousment
the Nina" and "Leon" of
tomse life seemed unquiet, wany ghosts, ready to spring forth
hustant vitality. But a good,
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He had fallen into the habit of bringing his work into her office, which adjoined his. Each one of them was doing literary work independent of that which they furnished their magazine, and each found the other's suggestions and criticisms helpful and inspiring. She wondered why her stories took on such strength and vitallty after she "had talked them over" with him—he developed new possibilities of grace and beauty undef her discerning criticism.

Thus it was that the idea of colaborating with her took hold of him and found expression in the question with which this story begins. "But you'd want the characters all

to do your way," she suggested. "You would never consent, I feel sure, to let your people give way the least bit to mine."

You don't know how complacent ! "You don't know how complacent I and my people can be upon occasion," he expostulated. "Let's try one story, anyway,' and, if we are not pleased with the result, why, the firm can dissolve without further notice. Such things have been done," he concluded with a look that caused a warm furth to mount her brow. She affected not to notice his covert sareasm and said: "Very good, you shall create the men—you know the craft all say, 'as

"Very good, you shall create the men-you know the craft all say, 'a woman's man' to be utterly impossible. And I am to have absolute sway where the women are concerned."

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So the story was begun. Plot and style ware agreed upon, but the details of the story were to unfold and develop themselves as it progressed. The interest was to hinge upon the love of two men for one woman; and Mrs. Martineau reserved the right to let the heroine accept or reject at the less moment.

last moment.
"I don't know what sort of creatures "I don't know what sort of creatures you are going to make of your men," she protested, "and I can't pledge my-self that my heroine will accept them. It you make them do things that my indument condemns, she must reject them."

At first the story progressed beautifully. She draw her, heroline with a firm, true hand, putting so much of the charm and magnethim of her own personality into her that Raymond and it what the easiest thing in the world for him to make his men love her that he was more than half in his with her himself. Something in his manner suggested the question whether he meant the heroline of Hrs. Hartineau's story or the heroine of him. But let that pass. When things he may be a climat, the trouble began. He had painted one of his hierons a handsome, dare-devil fellow, who carried all women's hearts before him. But he explained that the heroline was to discover in time that the fractmetton he had for her was not true love. This lett room for her her railies her "grand meason" in her

love for Ormand Seville, a calm, clean-hearted gentleman, albeit rather cold in exterior.

"I cannot let Elizabeth love that "I cannot let Elizabeth love that drinking, carousing, billiard-playing wretch you have there." Mrs. Martineau protested, with fervid eloquence. "It's quite impossible—he's unworthy of her."

"She will discover that in due time," Raymond argued. "She is only to be temporarily infatuated. Then Ormand will awaken her real, permanent af-

"After the bead and the sparkle have

"Does the first always get the bead and sparkle? I would be happy to and sparker: I would be hard to believe so," Raymond interjected, with one of those dangerous laples, that were becoming all too frequent since the subject of love had come to the

"In stories—yes. In real life—no!" she retorted, with feminine perversity. This was dangerous ground, and she knew it, so she said they would put away the story for that day, as she had work for the magazine which could not be postponed.

On the morrow they returned to the

onslaught.

"Well?"-Raymond began turning the leaves of the manuscript, but looking at Mrs. Martineau with a danger ous something in his eyes—"What about Hardcastle?" That was the

"I can't consent for Elizabeth to love him—even for a little while—he's"

Are women always governed by their lover's fitness?

"They should be." "But are they?" She had admitted in the other life they had lived to-gether, that she did love him, and if he was "fit" then why not-. Raymond realized that he was off the track and

jerked himself up.
"If you'll let Elizabeth love Hardcastle just for a little while, I'll, why I'll do any thing you wish with him after that, I'll kill him if you say so."

"Why can't you kill him now?" she flashed—"it strikes me that is the best disposition to be made of him. I can't let Elizabeth love him—not for can't let Elizabeth love him—not for a little while and—to please you!"

Her eyes dropped and her voice too The something that had been slum-

bering in him leaped to flame.
"Do you really care to please me?"
He was nearer to her now than even
the demands of collaboration required. She was startled out of her self-

"Why, why, I shouldn't mind pleas-ing you if it were not at the sacrifice of principle; but I couldn't let Eliza-

"Hang Elizabeth!" he cried, and she never knew what became of the pencil she had in her hand, "she may love just whoever she pleases if only her mistress will consent to do the same. Mina, it's out now, so let it go—Nina, this collaborated, second-hand love won't do! It's decidedly too Barmacidal for a man who has been hungering for the real thing for how many years is it. Dearest?"

A woman never counts years," she whispered with a last dying effort to keep from succumbing to the inevitable

"Save by their loss," he cried rapturously as he gathered a more real woman than Elizabeth into his eager arms and looked down into her eyes that refused to tell the lies she bade them—"Elizabeth and the rest of them can fight it out on their native heath; I care not what becomes of them. You and I are going back to the old, sweet



"A Woman Never Counts Years." collaboration of other days. It's worth all the pen and ink stuff is the unl-

verse."

And, looking into her happy face, you would not have thought she a filip what became of Elizabeth.

Dag Saved Eleters Life.

A man servant in a family in England some time ago took a littlen to a pond, with the intention of drowning it. His master's dog went with him. it. His master's dog went with him, and when the kitten was thrown into the water the dog sprang in and brought it back to land. A second time the mas threw it in, asis again the dog rescued it; and when for the third time the servant tried to drown it, the dog, as resolute to save the lit the halpless life as the man was to do strop, it, awam with it to the other side of the pool, ran all the way home with it, and deposited it before the hitches fire. From that these the dog kept chostant watch over the kitten. The twe wars inseparable, even sharing the same bed.

To grow old nicely is a great art, and old people are quite mistaken in imagining that they must accountly be borns to the young, though some elderly people are currently trying.

YANKEE DEFENDS THE CZAR. MILITARY TO MOVE

Estimate of Steel Workers Who Have Obeyed Strike Order.

THINK SCHWAB WILL FIGHT.

Calon Mon Expect Date: mit from Head of Billion-Dollar Trust-Reading Company Wins and Mou Return to Work on Old Basis.

Pittsburg, Pa., July 3 .- The strike of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers against the American Sheet Steel company and the American Steel Hoop company, another of the United States Steel corporation combine, makes close to 50, 000 workers now out. Amalgamated officials think Presi

dent C. M. Schwab of the United States Steel corporation will now give them a battle. During the conference on the bar-iron scale with President Shaffer last week the representatives of the American Steel Hoop company were withdrawn, and the order is said to have come from the billion-dollar combine

President Shaffer of the Amalgamat ed association spent yesterday receiv-ing reports from "struck" mills, "We are well satisfied with the first day's progress," he said. "Not a wheel turn-ed in any of the union mills where we are making a fight for independence Bluffing? I guess not. The combine of-ficials realize this now."

The Southern Car and Foundry com-

pany of Anniston, Ala. yesterday wired the acceptance of the bar ron scales. The Tennessee Coal and Iron company accepted the Bessemer sheet scale, and the American Tinplate com pany and the Republic Iron and Steel company signed the sheet scale. Other scales were those for the Lockhart Iron and Steel company, Sharon Tinplate company, South Sharon; Stewart Iron company (limited), Sparon; N. G. Taylor company, Cumberland, Md.; and the American Rolling Mill company, Michigan. Zug & Co., Pittsburg, announced that they would sign the scale. The mill is closed down. The sheet mill will reopen on July 8 and the bar mill on July 15.

Reading Strike Is Settled.

Philadelphia, Pa., July 3.—President George F. Baer of the Philadelphia & Reading Railway company, has given out the following signed statement:

"The Reading railway shop strike has been settled upon the following basis: The men to return to work at once just as they were before they went out.

"The men to be restored to the Philadelphia & Reading Relief association with like effect as though they had not left the employ of the com pany.
"The labor union not to be recog

nized. nized. We will employ any one we please and no distinction will be made between union and nonunion men."

LATEST FOREIGN NEWS.

Five Alleged Americans Arrested. Peking, July 3.—Five men calling

themselves Americans were captured by Chinese troops in a town 500 miles from Peking, and were to-day turned over to Major E. Robertson, commander of the United States Legation rd here. The men, who were ed, demanded 5,000 tacks from the keeper of a pawnshop and got 500.
They filled five carts with plunder and then began shooting, not knowing that the town was occupied by 100 Chinese troops. The United States legation was notified and the quintet was brought in was brought in.

Small Revolt in Mexico

San Francisco, July 3.—According to the Chilean steamer Tucapal, which arrived here, there is a small revolution in the state of Guerrero, Mexico The rebellion was formented during the recent illness of President Porfice Diaz. Although the principal men in it have been arrested the country in the vicinity where the trouble occurred is still under martial law.

Yorkes Alds English Charity London, July 3.—Charles T. Yerkes has promised to take the chair at the anniversary festival and hanquet of the Royal St. Anne's society on July 11. This is one of the oldes haritable organizations in the world, and through Mr. Yerkes' chairman-ship it is expected to gain many thou-

Asbury Park, July 1.—James W. Echardson of Washington, and Miss Josephine Ten Broeck, daughter of Mayor Ten Broeck, were married to-day. Mizs Ten Broeck took the p'unge into matrimony's seething sea without a tremor. She is a dauntless young woman, who gained some slight note riety last year by a midwinter plunge into the ocean, and a January swim of two miles along the coast

Mr. Richardson has been long em

Beyon Gives a Zonet.
Newport. News, Va., July 2.—William Jennings Bryan was the guest of honor at a banquet here last night.
Governor Tyler of Virginia, and others more or less prominent participated.
Mr. Bryan toasted the United States.
The kernel of his speech was how they should be governed. In a speech previous to the banquet, Bryan said that he is now a private citizen with excellent chances of remaining an

Charles Kuled; France Inject.
Bratlagtos, Ind., Fuly 8.—With
losher and his ann and daughter we truck by a Wabash fast maft. T silders were tilled and the fast talky injected.

New York, July 8.—A complete report on Russian operations on Mau-churia will be published in a few days by Lieutenant Colonel W. A. Simpson, chief of the Military Information Di-vision of the War Department, says a Washington dispatch.

This report, which gives the first de-This report, which gives the first detailed account of Russian military operations, shows that Russia had great cause for declaring war in China. Its frontier was invaded, its people were killed, its railway in Manchuria was destroyed, and, sharing the common lajury of other powers, its subjects in northers. China were expelled or slain, imperial troops, acting under instructions from the imperial government, inaugurated hostilities against the Russians. hostilities against the Russians.

hostilities against the Russians.
Yet Russia, desirous of a common accord among the powers, did not declare war against China. The report concludes by saying that Russia has greatly reduced its military force in Manchuria, and contemplates the withdrawal of all the troops when conditions remote the state. ditions permit such action. The casu-alties suffered by Russia's troops in Manchuria and Pechili included twenty-three officers and 257 men killed and sixty-seven officers and 1,305 men

The report gives in detail the history of the Boxer movement in Man-churia, the mobilization of Russian troops in the Amur military district, the Chinese attacks on the Russian Manchurian railroad, the fighting at Kharbin, Blagovestchensk, Algun, Sin-

THE OBITUARY RECORD.

Senator Kyle's Funeral. Aberdeen, S. D., July 3.—The funera of Senator Kyle will take place Thurs-day. The dead statesman was born in Kenia, Ohio. Starting as a teacher, after graduating in civil engineering at



THE LATE SENATOR KYLE.

the University of Illinois, he took the degree of D. D. at Oberlin and became pastor of a church in Utah. Moving to South Dakota in 1886 he was elected soon thereafter to the state senate and in 1891 to the United States senate as a silver independent. Since McKinley's term began he had become a Republican and was a candidate for a third term. His term would have expired March 3, 1903.

Curt Van Witsleben Dead. New York, July 3.—Curt von Wit-ziehen, the head of a firm of publishers of women's fashion journals, is dead at his home in Harrison, West chester county. Mr. iWtzleben was descended from an old noble family of Saxony. During the Franco-Prussian war he served as lieutenant, and was wounded at the battle of Sedan. He was 55 years old and was born in Dresden, Germany. He was educated at Heidelberg, Bonn and Leipste universities. Twenty-five years ago he re-nounced his allegiance to Germany, and, coming to this country, started in business as a publisher.

Pingree's Body Arrives.

New York, July 3.—The body of ex-Gov. Fingree arrived yesterday on the steamer Zealand. With the body came Hazen S. Pingree, Jr., who accompanicd his father to England. The body will be taken from the ship at noon and will be removed to an undertaker's room until the committee is ready to ship it to Detroit. Frank S. Pingree a brother of the late Mr. Pingree, May or William H. Maybary of Detroit and R. G. Solomon of Newark, represent-ing the Leather Dealers' Committee, were at the dock to meet the Zealand.

Peoria, Ill., July 2.-Robert Elliott 55 years of age, was found dead in the pastor's study of the Second Presby-terian church. He had committed sui-cide by asphyxiation. He left home and it is presumed went direct to the caurch, where he was employed as janiter, where he turned on four gas jets and a radiator and, lying on his back, inhaled the deadly fumes. Ill health was the cause. widow and a daughter. He leave

Phintelphia, Pa. July 2.—Charles F. Albert, known on two continents as a maker of visiting, died today at his hume, 205 South Ninth street. He was born in Freiburg, Germany, on Dec. 25, 1842, and cause to this country with his inther when he was 12 years old.

Chicago, July 3.—James Limming-ton, for several years known as the bidest traveling salesman in active corvice in the United States, is dead at his replayance, 363 Windowser gra-am, at the age of 74 years.

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Soldiers to Give Way to Civil Government

IN THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Judge Taft After July 4 Will Occupy the Maiscanan Palace—Capt. Adding Has Killed Ten Insurgents and Captured a Filipino Band.

Manila, July 3.—Thursday, July 4, will be inauguration day for the civil government and moving day for the military headquarters, which will be transferred to the former Spannah headquarters outside the walled city. The place will be occupied exclusively by the civil government. General Chaffee, who assumes command Thursday will occupy Judge Taft's residence and Judge Taft will remove to the Mala-canan palace. General Chaffee is preparing to push Malvar, the insurgent chief in southern Luzon. He has or-dered the transfer of the Fifth infantry from northern Luzon to Batangas province. The general has been informed that Malvar's principal headquarters are in a mountain town in northern Tayabas, whose inhabitants are contributing to his support. General Chaffee has not formulated plans for the occupation of the island of Mindoro. General Hughes at his request will be permitted to continue in command of the Visayas Islands until the Samar campaign is completed. Subsequently General Davis will continue temporarily to be provost mar-shal at Manila. General Chaffee's staff appointees are as follows: Adjutant general, Colonel William P. Hall: quartermaster general, Brigadier Gen-general, Lieutenant Colonel Joseph P. general, Lieutenant Colonel oJseph P. Sanger, and military secretary, Captain Grote Hutcheson, Sixth cavalry. Captain Adams, with ten men. scouting in Albay province, has killed ten insurgents and captured a Filipino, captain and ten men. A detachment of the Fourth infantry, scouting on a volcano island in Lake Taal, has captured Gonzalea, an insurgent leader, bis adjutant and several others. Another detachment of the same regiment has had a running engagement at Baneas and destroyed a Filipino stronghold. Sergeant Brown and Privates Rigsby and Gatfield of the coast artillery were wounded.

For an Oliciath Combin.

New York, July 3.—The Press says: "In the near future, pcssibly this week, a combination which is to embrace at least seven out of the ten concerns in the United States which manufacture olicioth is to be incor-porated under the laws of New Jers-y with a capitalization of \$10,000,000. The three concerns which may not become members of the combination at the start make a different kind of goods from those turned out by the other manufactories. The companies in the combination are in Newark, New York, Passaic, Norristown, Ak-ron, O., Youngstown, O., and Mont-rose, N. Y. All make lightweight and enameled cloth exclusively. On all these plants the promoters of the combination have obtained options which extend until July 15, and the deal is to be consummated before that

Winons Assembly It Open.
Warsaw, Ind., July 3.—The regular
program for the season has opened at Vinona assembly. The program cov-ers a period of fifty-nine days and lec-turers from all over the United States and Europe will appear. DeWitt Mil-ic: of Cleveland, O., was the first to speak this season. In the Auditorium he lectured on "The Uses of Ugliness."

New York, July 3.—General Maximo Gomez, who arrived in the city on Sat-urday, went to Washington today and urday, went to Washington today and will have an interview with President McKinley tomorrow. General Gomez saw few callers today. He will issue a statement explaining the object of his visit to this country and denying some

recent reports. Bring Gold from Klendika. Senttle, Wash., July 3.—The steam Segtile, Wash, July 3.—The steam-ship Victorian has arrived from Skaguay with seventy-five Dawsonitesand between \$800,000 and \$1,000,000 in gold, part of the spring cleanup in the Klondike district. Of the gold \$510,000 was consigned to the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

Barker Takes as Appeal.

Trenton, July 8.—Counsel for Thomas Barker, who was sentenced to five years in the state prison for amounting Rev. Dr. Keller at Arlington, has taken out a writ of error which will carry to the court of errors and appeals. In the meantime Barker to at liberty. liberty.

Detroit, Mich., July 3.—George W., Radford, member of the Detroit sub-lic library board, has received a letter from Andrew Carnegle stating that Mr. Carnegle will contribute \$759,000 toward the arcetter of contribute \$759,000

Mr. Carnegie will contribute \$750,000 toward the erection of a new public library building in this sity.

Fore Suby Limes Arrive.

Harinette, Wia, July 2.—Four baby lions were born at 5 o'clock the morning to the Honess Queen with the Bentock-Ferari snimal show opening a week's street fair engagement here.

St. Joseph. High., July 1—max of the June wedding resilienced until last west when one were broken in the first way.

The Telephone Situation

The Independent Companies Have Unquestionably the Best of it.

THEIR CLAIMS FULLY ADMITTED BY PRESIDENT JOHN 1: SABIN, OF THE CENTRAL UNION (BELL) COMPANY.

Two remarkable statements, made on the same day, in localities wide Epart, by two leading exponents of the rival interests.

Hon. S. P. Sheerin, of Indianapolis, Ind., reads a paper in Buffalo, at the convention of the Independent Telephone Association of the United States, and Mr. John I. Sabin issues a circular in Chicago, on the same day, strongly corroborating Mr. Sheerin.

Extract from Mr. Sabin's circular:

Central Union Telephone Stockhold-

Extract from Mr. Sheerin's paper:

"I feel that you will pardon me for NEEDS 5,000,000 AT ONCE talking a little about my own state of Indiana, by way of illustration: We have had a most desperate fight

in Indiana for the past five yearsnotably for the past two years.

"When the first independent telene exchange was constructed in Indiana, the Central Union Telephone Co. had been paying, for 12 years, on a capital of \$6,300,000 (three-fifths of which was pure water), annual divi-They had no bonded indebtedness, and oating indebtedness that was re-

"When the fight with the indepen dents began they ceased paying divithe last one being paid in 1805. In 1897 they borrowed two and a half millions of dollars; in 1899, they borrowed six millions of dollars, two and a half millions of which was set aside to pay the holders of the first mortgage of two and a half millions,

"They now have, in addition to this

"They now have, in addition to this \$6,000,000 mortgage (according to recent publications), a floating indebtedness of \$1,250,000.
"Now let me tell you what all this has resulted in: The Central Union now have (as shown by their own figures) 22,000 telephones in the state. (The real number is smaller than this, but we can afford to be generous, and if propose to give them all they claim.) "The Independent Telephone interests have in the state of Indiana, by actual count, 52,469 telephones. I know you will excuse me if I repeat those figures:

figures:

"After a 'war expenditure' of seven and a quarter million dollars, begun upon the Independent movement when there were less than \$,000 independent telephones in the state, the Central Union now has, for its expenditure, 22,000 telephones and the Independent movement has 52,469.

phones and the Independent move-ment has \$2,489.
"The total population of Indiana (ac-cording to the census of 1800) was 2.-516,000. There are 92 counties in the state, and there are 27 of these in which the Central Union or any other Bell company) has no exchange—large or small.

these 27 counties is 197.

"I submit this Indiana statement more especially for the benefit of our friends in different parts of the country, who are just heginning their fight with the great monopoly. If you ask how they foucht us. I can simply say—every war.

"Of the millions invested in the Independent Telephone business in Indiana less than \$100,000 has come from outside of the state. More than that, the husiness is practically out of debt. The total independent Telephone property is less than 10 per cent of its total value.

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An this great success the farmers and villagers of the state have been of incalculable belp. They realized (as all sensible men similarly situated must have breaked) that their only hope was in becoming a part and parcel of the great independent movement.

the Editor:
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strat Union Telephone Co. is the
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the Indiana, Illinois and lown, exin the country in which are load Gleveland, Cincinnati and Chi.

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Trunting the above will give you he desired information, I am cours frely.

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J. B. WARE, Pres't State Association.

essance of value to your property.

"What you want done must be done
now. Later on, and a little later est
that, it will be too late.

"Will you agree to No. 1? Will you
agree to No. 2? Will you agree to No.
3? It am sure 70 per cent of our stockholders will agree to either 1, 2 or 8.

What will you do about it?" THROUGH WITHOUT CHANGE FROM DETROIT TO ST. AUGUS-TIME DAILY EXCEPT SATUR-DAY AND SUNDAY, LEAVING DETROIT 19.85 NOON: TOLEDO.

the year 1902, and one more for the same amount during the last half of

same amount during the last half of 1902, making a total of \$5,000,000.

"This sum in addition to the net income during the period named.)

"The issue of bonds under present mortgages has reacked its limit. If the great majority, practically all of the shareholders, will not agree to one of these three propositions, nearly all new work must stop and that simply means going backward instead of forward.

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"There is no use crying over spilled milk, or abusing one another for things not necomplished. The people of the states of illinois, Indiana. Ohio and Iowa wantitelephone service. Will you supply it or must someone else?

"Are you doing it with fewer than 70,000 stations? No. When you have 300,000 exchange stations then you have a good starf, not before.

"When you have 150,000 exchange stations, at proper rates, you will have a plant upon which you can earn something, with which to build up the second 150,000. (Your territory needs 300,000 stations.)

"With your present 70,000 stations.

"With your present 70,000 stations, the great majority of them at insufficient rates, thousands of them absolutely without charge, you cannot build up anything except opposition.

"You are not astisfying the public, because your system does not reach for south." There are scores of visit

"You are not satisfying the public, because your system does not reach far enough. There are scores of villages and small towns, taken as a whole, that absuld have 50,000 telephones, and in which the Contral Union Telephone Co. has not a single

ARRIVING AT ST. AUGUSTINE

RIDA

Ciscinnati, Ohio

AMERICAN PRE-EMINENCE

vance of other nations (except Canada) in the art of bridge design and construction. The steel of which a bridge is made represents about half of its cost. Steel is now made in the United States at much less cost than in any other country. In Britain, labor is so much hampered by trades-anionism that it is admitted by one of the leaders that the cost of labor in making steel in the United States is not one-half of what it is in Britain. This can half of what it is in Britain. This car said also of the labor employed in anufacturing. The market for bridges is far greater in the United States than elsewhere. The states have now 190,000 miles of railways, and it has been estimated that there is an average of one span of metallic bridge for every three miles of railway. This gives 63, 000 bridges on existing lines, without including those required for new lines. The increase in the United States of the weight of cars and engines has re sulted in wonderful economic changes. The average rate of freights on American railways was in 1867 a little over \$5 per ton. Now it averages 95 cents chicago Tribune.)

John I. Sabin, the new president of the Central Union Telephone Company, stirred up his stockholders yesterday by issuing a letter saying that they must furnish \$5,000,000 if they want to save the company.

Bo extreme a step is almost without precedent in La Saile street, and President Sabin's letter created much interest. Its receipt was followed by an immediate, decline of 9 points in the stock of the company from the closing price on Saturday. Singularly enough the 9 points represent a gain in the stock which was made upon the announcement recently that Mr. Sabin would become president of the company. After a two months' examination he finds liberal expenditures "imperatively necessary."

Mr. Sobin eave that the net recenus Any one can figure the saving on 976, 000,000 of tons of freight moved in 1900. These larger cars carry double the paying load of the old ones that they have superseded, and more power ful engines draw more cars in a train. This increase of weight of rolling stock has led to the renewal of the 63,000 old bridges by stronger and heavier ones. This demand has brought into exis tence many bridge-building companies and they can well afford to equip them-selves with the best labor-saving and accurate-working machinery, regard-less of first cost, as they know it would seldom if ever its idle. European bridge builders are not in this position Trains have not increased in weight as pany. After a two months' examination he finds liberal expenditures "imperatively necessary."

Mr. Sabin says that the net revenues will not allow extensions rapidly enough, and that in his opinion the money is one of the following three:

"1. For you to agree to a voluntary assessment of \$20 a share lammediately, \$20 a share before Dec. 31, 1901. and \$20 a share during 1802.

"2. For you to agree to loan the company the same funds at the same time, at 4 per cent interest.

"3. For you to agree to loan the company the same funds at the same time, at 4 per cent interest.

"3. For you to agree to purchase your share of the unissued capital stock of this company at par. The amount is \$3,000,000."

Mr. Sabin says in effect that the measures he proposes are necessary in order to preserve the company from "dry rot." He does not gloss over facts in the least, and goes as near saying bhat the company is in extremely had shape as anyone could without saying it in so many words.

Money Needed Without Delay.

His letter says:

"After two manths' investigation—the last month in charge as president—I find, it is imperatively necessary that at least \$3,000,000 by provided without delay, that is, one-half immediately and one-half before the close of the present year. 1901: with a call for another \$1,000,000 during the first half of the year 1902, and one more for the same amount during the last half of they have in America. The old bridge answer their purpose, and the demand has been chiefly confined to new ones. Bridge building is merely an adjunct to other business, and possibly the owners are wise in not investing much capital in special tools.—T. C. Clarke, in the Engineering Magazine.

JOKE ON SNAKE CHARMER.

It Reacted on the Joker in an Uncon

fortable Way. Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans, Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans, when a young officer, was on the Indian Station in the man-of-war Delaware. With several others he set up a bungalow on shore. He tells in "A Sallor's Log," published by the Appletons, what happened to a snake-charmer that came along: "The unfortunate thought came to one of our men that it would be a good idea to get the Mohammedan drunk to see what he would do; so he prepared a doae for him that was very effective. He poured a good stiff drink of brandy into a beer glass, and then filled it with gin instead of water. The charmer took kindly to the drink, and in a short time rolled out of his chair on to the floor rolled out of his chair on to the floor very drunk, and was soon fast asleep. The bag of snakes had not been thought of up to this time, but it also fell, and the inhabitants quickly apread over the floor. In the meantime five American officers took to the table, and drawing their feet up carefully remained there until the snake-charmer slept off his dose. He snored quietly while the snakes crawled over and around him, but it was a long time before he finally came to himself, secured his pets and took them away

iest it is at the recollection of her first appearance as Lucia in London. first appearance as Lucis in London. She was very anxious to dress the part correctly, so she studies her Walter Boott, and, finding that Lucia in the earlier scenes was described as wearing a scarlet cloak, she discarded the traditional pearl-gray silk and tartan scarf of the Italian prima donna and came before her audience in the guise of the original bride. guise of the original bride. But the audience had accustomed itself to tradition and did not recognise Lucia in such homely attire. "They didn't know what I was about!" laughs Patti. "I do believe they really thought that I was going to play Little Red Riding Ricod, and was making game of them."

Au inquisitive commuter on one of the trains that pulled into the Grand Central station had his dignity ruffled Union Telephone Co. has not a single the instrument.

The apposition is not satisfying the public. The property is yours, not mine. Duyou want to build it up to satisfying the proper standard? Time is the very the proper standard? Time is the very property.

Latest pattern. His suit wasn't ruffled, but his temper was, when the engineer took him for a bicycle rider. Mr. Inquisitive, seeing that the big locomotive in the yard was in some sort of trouble, yelled at the engineer a query as to what was the matter. His surjosity was satisfied and his suit of clothes insulted when the grimy engineer shouted back at him: "Nothing much; just punctured my tire. Got a pocket pump with you?"—New York Sun.

Fish Tass Change Color.

It has been found that certain prawns, common along the coasts of England, change their color at least twice every-twenty-four hours, in order to harmonise with the stronger or weaker light prevailing near the surface or in the deeper water. As evening approaches these fish lose their distinctive day colors, and all assume a transparent asure hue. The change begins with a reddish glow, followed by a green tinge which gradually melts into blue. The day-and-night change has become so habitual that specimens kept in perpetual light or perpetual darkness nevertheless undergo the periodic alteration of color.

ON THE CANCER GERM.

Dr. Harvey R. Gaylord, in the Amer-ican Journal of Medical Sciences, pub-lishes his official report on his experi-ments of the sait three years, made with a view to finding the germ of cancer. The increase in the number of cancer cases and the fact that it ranks next to consumption as a cause of death in this country, make his report of the greatest interest. It is written in a technical manner, which makes it largely incomprehensible to the laity, but enough can be gleaned from it to give hope that the doctor really has found the pestiferous little "protozoon" ascal before, but without success. Dr Gaylord believes that he has caught him. In cases of well developed can-cer the doctor discovered small trans-parent bodies which, under the microcope, were observed to change their form, increase in size and pass through these protozoons the doctor was able to produce a cancerous state in them. One guinea pig so inoculated be-came afflicted with "a condition of the lungs and the liver which we wish we wish to interpret as p mary carcinoma of those organs mary carchoma of those organs"—
in other words, the beginning of genuine cancer. The report, which occupies thirty-six pages and tells of his
experiments in detail, seems to justify
the belief that at less the germ of cancer really has been found and "isolated," so that the disease can be transferred by inoculation. If that is so, an Granted that the germ of cancer has been found, now what will kill that germ and cure or prevent cancer? Dr. Gaylord emphatically disolaims any responsibility for the reports regarding his experiments which have been pub lished before this official one.

AT THE VOLCANO'S CRATER cans Beached Its Brink and

There Photographed.
party of Americans touring in
ico recently accomplished the unusual feat of ascending to the edge of tthe crater of Mount Popocatapeti, the famous volcano of the North American continent. A member of the party in describing the trip says the crater is a marvel and well worth a hard journey to see. "A huge and gloomy pit it is," he says, "its steep sides emitting sul-phurous smoke and fumes, and its perpendicular walls descending, it is said to a depth of 1.500 feet. At the bottom is a small lake of emerald green, sur-rounded by volcanic rocks and deposits of sulphur. At the top there is a ledge of rock at the crater's edge, from which we made our observations of the crater and upon which we were photo-graphed. I did not observe any difficulty in breathing or any noticeable in crease of heart action, but several members of the party were panting painfully and were hardly able to speak. One of my comrades told me that he could feel his heart beat his heart beat d sweater. The through his coat and sweater. The temperature was very cold, but it seemed to be modified somewhat by the natural warmth of the crater and we were protected against the icy wind

Story from the Eloudike Strangely enough, the London Week-ly Dispatch does not appear to credit the story which appeared in its conjemporary, the Express, regarding the devastation wrought in the Kiondike by a mastodon. The story as it was printed in the Express was dated New York, and it said: "From Dawson City there comes a letter which describes the killing of a big mastodon at the Forks after he had demolished a hotel and several houses, tossed dogs and horses in the air and caused men to run for their lives. He was at last killed by an electric wire which he tried to pull down. His skin alone weighed 1,100 pounds. The skeleton, which is 15 feet high, is now-on exhibition. One tunk weighed 217 pounds. The town in which he was killed The town in which he was killed looked like it had been visited by an earthquake." The Dispatch, for the instruction of its readers, also printed a thrilling picture of a hairy mastedon on a rampage, and it was unkind enough to head the clipping from the Express "A Very, Very Tall Story."—New York Press.

How Qualis Are Pattened.

A curious account of how qualis are fattened for the market is given in a London paper. It appears that qualis, being regular in their habits, always feed directly they wake up in the morning. They are, therefore, put in a large cellar, lit only by electric light. In the dark they go to sleep, but directly the light is turned on they wake up and breakfast. This process is repeated time after time and the hirds always laboring under the process is repeated time after time and the birds, always laboring under the delusion that morning has arrived, once more breakfast, over and over-again. They have been known to de so six times in an afternoon

Telephones in Liberia.

Liberia's longest telephone line has just been built between Monrovia, the capital of the country, and White Plains, a settlement twenty-five miles no the St. Paul's river. It'was constructed by a civil engineer from the United States. Thus the black republic, which was founded under American auspices many years ago, has an auspices many years ago, has taken another stride forward toward that goal which Americans of anti-slavery days fondly hoped would be reached to the helping of the negroes, and, as well, the relief of the United States.

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Probate Notice.

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STATEOF MICHIGAN, county of Wayne, m. At a session of the Probate court for said county of Wayne, held at the Probate coffice, in the city of Detroit, on the fifth day of June, in the year one thousandmine hundred and one. Present, Edgar O. Durkes, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Marrial R. Josin, deceased.

Charles R. Armstrong, administrator of said administrator scanned to this court his final administrator scanned to this court his final administrator scanned to the court his final petition praying that the residue court his may be assigned to the persons entitled thereto. It is ordered, That the ninth day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenon, at said Probate office, be appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Flymouth as aid county of Wayney Charles of the property of the prop

vious to said day of bearing, in the Flymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Wayne.

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Judge of Probate.

ALBERT W. FLIET, Deputy Register.

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