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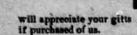
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Your Sunday Dinner?

Don't let that question bother you. Call at our market where you are sure to find all kinds of Fresh and Cured

TEARING DOWN

AN OLD LAND MARK, THE RANDALL BUILDING,

Built in 1854 Now Being Taken Down, Bringing up Old Memories.

The old three-story frame building on Main street now being torn down, was built by Joshia Randall in the summer of 1854, on the site of Dr. McDannell's present residence. It was the first three-story building in Lowell and was then considered a very good one.

wery good one.

Mr. Randall, a brother-in-law of John C. Scott, lived with his wife in the second story for a number of years, then moved to Wisconsin, and died years ago.



THE OLD RANDALL BUILDING. [Photographed by the Lenger's ar-tist after the razing began.]

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The ground floor was first occupied by Chapin & Booth (E. J. Booth) for the sale of merchandise.* They remained there two years paying \$200 a year. Mr. Randall then raised the rent to \$300, so they moved out. Mr. Booth built a two-story store where McCarty's market now stands. This was worth nearly \$1,000 and was burned in a year or two.

Smith and Sweetland rented the lower floor for a grocery for some time.

time.

The building was sold first to Mrs. Mericle(afterward Mrs. L. D. Bates.) She occupied the second floor until she sold it to Dr. Arvine Peck.

The front part of the second story was used for office at different times by the following: Dr. A. Peck; Dr. Horton Peck, dentist; A. B. Balcom, dentist. Dr. McDannell; Squire Burt: T. J. Slayton and M. M. Perry, attorneys at law in partnership, this being Mr. Perry's first practice.

At other times the second floor was occupied as a dwelling. One evening in 1860, N. B. Blain, passing the building, heard a thud on the floor; and suddenly a woman, Mrs. Wallace Johnson, came running down the stairs, screaming as if crazy. She whirled around the foot of the stairs we had a nicked up a She whirled around the foot of

the stairs, ran back and picked up a baby. It had fallien from the plat-form above, about fourteen feet, and

was unhurt.

Soon after its building, the third story was used as a Masonic lodge room. During the Lincoln campaign it was occupied by a Republican club, the Wide-Awakes.

Charles Howe tells this story:
At one time, while Dr. Balcom had his dentistry on the second floor of the old building, the ground floor was occupied by Mr. Franklin, a Jew clothier and dry goods dealer; and there was not the best of feeling between the two men. Balcom had a little dog with a very human-like little dog with a very human-like howl; and he would often lock the dog in the office and go away. The animal expressed his lonely feelings by prolonged and piteous howls, which Franklin mistook for the moans of the dentist's patients in teeth extracting, and exploded: "Tam dat Balcom! He KILL dem

In a few years Dr. Peck moved the building to its present site and Valentine Craft rented the ground floor for a wagon and carriage shop.

John C. Scott, then a hardware merchant here, bought the building soon after its removal. He has own-

ed it since, and long ago converted it into a stable. Recently he sold it for \$300 to W. W. Wilson, who is tearing down the upper part and will move the remainder back. The old structure contains a con-

The old structure contains a con-siderable good lumber; but securing it removes a familiar old landmark and a reminder of early days in Lowell. Minion.

*Mr. Booth is still living in Lowell, having passed his 85th milestone on the 17th of May last; and is still hale and hearty, and in full possession of his faculties.

MATRIMONIAL.

Murphy-McCarthy Naptiels at St. Mary's Church Tuesday.

A very pretty June wedding was solemnized at Mary's Catholic church Tuesday morning at eight o'clock, when Edith Mary, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Murphy, and Thos. McCarthy of Milwaukee were united in boly materials. Don't let that question bother you. Call at our market where you are sure to find all kinds of Fresh and Cured Meats and Fish in their season, as well as other delacacies. Just received a fine line of Strawberries, Radishes, Green Onions, Green Peas, Southern Tomstoes, Watermelons and Pineapples.

McCarthy of Milwaukee were united in holy matrimony. The ceremony was performed during a nuptial high mass, sung by Rev. Fr. Reid. As Mrs. Robert Stone played the wedding march the bridal party proceeded to the altar Olive and Lorena Murphy led the bridal party, acting as ring bearer and flower girl respectively, they were dressed in white and carried flowers, then followed Miss Evelyn Murphy and Mr. John McCarthy, sister of the bride and brother of the groom, acting as maid of honor and best man. The bride's maid wore a becoming gown of white French lawn and \$1.75, \$1.50 and \$2.00 at Godfrey's,

carried pink carnations. Lastly came the bride and groom. The bride was beautifully dressed in a handsome gown of white French batise trimmed in Cluny lace and pearls, she wore a bridal veil of white tulle which was fastened by white swansonia and carried a white prayer book. After a very impressive corebook. After a very impressive cere-mony the immediate friends and relatives assembled at the home of the bride where they were served to a bountiful wedding breakfast by Misses Lena and Louise Murphy, Molly and Bertha Doyle and Hannah

Downes.

The dining room was decorated with festoons of green entwined with red and white candles burning in candleabrum; the parlor was festooned with green entwined in white and was decorated with cut flowers. In the hall, under a canopy of green, punch was served to the guests by Miss Irene Murphy. Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Murphy, of Grand Rapids, acted as Master and Mistress of ceremonies. The gifts were numerous and beautiful.

Guests from out of town were:

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Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Byrnes of Chicago,
Mr. and Mrs. Luke Watters of Hastings, Mrs. Gosmey of Omaha, Neb.,
Frank Downes of Cincinatti, O., Mrs. O. McMahon; Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Ronan, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Murphy, and Miss Lizzie McMahon of Grand Rapids.—[Com.

In Memoriam

Harleigh S. Merriman, whose untimely death was recorded in our issue of June 22 was born at the Merriman homestead in South Low-May 9, 1876. He graduated at the Rockford High school June 16, 1893 and the next fall, at the age of 17, he began teaching a district school near that village. He afterward taught in several schools, including one year at Athens, Mich., as teacher in the grammar department, where he was very successful, the school commissioner of that county saying of him that he had "few equals and no superiors in the art of teaching." superiors in the art of teaching.



Dec. 27, 1898, he married Loula M McDeid at Mendon, Mich. During the same year he was principal of the West ward school in Lowell and later of the East ward, resigning the latter position to accept one "on the road." In this his work took him all over the western part of the Lower Peninsula. Last October he began working for Perkins & Co., of Grand Rapids, traveling from the Lake Superior district to the Gulf of Mexico.

He was at Memphis, Tenu., thus employed, when stricken with the dreaded typhoid, and taken to the Presbyterian Home hospital at that city, where he died June 12, twelve hours after an operation for appendicitis. Up to the day before his death his condition was not considered dangerous; but on the evening of June 11, there came a sudden change dangerous; but on the evening of June 11, there came a sudden change for the worse. His wife and father started for Memphis immediately but did not reach him before his death. They satisfied themselves, however, that he had received every possible care and comfort, excepting the presence of loved ones. ence of loved ones.

Mr. Merriman united with the Methodist church at Rockford in 1892 and at the time of his death was a member of the West Lowell church. He was also a member of the Good Templars at Rockford and was associated with the Young Men's Christian association at Owosso. Two years ago last Spring he was made a Master Mason by Lowell Lodge, by which order he was laid to his last rest with / asonic honors June 15 in the family burial lot in South Lowell.

Harleigh Merriman had a warm Harleigh Merriman had a warm and generous heart, which always went out to the poor and unfortunate, both animal and human. "The under dog" received his sympathy every time. This trait showed itself in his school work. "I like the boy," he said to The Ledger once. "I was just such a little red-headed mischiefmaker myself."

maker myself."

He was charitable in his estimation of his fellows, always looking for redeeming features; and was a frequent contributor to homes of refuge and rescue. He was a lover of good literature, the standard magazines and scientific articles being his choice.

In the prime of his young manhood, with every prospect of a useful life and everything to live for, we cannot understand why he should be taken wnile so many aged and infirm are left. This is one of the mysteries that will not be solved "until time shall be no more."

SEE THOSE LADIES OXFORDS

lowa Dairy Separator

Careful dairy men do not need to be filled full of a page of wind to decide what separator they want. It is hard, clear facts they are after.

> AN EASY RUNNING MACHINE. YET STRONG AND WELL BUILT. SOMETHING THAT WILL WEAR.

And not be bothering with a lot of repairs and plenty of them, but a durable, practical, every day machine that'

> Skim Hot or Cold Milk and Sim it Clean

And wear a lifetime. Repairs? Bah, hardly know what they are. The proof of the pudding is in the eating. Why not call and see us, always glad to show you all about it.

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Watches Solid Gold from \$18 to \$40 20 and 25 yrs. Boss and other reliable filled cases with good movements from \$5.00 to \$25.00. Little ones for chatalaines from \$6.50 up.

Chains Good Filled Chains \$2 to \$8
1 Solid Gold Ladies Chain, regular
value \$25.00 for this sale \$18.00

Rings Finest Assortment in town Including some extra good values in Diamond Rings and extra heavy Plain Gold wedding rings Settings replaced free of charge in set rings bought of me.

Secret Lockets and Chains Good Assortment. Quality A 1.

Brooches and Pins Gold filled and solid gold Broaches and Chatalain Pins. Prices cut very low for this sale.

Silverware and Novelties

Sterting Silver and the old reliable genu-ine 1847 Rogers Bros. Plated ware. Prices cut very low for this sale.

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Our Women's Shoe Department one of the features of our store—a very complete assortment of shoes to select from.

Stylish Shoes Serviceable Shoes Perfect Fitting Shoes Shoes for any and every occusion Satisfaction guaranteed

We have the exclusive agen-for the "John Kelly" Shoe, the be shoe that a woman can buy.

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The Baker.

We make our Ice Cream

and Don't Know it.

How To Find Out.

Men in Georgia and Alabama Sen tenced for Holding Negroes in

Georgia Legislature Will Take No Action in the Matter, Declaring It Is the Duty of Courts to Act-Present Laws Sufficient If They Are

Rigidly Enforced. Macon, Ga., June 25 .- In the United States court Wednesday Judge Speer young men, William Shy, Arthur Clawson and Robert Turner, for holding a negro in involuntary servitude. He suspended the fine under conditions.

Montgomery, Ala., June 25 .- In the | self. United States court Wednesday J. W. Pace, a prominent planter of Tallaing bond in the sum of \$5,000. The ferns and cut flowers. sentence of the court on Mr. Pace was

five years in each case, to be served Legislature Will Not Act. Atlanta, Ga., June 26 .- The general sion of the alleged peonage outrages, with bullets. according to the expressed opinions of members of both houses. The view Army Worm Destroys Crops. present laws of Georgia fully cover the hosts of army worms, in a solid col-

ate and editor of the Atlanta Constitution, when asked for a statemen concerning the probable action of the legislature on this matter said: "There will be no action taken. The laws of Georgia now forbid the practice of peonage as fully as they could if we legislated against it for 1,000 years. The laws are full and explicit and there is no need for changes them or any addition. This matter one purely for the courts.

Cases Said to Be Few. "The United States courts are now handling some cases and the matter is pushed vigorously wherever violation of the law have been detected. As a matter of fact, there have been v few cases of peonage in Georgia. Th laws covering involuntary servite have, in some cases, been violated, have been the laws against every other

The situation in Georgia is alto gether different from that in Alabama where the alleged peopage outrage are said to be due to the criminal contract law which allows a negro who has broken his contract to be arrest and sent to the chain gangs. In Ger gia there is no such law, though unde contract law commonly known a * the George law any person hiring a man who has broken his contract e be sued. However, it is believed b eminent authorities that this law

unconstitutional. Appeal to the Czar. Wilmington, Del., June 30.-Negroe met at the house of Rev. Mr. Thor ton and yoted to send a petition to th czar of Russia to intercede to protecolored men from lynching in thi country. The negroes believe that there is as much propriety in sending an appeal to the czar as there is

the sending of the American-Jewish

Mob Overpowers a Jailer at Newton, Ga., Takes Victims Out, and Strings Them Up.

KILLED FOR MURDERING WHITE MAN.

Albany, Ga., June 27.—Three negroes, Garfield McCoy, Geo. McKinney and Wm. Wiley were taken from jailat Kewton, Baker county, and hanged to a tree and riddled with bullets. The three men were in jail for killing F. S. Bullard, a white man, who was called to quell a row at a negro dance near his house one night last week. When the mob went to the jail and took him they had another prisoner to lodge in jail. When the jailer reached the jail door with his keys the mob rushed upon him and overpowered him.

Race Riot.

Bell lune 26. A row of the his king is circuit court judges, decided to petition the court for a grand jury to investigate the alleged corruption and bribery in certain city and county offices. One of the first offices to be looked into is the department of public works, from which Moreland has just been removed. May or Wilkiam C. Maybury has named his courin, William H. Maybury, a demotrate him.

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Bell lune 27.—Three negroes, Garfield McCoy, Geo. McKinney and with the six circuit court judges, deted on by the board of control, altoney the boys and to keep them out of missing the boys and to keep them out

dent Roosevelt's homecoming for the being wounded.

Quiet Restored. its cordiality and also its vigor. At Involuntary Servitude.

Its cordinative and also its vigor. At the town hall be unveiled the civil war trophy gun presented to the people of Oyster Bay by the navy department. Then he held an informal reception. Yesterday, the president, accompanied of the saloons had a good effect. There by Mrs. Roosevelt and their children, at-

Elevator Falls.

president of the State Bar association n 1895 and 1896. Pittsburg, Pa., June 30.-The break-Flood in New Mexico.

Triple Tragedy. is suspended upon payment of \$100 by Worden, of Carmel, N. Y., killed Edith N. J., will die. Roscoe here, fatally wounded Mrs. Sherman Roscoe and then shot him-

The New York Sun

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frenzied agitation about

the hot weather.

sweat your purse.

buying clothes don't

miss coming to see the

liveliest, cleanest, best

clothing store in Michi-

A. May & Son.

"Many people pump

tended Divine service.

Washington, June 16 .- Sir Thomas of Roscoe Conkling, died at the town on 11 indictments charging him with | Lipton, the challenger for the Amer- farm Sunday of heart disease. A numpeonage. Demurrers were filed in all lea's cup, lunched with President ber of years ago Vanderheyden was a of these cases, which are overruled. Roosevelt at the white house yester-and he then pleaded guilty in all of the day afternoon. The state dining-room was considered quite wealthy. He 11 cases and appealed to the circuit was used for the occasion, the table came here four years ago and his for-court of appeals at New Orleans, mak-being handsomely decorated with tune was disposed of so rapidly that he has been living on the town farm

for some time. Riddled with Bullets. Jonesville, La., June 27,-News reached here of the lynching of Lamb Sloux City, Ia., June 29.-While John Sueve and his sister Dora and Mike assembly of Georgia, which has just convened for its annual session, will plantation, ten miles from Monterey Lee and Miss Thena Waldum were boating on the Sioux river Sunday Lee and Miss Thena Waldum were bench and has an excellent record. assaulted a white man and a mob took afternoon they got in the wake of the has been mentioned as a candidate take no action looking to the suppres- him to the woods and riddled his body excursion steamer Lora and their boat says he will not be in the race. was overturned. Sueve and his sister were rescued, but Lee and Miss

Waldum were drowned. The bodies Tacoma, Wash., June 29. - Mighty have not been recovered. cases of involuntary servitude in the state it is a matter for the courts to handle and not the legislative body.

Springfield, O., June 29.—A buggy in starvation at her sister's home in this which two men were riding was struck by a Pennsylvania express near St. woman during the past few days before by a Pennsylvania express near St. | woman during the past few days before Paris shortly before midnight and both the occupants instantly killed. The train was on a down grade and was running at a high rate of speed. The bodies, frightfully mangled, were

> Chicago, June 25.-Albert Sontage nd his wife took poison in their home Steger, a southern suburb, Tuesday nade an agreement to end their lives cause they could not live without arreling. Their condition was dis-vered late Tuesday night, and both a mortgage to the Michigan Trust comuarreling. Their condition was dis-

aken to Urbana and could not be

The way to be cool led in a short time to keep cool-to do this Saloon Smasher Fined. the first necessity is Popeka, Kan., June 25.—Miss Saginaw. Blanche Boies, previously convicted of mashing saloon windows in Topeke cool clothing. It's here at prices that will not n February 14 last, was Wednesday sentenced by District Judge Hazen to 30 days in the county jail and to pay dow of the Williams house, in which a fine of \$100. Miss Boies is a follower she was cook, and suffered injuries Grand Rapids, bent on

Chicago, June 30.—Rainfall since Sunday in Minnesota and South Da- Saginaw, June 29.-Hon, George W. kota and parts of North Dakota, fol- Hill, for many years state salt inlowed by the predictions of the spector and one of the most prominen weather bureau for more rain in these republican politicians in this section states, have insured the safety of the of the state, died suddenly of heart wheat crop of the northwest

Our clerks are not allowed to urge you to St. Louis, June 26.-The World's Fair | Grand Rapins, June 29.-Maurice M buy-we'll be glad to company has expended in actual cash Houseman, member of the democratic \$8,500,000 up to the first of the present state central committee and a wellshow you through. month, as shown by the report of the known attorney of this city, dled after auditing committee of the national an illness of several months of tuber

umission at work here. THE GIANT New London, Conn., June 26.-For Standish, June 23.-There will be the the first time on record Yale yesterday largest crop of small fruits, both wild Grand Rapids' Busiest Clothiers triumphed over Harvard in all three and tame, on the plains and all through of their boat races in the annual re- northern Mickigan known for a num gatta on the Thumes.

DETROIT STIRRED UP. Charge-Grand Jury to Inves-

tigate Municipal Affairs.

Detroit, June 29 .- The common

tion with the six circuit court judges, acted on by the board of control, al- ties and the yields, while below the

Race Riot.

Wilmington, Del., June 26.—A race riot growing out of the lynching of George White began here shortly after aine o'clock yesterday. About 400 negroes participated and hundreds of shots were fired. It is now probable what the national guard will be called in the last week against an evening paper and Contractor George E. Currie, who asserted that he had received a rakeoff of six cents per lineal foot on all Medina curbstone purchased for shots were fired. It is now probable that the national guard will be called out to preserve order. About 200 shots were fired between whites and blacks, or sulfight to the care and a negro of the length of the le ments of Detroit, from testimony pro-Wilmington, Del., June 29. - This | duced before the committee, are in ba-

were not called upon to quell any dis-Given High Honor. turbances. The liquor dealers have years ago, the legislature abolishing the three commissioners, substituting Springfield, Ill., June 27. Judge Oli.
ver A. Harker, of Carbondale, has accepted the position of dean of the college of law of the University of Illi.
heartily acquiesced in the closing movement, and they are being commended a one man board. Opponents of the cepted the position of dean of the college of law of the University of Illi. nois at Champaign. Judge Harker has of the city. The precautionary plans wrecked the City savings bank to the shows that there was no plot to blow was one of the principal "rippers."

Too Many Tramps. St. Joseph, June 29.—The tramp mite plot. The barn burning was in all and so doing, the court said:

"In view of the fact that it is the first crime of the kind which ever has occurred in Georgia, and because of the frank confession of the young men, sentence is imposed in order to constitute the public that the public the sentence is imposed in order to constitute the public that the effective measures to rid the county origin. a distance of 45 feet, and everyone on scourings of the earth have gathered

City Attorney Taggart, whose nam

Starved Herself to Death.

Detroit, June 30.—Insane and abso

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an electric road from Grand Rapids t

Battle Creek, June 29 .- Mrs. Rebecca

Maurice M. Houseman Dead.

Great Crop of Fruits.

disease, aged 58.

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tient to take any nourishment.

court is to warn and deter others from like crime. During good behavior fine is suspended upon payment of \$100 by

Triple Tragedy.

The elevator was injured. It is thought that John Churney, of Allegheny, and over her refusal to marry him P. H. Worden, of Carmel, N. Y., killed Edith N. Saginaw, June 29.—Fred B. Smith, of in so that beets can be worked soon. A Stamford, Conn., June 29.—David L. Detroit, was appointed president of dike five feet high had been built to Vanderheyden, 73 years of age, who

The state board of commissioners for keep the river from overflowing upon the state board of commissioners for keep the river from overflowing upon Mining company is the result of a merger Lunches with President. claimed to have been a personal friend the Louisiana Purchase exposition, the farm, but it broke in many places. retary: R. Ferris, of Saginaw, assist-

ant secretary, and Roy Barnhart, of of Clinton, the oldest person in Lenawee Grand Rapids, treasurer. The next | county, celebrated her one hundred and meeting will be held in Detroit, July 23. | third birthday in Tecumseh where she | 100,000 shares, with a par value of \$25 Grand Rapids, June 29 .- The candidacy of Judge Alfred Wolcott, of the Mrs. Hixon was born in Armenia, N. prised in the tract. Kent circuit court, for one of the su-Y., June 26, 1800, and has resided in old Lenawee ever since 1826.

American Sad Iron company the \$200 lutely refusing to eat, although plenty Cheney, aged 71 years, actually died of junction, and there is much bad blood.

Kalamazoo, June 29 .- "Uncle" John Crosby, of Pine Lake, who was born in Yorkshire, England, 102 years ago, drove into town with his son Silas, who is 75 years old. "Uncle" John asserts Marquette, June 29 .- Hon. Peter that he saw Napoleon, shook hands with Lafayette and heard Webster's Bunker White has commissioned Chevaller rentanove to make a bronze statue of

Charles Kaw-Baw-Gam, the famous old New Boat Launched. ndian, who was living here when the Detroit, June 29.—The steamer Alber first white settlers arrived, which will M. Marshall, built for the Great Lakes be erected in Presque Isle park, where and St. Lawrence River Transportation company, was launched from the Wyandotte yards of the Detroit Shipbuilding Saginaw, June 30.—The Huron company Saturday afternoon. The boat will ply between Duluth and Quebec. Ribs Pierced Her Lungs. pany, amounting to \$2,300,000, the pro ceeds to be used in the construction o

Battle Creek, June 30.—Mrs. Maude Thompson, pantry woman at the Williams hotel, fell from a window of her room on the third floor. Her ribs were broken and forced through her lungs. She died shortly afterward.

Thompson fell from a third story win Jackson, June 29.—Gen. W. H. Withington died here Saturday night after from which she died an hour later an illness of some weeks, aged 68 years. She had fallen asleep at the window. He was first made colonel in the Seventeenth Michigan infantry and later brig-

Traverse City, June 29.—A nine-year-old son of Peter Burgess, of Miller's Hill, was accidentally shot and killed Spring Lake, June 29.—The post of- him a certificate. fice at this place was burglarized early Sunday. The safe was cracked and the

burglars secured several hundred dol-Will Start Next Spring.

Battle Creek, June 30.—Battle Creek troit United rallway. He was walking has received assurances that its new on the tracks and, being slightly de government building, to cost \$125,000, did not hear the car. He had been a will be started in the spring of 1904.

OUTLOOK NOT BRIGHT.

ets for Good Crops Are Menneed by the Recent Unfavorable Weather.

BOY BURGLARS PAROLED.

Employment and Keep Them

Out of Mischief.

Lansing, June 29.-Lansing's boy burcouncil Thursday evening, by a glars, for whose benefit Gov. Bliss weather crop bulletin refers to the unanimous vote, deposed from office pushed through the legislature a proba-Public Works Commissioner D. W. H. Moreland. The commissioner had been under fire for some weeks, and various charges have been preferred against him, and investigated by a committee of the council. Among other charges him, and investigated by a committee of the council. Among other charges it was alleged that the commissioner had misapplied public funds and had neglected the duties of his office. Following upon this Prosecuting Attorney Ormund F. Hunt, after consultation with the six circuit court judges.

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> commander of the Michigan G. A. R., in consequence there will be few, if any, met in this city and selected the fol- cherries this year for canning. Some of lowing as the official route to the G.
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> A R encomponent San Francisco, Au
> it is fully ripened, and are offering them gust 17 to 22; Chicago & Northwestern, for making pies, explaining that there
> Union Pacific Denver & Rio Grande, Rio
> won't be many ripe cherries this reason.

South Haven, June 29 .- Mrs. C. J. orado Springs and Salt Lake City. The Monroe, wife of Hon, C. J. Monroe, Michigan headquarters special train president of the First State bank and will leave Chicago at 10:30 p. m. Mon-member of the state board of agriculture, died suddenly at her home two Battle Creek, June 29.-Investigation been curcuit judge 25 years, of which time the past 12 years has also been will be kept in force until all danger of further lawlessness is past.

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adopted by the police a few days ago will be kept in force until all danger of the dedication. The burning of the barn and the assertion of further lawlessness is past. burning of the barn and the assertion en in South Haven. She was promi that the fire was of incendiary nature nent in temperance and church work

Menominee, June 29.—Over 122,000 probability the work of a drunken French visitors from all over the uptramp, while other fires in the Adventist section were clearly accidental in their origin.

Per peninsula and northern Wisconsin were here Wednesday to celebrate the festival of St. Jean Baptiste. A parade in which 1,000 men were in lin Owosso, June 29.—The 9,000-acre farm was held in the morning. St. Jean Bapall under water. The company's 1,000 nee, Republic, Champion, Marquette acres of sugar beets are covered, but Nadeau and Escanaba. A big plenic it is believed that the water will soak | was held in the afternoon.

Mining Companies Merged. Adrian, June 29.—Mrs. Myra Hixon, and the Union Land, Copper and Mining drove in a buggy to attend the family each, under the laws of Michigan. H. reunion. She is in very good health F. Fay, president of the Fay group, will and well preserved for one of her years. be president. Over 1,200 acres are com

Kalkaska, June 29.-Mrs. Mary Mc-Milan, June 29.—The city officials picion, and later, according to Prosehave been enjoined from paying to the cuting Attorney Smith, confessed to American Sad Iron company the \$200 him that she poisoned her brother, recently voted by the council as a bonus. | John Murphy, and his wife and baby, It is admitted that the council's action | was held for trial on the charge of was illegal, but the majority of the citi- murder. The case will come up at zens are angry at what they term the the next term of the circuit court, old-fogy sm of those who got the in- which will open the second Monday in

Negaunee, June 29.-Humphrey Lucas found's piece of mass copper weighing two pounds on his farm below this city. It was in the roots of an upturned stump, imbedded in a piece of clay that had been taken up by the roots, and this, apparently, precludes the idea that it was float copper. Lucas is jubilant over the find, and will make a thorough exloration of his land,

Boy Ill Over Death of His Pet. St. Joseph, June 29.—The death of his pet dog is given as the cause of little Fred Bard's serious illness. He is now quartered in Mercy hospital. The boy, who is of a sensitive nature, was greatly shocked when his pet shepherd dog was run over by a street car and had

Buried Alive Years Ago Niles, June 29.—After 57 years it is now believed that Mrs. Lucy Culver, who died in Bath township, Clinton county, that long ago, was buried alive. Her remains were recently ex-humed for reburial at Owosso and the skeleton was found lying face downward, indicating that a terrible strug-gle had taken place.

Wyatt, the negro who was recently lynched in Belleville, Ill., was a graduate by a brother, 11 years old, while the of the Centerville high school, in the two were playing at a lake near their class of '83. He left here for 3t. Louis,' Mo. Wyatt was lynched for shooting a school-teacher who had refused to grant

Aged Farmer Killed. Pontiac, June 29.—Henry Dear, aget 70, a farmer living a half mile north east of Orion, was struck and inster

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hour after our arrival.

liered; then sent down the road toward the Chickahominy to form a line and stop stragglers, and were doing this when the Irish brigade came up, and passing us, went in and finished the battle of Gaines' Mill. We remained there until every

thing that was going to use this road to retreat had passed; then we, too, marched down to the bridge. I have alwas been under the impression that this was Bottoms bridge, but may be wrong. Five minutes after we had crossed only the stringers were left for the stragglers to cross on, the planks being taken up and carried over to our side, lest the confederates use them. We camped near the bridge until next day about noon, then starting again soon passed what had been a large commissary, but it was all in flames now; a large pile of cracker boxes was burning, and an officer stood near with his detail, who were knocking in the heads of whisky bar-

We tried to get some of the whisky, nd some others filled our cante from puddles where it ran across the

battleground, and here the division halted while our company and one other moved down a lane that ran back in the direction whence we had come.

After going a mile or more we filed off to the left across an open field and found there two brass guns in battery. A sentry was placed between the guns and the rest of us lay down just in the rear of the pieces and were told we could go to sleep. I obeyed orders and went to sleep, but about midnight was awakened by the sentry challenging and one of our guns being pulled off a moment later.

We jumped up just as the officer in command of the battery, or section,

command of the battery, or section, married to attaches and minor governrather, called out: "Steady, number ment officials with a future before That was as far as he could remember two; don't fire; number one, load." them in foreign countries, one would but the glance which she gave him somehow We could not hear anything move be astonished. He is more alarmed at encouraged him to hope that she would not in our front, and it was too dark to the entry of American women into in-

KNOCKING IN THE HEADS OF WHILE

while we followed first at a doublequick, then after a time at a walk; but
the guns kept up the gallop.

When we reached the head of the
lane we found our whole division there
in camp with our three batteries, and
there camp igned one of the batteries, and
there camp igned one of the batteries. these guns joined one of the batteries -- Easton's battery, I think. We had Easton's and Tansom's regular batteries and another, the First Pennsylvania, our own artillery regiment. I walked over to these guns and -Judge.

asked what they had fired at the night THE SPANGLED BAT. Thousands Have Kidney Trouble "At nothing, I guess," they told me "Your sentry gave the alarm." "Do you know where you were las

never breathe a word to any living soul about it, she warned, for it was so wholly at vari-When the crucial moment came and he saw

its presence had served to reassure him till now. Suddenly he felt that she might refrom the necessity of speech, for the door of the carriage gaped at them as they emerged into the street light, and she hopped in like a scared dove into its cote. He didn't remember much of anything then until they were at While the writer admits the Ameri- and more than all that he had ever dreamed It was only commissary whisky can women have acquired influential of angelic womanhood. He had asked her to can women have acquired influential social positions abroad through brilliant marriages, he does not consider all such unions dangerous. But the sight of what was to be the next day's battleground, and here the division battleground, and here the division battleground, and here the division battled while our company and one ternational relations and are working.

in our front, and it was too dark to see anything, so one of our officers, taking a few men, moved off to the front and in a short time came back. He could find nothing, he said, so we lay down again and slept until daylight, when we wakened to find the guns limbered up, and soon they left at a gallop, going up the lane that we had come down the night before, we had come down the night before, we had come down the night before, while in America will fill a room at the salon, and has asked to have one placed at his disposition for a "beauty display." What impressed him the most was that it was impossible to tell from was walking with a coarse looking, heavy, red-haired man, but when she saw Humthe appearance of an American woman phreys she disengaged her arm and came up to what position in society she beof a waiting train. She would write to him "Your present-Frank, it was splendid

"Vell, your sister didn't like it, no?"

"William," said the teacher, "I'm sound of his name, 'Frank.' "I shall never forget you. I don't know how to thank you I'll write, I'll-" Her voice trembled and he squeezed her hand. "All aboard!" yelled "No'm. I wasn't playing truant. I staid away in earnest."-Washington the conductor. She turned suddenly and raised her veil. And then he kissed her. She was gone.

The following Monday as he walked pas-Not Expensive.

Husband-You shouldn't give Eikelhorn's jewelry store the proprietor standing in the doorway, hailed him. He haby so much candy. Wife-Oh, but I bought this at bargain sale.—Chicago American. Ione's ring said: Waited Too Long. Polite Gentleman (in street car)-

"You mean the ring?" asked Humphreys, feeling wan. "Didn't she, didn't Miss Mon-tagu like it?" Take my seat, madam. "Ach, no. She brought it back and said Lady-Never mind, thank you. I get you'd come in later and order von for her. She's your sister, all right, ain't it?" out here, too .- N. Y. Weekly.

"Why do you call your horse 'Cob the money. It's all right, ain'd it?" "Because he is always near the last."

BY JOHN H. RAFTERY.

Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or set-"No; where were we?"

"Inside the confederade lines; did you not see that brigade coming across the bottom just as we left?"

"I did not, and have been wondering ever since what all that hurry was about."

"Well, had we stayed there five minutes longer you would have known all about it. We did not get out a moment too soon."

"They could not have wanted as "They could not get out a moment too soon." He noticed her the moment the curtain

till he came to "The Spangled Bat" and her name opposite—Ione Montagu.

"They could not have wanted us bad," I said. "A brigade ought not to have had any trouble in taking two guns and two companies, but I suppose they were afraid of running into a trap."

THE AMERICAN WOMAN.

till he came to "The Spangled Bat" and her name opposite—Ione Montagu.

Humphreys was a bit of a "jay," as the average country youth with no wider experience than that of a fresh water college is likely to be. He was in town studying medicine, and incidentally spending quite a share of his father's hard-earned money, but he was an impressionable, romantic, whole-souled fellow and—lonesome. About the whole-souled fellow as an impressionable, romantic, whole-souled fellow and—lonesome. About the whole-souled fellow as an impressionable, romantic, whole-souled fellow and—lonesome. About the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing the whole-souled fellow and—lonesome. About the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing the whole-souled fellow and—lonesome. About the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing the passing the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing the passing the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing the passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing the passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing the passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing the pas

THE AMERICAN WOMAN.

French Writer Says as Plays a Most Important Part in Shaping World Politics.

A new role is attributed to the American woman are no long reinner, laide the Confederate Imported our bark says after no longer content with the money their husbands wite. He made the could write any large to power, and are entering a new field—disposary of the hill just above Mechanicaville, writes John A. Brooks, in the National Tribune. We supported our batteries, they doing most of the firing, while I and some others carried ammunition; they seemed to be shorthanded.

Next day we moved over to Gainer Mill, and here we used our muskets for the first time, going in to relieve a regular infantry regiment about as a bour after our arrival.

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femmes de government of the future, est, hesitating and full of the terrified elu- ens telephone No. 200. Late in the afternoon we were redieved; then sent down the road todieved; whom she did not know, she made a practice of ignoring them. But his letter was different, so respectful, etc.—in a word, on Friday night, if he would promise on his honor to be very silent about it, he might meet her at the stage door, whereupon she might permit him to accompany her to the hotel where she lived with her sister. But he must where she lived with her sister. But he must daily until Sept. 30th, 1903, valid re-

turning Oct. 31st, 1903.

For further information call meet an utter stranger, that she would die of shame if anyone should hear about it. here, cloaked and expectant, tiptoeing down the narrow, dark stairs that led from the TRUNK RYILWAY SYSTEM. stage to the alley, he didn't know what to do. He had a carriage at the end of the alley and

Single fare for the round trip. Going dates July 15th and 16th, 1903 sent this hint of a desire for privacy. His arm trembled when she touched it, and they walked away. The wise driver saved him For further particulars inquire local agent or write to Geo. ment, Chicago, Ill. We tried to get some of the whisky, but the officer would not let us, so I Constant a coming minister of for- describable, awed and yet glorified sense of EXCURSION TO COLORADO, UTAH CRAND TRUNK RAILWAY

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law, that fat, red-het man, I gafe him back G. &C. MERRIAMCO. W "Oh, yes, it's all right, Mr. Eikelhorn," said Frank Humphreys, and now he knows. —Chicago Record-Herald. Publishers, Springfield, Mass.

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From Our Point of View

IT WILL not have escaped the notice of the public that the present administration of municipal affairs in Lowell iz a very active one. Much credit for this is due to President Hakes for many timely suggestions, which have been ably carried out by many timely suggestions, which have been ably carried out by the Council.

You can catch more flies with molasses than with vinegar. It is easier to coax good men than to drive them. These are simple truths as old as humanity; but some people seem incapable of learning them: and continue to use misrepresentation and strong terms, when the simple truth and mild words would do much better. The Council has NOT pigeonholed the slot pable of patients. The Council has NOT pigeonholed the slot for the morning sermon sunday will be "Things That are Profitable." In the evening the services will be in keeping with the season. Being the day after the Fourth an hour will be spent with Geo. F. Root. Dr. Root wrote "The Battle Cry of Freedom,", "Just Before the Battle Mother," and other war songs, and many of the Gospel was born in Port Byryn, Cayuga

do much better. The Council has NoT pigeonholed the slot machine petition; and it is safe to say will not ignore the requests of 150 taxpayers. Such matters are not disposed of in a moment. Let's not be in a yank.

That was a good point made by Rev. Charles Nease in his sermon on "Secrets," last Sunday morning, when he said that the church might well learn a lesson from the increasing popularity of the fraternal secret societies and emulate their example in visiting, assisting and caring for the sick and distressed. Undoubtedly, the recognition of the brotherhood of man by the fraternities and the practical application of the societies.

Battle Cry of Freedom, . Such the forethe Battle Mother," and other war songs, and many of the Gospel songs so popular a few years ago. The members of the G. A. R., and Relief Corps and all others not going elsewhere are invited to attend. The topic for the Epworth League meeting Sunday evening is "The Safeguard of a Nation." Misses ton will have charge of the meeting. The first Sunday's lesson in a new quarter, in the Sunday's lesson in a new quarter, in the Sunday school, let all the members of the school be out.

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Societies.

Mrs. Amelia Costerlin Ketchum was born in Port Byryn, Cayuga county, N. Y., daughter of Harton Wars ongo, and many of the Gospel songs so popular a few years ago. The members of the Epworth League meand all others not going elsewhere are invited to attend. The topic for the Epworth League meand and Margaret Casterlin was one of a family of six, of whom two are living, Mrs. N. H. Taylor of Wolcott, N. Y., and E. H. Costerlin of Nother war songs, and many of the Gospel songs so popular a few years ago. The members of the Sunday school, and the sunday school, let all the members of the Sunday school, let all the members of the school be out.

Societies. principle does account for the strength of these orders. Herein is a hint that the church should not fail to profit by; and in so doing will simply follow the example of its Master.

What is more contemptible than a genuinely stingy person? That one who deprives himself of the comforts of life for the mere satisfaction of saving a few dirty pennies? Life has no enjoyment for such a miserable wretch. He hates himself and has the contempt of all who know him. In the latter part of his miserable existence, he walks around and keeps above. of his miserable existence he walks around and keeps above ground merely to save funeral expenses. He dies like a friendless dog at last and is 'only remembered by what he has done.' Live like a white man, if you can, and die as poor as an editor if you must; but in the name of suffering humanity, don't have it said of you at last: "Old Penny Pincher has gone."

IN S. P. Hicks the Board of County Auditors has a man with whom the appointment means "business." The position with whem the appointment means "business." The position is a responsible one, as the Board will purchase all supplies for the county offices, examine all books and accounts; and no money can be paid out by the county treasurer except upon the money can be paid out by the county treasurer except upon the Board's warrant. So far as Mr. Hicks is concerned, the county is assured that no stuffed bills or skulduggery will pass. The other members are doubtless equally suitable; and good results may be expected. It will probably be found that three days per month is insufficient time for the work required; and that the salary provided is hardly adequate: but such defects, if found are he remaination reported having found the same correct.

Meeting called to order by President Hakes.

Present Trustees Collar, Look, Nicholson, Smith and Winegar, absent Lee.

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Ada—Floyd Dennis, Janette Hammond, Henry Heaton, Kittle Mae Dennis, D. Everett Crampton, Francis Mary Clark, Charles H. Johnson.

The Finance committee to whom was referred the assessment roll for examination reported having found the same correct.

Carthy.

Caledonia—Frank Harmon, Agnes

days per month is insufficient time for the work required; and that the salary provided is hardly adequate: but such defects, if found, can be remedied later.

The filthy practice of spitting on sidewalks and public floors and stairways continues in full force in Lowell, although in many cities it has been made an offense punishable by fine or imprisonment. Diseases are spread by this means, the deadly consumption in particular, through the particles of dried sputa in the air. Aside from considerations of public health, no man with any respect for himself should go about squirting tobacco juice in all directions. Chewing the weed is so nasty a habit, that the ordinary man should desire to conceal it, instead of advertising it so liberally everwhere here there was not clean room enough for our feet—and our feet are there was not clean room enough for our feet—and our feet are there was not clean room enough for our feet—and our feet are there was not clean room enough for our feet—and our feet are there was not clean room enough for our feet—and our feet are there was not clean room enough for our feet—and our feet are there was not clean room enough for our feet—and our feet are there was not clean room enough for our feet—and our feet are there was not clean room enough for our feet—and our feet are there was not clean room enough for our feet—and our feet are there was not clean room enough for our feet—and our feet are there was not clean room enough for our feet—and our feet are there was not clean room enough for our feet—and our feet are there was not clean room enough for our feet—and our feet are there was not clean room enough for our feet—and our feet are there was not clean room enough for our feet—and our feet are not so big either. A man with no more decency than to polythate the fermion of the feet of the Council amounting to \$711,960 are the Finance Committee of the Council amounting to \$711,960 are the feet of the Council amounting to \$711,960 are the feet of the Council amounting to \$711,960 ar

WE ARE not wishing our old friend Cramer any ill luck but are sorry he has gone into the saloon busines. John was a good milkman; and it's a long step from that to this. But, he has as good a right in the business as any other man. Don't forget this, either: The liquor seller, if he obeys the law and there's the rub,—is as good as the law that licences him; and the law is as good as the people who make and sustain it. The public has no right to take a silent partnership in a bad business and then saddle all the odium on the man who does the dirty work. Let's be honest. We, the People, are in the liquor business for the MONEY there is in it. Why lie about it? We must like it or we wouldn't be IN it. These are facts for good citizens and pious folks to ponder over.

Going to church twice on Sundays and once on Thursdays

doesn't alter them a mite. We the People are in the downly.

Hon A. W. Weekes made a business doesn't alter them a mite. We, the People, are in the drunk- trip to Detroit Tuesday. ard-making business! Understand?

Those Chicago Negroes who adopted resolutions denoun-cing the lynching of members of their own race who commit-ed white with black window-casings. ted fiendish crimes and advising every Negro to sell his coat and buy a gun, are wasting their energies and misapplying their sympathies. Why not be sorry for the poor Wilmington Why not think of her worthy parents, who must go to their graves in sorrow and shame? Why waste sympathy on the brute who for his own purpose caused all this misery, and who richly deserved all he got? Better advise all men blad. white, to curb their passions and obey the laws; and they will not need guns. The Ledger is no advocate of lynch law; but it is aware that of all the editors who are denouncing the Wilmington lynching, there is not one, who, if his daughter had been the black brute's victim, would not say he deserved his fate. When it comes to writing scathing editorials, it makes a heap of difference whose home is destroyed.

Guy Smith, a worker on the new dent out at midnight to driveneligh borhood dogs from the sheep-fold and Joseph was mistaken for a maraday and his right leg badly injured. He will be laid up for a time.

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His Unlacky Day.

Druggist W. S. Winegar lost twenty-five gallons of machine oil during the noon hour last Saturday. Mr. Hunt was alone in the store and was selling some wall paper to a lady who was accompanied by a mischlevous child of two or three years. The mother seemed to have no control over the store exploring.

"For years late was after me continuously" writes F. A. Gulledge, Verbena, Ala. "I had a terrible case of piles causing 24 tumors. When all falled Bucklen's Arnica salve cured me. Equally good for burns and all aches and pains. Only 25c at Look's drug store.

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Before buying farm implements, buggies or harness, get prices of the McCarty clock and the Wisner mill, where water has stood and rotted for years past. Seventy-five loads of gravel were required to fix it; but the job is worth it. By the way, Mr. Sayles is provening a good man in the right place country will have me. Equally good for burns and all achieved at his door. The concession is due to the activity of Concession is due to the activit Druggist W. S. Winegar lost twenty-five gallons of machine oil during the noon hour last Saturday. was all over the store exploring. buggles or harness, get prices of After the woman went out, it was Brown, Sehler & McKay. scovered that a faucet in a machine five gallons of oil had been turned paints that quality is remembered onto the floor and through a hole or two into the cellar. And Winegar, Shaker Paint guarantee insures qual-

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Earl Hunter was made a Master Mason by Lowell Lodge Saturday evening. The Hastings brethren did evening. The Hastings brethren did last six months suffering were linear christism.

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Street Commissioner Sayles has done a good job on the sink hole between the rear of the McCarty block and the Wisner mill, where water has

Cigars, tobaccos and a clean shave Mrs. J. C. Scott of Grand Rapids

tended a family reunion in Ionla, Sunday, for Mrs. M. J. Moffit, who left Tuesday for Carder, N. Dakota. Mesdames S. O. Littlefield and J. day. They were managing for a celebration at the hotel on the lake July

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Wayne Young and wife of Lowell visited their sons, Robert and Hugh last week.

Mrs. Sours died at her home east of Elmdale Thursday, leaving a baby a few days old. The funeral was held at the O. M. church Saturday at

Clyde Carr is sick with the measles Gladys Klahn of Lake Odessa visit-Arthur Burr of Big Rapids is visiting his parents, A. P. Burr and wife.

Blanch and Gladys Jakeway are visiting in Grand Rapids. Mae Klahn of Elmdale visited her aunt, Mrs. Geo. Hazel of Lowell last with her parents, Mr, and Mrs. A

"If" a woman ever gets so "hom, ley" she isn't worth looking atshe'd better take Rocky Mountain Tea. Brings back the bloom of youth. 35 cents. D. G. Look.

T. A. Murphy and A. E. McMahon and wives of Lowell attended church at Parnell Sunday.

GRATTAN CENTER. Our Grange social was well attend-

Mr. and Mrs. Cosset of Lakeview spent Saturday at C. Bush's. Mrs. A. Holmes visited Mrs. Helena White of Alton Thursday night and thence started on her European tour.

O. Watkins and wife expect to go to Minnesota soon to visit her aged to Minnesota soon to visit her aged sister and husband, who are 80 years old.

Bratally Tortured.

A case pame to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has haps never bien equalled. Joe Golobick of Colusa, Call., writes, "For 15 years I endured insufferable pain from rheumatism and nothing relieved me though I tried everything last week, namely, Joseph Drew, Frank Downes and known. I came across Electric Ritters.

The Ladies Aid society cleared \$60 with their sale and supper June 20.

Mrs. J. P. Byrne visited her sister, Mrs. B. Partridge of Oakfield Saturday while Mr. Byrne played ball at Israel and supper June 20.

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Mrs. J. P. Byrne visited her sister, and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by D. G. Look, druggiet and to visit relatives.

The railroad men are here so I think Grattan will have a railroad

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Jennie Andrews visited Mrs. Dr. P. L. Cambell of Ionia last week Thursday and Friday. Messrs. Artie Burr and Greulx and

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Fletcher Saturda evening. Supper will be served and bananas, lemonade, ice cream etc., will be sold.

Mrs. F. W. Morton visited friends E. H. Cambell and Henry Lampman of Lowell came to Pratt Lake to fish Saturday but after they got on the lake one of them discovered he'd left

Mrs. O'Blern's father from Ohio is

Several from this vicinity attended

Night Was Her Terror "I would cough nearly all night long, writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., and could hardly

Alexandria, Ind., and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but when all other remedies failed, three \$1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure coughs, colds, la grip, bronchitis, and all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00 Trial bottles free at Look's drug store.

Dr. C. H. Rods spent Sunday with Will Jury and family.

Mrs. Wallace Halsted and daughter, Verah, visited with her daughter, Wrs. Jury, Jr.

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Mr. Kelley of Ravenna is spending

Nellie Ford is spending two weeks in Lowell with her uncle, Wayne Pardee, who is very ill. Charles Hooker and family and John Brighton and wife took in the excursion to Grand Rapids Wednes-

A large number from this place attended the camp meeting Sunday at East Campbell.

Mrs. Will Whitney and children of Irving spent a few days of this week with her parents, E. Hientzelman

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Pardee and little Eleanor spent Sunday with Uncle Wayne Pardee of Lowell.

E. Ring and C.-R. Porter have taken the job of reshingling John Wingler's house.

GRATTAN-VERGENNES. Kittle Byrne spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. E. Burt, of Belding.

tained six of her grand children last week Wednesday.

P. W. Byrne and wife spent Sunday with their daughter Mrs. P. Contains Babe Weekes of Grand Rapids spent a couple of days last week with her

Fred Soules and wife of Coral

Mr. Herrington of Cannnonsbu

MurrayLake July 4. A good time is Eggs...

The students from Sandwich college Potatoes.

Mrs. Dick Heffron and children of

VERGENNES.

George Krum of Claremont, South Dakota, visited at A. J. Krum's last

John Dennis and wife, Sr., of Moseley, visited with G. Riggs and

Ora VanDeusen is visiting in Grand

W. Willard and wife of Lowell

spent Sunday with her parents, H Booth and wife.

CANNONSBURG. Mr. and Mrs. W. Wait were guests

Harlow Judson of Grand Rapids

Nettie Simonds of Belding is a niece of Mrs. Harmon Bailey, not Mrs.

W. Holcomb has returned from

Compare houses painted with Shaker Paint with those painted with

other brands. For sale by

and wives of Lowell attended church at Parnell Sunday. Miss Peterson of Grand Rapids is Rye. visiting at Tom Reed's. The Sisters, who have been teach-Mrs. Frank Keech entertained her Corn and Oats ...

The entertainment at Parnell school last week Wednesday evening Siford Cowan, who has been attending the State Normal and his sister, who has been studying music at Cleveland, returned to their home here Sunday.

Erra Smith, and Manley Whitten

School last week Wednesday evening was a brilliant success. It did credit to the instructors and those who took part also. There was not sitting room and many could not get in at here Sunday.

C. Francisco and miss of the color of the control of the color of the col

Ezra Smith and Manley Whitten and families spent Sunday with Plat Rowland and wife in North Grattan.

C. Francisco and wife of Lowell new office but no occupant there then. All come to the celebration at Jakeway Friday.

All come to the celebration at Murray Lake July 4. A good time is Brutally Tortured.

known. I came across Electric Bitters | Charles Walsh.

Jesse Sweet and wife visited her Miss Mayme Doyle, who is assist-ing Mrs. Bert Heffron in her house-work, returned Saturday after spendparents of Vergennes Saturday and

Bessie Layer is home from Ypsilanti ing a week with her parents in Fre Callers at E. B. Fero's Sunday were lay Ellis and lady of McCords, J. B.

Frank Rittenger's little daughter is convalescing from a severe illness. Seigle Graham and wife have an-

The ice cream social was a success. Proceeds \$13.45 without expenses. Miss Alma Burr of Big Rapids visited at A. B. Burr's Sunday.

Visitors at Adam Behler's Sunday were Mrs. Roy Killeen, Misses Cora, Jessle and Pearl Behler, all of St. Fourth celebration at the home of Louis. Miss Pearl remained this Week Week Week Week Towns and Week Week Week Towns and Week Week Week Towns and Week Tow

John Schwaderer's new home is School closed Tuesday, Mr. Osborn has won the good will of the children

has won the good will of the children and will be greatly missed by all. ed to her home Wednesday after Chas. Yeiter's sugar beet crop is spending a few days with her mother doing finely. It is at present under. Mrs. J. Colvin. Miss Edith and Mrs. Joseph, visited the former's sister, Mrs. Ed Alger, and family last week Wednesday. his line at home, so no fish were Frank Willett had the misfortune to probe his leg with a fork while getting hay for the horses, Thursday.

Lou Barber and wife of Lowell Working Night and Day. Miss Anna Rollins returned to Byron Center Monday after a two weeks visit with friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Clare Althen visited Mrs. E. Mrs. Clare Althen visited Mrs. E. Mrs. Clare Althen visited Mrs. E. Mrs. A. G. Steketee returned to her mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c per box. Sold by D. G. Look.

Mrs. A. G. Steketee returned to her home in Grand Rapids Saturday after a weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. J. Tower.

Gay Smith son of Mr. and Mrs.

Guy Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, formerly of Newaygo WEST LOWELL The Ladies Ald society will meet at the home of Mrs. Mary Ingersoll July 9 at 10, a. m.

Wilbur Moon and wife of Keen Mrs. M. Sterling is quite ill. Mrs. F. J. Priest who has been Frank Jones was in Belding Mon- Get Your Mrs. Frank Jones and baby are visiting her parents in Greenville. Mrs. Hal Cave of Keene is recover

VERGENNES STATION. The Alton Sunday school will hole N. Thomas' baby went through a picnic at Murray Lake in Weeks' a surgical operation Tuesday and is gaining at this writing.

Mrs. E. Heintzelman returned home from Grand Rapids last week where she has been visiting her son Samuel and family.

Nellia Ford is wending two weeks.

Waller Murray spent Sunday wit his parents.

Mrs. Mary Clinton visited at 1 Mr. and Mrs. John White of Low-The tent show which visited this Edmund Ring was in Grand Rapids C. R. Porter was among the sick Wm. Balley, who injured his eye Are the best of their kind and t

last week is doing nicely under the treatment of Dr. Wilson. Mrs. D. Church visited at Cannons Dick McGee is having a new well Bookey as stated last week. visiting her cousin, Norma Church and other relatives here.

Hattie Weeks visited Mrs. Ostrom of Fallasburg several days last week.

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She had been more or less intimately acquainted with many men; had
had many admirers, as a girl of her
attractiveness was likely to have.
Two or three men she had at different
times fancied she loved, but the fancy
he himself in a large measure forgot it. Joe Becraft occasionally observed him with a mingled admiration and wonder, and so the evening
wore on.

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had many admirers, as a girl of her
attractiveness was likely to have.
Two or three men she had at different
times fancied she loved, but the fancy
had somehow been dispelled before
any irretrievable step was taken.
Though she had passed her twentyfifth year and had seen much social
life, she still kept before her mental

Were quick to do his bidding. A third
followed hard after Parmelee.

"I' can't imagine what has happened," said Rossiter, "but I think it
might be well to go in."

Miss Densmore clung rather nervously to his arm as they walked to
the door of the kiln. Within they
found the dancers gathered in groups,
and Rossiter led Miss Densmore tolife, she still kept before her mental

freshments were served—new cider and some of Mrs. Merton's unapproachable doughnuts. While the repast was in progress Rossiter managed to absent himself, though when the music struck up he was again on the music struck up he was glancing about the age which she had attained is music struck up he was glancing about the music struck up he was glancing about the music struck up he was again on the music struck up he was again



more than anything else she admired and respected him for his attitude towards herself and her cousin. Never that the county of the concession of proneuting puppers. Out of the night came the clearly chorded cricket trumming.

It was impossible not to be touched by the subtle combination of light and sound, and Rossiter let go of the tense hold he had kept upon himself. The girl beside him seemed like a succession of proneuting by the subtle combination of light and sound, and Rossiter let go of the tense hold he had kept upon himself. The girl beside him seemed like a rare extolic in whose presence he was permitted, by an insertuable chance, to linger for a brief space. Why should he not, he asked himself, enjoy the exquisite sense or self, enjoy the exquisite sense of self,

anything we have in this country. It's a pity that the men are so dread- claimed. fully unpicturesque."

"A contra-dance? Yes, I should put it so," she said.

rought home to her that clothes do golden memory. not make the gentleman. Born and | The music ceased suddenly, evidenteared in an old and conservative ly in the midst of a measure. There society, she had had small opportunity to see, through personal contact, aught but the silks and velvets of existence. She had been often at "You go that way, some of you," he

self.

She had been more or less intimateof those who had accompanied him were quick to do his bidding. A third

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life, she still kept before her mental wards those with whom Miss Merton was standing. She was glancing about

hand to be chidden by Miss Merton for running away. He had danced twice with Miss Densmore, and now ventured to ask her to favor him for a third time. Money-musk had just

Rossiter caught but a glimpse or two of Miss Densmore on the day following the dance, as she and Miss Merton did not go into the fields. He had a bright nod from her as he was hurrying by the house on an errand for Parmelee, and again in the evening spoke an instant with her and with Miss Merton upon the porch. On Saturday, however, both the control of the porch.

Nervous Prostration girls were once more picking. In fact, they were out earlier than "See how ambitious we are get-My Friends Know Heart ting!" exclaimed Miss Merton, as Rossiter wished them good-morning.

tence. There seemed to be no other DON'T BE FOOLED!

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chief going on here."

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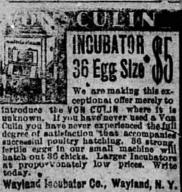
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IOWA DEMOCRATS.

peratic state convention yesterday, by a vote of 463 9-10 to 354 1-10 re-inclusive, 1903. J. B. Haynes, secy. fused to adopt a minority report East Jordon-Charlevoix county signed by four members of the comfair. Sept. 29-Oct. 2, inclusive, 1903. ton; lieutenant governor, D. B. But-ler, of Iowa county; judge of su-preme court, John R. Caldwell, of Oct. 2, 1903. C. W. Terwillinger, secy. railroad commissioner, W S. Porter, secy.
of Harding.
| Imlay City—Imlay City society fair.

Rico their inalienable right to self-government. The financial policy of 7-11, inclusive, 1903. E. Howland, tariff for revenue only.

TAKES THE OATH.

Peter I. Is Now King of Servin and secv. Pledges Himself to Rule for the Welfare of the People.

Belgrade, June 26.-King Peter I. assassins will be allowed to lapse.

cup yacht Reliance proved on Monday -Town and Country. worth as a heavy weather boat when she defeated the Columbia and

same horse a couple of weeks ago, mention it .- N. Y. Weekly.

landslide, 1,000 feet wide, came down ing star."

Illinois, is dead at Eureka. He was 88 you.-N. Y. Herald. years old. Mr. Hartman was in charge of a stage between Danville and Peorla from 1836 until the advent of railroads in 1860. For the last 40 years he has been bellringer at Eureka college.

ills river Saturday night. It is estiwreckage. The bodies are horribly And the sorrow, alas! nearly kildal -N. Y. Times.

ntes Up a Which They Will Be Held in Various Counties of the State This Fall.

Warner, Jr., secy.

Sept. 30-Oct. 1, 1903. A. J. Treeman,

Cass City-Tuscola, Huron and Sah-

the republican party is condemned.

It demands thorough investigation by congress of the post office and other

Pres.; C. W. Young, treas.; I. H. Butterfield, secy.

Reed City—Tri-county fair. Sept.

ry, secy.; O. Elsier, amusement and advertising manager. Sebewaing-Driving park and assn. fair. (Dates not set.) L. W. Voepel,

took the oath of office before the senate and skupshtina in joint session
yesterday, swearing that he would
maintain the constitution and rule for

READY FOR THE PLAY.

lights and proscenium. Paste draw-

train, toy blocks were used to build

Home Preaching. lems.

Mrs. Smith—Indeed, I did not. I told serve to pull the curtain up and should be operated from one side and him that the last thing, but he said he down.

News to Both. Constitution in a stiff easterly breeze and lumpy sea over a 30-mile course, in such as beat to wind-ward. The Reliance salled the course, in four minutes 9 seconds less time to kiss her; an' when I did, she slapped me hard. Boo, hoo! I didn't know that was in the game.

Mamma —What is the matter?

Little Jack—Me an' sister was play-she was the papa an' she was the papa an' she was the governess; and she told me to kiss her; an' when I did, she slapped me hard. Boo, hoo! I didn't know that was in the game.

Mamma (thoughtfully)—Neither—did—I.—N. Y. Weekly.

Mamma —What is the matter?

Little Jack—Me an' sister was play-their own ideas, using a soft pencil for the outlines and filling in the pattern with water colors or crayon. After this is done tack the cardboard upright to the strip in front of the stage, bending them back and tacking them to the top. Tack the painted footlights to the front strip, high enough to hide any roughness of the down the beach in a carriage the like

Husband-Don't you think that you stage. After designing and painting a mile to wagon for trotters, going the are rather unreasonable to expect me the arch, cut out along the outline distance in 2:04%. The race was at a to take you to a ball, and stay awake and fasten it to strips of wood matinee of the Gentlemen's Driving until four o'clock, and then get up at nailed to the top of the stage and club at Glenville track. The horse was driven by her owner, C. K. G. Billings. Wife—I may be a little unreason-the footlights. The new record beats that made by the able, but it's perfectly brutal of you to The scenery for the little theater

Thought She Knew. Great Landside.

Ouray, Col., June 30.—An immense andside 1 000 feet wide came down andside 1 000 feet wide came down.

Thought she Knew.

"John," she complained, "you never tell me any more that I am your guid- if you want a wood scene outline the from the main range into Silver Creek "I didn't think it was necessary pencil, or india ink, filling in the fo-

basin, beyond and between the Revenue and Camp Bird mines. The whole top around by the ear to keep you in-Not for Him.

willie—Yes; but she didn't expect form them into groups—or, put your tin boats behind the paper waves with their paper and paint scene be

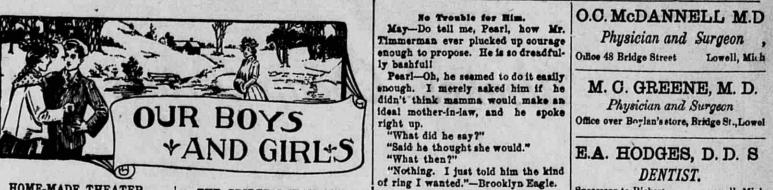
On the Nile. hind it. One little boy who had this theater built for him had two sets into the crocodile's waiting jaws. of scenery, one of the woods and one Even then his wits did not desert him. of the sea. Even then his wits did not desert him. Of the sea.

"I just dropped in for dinner," he His first tableau was "A Storm at work was done, and it carried him and said, with an engaging smile.—Yale Sea," using a tin ship and his sea his carriage for a great distance.

A maid by the name of Matilda Fell in love with a handsome young bilda But he thought her passe, And departed one de,

POSSIBLY HE HAD.

He (utter stranger)-Haven't I met She-Very likely. I'm a nurse at Bible—and dating from about 7000 B. child's face and hands were cut and



Tama; superintendent of public in- Howard City-Howard City society Lots and lots of our readers delight A close observer never has to travel

stick out a foot, get it wet, shake it, tery. run round the stick and try the other side, and then run back to the top

Pretty soon it became a serious matter to Mr. Robinson, and he sat down to think over it. As in a moment, he acted as if he were going to shout for a boat, to be hungry, I put molasses on the hungry for flies just then. He was homesick for his web in the corner of round, shaking his feet like pussy when land in Ogemaw county. The lands she wets her stockings in the grass. In Arenac county sold Thursday

Suddenly a thought seemed to strike | brought all the way from 75 cents Trains leave Lowellas follows

sins and now minister of public works, kept in the background. This was interpreted to mean that King Peter might punish the murderers of King

"Not at all. He's foolish enough to lend them money, and after that they hardly recognize him any more."—Balact width of the box. Then cut the act width of the box. Then cut the act width of the box. Then cut the act width of the box. Then he hauled on the rope until it was. It is to see if will show on each side, tack one end it were strong enough to hold him, and walked ashore.

"Not at all. He's foolish enough to lend them money, and after that they hardly recognize him any more."—Balact width of the box. Then cut the cloth so that half an inch of roller will show on each side, tack one end it were strong enough to hold him, and walked ashore.

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memoration of the end of the war. | see the barn in a blaze. Rogers tried Earliest National Alliance. Tust then Bruno burst through the The very earliest example of a na- kitchen window with the child, her centrated paint, any color you desire. tional alliance is contained in what is garments knotted in his teeth. The

westured to ask her to favor him for a third time. Money-musk had just been called. "Will you not wait for a quadrille or the lancers?" she suggested. "I should like to rest a little longer, I'm not very strong, you know." He lingered at her side for a moment, not seeming to be inclined to seek another partner. "If you are not intending to dance," she said, with his pleasing address and like a breath of air." Just without under the trees rustice seats had been placed, and above, in the branches, Japanese lanterns hung. They found a seat that was unceepied and sat watching the dancers through the open door. There was a singular unreality about the whole scene. The music, softened a little by distance, lost none of its with him since coming into the open was a singular unreality about the whole scene. The music, softened a little by distance, lost none of its biltheameness, but took on a mellow charm that it had not within. The sate was and simply one who had the word of a darptability make cunning use of what he had read. No, he was not simply one who had the word and the try singular unreal to pick up this and that from books, and through his power of the foreign and of which is the common of the kiln, and they heard Jack Parmelee's voice, loud and stern. All moved hastily in the direction from two pans upon the sist to be read to pick up this and that from books, and through his power of the drying hops permeated the air. Parmelee's voice, loud of a struggle below the kiln, and they heard Jack Parmelee's voice, loud and stern. All moved hastily in the direction from two pans upon the sistor, but the merciless goad cut him of his individual was held in similar fashlon by the one walking and cursing into the boling room of the kiln band there," Thus but the whole seen. The first bottle convinces the particular throm books, and through his power of the first band within, "and keep vour eyes open." The flat but within, "and keep vent along. The found within, "The Chattaneoga, The found within, "and keep vour

"I suppose," Rossiter replied, "that her sentence, for she did not wish to this is as much like a contra-dance as give offense.

"With the pole-puller!" he ex-

have been talking with you as though

2825 Keeley St., Снісадо, Ісл., Ост., 2, 1902. I suffered with falling and con struction, had blinding headnches and rushing of blood to the brain. What to try I knew not, for it seemed that I had tried all and failed, but I had never tried Wine of Cardui, that blessed remedy for sick women. I found it pleasant to take and soon knew that I had the right medicine. New blood seemed to course through my veins and after using eleven bottles I was a well woman.

Cardui for menstrual disorder sufferer may secure health by tak

phur fumes from two pans upon the stove-top were rising thickly, and a little blue streamer floated out into

fancied they detected a figure in the

shadow of a tree near the lower rear

Rossiter: "there may be some mi

bidden, they went along with him:

"We'd better see who that is," said

corner of the hon-kiln.





Bayou Woods' BY WALKER RENNEDY,

IT IS A STORY THAT WILL INTEREST YOU.

pessants dancing on the sward, the fantastic music, the bright costumes of the women, and their curious head-dresses, some of the maldens wearing strings of tinkling coins—their downles—upon their plated hair.

Miss Densmore was deeply interested.

"If it were only the good that one gathered, the agreeable that one recalled!"

"In it that a matter of the will, at least in part? I'm sure I do not mean to carry away from my hop-pleking in the Nerve and Liver Pills are a dwhom she had taken a fancy, and whom she had taken a fancy, and whom she nad taken a fancy, and whom she recalled from the preceded to be stripping a pole nest the box of the passed physical examination since thing I once saw in Suabia, 'the said.

"Yes, very likely."

What a strange puzzle this man was, Miss Densmore could but think. Not only did he plue her curiosity, but something more—she began to feel attracted towards him. For the first time in. her. life it had been did the the would certainly be one of the wood of the control of the wood of the hop-dance.

"If it were only the good that one gathered, the agreeable that one recalled!"

"Is it that a matter of the will, at each of the world whom she had taken a fancy, and whom she had taken a fancy, and whom she had taken a fancy, and whom she necalled from the preceded to be stripping a pole nest the box of the two girls.

The production the opening Chapters.

Make the hop-dance.

Miss Merton had walked across to chat a moment with Mrs. Becraft, to that a moment with Mrs. Becraft, to whom she had taken a fancy, and whom she had taken a fancy, and whom she recalled from the preceded to be stripping a pole nest the box of the two girls.

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Take the genuine, original RCCKY MOUNTAIN TEA

In Convention They Refuse to Adopt | loc society fair. Sept. 29-30-Oct. 1-2, 1903. H. L. McDermott, secy.

Charlotte-Eaton county agrl. fai Sept. 22-25, inclusive, 1903. J. H. Gal-Des Moines, Ia., June 25.—The dem-A. Perry, secy.
Dundee—Dundee fair. Sept. 15-18,

mittee on resolutions adding to the platform reported by the seven members constituting the majority of the committee, a plank reaffirming the democratic national platform of 1900.

The following ticket was a seven.

The following ticket was nom-inated: Governor, J. B. Sullivan, Cres-fair. Sept. 14-19, 1903. Wm. H. Ander-

struction, A. R. McCook, of Howard; fair. Sept. 1-4, 1903. B. J. Lowrey, in playing theater. Here is an opportunity to build one at no contract the struction of the struction o

people is demanded.

It opposes a policy of imperialism, and declares for the adoption of such

Muskegon—Muskegon agrl. assn. measures as shall give to the people fair. Sept. 9-12, 1903. Chas. I. Glies, of the Philippine islands and Porto

departments, and the punishment of 22-25, inclusive, 1903. T. R. Welch, wrongdoers. It calls for the removal pres.; L. R. Parkhurst, treas.; A. C. of the tariff from all trust-made Goshrend, secy. goods, and demands that all tariff St. Johns-Clinton county fair, schedules be adjusted with a view to Sept. 22-25 inclusive, 1903. S. M. Fer-

> Vassar-Tuscola county society fair Sept. 29-Oct. 2, 1903. R. S. Weaver,

Alexander and Queen Draga. However, the king confirmed the appointment of the "bloody ministry" in the afternoon and it appears certain now that the question of punishment for the ed to preach to-day on municipal prob
The probability of the twine from each end up afraid you forgot to tell him I intended to preach to-day on municipal prob
The probability of the box. Wind the walked ashore.

I thought he had earned his liberty, the wine around the ends of the roller, the twine from each end up and over smooth tacks driven into the top of the theater. These lines

The probability of the twine strong enough to hold him, and walked ashore.

I thought he had earned his liberty, so I put him back in the wood shed again.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM.

Newport, R. I., June 30.—The new would stay at home and read his Bible. Now comes the making of the foot ing paper on stiff cardboard and get father or mother to follow the de-

of the mountain broke off, and another formed concerning our relative posi- other.

Madrid, June 30 .- One hundred bod- Record.

mated hat 70 corpses remain in the PAIRS IN MICHIGAN.

Detroit, June 22 .- The dates of fairs to be held in Michigan this fall are as Allegan—Allegan county agrl. fair. Oct. 6-9 inclusive, 1903. L. A. Lilley, pres.; Stewart Agan, treas.; W. H. Alpena-Alpena county agrl, fair. ept. 29-Oct. 2, 1903. James L. San-

Sept. 22-23-24-25. Geo. M. Clock,

Balden, secy. ..

the oldest historical document yet | baby's clothes gave way as the dog known, inscribed on a bowl found at | landed, but in an instant he had her



stored It to Liberty.

railroad commissioner, W S. Porter, of Harding.

The platform, as it relates to state affairs, calls for economical government, equitable taxation of corporate and private property, the purchase of supplies from the lowest bidder, and the substitution of a local option for the present mulct law, Government by injunction is denounced, and the election of United States senators by direct vote of the geometric flowers.

Sept. 30-Oct. 2, 1903. Frank Rathsburg, seey.

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Imlay City—Imlay City society fair. Sept. 24- 1903. Frank Rathsburg and done at no cost, as everything needed can be found a spider an interesting play—at the house.

Take a large wooden soap box and, after removing the cover, take a rosseut saw and saw through the bottom of the box about 9½ inches carefully and fit it inside of the box about 9½ inches carefully and fit it inside of the box about 9½ inches carefully and fit it inside of the box about 9½ inches carefully and fit it inside of the box about 9½ inches carefully and fit it inside of the box about 9½ inches carefully and fit it inside of the box about 9½ inches carefully and fit it inside of the box about 9½ inches carefully and fit it inside of the box about 9½ inches carefully and fit it inside of the box about 9½ inches carefully and fit it inside of the box about 9½ inches carefully and fit it inside of the box about 9½ inches carefully and fit it inside of the box about 9½ inches carefully and fit it inside of the box about 9½ inches carefully and fit it inside of the box about 9½ inches carefully and fit it inside of the box about 9½ inches carefully and fit it inside of the box about 9½ inches carefully and fit it inside of the box about 9½ inches carefully and fit it inside of the box ming around to find the mainland. He'd his opinion there was not evidence to scamper down the mast to the water, convict Teal of simple assault and bat- Dentistry and Surgery a Specialty

> H. McMillan, associate justice of the supreme court of the territory of New Mexico, was removed from office by President Roosevelt Monday on the Fire Land for Sale. Lansing, June 22.-The commis-

"What did he say?"

Grateful Change.

Mrs. Ferguson had concocted

PERE MARQUETTE March 15, 1903.

For Grand Rapids, North and West

CRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM Arrival and departure of trains from Lowe

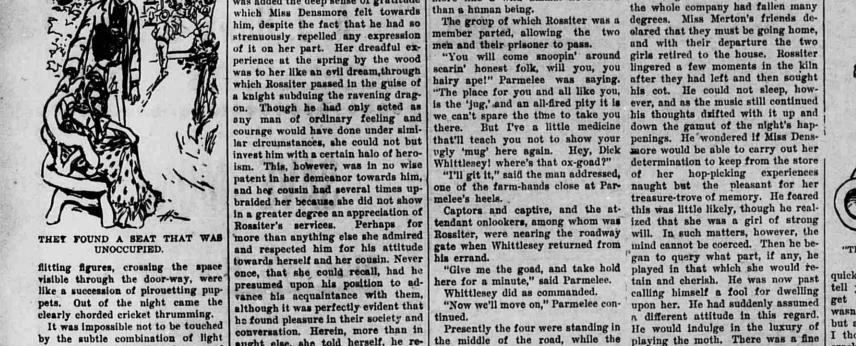
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"This is vastly more entertaining than any ball I ever attended, even my first," said Miss Densmore, after they had sat several moments in silence, Rossiter dreamily looking and listening, and she in a somewhat similar mood.

If was at first sorely discontented after my first year of wandering and study to come back to so much that is humdrum and trivial. And you, Mr. Rossiter; I can hardly connect the happy pilgrim which you evidently were with the—" She hesitated for the word with which to complete

"Yes, with the pole-puller, since you say so. It is certainly quite as amus-ing. You have visited other coun-asked. "I have felt all the time I

the Merton farm, it is true, but never before to know anything of the real farm life, and elsewhere she moved only among those favored like her-

LaGrippe Caused Heart Trouble,

and Dyspepsia.

Before his previous remark such a thing as his having been a traveler would hardly have occurred to her.

"Yes, I crossed the ocean once. I was thinking just now—this scene brought it back to me, I expect—of a festa I witnessed one April day at Turn-Severin. Were you ever there?"

"No, I never was."

He then told her how he had, at one time, been ascending the Danube, had chanced upon a holiday gathering at the Roumanian river town, and had stopped off to witness it. He described the scene graphically, the pessants dancing on the sward, the fantastic music, the bright costumes of the women, and their curious head-dresses, some of the maidens wear—it is a matter of the will, at a moth of the will, at a matter of the will, at a moth of the will, at a matter of the will, at a moth of the will, at a matter of the will, at a moth of the will, at a moth of the will, at a moth of the will, at a matter of the will, at a matter of the will, at a moth of the will, at a moth of the will, at the will be them good difference with you as though the curied Ms. My Friends Know Heart

Lake C. O. Hurd, It W. Third St., Muscettike, Is., is well known throughout her section of lows as an ardent worker in the section of lows as an ardent worker in the Echurch. She says: "LaGrippe left me with a severe case of nervous depression and twitching of the will at neff. Church, She says: "LaGrippe left me with a severe case of nervous depression and twitching of the mich have at the end. I've spent mine in my mind a dozen time with a severe case of nervous



way but to be perfectly frank with her. "But he'll not come 'snoopin' round again, as Mr. Parmelee says."

"I heard what Jack did. I wonder if it was the wisest course to take? Anyhow, I should be afraid to turn such a creature loose after it." The same thought had occurred to Rossiter, but he did not acknowledge it. "Whiskers'" bitter vindictiveness he did not doubt. Fear of being caught was the only thing that would deter him from attempting some sort of revenge. Indeed, that had already occurred, had Rossiter but known it, which went far towards disproving his assertion in regard to Dawson's As the pole-puller and Joe Becraft were walking towards the sleeping quarters of the men that night they

mause Buch

Mrs. Bush is now in perfect health because she took Wine of bearing down pains and blinding headaches when all other remedie failed to bring her relief. Any

of his character, than he had betrayed to anyone since he had quitted the world of his birth. To the natural attraction aroused by the element of mystery encompassing him was added the deep sense of gratitude which Miss Densmore felt towards him, despite the fact that he had so strephology repression.

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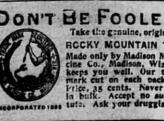
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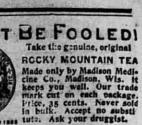
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"THERE WAS A PAIR OF EYES



A WELL-TOLD TALE. "Mystery of the







section of the mountain looks as if it | tions."-Chicago Record-Herald. would break off. These slides are No damage has resulted.

Pioneer Stage Driver Dead.
Bloomington, Ill., June 27.—FrederK Hartman, the first stage deliver. ick Hartman, the first stage driver in

Many Were Killed. les have been extricated from the wreck of the Bilbao train, which was thrown from a bridge into the Nejer-

orn, pres.; James Bowden, treas.; Jas. L. Whitney, secy. Armeda—Armada society fair.

Capac-Capac agrl. society fair. you somewhere before, sweet one? Sept. 22-24, 1903. Geo. Chapman, She—Very likely. I'm a nurse at Bit pres.; H. Hitchings, treas.; Alvin the insane asylum.—Chicago Daily C.



ligence That Its Captor Re-

cough sirup for her husband. It con-sisted of a certain Jamaica beverage,

Washington, D. C., June 23.—Daniel Both Phones No. 35. LOWELL, MICH. as if he were going to shout for a boat, and as if he were afraid he was going to be hungry. I put molesses on the H. Smith, of Hastings, Mich., was tick. A fly came, but Crusoe wasn't named to succeed him. the woodshed. He went slowly down sioner of the state land office will ofthe pole to the water and touched it all | fer for sale July 30, 86,000 acres of

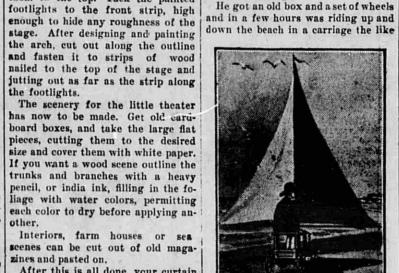
top, and commenced playing circus. He your toy theater, leaving but a strip held one foot in the air, then another, the welfare of the people. During the ceremony, which was often interrupted by cries of "Long live King Peter!"

Col. Maschin, one of the chief assas"Not at all. He's foolish enough to sine and now minister of public works."

Trains leave Lowe draught of air made by the fire would carry a line ashore on which he could around until you find an old shade roller, some twine and a piece of red roller, some twine and a piece of red roller, some twine and a piece of red roller.

BOY'S LAND YACHT.

Find Worth Imitating. While crude in construction, a cu- No 11 Mail and Ex to Gd Rapids 9 41 pm



Which Our Own Boys May

FRENCH BOY'S LAND YACHT.

To the box he simply fastened a mast

"The Holdup in the Woods," the same stick, which is to serve as a mast. When little train being stopped by a toy man with his gun at his shoulder ready to fire.—Brooklyn Eagle. Four Thousand Godfathers. A California Dog Hero From California comes a tale of a Princess Irene of Prussia is better provided for in the matter of god- heroic rescue by a dog. During a forfathers than is any other woman in est fire which raged along the border the world. She can boast of 4,000 god- between Yuba and Butte counties fathers, and how she came to obtain | Bruno, a Great Dane dog, fought his so many is a pretty story. When she | way through the flames bearing in his was born the war of 1866 was drawing jaws the living body of 3-year-old Florto an end, and peace being concluded ence Rogers. The parents of the child, just at the time of her christening, her father, Prince Henry of Hess?, requested all the officers and men of the regiments under his command to when the alarm of fire was given, hastened to assist neighbors, leaving little Florence on the kitchen floor. When the wind shifted Rogers and his stand godfather to his little daughter, whom he named Irene (Peace) in com-

and a double triangular sail. There scenery. Tableau two was called
"At the Station," showing a company
"At the Station," showing a company of toy soldiers ready to enter an iron four wheels, which he can obtain withthe station. Tableau three he called strip of canvas or calico and a stout

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burned, but she recovered

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If you havent bought two or three of our Ladies' Wrappers you will when you see them. We are selling one made 95c of 12 1-2c Percale worth \$1.50 for ... Besides many other kinds, some as low as 48c.

We have sold in the past two weeks more Wrappers than some folks sell in a whole year and have just secured another big lot of them.

The very best quality of Table Oil Cloths for 12 1-20

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If you have no checking account and wish to pay some-body a certain sum of money, deposit the amount in this bank and take a certificate of deposit—this certificate is negotiable and may be turned over the same as money. No charge is made for this kind of business.

THE LOWELL STATE BANK LOWELL, MICHIGAN

Thirty-six pairs of ladies \$2.50 oxfords \$1.69. Butts.

Mrs. A. E. Hodges is visiting her mother at Summit City. Wilder Wiley was home from Grand Rapids Sunday.

J. B. Nicholson made a business trip to Grand Rapids Monday. Mr. Moore of Freeport was enter-tained Sunday at the home of Chas.

Miss Clara Lawrence entertained her Sunday school class Friday eve-

Mrs. Nelson Collar is spending two weeks with Mrs. Ed. Hutchison of South Boston.

Mrs. Jas. Derky and three children of Grand Rapids are visiting her uncle, Benj. Morse. Miss Hattie Cadwell of Chicago

spent last week with Mrs. II. Nash and other friends.

Geo, Krum of Claremont, S. Dakota, is visiting Mrs. Benj. Terwilliger and other relatives.

spend the Fourth in Pinckney and vis-it in Howell Sunday.

Hencement in Mt. Pleasant and Miss Bessie returned with her for the Summer. Misses Ozel and Mildred Yeiter, of

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Blakeslee. M. Harvster and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gary of Reading, Penn., visit-ed Mrs Orton Hill the first of the

Frank Randall returned from Grand Rapids and has a permanent position in King Milling Co.'s cooper

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Foster left to-day for a week's trip to Grand Rap-ids, Kalamazoo, Battle Creek and

Jas. Provan Jr., of Chicago visited Lowell friends last week. His bro-ther Fred of Grand Rapids was here

Miss Gertrude Conger of Syracuse, N. Y., visited Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Scott

Thursday, on her way home from Grand Rapids. Miss Reva Owen returned last week from Chandler Okla., where she went four years ago, and will spend

the Summer here. Miss Inez Peasley, teacher at Sparta last year, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nicholson, on her way

home to Lexington.

Dr. Frank White has bought a dental office at Saranac and will ocate there. Our neighbor on the west is to be congratulated. The doctor is "all wool and a yard wide."

Ice cream and cake will be served on the lawn of J. B. Nicholson for the benefit of the Spartan society of the Baptist church by Mesdames Towsley, Nicholson and Sprague on the afternoon and evening of July 8.

The public are cordially invited. Ernest B. Graham, a former Lowell boy and a graduate of the Lowell High school, has been chosen by some of the prominent shippers of Chicago, including Marshall Field & Co., John V. Farewell Co., and others, to help settle the controversy with the freight handlers in that city.

No more firing of crackers or similar No more firing of crackers or similar noise makers will be permitted on the business streets of Lowell. In view of the numerous instances of frightened horses and narrowly averted runaways, President Hakes has declared the practice a nuisance and has instructed the Marshal to storid.

stoplit.

S. P. Hicks was reappointed member of the Board of County Auditors by Governor Bliss and went to Grand Rapids Tuesday to attend the first meeting of the board. His last official act as justice of the peace was to preform a marriage ceremony, and the bride being a pretty country lass, he exercised the prerogative of kissing her. She will be able to put up with most anything now.

OUR PATENT LEATHER SHOES at \$2.50 are moving. Why? It's their quality and the price. Come and get you a pair while we have your size, AT GODFREYS.'

Heard About Town

F. M. Hoyt's \$3.00 welts for men

Miss Bessie Kinyon is home from Mt. Pleasant for the Summer. Miss Maud Fuller returned [last week from a visit in Reed City. Mr. and Mrs. Will Hine of Grand Rapids visited here over Sunday.

P. W. McPherson of Vergennes is building a new up-to-date house. Fifty pairs of men's \$2 shoes to close out at \$1.50 per pair. D. F. Butts.

Mrs. R. W. Stone of Alto spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Walsh.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Hamp of Barryton are visiting Mr. and Mrs.

E. M. Bailey.

The family of Frank Randall, Jr., of Grand Rapids is visiting his parents this week.

Mrs. Alida Peck of Phimmville came yesterday to spend several weeks with Mrs. B. J. Peck. Mrs. Phoebe Tate attended com-mencement in Mt. Pleasant and Miss

mer. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Watts entertained a few friends Tuesday eveni

in honor of Mr. Harvster and Mr. and Mrs. Gray. Dr. and Mrs. O. C. McDannell spent yesterday at Spring Lake where the Kent County Medical Society is en-tertained at the Summer home of Dr. S. C. Graves.

Charlie Howe, Jr., has returned to Lowell for the Summer, after a year's absence, much of the time in Kansas City and Davenport.

J. C. Train's horse, J. C. T. gave an exhibition half mile at Lake Odessa Saturday in 1,7%. This horse has been entered in the Sunny South October races at Memphis, the purse in which is \$2,000.

Jesse Coppens, having finished his course at Big Rapids, has accepted a position as assistant pharmacist in Grand Rapids. He finished the usual

two year course in seven months. . F. A. Hatch, an old Lowell schoolboy, was in town Tuesday representing Armitage & Hatch, Casnovla millers. Mr. Hatch left Lowell twenty-one years ago; but has warm recollections of his old time associated

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hicks go to Ware, Mass., this week to visit relatives of the latter. They expect to spend a day or two in rare old prices, AT GODFREYS.'

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Celebrate the Fourth?

You should touch up on your Jewelry for the occssion. We have something in Summer Jewelry that will improve your sp-

> Watch Chains Charms. Neci laces Fobs Coff Buttons Collar Buttons

Now styles in ladies' and gents Fobs just in.



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EXCURSIONS

PERE MARQUETTE

Toledo, Sunday July 12.

a. m. Rate\$ 2.00. See posters or ask agents for particulars.

Thirty-six pairs of ladies \$2.50 oxfords \$1.69. Butts.

Excursion Via Grand Trunk Rail-

way, Sunday, July 5.

To Grand Rapids 50c. To Grand Haven \$1.00 for round trip. Train leave Lowell 8:33 a. m. Returning arrive at Lowell 7:43, p. m.

F. M. Hoyt's \$3.00 welts for men

George M. Patterson has been appointed postmaster at Cascade in place of M. D. Kennedy, resigned.

Train will leave Elmdale at 7:35,

Special train via D. & M. for Grand Rapids July 4. Leave Lowell 10:05, a. m. Return leave Grand Rapids at

The best flour that all the cooks use is White Swan flour, made by Armitage & Hatch, Casnovia, Mich. Ask your dealers.

E. O. Mains has moved his law office to the appartments so long occupied by the late J. M. Mathewson, over the State bank.

for business yesterday morning. It is handsomely furnished and has a lunch counter and billard tables in

The Epworth League will hold an ice cream social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Fisher Tuesday evening, July 7. Fine program and a pleasant time is expected. All are limited.

Marion Spencer of Elmdale celebrated her eighth birthday June 30, at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Painter. Eight little girls were present, each leaving a token. A nice supper was served.

The G. A. R. and W. R. C. gave a surprise party for Merrit Sayles last evening in honor of his fifty-sixth birthday anniversary, about fifty being present. They gave him a gold G. A. R. watch-charm. The evening was spent pleasantly and Mrs. Sayles furnished dainty refreshments.

J. D. Henry, of Grand Rapids, formerly of the firm of Klump & Henry, has brought his wife to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Monks, for medical treatment. She is in very poor health; and Mr. Henry will remain here for some time.

The Lowell Driving club, Ltd., gave June 25, with an attendance of about 1500 people. J. C. Train's "J. C. T" won the free for all; Wm. Murphy's "Ola May" the three minute trot or paceand C. M. Watter's colt, "Swallow Tall" the running race.

Lowell House Re-opened.

E. C. Terry of Freeport has leased the Lowell House, formerly Hotel Brace, and is thoroughly overhaul-ing and renovating the same prepara-tory to reopening it to the public. It is hoped the new proprietor will

Fight Over Highway in Cascade. Lewis F. Burton has begun pro-

Lewis F. Burton has begun proceedings in the circuit court to provent Highway Commissioner Charles H. Cook of Cascade township building a road through his farm. Burton and several other farmers who own property through which the proposed road may be built object to it, claiming that it will greatly damage their premises. They allege that notices served on them by the commissioner were irregular and therefore invalid. Burton has filed a claim for \$100 damages against Mr. Cook.

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These Hot Summer Days

1 lot 10c, 121c and 15c Wash Goods To close

1 lot 8c, 10c and 12ic Torchon Lace Friday and Saturday OC

68 yds. Blak Taffeta 1.25 value 1.00 yd.

1 lot ladies' white Muslin underskirts, heavily trimmed with lace and deep flounce. 1.75 and 2.00 values. Friday and Saturday

400 yards of wash Taffe-ta all silk Neck Ribbons in black, white and colors. 20c and 25c values. 10c Friday and Sat'day 10c

I lot all silk wide ribbons in colors suitable for hair ribbons. 8c and 10c yalues Friday and Saturday OC

1 lot Light Prints, 3c

Splendid values in Bril liantines, white, black and 75c values 50c yd

Lot 1. Ladies' Wrappers out full proportions with deep flounce 58c 75c value

Lot 2. 73c 1.00 quality

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6 doz. New Collars, Stocks and Turnovers, in whites, blacks and colors from 5c to 1.00 each.

ren's White Lace Hosiery, we have them. New Idea Patterns 10c.

For Misses and Child-

Our prices unequalled.

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Women's Shoes Great values

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