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# CANDIDATES.

At the Citizens' Cancus held at Train's opera house, Monday, the following township ticket was nomin-

Supervisor, Jacob W. Walker. Clerk, Will M. Chapman, Treasurer, John S. Eggleston. Justice, E. O'Harrow.

Highway commissioner, Arthur W School inspector, Chas. Winks. Board of review, R B. Boylan, N.

Constables, D. V. Denick, Frank dition. Willard Hunter's report was Pickard, John F. Hatch, Segel Gra. favorable on all but Wheatland. D.

The following were appointed towas ship committee for the ensuing yeart all fruit in good condition. J. S. Hooker, S. F. Edmonds, Geo. B. Barber.

The Republican caucus was very struggle between rival candidates, the following ticket was completed:

Supervisor, Frank N. White. Clerk, Will M. Chapman. Trensurer, Loren Barber.

Board of review, A. L. Coons, Constables, Will Yeiter, Benj. Mørse, H. A. Richmond, C. Blakeslee. As delegates to the county convention, W. S. Winegar, Will M. Chapman and A. R. Denise were chosen. Township committee: D. G. Look,

Grattan Democrats made this ticket way commissioner, G. Doyle; drain commissioner, E. E. Lessiter; school

And the Republicans this:

Supervisor, J. G. Hesster; clerk,

In Vergennes, the Democrats put forward this ticket:

Supervisor, Fred L Hodges; clerk, ciates and added P. J. Odell; trensurer, John R. Dennis; justice, S Wingeier, Jr.; highway commissioner, C. S. Beckwith; drain commissioner, P. J. Mauson; Rapids: Messrs school inspector, Arthur Anderson; board of review, John Quillin,

While the Republicans have these: Supervisor. James H. Andrews; clerk, Don A. Mann; treasurer, William T. Condon; justice, Earl G. Nash; highway commissioner, J. R. Lynn; drain commissioner, A. R. Condon; school inspector, F. C. Doyle; board of review, Jacob Mastenbrook.

Lighted With Lowell Current.

The Livingston hotel was illuminted from top to bottom last night for the first time with sixteen candle power incandescent lights furnished by the West Michigan Light and Power Company from power generated at Lowell. This is the first test of the new current on a large scale and the result was decidedly gratifying to the management. Heretofore the Livingston has been lighted by a private dynamo located in the basement of the hotel. This y two-candle power lamps were used, but with the Liwell current, fully as brilliant a radiance semed to be obtained with sixteencandle power lamps as with those of double that capacity in the hercto-fore.—[Grand Rapide Democrat,

New Cigar Sto

# FRUIT MEN.

THE TOWNSHIP TICKETS NOMIN- FAVORABLE REPORT ON FRUIT

Also the Men Named in Other Deliberations of the Peach Men at Their Last Meeting.

Meeting held at residence of L. J

But few had examined apples but those reported favorably.

Report on peaches: J E. Lee re-ported buds on Early Michigan, Hill's Chili, early and late Crawfords in condition for fair crop. Myron Kisor reported all Buds badly killed. Mr. Sheathen reported buds in fair condition. Willard Hunter's report was Sterling's report Was favorable. A. Pearce of Grand Hapids, reported

Several persons brought samples of peach buds and a committee was ap pointed to inspect them. They found largely attended, as high as 243 bal- a great variation, some being nearly lots being cast. After a vigorous all killed and others nearly all alive. Those in best condition were taken from tops of young well cultivated orchards those in worst condition from lower limbs of orchards not cultivated.

J. A. Pearce gave a very interest ing account of his trip through North Carolina, stating that a good fruit trop was an exception while the opposite is true of dar own locality.

Peter McPherson read a short but interesting paper on spraying and also expressed the opinion that fruit growers should say less about the profits of the business, and that horticultural meetings should be held with closed doors. He stated that there was great danger of the fruit Supervisor, Frank McArthur; clerk, beans are. In the discussion that fol-L. R. Robson; treasurer, William lowed, but few agreed with the speak-Jones; justice, J. F. Sullivan; high-er and several expressed the opinion that the knowledge of fruit meets inspector, F. Bowler; board of review, and diseases should be generally discessfully combat them alone.

Mr. Garfield gave a talk on orna E. S. Brooks; treasurer, L. A. Elkins; menting home grounds, in his usual justice, L. M. Squires; highway compleasing and interesting manner, telling of the many mistakes people are ing of the many mistakes people are missioner, E. W. Lytle; school inspect-or, E. P. Nash; member of board of review, J. H. Watkins.

Recitations by Mesdames E. English and A. Husted were well appreciates and added much to the interest

There were present from Grand Rapids: Messrs Garfield, French, Pearcy and Stevens and they helped greatly to make the meeting a success. The society adjourned to meet with

Matthew Hunter in June.

QUEEN ESTHER.

The Popular Cantata Slated for April 14, 15 and 16.

The beautiful cantata, Queen Es ther, will be rendered at Music hall on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, April 14, 15 and 16, by a grant chorus of thirty voices, accompanied by an orcbestra of 10 pieces. There will be a splendid display of beautiful costumes and ome grand music. This will be THE event of many seasons. Do not fail to witness it.

Read up the story of Queen Esther and then go to see it illustrated with beautiful scenes. Watch for the programs to be

issued early next week.

Attended a Club Moeting at Grand

L. P. Thomas, A. W. Weekes, D. G. Look, S. P. Hicks, E. O. Mains, Chas. Quick, E. R. Quick, A. L. Peck, M. C. Greene, Will M. Chap-man and Frank N. White attended a cting of the Young Men's Republi-

can Club at Grand Rapids, Monday. M. C. Greene delivered an address on "Character and Manhood in Politics" hich was highly spoken of by the

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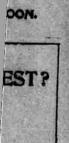
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ed, emerged from the shades of the wood. A dog barked, and then another and another. Then a horseman clattered along the illage street. A passing cart groaned and creaked under its early morning burden. The darkly outlined figures increased in number. The villagers began to gather in their church to bid-It was a quaint little church. It stood upon a hillock in the middle of the vil-

lage. All at once its windows glowed dimly among the shadows. Then their brightness increased. The church was High into the darkness overhead reached the old belfry tower. Its top was lost in the azure gloom. Then the rickety belfry stairs began to creak Old Micheich, the bellringer,

was clambering aloft. Soon his lantern hung to the bell window, shining like a new star in the sky.

It was hard for the old man to climb the deep sky above, burning with its those steep and crooked stairs. His millions upon millions of stars. a new star in the sky. those steep and crooked stairs. His millions upon millions of stars.

cyes no longer served him, and he, ethey, was worn out.

As he climbed, he pondered. It was ne indeed, he thought, that he should see Ent God would not send him death to his hands shading his blinking, tear his children buried. He maistened eves in vain effort to make the family howing his head to the very soul, and he was ground to his death by men's injustice.

The picture broadened and grow vivid in the old man's mind. He saw ing heart, from out thy joyous day thou must



THE BELLRINGER WAS CLAMBER- singing bells.

Then the bells ceased. The solemn

there once more.

It was not yet time for him to ring the merry peals and the old man tottered to the beliry window and leaned out over the railing. Felow him in the arkness are could dialy see the negacted graves. The white wooden crossing the many series and the old man's gray head.

He thought. About what? Michelch signed gently among the swinging belt old days is that which still uses the hare ropes.

"Let God judge you! God will judge you!" whispered the old man, thinking of his enemy. Sile it tears ran down his cheeks.

No greater thing can be done than to love God and keep his command-the matter with you? Are you askeep?"

THE EASTER CHIMES.

A Tale from the Russian of Kovolenko, them with their widestretched arms, there and there a few birch trees bent unked branches foriornly over the mounds and the aromatic odors of their tree willings by the murmuring creek was half hidden in the mystical, we murmuring creek was half hidden in springtime. The neighboring wood of a Russian night their sharp, resounding strokes? Or would be be there again; how the fields beside it. All was silent. The village siumbered.

Hours passed, and long before the flight was gone its still charm was broken. Lights Fefan to glimmer in the light was gone its still charm was gone its

mined all the nooks and corners of his pale cheeks. life. And all he saw was endless. ceaseless, merciless labor-labor far beyond his strength. He saw sorrow, too

-much sorrow- and suffering unuttermuch sorrow— and suffering unutterable.

Ah, where indeed was that happiness of which he had dreamed?

The burdens of life had wrinkled his young face, had bent his powerful back before the time had come. They had made the joyous boy sigh as his elder brother had sighed.

There on the left, among the women of the village, with her head humbly bent, he saw his sweetheart. She was

bent, he saw his sweetheart. She was a good woman. May the peace of God be with her soul!

Oh, the pain that she had suffered Want and work and woman's woes had But now the stream has reached a dark, withered her glowing womanhood. Her eyes had grown dim with years and And sorrow, dim and crowned, is wait-

Ah, where was her happiness?

had stood by the open graves of his moistened eyes in vain effort to make out the form of the beliringer in the darkness overhead.

"What do you want?" answered old Micheich, bending over the railing. "I am here. Can't you see me?"

"I do not see," cried the sexton. "Is it not time to ring? What 60 you t not time to ring? What do you

HE SEIZED THE BELL ROPES.

it not time to ring? What Go you think?"

Both gazed upon the stars. Thousands of God's lanterns were blinking at them from the firmament. The night was waning. Micheloh thought.

"No, not yet," he said. "Wait awhile. I know when."

But it was time to salute the Easter morning. Old Michelch gazed at the stars once more, and then arose. He removed his hat, crossed himself and gathered up the bell ropes. A moment more and the night air shivered under the first resounding stroke. Then came the se you, the third, the fourth. The lightly sleeping Easter air quivered with the joyous music of the shouting, singing bells.

service began in the church below. e young there, too. But In bygone years Micheich had always hem all. He had even for him to do this now. He felt tired. But all this was long, long passed. But all this was far away in the old times.

All this was far away in the old times.

All this was far away in the old times.

So he sat down on the bench beneath him this same old the copper bells and listened to their and now all the wide world for him. So among the old customs which have

cares, its sorrows, and its insults. The gray bellringer heard only the brazen music, now singing, now weep-

Send a substitute! The old bell-

RISE! This day shall shine for

evermore, To thee a star divine on Time's dark shore! Till now thy soul has been all

glad and gay; Bid it awake and Grief to-day!

deep sea;

divine:

cast away

moon. That is, it is appointed by the church that Easter should fall "upon the first Sunday after the first full moon and lived. It was hard. gone down to the service and stood in images on the altar frowned sternly which fell upon or after the vernal equinox." Now, the hare is the animal

hoped for it. And waning resonance.

Was this dark tower, where the wind been handed down to us from the old, sighed gently among the swinging bell old days is that which still uses the hare

The voice came from the churchyard |

that the standards waved the more joyonsly, and that the awakening wind lifted up the joyful chorus from below

and turned it to the bell's brazen peals with a sweetness superhuman.

Never did Micheich ring the bells

It seemed as if his old heart had been welded into the dead copper of those bells, which laughed and sang and wept it the entrancing melody that rose to

the stars above. And the stars seemed to fairly blaze with joy of it as the music poured upward into heaven and ell backward to caress the earth. What a hymn of joy it was those bells ealed forth. The great bass deafened the sky with the grand brazen cry of "Christ has risen." And the tenors, struck to their hearts, shouted sonor-

ously, "Christ has risen!" while the clanging sopranos, as though fearing their lesser voices should be lost to the grand chorus, hurriedly. like gleeful bildren trying to outstrip each other, screamed a thousand times, "Christ has And that sad old heart forgot it

with such joy and spirit.

Whether in pleasure bent, or business, WHAT IS ALABASTINE? without.

"Good Godf" cried the old man, remembering the further duty that awaited him. "Did I really fall asseep?"

He seized the bell ropes and pulled them with skillful hand.

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FOR SALE BY PAINT DEALERS EVERYWHERE, by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Pig Syrup Company only. Far below the people swarmed from the church, as ants swarm from the ant-

hill. Golden standards reared them-selves in the air of the unborn Easter Bicycle riders, football players and morning. Forming as a cross, the procession began to move around the remedy for the sprains and bruises church, amid joyful cries of "Christ and cuts to which they are constantly likely in the Thomas Exhautric Oil has risen from the dead!" | liable, in Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. The words went to the old bellring-er's heart, and glancing out he was without giving away anything.

exalted in spirit. It seemed to him that the waxen candles that the people bore blazed with suddenly increased brilliance in the gray darkness, that the throng moved more and more swiftly. The sin we spare is soon to become our master.

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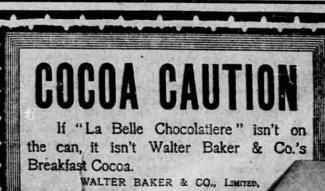
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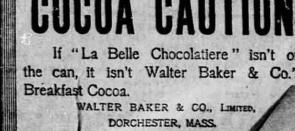
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Easter Hares.

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OUR RETIRING SUPERVISOR. "Hands off!"

People were unwilling to believe Jacob W. Walker-a most happy one ted on a dirty pipe. -followed. Mr. Bergin's reasons for If Mother Would Liston. retiring do him credit. He wishes to If mother would listen to me, dears, devote what time he can spare from She would freshen that faded gown, his private business to looking after She would sometimes take an nour's rest, the village intere ts in the electric And sometimes a trip to town. light plant. He surrenders an office And it shouldn't be all for the children. where he received remuneration in

With the patient droop on the tired mouth, order to attend to duties which are And the "Mother has had her day." entirely honorary. "Well done, thou

good and faithful servant."

THE CITIZENS' NOMINEE. as supervisor of Vergennes is one And sent you all to school, that challenges an equal-twenty-nine And wore herself out and did without, years of faithful service, backed up by And lived by the Golden Rule. unquestioned ability and sterling in- And so your turn has come, dears, tegrity. The people of Vergennes evidently know how to freeze onto a good thing; and Mr. Walker's standing with his fellows on the board of Mother will not be here.

Her hair is growing white;

And her eyes are gaining the faraway look
That peers beyond the night.
One of these days, in the morning,
Mother will not be here. supervisors is a matter of county his- She will fade away into silencetory. The people of Lowell could The mother so true and dear. make no mistake in making use of this Then what will you do in the daylight, lifetime of experience by electing And what in the gloaming dim? Jacob W. Walker to the office of And father, tired and lonesome then

THE TOWNSHIP TICKETS.

The people of Lowell township And draw her into the play. are to be congratulated upon the ex- And if mother would listen to me, dear the Citizens' and Republican caucus- With buttons of royal velvet, es. Both are headed by men above And ruffles as white as milk. reproach, and their running mates And she'd let you do the trotting, are worthy their leaders. The endorsement of the Republican nominee for clerk by the Citizens' cancus It stri' es me isn't fair. was alike complimentary to Mr. Chapman and creditable to the caucus.

FROM Louisville comes the story of a father—God save the mark—who a father-God save the mark-who chained his son in a barn for two years for having committed the enormous offense of running away from Miss Addie Collar and brothers, Charley home. What shall be said of a and Bert are guests of friends in Cambell neighborhood which would tolerate this week. such fiendishness! A tar and feather Mrs. Clark Frazier of Muskegon visited bee would hardly express the senti- Hiram Frazier and wife and other friends ments of a good healthy community. last week. A necktie party would be more in Lottie Olmsted attended the teacher's keeping with the offense. From this examination in Grand Rapids last week. most respectable person in that neck Grand Rapids part of last week. of the woods; he showed good sense Kittie Clark of Lowell closed another going. when he ran away. If we had a day, She will have a week's vacation and etc. repaired by U. B. Williams. father like that we should run too. then commence the spring term here.

the loss of \$700,000 by the burning of the warehouse of a big distillery, in which were stored several hundred thousand gallons of whisky. It ap—

This neighborhood has been blest so far this winter. The control of the week with her parents, and wife of South Boston spent part of last week with her parents, and wife of South Boston spent part of last week with her parents, and wife of south Boston spent part of last week with her parents, and wife of South Boston spent part of last week with her parents, and wife of south Boston spent part of last week with her parents, and wife of south Boston spent part of last week with her parents, and wife of south Boston spent part of last week with her parents, and wife of south Boston spent part of last week with her parents, and wife of south Boston spent part of last week with her parents, and wife of south Boston spent part of last week with her parents, and wife of south Boston spent part of last week with her parents, and wife of south Boston spent part of last week with her parents, and wife of south Boston spent part of last week with her parents, and wife of south Boston spent part of last week with her parents, and wife of south Boston spent part of last week with her parents, and wife of south Boston spent part of last week with her parents, and wife of south Boston spent part of last week with her parents, and wife of south Boston spent part of last week with her parents, and wife of south Boston spent part of last week with her parents, and wife of south Boston spent parents are part of the week. the loss of \$700,000 by the burning of is here for sure. pears to us that a loss took place long before the fire—at the time good, wholesome grain was converted into poison; and that there could be little else but gain were all the strong drink in the world to be consumed in one grand conflagration. If such a fire could take place tomorrow, all the world might well join in the Hallelujah Chorus.

Sebastian Wannsch and wife.

Mingle Martin visited friends in Grand Rapids last Thursday and Priday.

C. B. Carter has rented his farm to hundred dollar America wheel; Mary Muclean has one of the same kind and Charley Merriman has a new S. and J. wheel. They all think their's is the best kind made.

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C. B. Carter has rented his farm to four hundred and forty-three dollars (\$443.00) and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage and all arrearages of interest thereon to be now due and payable. On which said mortgage and all arrearages of interest thereon to be due at the date of this notice the sum of four hundred and forty-three dollars (\$443.00) and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the moneys fais aunt, Mrs. L. A. Carter.

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APRII. thirteenth is the anniversary of the birth of Thomas Jefferson. and the day will be appropriately observed in many parts of the country. It is needless to say that the war cry of his bigoted contemporaries, "Tom Paine, Tom Jefferson and the devil," will not be trotted out on that occasion. Thomas Jefferson still lives, in the hearts of his countrymen; but the hearts of his countrymen; but where are his detractors. Let us hope they have at length made their peace with the Great Father whom they insulted with their mockeries.

Twenty five prs. women's rubbers, at 25 cents.

Twenty five prs. women's rubbers, tomers. They have a fine stock of trees—peach, pear, plum, cherry and they insulted with their mockeries.

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THE Grand Rapids doctor, Kirknd, who shot a boy's legs full of Cad Peck is down from the upper pentabird shot for throwing a stone through | sila for a visit with his parents. Horace a barn window, has been fined \$100 Peck and wife who are taking care of hi for his fun. The doctor was too free altogether. An appeal to the shot Entered at Lowell post office as second gun in a case where a hembek shin gle would have filled the bill is a little UBSCRIPTION ONE DOLLAR YEARLY. too radical for this climate; and the loctor knows it now.

THE president of Mexico in Rates for larger advertisements made trine "as marked out by its author their best wishes. and so prudently recalled by President Cleveland." Good for our pros him from Eureka. south follow suit, and say to the Mrs. O. Choat visited at Mrs. Wilkin tottering monarchies of the East: son's last Saturday.

cept a renomination -which in his ness of one's wife or sweetheart upon college and has returned home. lent to an election—but were finally some women who would not feel comconvinced; and the nomination of plimented to see their features depic-

True mother has had her day, dears, When you were her babies three. And she stepped about the farm and the

As busy as a bee. The record of Jacob W. Walker When she rocked you all to sleep, dears,

Pray, what will you do for him?

If you want to keep your mother, You must make her rest to-day: Must give her a share in the frolic,

While she sat still in her chair,

through,

distance it looks as if the boy was the Mary Bennett entertained Emma Cole of

Robins have been singing to us for sever-THE Detroit Free Press speaks of al days now, making us realize that spring

pears to us that a loss took place long so far this winter. There has been but Sebastian Waunsch and wife, before the fire—at the time good very little sickness.

Mingle Martin visited friends

has been like a roaring lion. has been like a roaring lion.

G. W. Crosby made a business trip to

Grand Rapids attending the examination.

Grand Rapids list week Friday

There was a meeting of Swiss people place where the Circuit Court for said

Keene Center.

little boy and girl. Vern Clark had a bad accident this week -three of his fingers blown off with a Next Friday night will be the league's

monthly business meeting. gave William Sayles and wife a very pleashis surprise. All spent the evening in social pessage to the congress of that re- chat and games. At ten o'clock a very public commends the Monroe doc nice supper was served and at a late hour

perous southern neighbor! Let every Mrs. Knee visited at Mrs. Frank Finch's Lowell.

that Supervisor Bergin was in ear- A RECENT "fad" among smokers is Milton Wilkinson has finished a four nest in his determination not to ac- said to be the engraving of the like- months term at Grand Rapids Columbia case had come to be almost equiva the bowl of one's pipe. We know of Fred Lee is afflicted again with the

Mrs, Sherman Kennedy has rented her farm to Mr. Bryer of Otisco, who will oc- cordial invitation is extended to all. to Smyrna.

Mr. Ogilvie's family all went to their new home in South Beston last Thursday, Sorry to have them go as they were fine Mrs. Hiram Lee is taking care of Mrs.

day and Sunday.

Wilkinson's on Friday.

quarters at the New Cigar Store where

For first class laundry call at .the Banner Laundry. · Fox Corners

J. E. Lee, Wednesday. Allen Robinson and wife spent Sunday

Miss Ethel Moore of Lowell is spending STATE OF MICHIGAN, County a few days with Miss Cora Lee.

Mrs. M. J. King and Mrs. W. Long have been quite seriously afflicted with the grip but are better at this writing.

Charles Whitlow and wife visited John Cramer and wife recently.

Mrs. Eugene Lee and son, Glenn, visited Mrs. Eugene Lee and Son,

ill the past week.

understand Mr. S. and Mr. Mastenbrook Here's luck to you.

L. J. Robinson, Frank Alger and Geo.

Krum with their ladies visited with Guy

MORTCAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Thomas R. Graham and Florence J. Gra-Krum with their ladies visited with Guy Perry and wife of Lowell recently.

Wilbur Post and sister, Audie, were guests of their grandparents, C. B. Car-

Last Thursday evening the neighbors all went to their homes leaving the family

Miss Seymour of Ionia will teach in the Savles district, commencing, April 5.

his mother-in-law, Mrs. Converse, Satur- ents of a 10 pound boy.

this writing; but little hopes of her re-Mrs. Knee and Eva visited at Mrs.

elry repairing done at reasonable Draises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever prices.

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[TO LATE FOR LAST WEEK.] Mrs. Eugene Lee was the guest of Mrs.

with Edgar Smith and family of South Lowell.

Mrs. Eugene Lee and son, Glenn, visited of Grand Rapids, for examination and al-her parents, J. C. Wardwell and wife re-lowance, on or before the 16th day of Sep-tember next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on Wednesday, the 16th day of September rext, at ten o'clock

in the forenoon of that day.
Dated, Grand Rapids, Mich., March 16, G. E. Saulsbury is building a new house just south of the Catholic cemetery. We A. D. 1896. are going into the milk business together.

Mrs. S. Lee is very ill at this writing, Have you paid for this year's LED
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Mr. Taylor started for Dakota Tuesday. Annie Pottroff is to work at Mr Laux's this summer in Keene. Willie Regford and wife are residents of

M. C. Denny is laying the wall for John Wright's new house. L Sayles and w.fe spent Sunday at Monte

Frons Bozung and Tress Rae went to Westphalis Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Pottruff visited Saturday and

Ruby Sayles is at work for George McGe

Fred Smith and wife of Grattan visited at Jake M. stenbr. oa's Friday, Will Tredenick and wife spent Sunday a

West Lowell. The Ladies Aid of Church of Christ will hold a sugar so ial at the home of N. Blair, senior, on Wednesday evening, April 22. Everybody come and have a good time. Mesdames H. Peters and N. Blair expect

J. MacIntyre is quite sick and under the doctor's care. The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. H. Peters, Wednesday, April 15th at I p. m. A capy it soon; and Mrs. Kennedy will move Mrs. J. A. Pearce, who is visiting her sis Mrs. J. A. Pearce, who is visiting her sis-ters, Mesdames M. D. Court and S. Gristwood has been quite sick with is grippe but is im. by HAZENIS. PINGREE, MAYOR OF DETROIT,

at Ionia on Thursday.

to attend the Christian Endeavor convention

Peach Hill Grove. Little Ruby Parsons who broke her arm is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Creer are the happy The sick are all improving. ance. Lowell, Mich. Mrs Amasa Lee still lies very low at | Every one seems to rejoice that spring is

> Mr. and Mrs Weitz and daughter, Allie Physician and Surgeon. Office, 46 Brid have been visiting friends away. BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE. THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts Corus, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively to 8 : m. and 7 to 8 pm.

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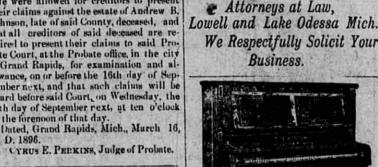
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"So that's you, Jimmy Watson." smiled the doctor . "I ask your pardon; | things for him I don't want to tell." before this I thought you were just a "To-night will do." dude. I shall tell your mother there

finding the switchman's wife in the smile.

without you and me saying anything." ly, his mother's family being consump"All aboard!" sounded outside. As

John came out in the kitchen, where telling all about it." Jonas Macon, the switchman, sat over the fire; he had been forced to sleep in

wife thinks of her is true," sighed the man. "As for the boy, if he must grow up and work as I've done, never gittin' I hate any more people to know. I've no further, he won't thank you for had such a long peaceful time, I am

"She is kind," muttered the man, "an' she have stood about everythin' a woman can stan'. I'll git my own breakfust. You tell her to turn in an' sieep with the kids awhile." The doctor we back to his patient, and Mrs. Macon brought the little flannel bundle out by the stove. Later the children were wild about it. Did the train leave the baby? were they going to have it always? and could they see in the windows of the trains, as they passed, lots of baby faces look ing out for mothers to take them? At night Mrs. Macon woke the doe-

tor, who was taking a nap in the chil-"I think, sir," she said, worriedly, "the little lady is gone out of her head. She's feeling round in the bedelothes for a dog, and calling one pitiful-like." "I have been a blind fool!" cried the doctor. "I felt all the time I'd ought to know her." fe ran to the sickroom, and, luckily, had some quieting however, resisted long, as she slept clinging helplessness. nervously, while the other, clinched the switchman's house when Dr. John could crush in your fingers."

to before, for, loony as she's been all sent a lawyer directly the message was tod with an elderly female who ran

th before, for, loony as she's been all sent a ways discount for loony as she's been all sent a ways only a night some sort of a retreat for aged pets, day, she watched me if I went near her things."

A shabby little purse, containing only a five-dollar bill and a card—Craig oliver's, with his office address.

"I didn't need this to tell me." said "I didn't need this to tell me." said cels and carrying a large basket.

"I didn't need this to tell me." said cels and carrying a large basket. on the red-faced bundle beside

"You're the kind dector who stayed off the train on a count of me," she said, faintly "Y fivere ever so good; but I'd much rather have just died. She" (with a wear glance at Mrs. Macon) "told me at the type."

"Most women that nice little by "Would the middifferently "It has "Would the pleased with that nice little by "Besides it the property of the telegram come. Him being a lawyer, I persuaded him to come teo."

While she spoke the basket in her hand tilted up and down, and a mysterious whine came out of it. Mrs. Minny, wide awake, was being entertained by the white-headed trio; they were discussing whether they would rather have a baby or a dog to play the startes for Benver." is so ugly Besides, it may have a baby or a dog to play started for Denver."

My dog knew everywith; they decided in favor of the latter, for they never had a canine friend, that servant of his," mused the docolded the doctor; "that while there was a new baby every year or so; in fact, the oldest girl had a carelike my old maid sunt."

worn look on account of her duties as I want you to draw up a paper setting from dog's eyes black too, nurse. In the door of the house ap-

"How did you find my name?" she eried. piteously. "And you can't call me that: for some one I love dearly has ing out here." at name for me." est name for me."

'You said it when out of your head,"

If Dr. A-corns don't come and tell her,"

shricked a second white-head. said Doctor John, calmiy "Now go to Miss Patten opened the basket, and about documents; and between the

attend to about him," looking at the baby curiously. "You see, having him makes me different. I feel I must do ance."

out, spun around, and made a vicious a feeble child."

a feeble child."

"Mrs. Minny Oliver. she said, shaking him off. "I can't "I might die." blame him. for I've fetched him clear "You are not in the slightest dan- from Bosting."

"To the last cent. Jimmy: that's why She obediently closed her eyes, and Mrs. Macon removed the infant, for, I got off the car." He shut the door in the late afternoon when Dr. John smartly in the face of the crowd, and, returned greeted him with a radiant bed, kissed his mistress' wan face,

small hall, said, severely: "I suppose you call yourself a Christian woman, ma'am."

"There hain't no meeting-house in sible, I know I can't live long. Now I her hands, uttering joyful little barks, and then, remembering old days, curled himself in a little round heap at her sible, I know I can't live long. Now I realien country not for ferty want you to write out legally all about the child and me, how I came here. His axing a family of my own, I name is to be Francois—French for iged, if my man do work on Francis, you know-de Restand, after railroad, to take into my house strangers with complaints as may be catching."

"Well, this is, I take it, "grinned the doctor, "to your sex."

Francis, you know—de Restaud, after his grandfather, who is a general in France. His father's name is Henri de Restaud. My name, which is funny, is Minerva Patten de Restaud, after his grandfather, who is a general in Francis. She smiled a little grimly, and took up her youngest child in a motherly sort of way that pleased the keen observer.

"You've got a kind heart; your tongue runs away with you, that's all. And now do your best for the slek woman. I have plenty of money to pay you."

"I—I put her in my bed," said the woman, shyly. "She's a next to litely a senough" (with a ghost of a smile): "but a senough" (with a ghost of a s woman, shyly. "She's a pretty little thing, and is clean out of her head, but the hain't no wedding-ring."

"Well, she is punished now, poor girl, for her share in the wrong-doing without you and me saving anything."

"It has mother's family hain consume the baby has made me see things differently. The family are very rich, and there is only one heir, Henri's older brother's son. Henri said he was sick
"Put the baby down and see if he'll

"Put the baby down and see if he'll

New Livery. growl," commanded Mrs. Minny.
"You heartless thing!" scolded Dr "You heartless thing!" scolded Dr. softly to the little room where the emigrant woman lay unconscious of this world, so nearly on the threshold of the next. That little baby may grow up a man, and he would hate me because I had not looked after his interests. Of course it will seem strange to people in France that I was here without any body, and that is why I want you and the bed. Skye sat up, all interest and amazement, then with depressed demeanor slunk to his feet and scuttled

In the chill gray of early dawn Dr. the Macons to witness a legal paper over the side of the bed out of the meanor slunk to his feet and scuttled "I have half a mind to send to Denver room. How Mrs. Minny laughed! Miss the fire; he had been forced to sleep in | lot a law of the fire; he had been forced to sleep in | lot a law of the long night after a day's | little boy's claims should ever be dislaugh," she said, grimly. for a lawyer," said Dr. John. "If the "It's many long days since I could work. The long night after a day's work. The hospitality of the poor often means personal deprivation.

"Is she goin' to live?" asked the man.

"I hope so. The baby is a fine boy."

"Both of 'em better dead, if what things."

"It is a boy is claims should ever be disputed—and they might, you know—it would be best to have everything right.

Besides, the French people are great for documentary evidence, certificates of birth and such things."

"Is Aunt Hannah out there?" asked Minny, softly.

"I suppose you had better," she sighed, lying back on her pillow, "but "Is she very very angry with me?" piteously. "I did not want to be caught savin' of him."

sorry to have to go back to quarrel"He may turn out a great man some ing."

and made to go home. I want to tell
her, though, if she worried how serry I

"He may turn out a great man some day; and then," said Dr. John, half to himself—"she is not a common or uneducated woman, the mother—he may be the better for the story of his birth, strive to rise the higher for it."

"Likely not he won't. Them 'sylum lidren don't amount to much in gental man to be out of the mud."

"Takes a mighty smart man to be out of the mud."

"Tour who has done nobly by her."

"She has the best ing."

"Mrs. Minny, before you go to sleep in will tell you something, but you must not ask a question, for you have talked enough. I know all about you. I was Craig Oliver's guest last fall, and I have seen and talked to your Aunt Hannah; so you need not think me a stranger, with a look of pride at the red-faced bundle. "After that she can never call me frivolous again. Why, she's quite a young thing in experience betil she slept, and he felt, as Oliver had done, that she was a woman child, not

side me. Wasn't she good to bring my | COMPLEXION POWDER Aunt Hannah meant to be severe and oold, perhaps to speak her mind a little; she had not forgiven the long. anxious months; but the sight of the baby in her arms, softened the stern old face, and with a sob she knelt down and gathered both to her breast. CHAPTER VII.

"Craig," said Dr. John, sitting down on a nail-keg, "why did you come for Miss Patten. I connected the mystery with the young lady I had assisted to run away, whose fate has been a good deal of trouble to me ever since.

I wanted to help her, if need be. Is folly to start on a journey sick as she was. I don't blame you, Craig, for that long ride and the risk you ran; THE DOCTOR POINTED TO THE HOUSE. she is very winning, this trouble medicine in his case. The sufferer, a woman, and doubly dear by that little lady, and brave too. It is a wonhowever, resisted long, as she slept clinging helplessness.

der what a woman can endure, a sighed, and one tiny hand felt around

A week had Mrs. Minny been sick at slight frail creature whose hand you der what a woman can endure, a

hard in the sheet, resisted all pressure telegraphed to Oliver to send a lawyer "But she had," said Oliver, uneasily, to the station. He also added: "If "plenty of money, had she not?" children were very quiet; they played along." He had telegraphed to New- coach, and has, I think, about five children were very quiet; they played along." He had telegraphed to Newa long way from the house, and towards evening Dr. John kept them by
him in the kitchen, telling stories. To this day the youngest one looks in vain for a baby to come by train that shall be his own property, an illusion creation of the same and the same an ted by the doctor's stories.

"She's asleep," said Mrs. Macon. coming out, "and here's a little purse of fore, and he surmised that Oliver, with his usual attention to business, had be surmised that Oliver, with his usual attention to business, had be business.

"I didn't need this to tell me." said the doctor "She is a married woman all right. Mrs. Macon: her name is Minny de Restand and her people are well-to-do. How she came here I haven't the faintest idea; she disappeared last fall, and her aunt has peared last fall, and her aunt has must tell her first," he said in a whister a said remain hidden. One day a few weeks must tell her first," he said in a whister and here a said remain hidden. One day a few weeks remain hidden. One day a few weeks remain hidden. ared last fall, and her aunt has arched all over the country for her."

The doctor pointed to the house.

must tell her first." he said in a whisper; "she is still very weak, and the surprise might upset her. Where did atther seen some one or read someon to Denver instill, an' was in Mr. looking much upset. Two days later, You're the kind exctor who stayed Oliver's office when the telegram leaving a note containing board for

"Lady wants to know what's squeak- legal phraseology." "I fail to comprehend just what you

peared a white-headed child, who called out, shrilly:

"Says she's going to get up and see,

"I'm used to it. He bates the basket."

"Put the baby down and see if he'll

"You see," explained the doctor. "the French people are particular "But I've got lots of things I must out, spun around, and made a vicious property of De Restaud's father and this child of Mrs. Minny's there is only "Mrs. Minny's child?" repeated and Kidney Diseases. A positive Cure effected in from 6 to 18 days.

TO BE CONTINUED.

"Thanks," langhed the younger man.
"There's twenty-five dollars. I suppose, though, your fees will gobble it possibly too long — you must mind posse, though, your fees will gobble it possibly too long — you must mind ger, nor is the boy; and, though you have had your own way a long time— you feel the third white-head; and the doctor, with various inanc cajolements, coaxed the dog to the house. Luckily How Much Do Dogs Know? doubt wiser far than a child double that Lv. Golog Rest A. M. P. M. P. M. can be taught but little more, but by this time, although he cannot speak, ex- Ar Lowell cept in a kind of dun:b language, he knows everything that is said about him Ar -that is, if he has been the constant companion of a kind master and mistress. We are too loath to admit that a dog can understand quite a deal that is "Lansing" spoken, especially if it concerns himself. I am sure that, like myself, many of my readers could send me anecdotes in proof of this. The following is sent me by a lady. It is worth reading:

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Ar Grand Rapids 1230 520 1045 by a lady. It is worth reading; "My husband had at one time a very fine collie, which seemed to understand conversation perfectly. On one occasion he told his homeoleaness that he was conversation to the told his homeoleaness that he was conversation by the homeoleaness that he he told his housekeeper that he was go-

he told his housekeeper that he was going to ride next day to his father's place, 30 miles away, and, turning to his dog, said, 'You will stay at home.' Next morning the dog was not to be seen, and when his master arrived at his destination of the dog was not to be seen, and when his master arrived at his destination. CHICAGO & WEST MICHIGAN RI.,

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W.H. CLARK, Agent Lowell. tion the dog had got there first, and was peacefully resting under a table. The DETROIT, CRAND HAYEN & MILWAUKEE strangest thing was that the dog was strangest thing was that the dog was transport to my husband's home by rail.

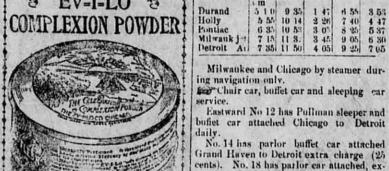
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it is a good thing, but it sometimes seems as if we ought to get better weather for the price.

It is perplexing to learn that the Turkish Government has promised safety to Americans until Minister Terrell returns from his trip to the United States. Why should the promise not continue after that?

The Tennessee centennial exposition to be held in Nashville next fall, while celebrating the 100th anniversary of the admission of the state into the union, will be national and international in its character. Every state and foreign country is invited to take part, and every inducement is offered them for the making of exhibits and the erection of special buildings.

Recently a newspaper in Louisville shed the pictures of several lady clerks. A wealthy young man was

900 acres of valuable land, and before that time. I saw him last in the early they give it up the supreme court of days of December. He was without an the United States will probably be overcoat, after the manner of Haunibal saked to rule on the validity of this Hamlin, which was very injudicious, for the weather was inclement. The brown Nebraska law. frock was wide open in front. Possibly

A floating mining camp is now being it was a little too tight to button then. fitted up at Ellensburg, Wash., and next In Indiana Mr. English was thought spring will ply up and down the Snake a rich man. He left an estate worth river. The camp will be perfectly ap- three millions, half of which goes to his pointed in every way with a full bat- son. It is of fifty years' growth and betery of mining appliances and quarters gan with the annexation of Texas. Mr. for the miners. It is being constructed English was then 23 years old and on an immense flatbottomed boat es- clerking in a department at Washingpecially built for that purpose. On the ton. He was richer in character than boat is a big stationary engine and in purse, and had his reputation at his boilers, dredgers, and pumps of various home not been of the very best, that sizes, and all the appliances for extract- floodtide in affairs that Shakespeare ing gold, and a boarding and lodging sings of would probably have dashed

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THE LATE INDIANIAN WAS A But the town was poor. One of the rich- "GOOD AND BAD RECREATIONS," of superstition and dissipation, we all him. You did a kindness to the boy, 



through a subterranean passage. It was in that coat—
yet this avalanche of molten rocks reached the waters in less than two days, destroying every thing in its track. It continued flowing for three weeks, heating the sea water twenty miles from shore.

In 1891 the legislature of Nebresks was ago, for a visit to some seventeen years ago, for a visit to some in that coat—

I know a man who assisted Mr. En
I kno



moved up and down the refer, working the banks and bed of the stream for gold.

A wealthy Japanese gentleman who ame to this country a few weeks ago study its civilization has seen one state that the stream to explicate the stand after speaking to compliance the beautiful subject that only the one of the case on the stream of the stream

After thirty years of secrety Reefy is to have the most patents. Look after a trustancy seaflers.

Two thousand bloyches were destroyed in a Boston configuration to where the season to have constitution to both the street day. Secrebars, "stated.

The world diffit come to an end and self-ther didth come to an end and self-ther didth; come to an end and self-ther didth come to an end and self-ther didth; come to an end and self-ther didth; come to an end and self-ther didth; come to an end and The three thousand who perished that day in Gaza, are as nothing compared with the tens of thousands who have been destroyed by sinful amusements

But my first text implies that there is a lowful way of the most of the purpose of hearing an artist the most magnificent recreation to which a man ever put his hand, or his head, or his heart.

But my first text implies that there or a low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that there are a sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that the sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that the sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that the sembled at the concert or the low first text implies that the sembled at the concert or the low first text

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is a lawful use of the world, as well
as an unlawful abuse of it, and the
difference between the man Christian
and the man un-Christian is, that in
the former case the man masters the
world, while in the latter case the
world masters him. For whom did God
make this grand and beautiful world?
For whom this wonderm expenditure
of color, this gracefulness of line, this
mosaic of the ground, this fresco of the
sky, this glowing fruitage of orchard
and vineyard, this full orchestra of the
tempest, in which the tree branches and vineyard, this full orchestra of the tempest, in which the tree branches flute, and the winds trumpet, and the flute, and the winds trumpet, and the through the gymnasium might be roused up to exuberance and exhilaration of life. There are many Christian people despondent from year to year, who might, through such an institution, be benefited in their spiritual relations. There are Christian people despondent from year to year, who might, through such an institution, be benefited in their spiritual relations. There are Christian people despondent from year to year, who might, through such an institution, be benefited in their spiritual relations. There are Christian people despondent from year to year, who might, through such an institution of its. There are many Christian people despondent from year to year, who might, through such an institution of its. There are many Christian people despondent from year to year, who might, through such an institution. There are Christian people who seem to think that it is a good who will die to-night and it is too late. I will die to-night and it is too late. I will die to-night and it is too late. The day wore away are to year. Who might, through such an institution of its. There are Christian people who might, through such an institution of its. There are Christian people who will be an institution of its. There are christian people at six o'clock." The day wore away at six o'clock, and she cried out at five o'clock, and it is too late. I will die to-night and it is too late. I will die to-night and it is too late. I will die to-night and it is too late. I will die to-night and it is too late. I will die to-night and it is too late. I will die to-night and it is too late. I will die to-night and it is too late. I will die to-night and it is too late. I will die to-night and it is too late. I will die to-night and it is too late. I will die to-night and it is too late. I will die to-night and it is too late. I will die to-night and it is too late. I will die to-night whom did he gather the upholstery of sign to be poorly; and because Richard | moments went by, and

In 1891 the legislature of Nebraska passed a law forbidding the ownership of real property in that state by any corporation not incorporated under state laws, and ordering all property so held forfeited to the state. The first suit under the law has been brought suit under the law has been brought except the forbidding the ownership of the first same that the corporation whose state the same that the property in that state by any corporation whose state laws, and ordering all property so held forfeited to the state. The first suit under the law has been brought so held forfeited to the state. The first same held for fired; and, like Napoleon, he could never adapting the ownership of the company, a corporation whose state the north plate Land and Washington and should also be suite of the same bed, spoke from the same in the same table, slept in the same bed, spoke from the same in the same bed, spoke from the same in the same table, slept in the same bed, spoke from the same in the same bed, spoke from the same in the same table, slept in the same bed, spoke from the same in the same table, slept in the same bed, spoke from the same in the same table, slept in the same bed, spoke from the same in the same table, slept in t men, and which has not a Nebraska charter. This company holds about 20,charter. This company holds about 20,charter. This company holds about 20,that time. I saw him last in the early

the people he laid Mr. English in the ments and recreations. — say to see tions that have not on them any taint ments and recreations in which we ment of the world, "You are greatly misment of iniquity; recreations in which we ment of the world, "You are greatly misment of the world, "You are g

have squatted on the domain of earth- awakened up and become blessed and them, while I claim, in behalf of the and the sky over their heads breaking "If anything unkind you hear good and the pure and the true, the forth into music. "Oh," says some About some one you know, my dear, eternal inheritance which God has giv-en them. Hitherto, Christian philan-should like that recreation above all When you that some one chance toaropists, clerical and lay, have busied others, but I have not the means." | meet: hemselves chiefly in denouncing sinful My dear brother, let us take an account | For such news has a leaden way ecreations; but I feel we have no right of stock. You have a large estate, if Of clouding o'er a sunny day. to stand before then and women in you only realize it. Two hands. Two But if you something pleasant hear whose hearts there is a desire for rec- feet. You will have perhaps during the About some one you know, my dear, reation amounting to positive neces- next year at least ten dollars for chari- Make haste-to make great haste twee house that will accommodate at least past him and been lost forever. He had some money at Lexington, his native to miners. The camp is an experiment some money at Lexington, his native town, and had saved all possible from hiz salary of two years—for Mr. English moved up and down the river, working the banks and bed of the stream for the banks and bed of the stream for make haste—to make great haste to make great haste to make great haste to make haste—to make great haste to make great haste to make great haste to make great haste to make haste—to make haste—to make haste—to make great haste to give them something better. God helping me and with reference to my have five thousand pleasant words if the banks and bed of the stream for make haste—to make great haste to make great haste to make haste—to make haste—to make haste—to make great haste to give them something better. God helping me and with reference to my have five thousand pleasant words if helping me and with reference to my have five thousand pleasant words if helping me and with reference to my have five thousand pleasant words if helping me and with reference to my have five thousand pleasant words if helping me and with reference to my have five thousand pleasant words if helping me and with reference to my have five thousand pleasant words if helping me and with reference to my have five thousand pleasant words if helping me and with reference to my have five thousand pleasant words if helping me and with reference to my have five thousand pleasant words if helping me and with reference to my have five thousand pleasant words if helping me and with reference to my helping me and with reference to my have five thousand pleasant words if helping me and with reference to my have five thousand pleasant words if helping me and with reference to my have five thousand pleasant words if helping me and with reference to my have five them something to be them.

ENGLISH ANECDOTES. of absence as quickly as possible and TALMAGE'S SERMON. music at the start, there shall be music at the start, there shall be music for him and pass on. He wonders when went back home. There he drew on the at the close. While this heavenly art for him and pass on. He wonders whe has often been dragged into the uses that well-dressed man was that helped

assurance in bonds, but on English's so. He knew that, make or break, it would be returned to him. That was in shest men, is gone. He seems to have they this life well squared.

He was a lone-some as he looked biless found good comment.

There is in this art an indescribable fascination for the household. Let all fascination for the household here there thouse household. Let all fascination for the household here had the sall fascination for the household here had the sall fascination for the household. Let all fascination for the household here had the sall fascination for the hou

fire around the window of the setting Baxter and Robert Hall were invalids, gan to gather, and the clock struck six;

show that those people who stay out of the kingdom of God have the hard-lect, for the illumination of the soul. of the kingdom of God have the hardships and self-denials, while those who
come in have the joys and satisfactions.

In the name of the king of heaven
and earth, I serve a writ of ejectment
upon all the sinful and polluted who
have squatted on the domain of earth
awakened up and hecome blessed and

would have been wrong in Christ is
wrong in any member of his church.—
Sin would nave been wrong in Christ is
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wrong in any member of his church.—
Sin would not be so deadly if the devil
had to fight in an open field.—The man
who is not doing have been wrong in any member of his church.—
Sin would not be so deadly if the devil
had to fight in an open field.—The man
who is not doing short of what God expects him.

to do—itam's Hern.

ash, the tireless grow weary, the enerwhat we mean. Some men and women' deavor temporarily to overcome toat

Mr. Charles H. Hoffman, of 182 Ten Eyck Street, Jackson.

us tell you! In the first place, never try to rid yourself of pain without knowing "I must decline to answer you." have it explained. Why will you trine the girl up, he longed desperately to show if the were happy. He had felt spy placed there by nature; listen to his warnings and take up the weapon, strike before disease is reinforced with allies that can not be routed by hand of man, such as Bright's disease. Let us introduce the mind do I withheld any information I daughter, when suddenly he put his

beriority to all others! Here is a blow it struck:

"It is a cruel kindness. Tell me by the M. C. R. R., and resides at 133 Ten level Street, Jackson, Mich. He says: I'll lave suffered for a long time from a kidney and bladder disorder which has at the depot, and to his forehead, and sank back, and times rendered me incapable of work; in the same car with Miss Harrison."

In the cold complaint has invariably come back again. Some time ago I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills, and I began taking them, my general condition is much improved, and the pain I suffered in my back has entirely left me, my general condition is much improved. I would not like to be without leaving his exact new address. All he could gather was that his friend now lived in a fiat on the north side of a certain street.

When he arrived at the block in question hose in it was a flat house. He would have to go from door to door until he found his friend's name over one of the door-bells.

I only replied to your question."

Pardon me, Miss Lee. I am not know what a valuable remedy it is."

For sale by all dealers, price 50 cents.

ber the name, Doan's, and take no other. | plained." The Groat ing to leave the room. BLADDER CURE.

That THEIR

He did not mention who this one was pale, and moody. Sometimes she received him with the greatest warmin, and then she would be cold and distants and then she would be cold and distants. She puzzled Archer strangely. Trevlyn stopped a few moments with shished by the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. It aims to give information in an interesting way about the farm lands of the west. Send 25 cents in postage atamps to the Corn Belt. Somewhat constrained voice, and her eyes shone with such an upfarm lands of the west. Send 25 cents in postage atamps to the Corn Belt. Somewhat constrained voice, and her eyes shone with such an upfarm lands of the west. Send 25 cents in postage atamps to the corn Belt. Somewhat constrained voice, and her eyes shone with such an upfarm lands of the west. Send 25 cents in postage atamps to the corn Belt. Somewhat constrained voice, and her eyes shone with such an upfarm lands of the west. Send 25 cents in postage atamps to the Corn Belt. Somewhat constrained voice, and her eyes shone with such an upfarm lands of the west. Send 25 cents in postage atamps to the Corn Belt. Somewhat constrained voice, and her eyes shone with such an upfarm lands of the west. Send 25 cents in postage atamps to the Corn Belt. Somewhat constrained voice, and her eyes shone with such an upfarm lands of the west. Send 25 cents in postage atamps to the Corn Belt. Somewhat constrained voice, and her eyes shone with such an upfarm land moody. Sometimes she received him with the greatest warmin, and then she would be cold and distant. She puzzled Archer strangely. He wanted to be friends with her. He felt that he owed her an immense debt that he happer aprice should not her the she would are received him with the greatest warmin, and then she would be cold and distant. She puzzled Archer strangely. He wanted to be friends with her. He felt that he owed he

"No. I have not seen her since I left had worn so long in his bosom, before it was sinful to wed without love. But night. When I returned from my inter- dropped some tears that were no dis- strangely distraught manner day by mule,

and Peter, the coachman, who drove her aunt was a discreet woman, and it found Alexandrine in tears. He would "And she went entirely alone?" had taken advantage of the pause in seen him, and he felt that it would be

"She did from the house. Peter took the fashionable season to visit some better to remain. He spoke to her distant relatives, and if any one coupled | kindly. her in the carriage." Stop It Quickly, Just the Same as Did "From the house! But after that?" her flight and the departure of Castrani "I trust nothing has occurred to dis-

"M". Trevlyn," she said, coldly, "ex- remark. Alexandrine kept what she most defiantly. A lame back, stop it! An aching buck, stop it! An aching buck, stop it! Do you want to know how? Let out upon this mysterious journey For a week, nearly, he managed to "Pardon me!" he exclaimed, alarmed

he called at Mrs. Lee's. He wanted to I question you?" e cause. If pain or ache exist there "But I will not accept any denial! question Alexandrine a little further. "Because you have caused me miser s reason for it. Find out this reason miss Lee, you know what Margie was to The idea possessed him that in some chough already—" blow with the right weapon, and its allies, me. There has arisen a fearful mis-pain and ache, will fice like chaff before understanding between us. I must destination. And though he had given be wind. To get right down to it, back- bave it explained. Why will you triffe the girl up, he longed desperately to

such as Bright's disease. Let us introduce then to rest on. Only for your peace of the to you this wapon! Let us prove its sum ind do I withhold any information I daughter, when suddenly he put his abouts of one of his citizens as an introduce and such that was soon wrecked, and he

For sale by all dealers, price 50 cents. quite myself this morning. I will go wearmers to resign her post she would alled by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, now. I thank you for what you have take that stained glove from her bosom, delivery. Here, he thought, was the "I trust so," answered Miss Lee, turn- "No," she said to herself, "people in "Yes, sir," replied the postman, in

thought of admitting a stranger.

Peter drive her?" "The Northern, I think he said." I of all the world can bring a shadow of against the rules."

He was somewhat acquainted with brow, holding he to ticket agent, and assuming as non-chalant an air as was possible in his conscious face. the ticket agent, and assuming as non- lingering fondly over the flushed, un- the government are of a confidential na- upon the sensitive plates of His great

the disease. The sundown would de- DANBURY'S GIANT. cide. Dr. Graveon said: he would be

better, or death would ensue.

Alexandrine heard his opinion in stony silence. She sat by the bed's head now, calm and silent; her powers of self-control were infinite. Her mother came in to watch for the change, as did several of Archer's friends, heretofore overladed. The same state, the same state state, the same state state, the same state state state, the same state state state state state excluded. She was not afraid for them to come; there was no danger of Mr. Year, but He Died. Trevlya criminating himself now. He

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CHAPTER XVI.—(Continuo)

"She gives me up! Margie renounces be learly express. I marked his baggage the mervous system, which will not long stand euch strain. Too many people "work on their nerves," and the result is seen in unfortunate wrecks marked "nervous proble" work on their nerves," and the result is seen in unfortunate wrecks marked "nervous postem," in every direction. That tired "Well, really, the name of the place ack to him.

"The time passed slowly. The sun rept down the west. The ticking of the watch on the stand was all that broke the silence of the room. The last unray departed—the west flamed with the bue of health the white flow, and the result is seen in unfortunate wrecks marked "nervous proble" work on their nerves," and the result is seen in unfortunate wrecks marked "nervous proble" work on their nerves," and the result is seen in unfortunate wrecks marked "nervous proble" work on their nervous system, which will not longstand each strain. Too many people "work on their fine." Smoothing of the old down a continuous proble "work on their fine." Smoothing of the old down a continuous proble "work on their fine." Smoothing of the old down and the result is seen in unfortunate wrecks marked "nervous proble" work on their fine. Smoothing of the old down and the result is seen in unfortunate wrecks marked "nervous proble" work on the result is seen in unfortunate wrecks marked "nervous proble" work on the strain. Too many people "work on the first time, and the strain." The result is seen in unfortunate wrecks marked "nervous proble" work on the strain was all that broke the silence of the room. The last sun ray departed—the west flamed with problem to the stand was all that broke the silence of the room. The last sun ray departed—the west flamed with problem to the stand was and who has not specified to the connection. The strain of the seen in unfortunate wreck marked "nervous problem" of this business that my down the write of the same of the place.

"Well,

were you reacting of exertail?

He stricted his hat and hurried to ber residence. The family were at breakfast, the servant said, who opened the energy to every nerve, organ and tisse of the blood; for, if the blood is rich, red, vitalzed and vigorous, it imparts life and energy to every nerve, organ and tisse of the body. The necessity of taking is, therefore, apparent to every one, and ties good, it will do you is equally beyond question. Remember that

The physician stepped forward, and the steps of the Astor. Though he's generous as a prince, in the early express, said the man, cyf.

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Though some of his spar chillings, in the door, the servant and, who pened the east of the Astor. History express, said the man, cyf.

Though he's districtable. His blowed the set of the east the generated at the form of the physical stepped forward, and the doors the early spring flowers on a prince.

Though he's distribution for the first time, and it was a prince.

Though some of h

A good place in which to exercise patience is "The servant tells me that Miss Hartransferred her affections, he could still visiting certain places grow npon us. ward and kept at it until he was about ticularly to call your attention to their
transferred her affections, he could still visiting certain places grow npon us.

We desire partransferred her affections, he could still visiting certain places grow npon us.

Ward and kept at it until he was about ticularly to call your attention to their
transferred her affections, he could still visiting certain places grow npon us.

A good place in which to exercise patience is in bearing the aborteoming of others.

Put an end to misery. Donn's (interest winters were was, and do it almost instantly. Years of suffering the profess love for him all the ingredient will cure the worst case of Liching. The servant tells me that Miss Harrison left New York this morning. I have wished her all happiness, if she is bearing the aborteoming of others.

Put an end to misery. Donn's (interest winters were was, and do it almost instantly. Years of suffering the profess love for him all the increasing of the newly care in the control of the mention her destination. The soothing, lung healing virtues of the newly cut pine are all embodies for both her aunt and her business agent, Mr. Parley, she did not in the source of the newly cut pine are all embodies in the control of the mention her destination. The soothing, lung healing virtues of the newly cut pine are all embodies and well-well and the sovereign remedy for conglis and colds and multiply to call your attention to their total happiness, if she well the necessity of going through with the regular routine every day. He wished her all happiness, if she donly been free and frank with him fact only to call your attention to their total rank every day. He wished her all happiness, if she donly been free and frank with him fact only to call your attention to their total to learn the necessity of going through with the regular routine every day. He wished her all happiness, if she donly been free and frank with him fact only to call your attention to their total rank every day. He wished not you the necessity of going through with the regular routine every day. He wished not profess love for him all the her control with the case of the newly day in the safe of the following up this account of the following up this account of the following up the safe of a quarter of an Inch a day or the fact the following up the safe of a quarter of an Inch at the other for law as a very means of the profess of the newly

no view with you, I tapped at her door honor to his manhood, over the half- day, he came to feel as if he had in some And brains light as feathers or chaff, said, and t I believe Piso's Cure is the only medicine view with you, I tapped at her door-that will cure consumption.—Anna M. Ross, way wronged her day, he came to feel as if he had in some dozen elegant little trifles she had given way wronged her, though how he did not exactly understand.

Who studies vain glory in vanity's school, and every case of Caterri that cannot way wronged her to the school, and every case of Caterri that cannot way we way wronged her though how he did not exactly understand.

One day he entered the sitting—pure fames. one day he entered the sitting-room And thinks of politeness he knows ev-Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY.

cule-Yet knows that he's of the riffraff. was generally understood that Margie have retreated, but she had already

together, it was not made the subject of tress you?" She looked up at him alline foe knew to herself, and of course Archer! "Leave me!" she said, impetuously;

throw keep about, and at the end of that time by her strange emotion, "and why not Enough to make decency reel.

Who knew his intentions; so, nothing that we wonder so many will endure them. Ge Hindercorns and see how nicely it takes

By smashing his stove-pipe silk tile

quite myself this morning. I will go weariness to resign her post she would met a letter-carrier making his usual With face from discomfiture perfectly

Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, now. I tank you for what you have the sight of it would banish all man who could save him a lot of time And as he "skedaddled" this heroir said, delirium speak of their most cherished response to his query. "I know the "Stay a moment! To what depot did secrets, and he shall not criminate him- party very well. But I am sorry to self. If he did that terrible deed, only say I cannot give you his number. It is

"Again I thank you, and good morn-shall never be revealed to any other."

The same secrecy is observed at the sensitive plates photograph the post office. The postal address of any-He hurried away, got into the first | So she sat the long days and longer | body will not be given by the federal knows, understands and controls all the coach he came across, and was driven nights away by the side of this man she authorities even to a state officer. This laws and forces of nature! I think of loyed so hopelessly, bathing his fevered rule is in accordance with the general the Great Eye that reads every thought He was somewhat acquainted with brow, holding his parched hand, and principle that a man's dealings with and emotion, and records unerringly

ture.

nomenally Big Young Fellow Last At druggist sent on receipt of price. E. S. Wells, Chemist. Jersey City, N. J.

kissed the sweet face of the picture he heed. He should never marry, he said; "No. I have not seen her since I left had worn so long in his bosom, before it was sinful to wed without love. But he room to come down to you last he locked it away from his sight, and as he saw Alexandrine's pale face and A masher's a being with "cheek" like a is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the

of man who thinks the world owes him a grand that hard now-a-days to collect the grand sit hard now-a-days to collect t

Maids, matrons, and mothers, who hap- for testimonials, free pen to go . Through the town unprotected, all

The sneers and the jeers of this mascu-line fee If you have a pain in your back, stop it! "I must know!" he cried; passionately Trevlyn did not proclaim his own de- "you, of all others, have no right to Who stands at a lamp post, as if for a Why suffer from indirection? Bur-

> Gen. Booth commenced his career in a pawa-broker's shop in England. I saw one one day sidle up to a maid-A daughter of Erin's green isle-

> She raised her unorella and stoppe FITS—All fits stopped free by ME, KLERE'S GREST REPYR ESFORM. No fit after first day's use. Man-velous cures. Treatise and 82 for ital locale free to Fit cases. Send to Dr. Kline. Fit Arch St., Philadelphia, ra.

> > The preacher who does not practice all ke preaches, preaches too much.

"I wish I'd my big brother's boot " -M. C. McMahon

If Roentgen and Edison can upo

Book of Remembrance human deeds.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he

(Seal.) Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send

dock Blood Bitters cures Dyspensia and bowels.

It is so easy to remove Corns with Hindercorns

There are always 5.0 0 British vessels at sea.

in the Springtime. And a great many who are not

take the purest and most powerful blood purifier. chalant an air as was possible in his present disturbed state, he strolled into the office. After a little indifferent conversation, he said.

"By the way, Harris, do you know Mr. Castrani, the young Cuban, who has turned the heads of so many of our fair belies? Some one was telling me he left town this morning."

"Castrani! Yes, I think so. He did chalant an air as was possible in his present disturbed state, he strolled into the said.

He sank lower and lower day by day —so very low that the physician said he could do no more. He must leave the case the must leave the fact of God's omniscience and upon the fact of God's omniscience

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# Poets

poets, pay tribute to the season in the same way. The difference is that the poet breaks out in about the same spot annually. while more prosaic people break out in various parts of the body. It's natural. Spring is the breakingout season. It is the time when impurities of the blood work to the surface It is the time, therefore, to

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### Special Notice.

Section 1. The people of the State of Michigan enact, That section eight of act number two hundred three of the public acts of eighteen hundred seventy-seven, entitled "An act relative to dividing townships and villages into election districts and to pro-vide for the registration of electors in such cases," being section one hundred thirty-one of Howell's annotated statutes, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 8. The electors of each election district shall meet at one o'clock in the afternoon at the polling place of each district respectively to tran sact such business as is usually transacted at township meetings by viva the votes on each and every question which shall be submitted to them and the result of such vote shall be counted and reported to the board of inspectors of election of precinct num ber one, and shall be by them consoli-dated and canvassed in the same man ner as provided by section seven of said act: Provided, That all questions proposed to be acted upon shall be previously reported to the township board and by them reported to the precinct on the morning of election, and that no question shall be entertained that is not so reported.

Approved June 1, 1895.

— Public Acts, Michigan, 1895.

### Registration Notice.

To the electors of the township of Lowell, notice is hereby given that a ing at Climax. meeting of the board of registration of the township of Lowell will be held at the office of the Town Clerk M. I Winchell and family of Ionia, in said township, on Saturday, April C. L. Coppens and family, E. L. 4th, 1896, for the purpose of register- Timpson, Miss Matie Stone, H. W. ing the names of all such persons as McDiarmid and wife of Bowne, Jude shall be possessed of the necessary Fletcher and wife and Miss Bertha qualifications of electors in election McArther of South Boston. districts number one (1) and two (2) in said township, not heretofore registered; and that said board of registra-Mon will be in session on the day and at the place aforesaid, from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose aforesaid.

Dated this 20th day of March, A. D. 1896.

> W. H. EDDY, Town Clerk; Notice.

The residents of each road district are requested to select some of their humber for overseer of highways and hand the same to highway commissioner as the new law makes it compulsory for the overseers to be voted for in each precinct at the same 'time. 1 o'clock p. m.

## Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given, to the electors of the township of Lowell, in 'the county of Kent, and state of Michigan, that the next annual township meeting will be held on Monday the sixth day of April, A. D. 1896, at Music hall, district No. one and Train's Opera House district No. two. in said township at which election,the following officers are to be chosen, viz: One supervisor, one township člerk, one township treasurer, one highway commissioner, one justice of the peace, full term; one school inspector, 2 years; one member board of review, 2 years, four constables.

The polls of said election will be opened at 7 o'clock a. m. or as soon thereafter as may be, and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. unless the coard shall in their discretion adjourn and son, Merritt, met at their home the polls at 12 o'clock noon, for one and gave them a very pleasant sur-

Dated, this 23d day of March A. D., 1896. WM. H. EDDY, Town Clerk.

Slurs its Own Town.

This is the way the Mulliken Exse man talks about his bome town; It was suggested by a subscriber that

### DEAL-MCDIARMID:

### Pleasant Home Wedding. The Cèremony, Contumes and Quests.

About 75 invited guests assembled at the please at home of A. McDiarmid and wife, Tuesday, March 31, to witness the marriage of their daughter, M. Estella to Rev. Clarence E. Deal, of Climax, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Levi P. Masters D. D. of Kalamazoo, assisted by Rev. A. P. Moors. The guests wefe received by Miss Mattie Thompson and Leroy McDiarmid.

Promptly at I o'clock Miss Mamie Walsh began playing the wedding march and the bridal party, consisting of the two minister, the bride's maid and best man and the bride and groom, entered the parlor. They stood beneath an arch, which was trimmed with evergreen and white ribbon and during the ceremony Miss Walsh played softly upon the organ.

Miss Effie McDiarmid sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid and Willard Deal, brother of the groom, as best man.

The bride was attired in a steel gray gloria silk gown and carried bride's roses and the bride's maid wore white cashmere and carried pink

After the congratulations which followed the ceremony, the wedding dinner was served.

The gifts were very beautiful and valuable and in only one instance were there two of the same article.

Mr. and Mrs. Deal took the 4 m. train for Bancroft to visit his brother, and from there went to Climax, where a reception was tendered them last evening at the parsonage of the M. E. church of which he is pastor.

Mrs. Deal will finish out her school year here and about the first of July they will go to house-keep-

The guests from out of town were: Miss Grace Buell of Grand Rapids,

JACOB W. WALKER.

### His Long and Able Record Reviewed by One Who Knows Him.

of Lowell has nominated Jacob W Walker for supervisor and if elected, with his knowledge of the machinery of the county board will andoubtedly be able to reduce the taxes of Lowell fully 10 per cent. Mr. Walker was the supervisor from Vergennes for a great number of years and he always managed to keep the taxes of that town much below those of surrounding towns, much to the chagrin

of the supervisors of other towns. I do not believe that Jacob h forgotten his cunningness and if he can reduce the taxes in Loweli per cent, it will be a saving to the taxpavers of about \$1800. amount will pay ail the township expenses, keep our bridges in repair and

take care of the towns poor. High taxes always effects the growth and prosperity of a town. a man wants to buy a farm or engage in business, one of the first questions he asks is, "How are the taxes of the town?" and when he learns that they are high he will locate in some other and perhaps less advantageous locality. No township in the state has better natural advantages than Lowell and its interests ought not to be crippled by a yearly burdensome tax roll. OBSERVER.

# A Farewell Surprises.

On Monday evening the neighbors and friends of O. E. Scofield, wife prise. Refreshments were served; and with music a very enjoyable evening was passed.

Mr. Scofield and family are about to move to their new home near Fenn ville, Allegan county, onto a peach farm. Our best wishes go with them.-[Con.

## Masquerade Ball.

The Vergennes Dancing Club will give a grand masquerade ball at Mu-sic hall on Thursday evening, April nished by Fred Stines of

H. A: Peckham left on Tuesday or a ten days trip through New York and Pennsylvania in the interests of the Lowell Cutter and Wood Rim

Celebrated Magara brand canned goods at Bergin's.

A. L. Peck left on Tuesday for week's trip to Bostone

Two gailon pall ayrup 70cts. at Bergin's. A. O. Heydlauff was in Detroit

over Sunday. All kinds of wood and coal for sale by C. H. Weshrook. Ida M. Cole of Grand Rapids was

the guest of A. O Heydlouff and wife

Saturday. One good smoke in this world is better than two in another, The Nickel Plate 5c Cigar.

Miss Florence McDannell has returned from a visit at Marquette. The time is nearly up for felts and

rubbers, come in and see our line of work shoes before you buy. A. J. Howk & Son. George Jones of Grand Rapids was convicted Saturday of assulting Mary Webster, a young country girl whom he picked up at the depot. He took her to his rooms and had a friend

perform a mock marriage and after a few days deserted her. Those fruit trees you are talking about can be bad of N. P. Husted & Co., your home nurservilen. They employ no agents, a full assortment

for spring trade. Dan'l Pletcher went to Saginaw Tuesday, to represent Joseph Wilson Post, G. A. R, at the department encampment of Michigan.

Buy baled hay of C. H. Weshrook Mrs. Clarinda Stocking, who has been making her home with daughter, Mrs N. G. King, at Ionia, is spending a week with old Lowell friends.

Buy our pictures and picture moulding there you can find the largest stock at McConnell & Co's.
George Gulliford left for Albion Monday morning.

Good Rio bulk roffee at Bergin's, Fred Bruner and wife visited her father and mother in Freeport Sun-

See the heer line or haby cabs ever in town at lice minell & Co's. Ira Jones and wife have been visitng their daughter at Grandville.

Sunday with her parents, J. Guilliford and wife. This year we have got the largest that we ever carried.

Miss Mary Gulliford visited over

A. J. Howk & Son. Mr. Burrows and Miss Smith were the guests of Fred Bruner and wife

For sale cheap: A Yest type writer, nearly new, inquire of Dr. J. E. Hunter, Alto, Mich.

George Gulliford who is traveling

with a temperance quartette spent few days at home last week. Genuine Columbia river salmon Bergin's for 10cts, per pound.

Katie Carter atended the teachers examination at Grand Rapids.

A few pair of cloth top Button shoes left at \$1.00 formerly \$250.

A J. Howk & Son.

George Wheaton of East Lowell s moving to Keene.

Money to loan on real estate. Low ates, no bonus. Lowell State Bank. Mrs. Hattie Bancroft of Alto visited with Mrs A. Bancroft last week. All kinds of spectacle repairing.

The largest newes and finest line of dining chairs a lowest prices at McConnell & Color of the Lowell Bap-

tist church gave a social at the home of Mrs. Bancroft, Wednesday evening Barber & Craw invite your attention to some sample prices on grocer ies in this issue.

Our high cut Seal Grain is a sure excluder of water, dust and sirt.

A. J. Howk & Sox.

Mr. and Mrs. Weatherwax of Grand Rapids were the guests of R. D. Bancroft's Sunday.

Go to the new Cigar Store for all kinds of smokers' articles, Train's May Lorce of Elipdale visited with er aunt, Mrs. Earl Faulkner, Mon-

day and Tuesday.

John Hatman of Alto was the gu of Mr. and Mrs. Cooper last week

FOR SALE—Three 40 scre farms, cheap. Enos & Bradfield. Minnie Blakeslee attended her's examination at Ionia

Wim Orn Shear of White's led at Ida Hogan's last w

have moved to Grand Rapids,

Rapids is visiting her parents and friends in Lowell. Buy coal of Wesbrook now before

the rise. and Anette Pullen visited in Clarks

sister, in Grand Rapids for a couple

Miss Annie Scott has returned to

Mrs. Robert Johnson of Bowne. Dick Benedict of I-nia is spending his Easter vacation with his cousin, Ray Goodsell,

Dan Lewis and wife are visiting her parents near Middleville.

at the home of Mrs. Brower, Friday,

John Vandenbroeck of the northeast corner of Vergennes will sell his

and cattle. Birth, in Lowell, March 26, daughter to J. B. Yeiter and wife. Miss Hattie and Master Allie

Mocha and Java coffee, best in the world, at Bergin's

are doing nothing but first class work at the Banner Laundry. G. W. SEVERY, Prop.

settle a bill of exceptions was granted by Judge Grove, Monday, in the case of Josiah Brown against the township of Bowne.

old fashioned rousing town meetin'. minus the whisky and fights. H. D. Wood was down town Mon-

day after a six weeks tussle with the grip. He is still very weak. M. M Perry was called to Free-

John L. Covert an old pioneer citizen djed at his home in this village

The School exhibition and enterand patrons could hope for-a success.

nac spent Sunday in, Lowell.

Frank McMahon is recovering from a long and dangerous illness. Miss Myra Havens of Paw Paw

Charges will be made for cards of thanks and resolutions of condolence

Mrs. Wm. H. Parker entertained Mrs. Kellogg and son, Burwell, of Ada, and Mrs. Butler and two little sons of Chicago, Sanday. Fred Young of Linia and O. H.

were guests at S. Brover's last week. the Henry Tredenick house, near W. R. Blaisdell's.

town Monday. Retail price allowed farfresh eggs

on subscription at this office

ames Scott, was badly scalded on her chest one day last week, while She is getting along as well as could position and prevented from sinking by a fringe of glassy spicules.

"The tube of this specimen from the Philippines. after the 'death of the sponge, is frequently inhabited by one, sometimes by a pair.

Look at the label on your paper, and if the date isn't 1896 you are behind and ought to come in and see us or send a remittance through the mail.

Easter sermon by the Paster at 10:30 a. m. Solo by Mrs. Goodspeed and other music appropriate to the

consist of songs and recitations in accordance with the joyful memories of the day.

At the request of several who are been unable to comply with

Wm. Murphy and wife of Segwun

Miss Kathrine Boothe of Grand

Mrs. Will Pullen, Lynn Crawford

ville a few days last week. Mrs. Hattie Morgan is visiting her

ber home in Clarksville. Mrs. F. R Miles of Grand Rapids has been visiting Mrs. W. S Godfrey and oth r relatives in Lowell. Floy Morgan is visiting her aunt

We can safe y money on bed room suits. We select from at lock on sel

April 10.

farm, stock and implements at auction on Thursday, April 9, at 10 a. m. The list includes some valuable horses

Stone are spending this Week in Grand Rapids

Don't forget to remember that we

Twenty days additional time to

Turn out and vote, Let's have an

port on business Tuesday.

prizes. This word confest will be carefully and conscientiously conducted, and is solely for the purpose last Friday at the age of 82 years. Funeral services were held at Alton on the Sanday following. of further introducing our seeds in new localities. You will receive the biggest value in lower seeds ever offered, and besides if you are able to make a good list of words and answer

tainment was all that its promoters Try the best 10c cigar, The Ed

Jap Waterman and wife of Sara-

in this paper hereafter, as per advertising card at head of editorial column.

Brower and wife of South Boston George J. Murray has moved into soon followed by a few more specimens, which were sold in the market at about

H. Zeigler of Grand Rapids was in

Mary, eight year old daughter turning hot water out of a teakettle.

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as not to crush them of their elegan impede the assumption of their elegan form, and they are supported in their crushing and prevented from sinking b

sometimes by a pair, of decaped crusta-ceans." He reminds one forcibly of the hermit crab we have all seen living in

dead shells upon our own shores.
"These," says the same author, "are so often found together that only a few years ago a paper was written to show that this sponge was a wonderful habitation constructed by this crab."—Good Words.

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