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LOWELL, MICHIGAN, DEC. 6, '17

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE CITY STATE BANK

at Lowell, Michigan, at the close of business November 20th, 1917, as called for by the commissioner of the banking department:

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$149,368.85
Bonds, Mortgages and Securities	235,058.41
Overdrafts	
Furniture and Fixtures	. 8,000 00
Items in Transit	1,000,00
Cash on hand and due from banks	
Total	\$449,220.13
LIABILITES	

\$25,000.00
15,615.52
85,311.81
174,764.49
133,528.31
15,000 00
\$449,220 13



R. VANDYKE, President; D. G. LOOK and WM. C. CONDON, Vice Presidents.

HARRY DAY, Cashier.

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We have got together a fine line of goods for gifts this year. But you must be prompt. Buy early, as there is no great surplus for late buyers as in other seasons. Our line of

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are well selected and suitable articles can be found for any gift occasion. We are looking for a call from you so we can better supply your gift needs.

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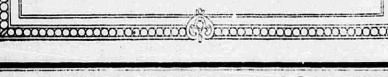
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Toilet Articles, Dolls, Etc. Our stock is generous in variety and includes only goods of approved worth and superiorty. You can not help being pleased with our well selected popular and, in every way, desirable line

County Drain Commissioner R. wise would not be found.

B. Patterson announced on We know the people of Lowell ing their bit in this wonderful work.

Daniel Weadge of Coldwater, began the work a half mile west of Freeport and has dug three-quarters of a At present we do not know how and the control of the council rooms. Then there are others who come to the rooms regularly for work to take home.

Red Cross and Y. M. C. A. for our nation.

There are some, the old standbys who are always at their places at the council rooms. Then there are others who come to the rooms regularly for work to take home.

At present we do not know how larly for work to take home.

consisting of 64,000 acres, was. We need money from dollars slumber robe. made by George J. Nagler of Bowne township, a miller near Freeport, who operates his mill by water power obtained from a dam near the point the work was begun. The meeting of the board of review to hear the papeal, called for Wednesday, and the properties and the point the work was begun. The meeting of the board of review to hear the papeal, called for Wednesday, and the properties and we invite down to pennies and we invite on exhibition in A. L. Coons' clothing store. It was made from the blocks that have been knitted by the blocks that have been knitted by the blocks that have been knitted by the ladies and school girls. The students of the Lowell schools are going to make one of their own now, and we have some blocks on hand which will be put together as soon which will be put together as soon. He was systematic in all of as we get enough for another robe.

Cur slumber robe.

Stands. One incident of the blocks that have been knitted by the blocks that have been knitted by

the board of review to near the appeal, called for Wednesday, was adjourned to December 14. Nagler was awarded damages of \$4,500 when the drain was determined to be a necessity.

Mr. Patterson and Drain Commissioner Snyder of Ionia county will go to Detroit Friday to officials regarding a right of officials r mile east of Clarksville which will be necessary before the cultural college announce a two contract for the Tyler creek days' extension school in the drain can be let. The drain, al- Domestic Science room of the Low

for by residents in the neighbor-hood of Pratt lake. This drain, 1:30, Demonstration—Protein foods creek a half mile north of the and lecture. Coldwater river drain, and its Second dayconstruction will eliminate an old mill operated by water power owned by Daniel Layer 11:00, "War Breads," demonstraof Bowne township. He obtains tion and discussion. his power from a dam. The waterfall from the surface of 1:45, Health Talk and Nursing Demthe water above the dam to a point 250 feet below is 11 feet. It was originally built to operate a sawmill, but when Kent's timber was cut away it was turned into a feedmill.—Herald.

Modern Woodmen! Your December assessment in the service of our country in sensors of the Lowell is now due and may be paid to order that we may send to him schools or leave at the Red Cross of the City State some remembrance from home. Ralph Chase at the City State some remembrance from home.

He Wants to Earn Money for the

The boys of Lowell have established a record for the county by November 27 at the home of

Rogers, Lloyd Houghton, Walter Roth, Paul Jones, Oswald Bank, Richard Mange, Erhart Bank, M. Lester Bailey, Phillip Raymond, C. E. Leonard, Ellis Tucker, Everday A. Power of Grand Rapids. Interest of the provides an opportunity of Lowell and the quota for this village is the provides an opportunity of Lowell the provides and the provides an opportunity of Lowell the provides and the provides an opportunity of Lowell the provides and the provides an opportunity of Lowell the provides and the provides a C. E. Leonard, Ellis Tucker, Everett Dow, Wendell Peet, Thurston Springett, H. N. Buttrick, J. Manning Jones, R. H. Brown, Allen Shurte, Lawrence Booth, Percy Willard, Willis Donaker, Carl Wilcox, Harold Anderson, Clark M. Sauer, Wayne Springett, Wesley Roth, Lawrence Aldrich, Percy Nott, Gerald Henry, Clarence Kinyon, Clifford Stinchicomb, Harold Morgan, George Houser, George Kerr, Harold Yeiter, Howard Rittenger, Barry Brannan, W. M. Young, John H. Maynard, Emil Roth, Herbert Brezina, Walter Ransford, Harold G. Yeiter, Roger M. Winegar.

M. Power of Grand Rapids. Interment in Inglewood cemetery, LosAngeles.

Notice!

I will be at the City State Bank Saturdays, December 8. Township taxes of Vergennes township.

Notice to Taxpayers!

Township taxes are due and payhalo at the L. W. Winegar.

Now they need men at once and the quota for this village is three men. This provides an opporting to end the quota for this village is three men. This provides an opporting to end the quota for this village is three men. This provides an opporting the quota for this village is three men. This provides an opporting to end the quota for this village is three men. This provides an opporting the quota for this village is three men. This provides an opporting to end the quota for this village is three men. This provides an opporting to the men to enlist in this most important branch of the service before being drafted. Do IT NOW! Call at the Post Office and Mrs. Earl Hunter will fill out the papers for you.

South Boston Grange.

Will every Granger please be on hand Friday evening, Dec. 7? The 4th degree will be given, also annual election of officers.

A. Power of Grand Rapids. II.

Congregational Church Subject, Sunday at 10:30, Why We Believe in God." Sunday school, 11:45, Endeavor, 5:45.

M. Winegar.

Evening service, 7:00. Mr. H 3. Smith will speak on the subject, "Community Life and Activities," Mr. Smith is the County agricultural agent from Grand Rapids.

The Endeavorers will hold a social hour with Mrs. R. Dyke Friday evening, Dec. 7.
A. H. Lash, Pastor.

Methodist Church. Sunday, 10:30 a. m., Public ervice. Rev. Freeman of the Clark Memorial Home, Grand Rapids, will occupy the pulpit.
12 noon, Sunday school hour.
3:30 p. m., Junior league.
"Suffer little children to come

into me.' 6:30 p. m., Epworth league. 7 p. m., Evening service. Rev. Freeman will preach.

Thursday, 7 p. m., Come hold up hands of prayer, until "This whole round world is bound by golden chains about the feet of God.

Vergennes afternoon service. Rev. Freeman will preach and administer the sacrament.

Baptist Church Rev. H. W. Powell of Ionia will preach next Sunday morning and evening. Text for morning, Philippians 3:20; text for evening, Matthew, 24th chapter, or as much of it as is sup-posed to refer to the end of the

largest drain projects in western Michigan, is progressing rapidly and satisfactorily,

B. Patterson announced on We know the people of Lowell ing their bit in this wonderness and was a winderness and bowell that is being carried on all over our was only an Indian village and the nearest trading point was

December 10-11. People from the Michigan Agri

Another mesh in this network 9:30, Talk, "Some Patriotic Needs." of drains has been petitioned 10:00, Community singing. 10:15, Feeding the Family, Exhibit

to be known as the Pratt lake drain, will empty into Tyler 2:45, Community singing.

2:45, Community singing.

3:00, Clothing the Family, exhibit

Notice!

You can help by notifying any Annual meeting will be held member of this committee of who have gone from here.

U. B. Williams, Earl Thomas, S. C. Mitchell, Committee

Death of Former Lowell Resi dent in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Edwin R. Power died

She is survived by two daugh-

Township taxes are due and pay-able at the J. W. Morse grocery to Mrs. Maude McNaughton. Frank G. Taylor, Treas.

French ivory at Stocking's, adv

This Is To Make Sure Santa Does What Lowell Auxiliary Has Done in John Hartley Came to This

Western Michigan's Biggest
Drain Project.

The construction of the Coldwater river drain, one of the
water river drain and work for the Red Cross. Since daughter in Alto, Nov. 28, at

has dug three-quarters of a mile. The drain there has a 30-foot bottom and an average depth of nine feet.

The only appeal from the assessment of the district affected, consisting of 64,000 acres, was the council rooms. Then there are this Christmas time.

At present we do not know how much money we will need, but it is our desire to make a permanent club of this, and all money not used this year will be placed to the credit of the Santa Claus club at one of our banks, for future use.

We need money from dollars shupler robe.

The only appeal from the assessment of the district affected, consisting of 64,000 acres, was consisting of 64,000 acres, was consistent of the santa claus club at one of our banks, for future use.

We need money from dollars shupler robe. where the village of Alto now

and Susan Hartley, was born Jan. 24, 1829, in the town of so let us all find our places and heip

13 dozen pajamas, 5 dozen of shoulder wraps, 16½ dozen sheets, Report for six months: drain can be let. The drain, already surveyed, is 14 miles long and empties in the Coldwater river drain one mile west of Freeport.

Another mesh in this network of drains has been petitioned for the long and empties in the Coldward of the long and empties and empties in the Coldward of the long and empties a tray cloths, 15½ dozen napkins, 22½ substitute handkerchiefs, 55 pairs of socks, 38 pairs wristlets, 53 sweaters, 19 mufflers, 4,158 surgical 10, 1888. To this union four

dressings and \$22.00.

Last, but not least, comes the ap- A., who has been blind since six peal to help fill the Christmas bags for the soldiers. On Christmas months of age, Elizabeth, who morning there will be a Christmas died April 15, 1877, Philip S., tree in every cantonment in the country furnished by the Red Cross with whom he lived at the time and every boy is to receive a Christmas bag. The Grand Rapids of his death. chapter and auxiliary have been given 2,000 Christmas bags to fill riage he purchased a small Already 800 have been filled and farm one mile west of Alto. sent to France, leaving 1200 to be furnished for the boys in service in The Lowell Community Comfort Fund committee needs your help.

We want the name and address of every Lowell man now in the service of our country in

List of articles for the Christmas far of death. He leaves to Annual meeting will be held member of this committee of bags: Comb, writing pad, envelopes, mourn, three children, six next Monday evening, Dec. 10.

The names of the boys you know the names of the boys you know who have gone from here.

The names of this committee of bags: Comb, writing pad, envelopes, the names of the boys you know the names of the names of the boys you know the names of the names of the boys you know the names of the names of the names of the boys you know the names of the names mik chocolate, nut chocolate, chew- grandchildren and two brothing gum, dates in packages, figs in ers in DesMoines, Iowa, and a packages, wafers in packages, hard host of friends. candy in packages, pipe, tobacco, eigarette papers, playing cards, dominoes, checkers, tooth brush, MRS. LAURA ROLF DEAD Talcum powder, tooth paste, trench mirror, bouillon cubes, bachelor Funeral at the Congregational buttons, sardines, tin can preserves, handkerchiefs.

Mrs. F. E. White.

four hundred dollars to aid the work of the Army and Navy "Y." They need jobs. Can't you do somerning? Phone 2-2 rings for help. We will resident of Lowell for several to the past eight years. She was a resident of Lowell for several to setting forth the needs of the past eight years. The men of the country resident of the was united in marriage to Orson M. Rolf May 18, 1897. sponded so promptly to their first To this union were born six call that they were unable to properly provide for them and limited the number from Michigan to 30 ceded her to the spirit world in

4th degree will be given, also an-nual election of officers. If you want an office, come. If not, you'd better come anyway.
Will the kitchen captains please

ake charge of the refreshments? Mrs. N. M. O'Beirne, Lecturer. Diamonds at Stocking's, adv

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is ready the ripe old age of 88 years, 10 with a full line of

He came to Michigan when i

At the age of 12 years he

children were born: William

Shortly after his second mar

est, clean, moral life and had no

Church. Burial at Oakwood.

Laura Johnson was born in

Lowell, March 29, 1878, and de-

survived by the husband, four

children, one sister and one

Funeral services were held at

the Congregational church Sun-

day at 2 p. m., Rev. A. H. Lash officiating; burial at Oakwood.

GRATTAN CENTER

School was closed Thursday and

Friday for Thanksgiving vacation.

Friday for Thanksgiving vacation.
Leo Brownell was home over Sunday from Cedar Springs.
Mr. and Mrs. Jake Ockerburg have sold their home to Julius Osmer and left for Florida, where they will spend the winter. A farewell party was held for them Wednesday night at Lessiter's hall. Cards and dancing were the amusements of the evening.

of the evening.

Miss Evelyn Brownell spent the
week end with Miss Beryl Mason of

Miss Cassie Madison returned last week from Sparta, where she had been attending school. Mesdames Ruth Burbano and

Mesdames Ruth Burbano and Verta Thompson spent Thanksgiving with the latter's mother at Ada.
Fred C. Matice and Gren Manning of Grand Rapids visited Mrs. S. W. Matice Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Glen Spicer and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lessiter were the Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Storey of Lowell.
J. I. Norton is in Grand Rapids working for the Voight Milling Co. Mr. and Mrs. Julius Osmer are moving into their new home.

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sider all offers. Big chance of a life time for a bargain.— /INEGAR, Lowell. Mary Kridler, 2265 Clyde Parke ave., Grand Rapids. Come and bring your Bibles.

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to fill gaps in other army units. a pint bottle from beneath his hat.

hey look at your ad. Talk strong on washtubs. And you'll find every woman in his vicinity who has been getting along with a rickety washtub for years and years will buy a new one from you. That's creative business

Charles to by F. C. C.

State and General News Section of Ledger

Compiled and Condensed for Readers of Lowell and Environs

insurance, persons located in Europeon countries, is being discouraged by the Foreign-born soldiers with relatives

still in Europe form almost half the AMERICAN RAINBOW DIVISION. VALUE MICHIGAN HAS total of the men who up to date have In a surprisingly large number of ses these foreign beneficiaries are

SOLDIERS SAVE MOST OF PAY residing in Germany, Austria and VOYAGE MADE WITHOUT MISHAP Bulgaria, the countries the allies are Approximately 75 Per Cent of Wage warring against, and in Poland,, Rus-The objection to these beneficiaries is that in case of the soldier's death it would be difficult, and frequently county taxes in reached the relatives' hands, in the

able December 1, are assessed on the to follow after the war. As compiled from the reports of the Dickman Sent to Camp Greene. county assessors in all counties by the Maj. Gen. J. T. Dickman, until No. of troops from Michigan, Wisconsin, ates such property to his own use or to the use of another person who is to the use of another person who is not entitled thereto, without having approximately \$400,000,000 more property.

erty to him, is guilty of larceny. Sec. has been added in Wayne county. tional army division in the making to of the Michigan brigade of the federal.

moving toward France at an early men have been moved to the seaboard Famine Threatens in Revoit-Swept to the undersea craft. The next week the war. Concentration and the climit Moses. It was not a mob; there was partment that some of his staff officers ment covers a large movement that henchmen of the tormer czar are slow-No city in Michigan is saving so ilar capacities there. Such a request | weeks. The next stage will be actual | control of the nation, according to disarge a percentage of its earnings as is very likely, according to men who occupation of front line branches. patches from Petrograd. The corre-Ington Street, Opposite Residence, and no women, with an average earn- gard for members of his staff. be more sectional in character, the graphs that Gen. Kaledines, hetman of ing capacity per man considerably be-

Approximately 75 per cent of the Every lawyer in the state of Michi- Secretary Baker has announced that Russia.

most cut in two by the allotments to families and other dependents. This is compulsory.

M. Peel, Hartwell, Ga.; Sergeant Andrew Engstrom, Fort Sill, Okla., Prince and immediately upon their confirmation they will begin the resonance of the Bible given by the Families and other dependents.

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This is advisory committee of lawyers for the chief in the incensing of most of the chief in the incensing is compulsory.

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There is blessing in being a retainer for helping a registrant in preparing his questionnaire, nor will be in the hands of milk commission.

Establishment of milk stations

There is blessing in being and joy in being a hearer. The next big item in the saving pro. he be permitted to accept money for throughout the city is recommended and villages in search of food. A disgram is insurance. When the matter appearing before a district board in by the commission. At these stations, patch from Copenhagen says that adhas been properly presented to the men enough will probably be taken appeal has also been made for milk to carry away with them, thereby sia is on the verge of a civil war. men enough will probably be taken to bring the total of premium payments in camp among the present members to more than \$100,000 a members to more than \$100,0

So if any parents believe their boys Rumors of epidemics of disease in tributors and consumers agreed to ac to leave the Russian capital the more breaking away from the guiding camp MacArthur which have made cept the new schedule when the common are both exports and imports, the govern many parents write to commanding of the Y. M. C. A. and the many parents write to commanding of the co

are used.

CONTROL OF A STATE AND ADDRESS OF THE STATE OF THE STATE

ze that after the month's supply are exaggerated tales of deaths in the Michigan seems destined to succeed are men who are awaiting discharge ence of the Cuban sugar commission ence of the Cuban sugar commission markable jump in values.

Michigan seems destined to succeed the country of the Pennsylvania's proud place as leading for coldiers.

Topmost figures during Civil • Over 5,000 Electric Signs in Heart of laration of the United States government laration of the Word of the Lord, No-

Custer Division Will See Service.

To the southward, in the region of Sign of the southward division from which the depleted ranks ried on rapidly, however, several com-

A new Y M. C. A. building is being May Re-organize M. E. & W. R. R. opened at the base hospital for the

INCLUDING MICHIGAN MEN, ARRIVES SAFELY.

Official Notice of Large Troop

Michigan which became due and pay- jumbled-up conditions that are bound Washington.-America's rainbow division is in France, along with other national guard units. They represent a total of 31 states. The rainbow division is composed The change is an advancement for | (The Michigan unit in the rainbow

rines, shortage of troop and supply BOLSHEVIKI RULE IS FAILURE that the German submarine campaign globe are assembled here.

grouping of the old divisional organi- the united Cossacks, has complete poszation having been adhered to as session of the gold reserve of the old Washington-Two American soldiers

save, not only in Michigan, but throughout the country.

The payroll to enlisted men is about The payroll to enlisted men is about The payroll to enlisted men is about The severely wounded, all also of the payroll to enlisted men is about The severely wounded, all also of the payroll to enlist the payroll the payroll to enlist the payroll the payroll the payroll to enlist the payroll t

Committees Fix Price of Cane Product

ban ports plus an estimated 30 cents

active service, but the war department has given assurance that at least 15 days' notice will intervenue.

Some of the training camps for physicians will be closed for the winter but will be reopened in the spring, so the surgeon-general's office must so the surgeon-general's office must have the necessary data in hand within the next few weeks that it may allow sufficient time for the neophytes to put suffic their business in order before doffing vision and will become a part of the Likewise, on the southern base, the and in which the robbers made their gambling and graft in Italian colonies Among Those Receiving Commissions What is God worth to me? Worship serve corps regimentals.

Signal battalion.

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Wet Beans Can Be Canned. May Suspend Courts to Aid Draft. School Plans to Purchase Farm.

SENT TO GERMANY BY

London-A Copenhagen dispatch to he Exchange Telegraph company says the Swedish legation at Petrograd has agreed, at Leon Trotzky's request, verse 70 of the preceding chapter, and and Germany and already has sent to the Berlin foreign office a note proffer. you will find that the temple had just

vember 25, according to the admiralty broke out.

have set themselves. the German intriguers in Petrograd be | tinctly."

monarchy and of the food supply of all were killed and five seriously wounded in an encounter with Germans, No U.S. NOW CONTROLS ALL IMPORTS against sickness or accident. The

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Government Purchases Force

Pork Price to \$50 a Barrel.

was that action by congress should be in harmony with the policy of the executive branch of the government.

EMBARGO PUT ON EXPORT STEEL over, they were to seek the refreshment of food and drink. Indeed, the joy of the Lord was to be their at \$4.90 Per 100 Pounds.

• Chicago-Pork sold here last * laration of war on Germany, Senator Eastern Roads Will Divert Cars for

ors for the reserve staff.

A insistent call from the government

A in A insistent call from the government donated a stereoptic machine to be sugar committee that American beet ple were instructed to show their graftor 10,000 more medical men has led to installed in one of the Knights of Co. sugar is moving steadily and satisfac Captured Same Day-\$37,000 Taken is dered cut off Monday evening. This stored, on the ground and in cars at tude as well as their plety by remem-

ered mainly through the efforts of

Medics to Complete Studies.

1'ort lluron—The chamber of comnurse in the home of Eugene Mishau ond Heutenants, about equally divided.

May Re-organize M. E. & W. R. R.

Exasperated by service which is benefit of patients there.

Camp Custer soldiers soon may be duling on venison. Orders have been issued from the game warder's office at Lansing to all game warder's office and mail service from three trains and mail service from three trains and mail service from three trains (ach way a day to one train. The only incoming train, due at 12:35 p. m., has bout equivalent in eight to been arriving from two to four hours in the first terms of the first terms o

LESSON FOR DECEMBER 9

The first day of the seventh mouth (8:2) was about October 444 B. C. Seven days feast (vv. 15-18) was the east of the Tabernacles beginning the 15th of the seventh month (Octo eight days (Lev. 23). Nehemiah was the governor: Ezra the scribe, chief priest; and Artaxerxes, king of Persla, ruler over Palestine. It would be interesting to look up the sudden interjection of Ezra's name into this discourse: also the special reasons for of the daily events of that week

LESSON TEXT-Nehemiah 8:1, 4, 5, 6,

nto my feet, and a light unto my path.-

sm for the United States dawned ple gathered themselves together as of war, dealing strictly with European operations to draw the crowd togeth-London-Fourteen British merchant matters, for the first time in history, er. The writer of Nehemiah calls the men of 1,600 tons and over, and seven It is an epochal event giving the Uni- book "the law which the Lord hath of less than 1,600 tons, were sunk by ted States a place in world affairs she commanded unto Moses." (See v. 1 mines or submarines week ending No- had never known before this war cf. v. 14.) This, of course, would in-Sixteen nations, representing more onomy, an indication as to the Mosaic Two weeks ago it was announced than nine-tenths of the area of the authorship of the Pentateuch, which is had utterly collapsed. Only one large The object of the conference is to Christ made that it was God who had boat and five small ones fell victims put unity of action in the conduct of written it as he had commanded the U-boats accounted for 10 large nation of waste and useless energy in organization and equipment. (See v. both economic and military affairs so 3 and 4.) The Bible was also read so According to compiled figures the that victory might be achieved at the that the people could understand it total British ships losses during the earliest possible moment is the pur- (v. 2); certainly something that is in

The situation in Russia gives added | people, for he stood on an elevation be sent to Camp Greene to act in sim- has been in progress for several ly mobilizing their forces to regain TWO MORE SAMMIES KILLED importance to the meeting Should above them (v: 5) and read "dissuccessful in their peace efforts, the II. The Reading of the Word. They is Camp Custer, a "city" of 30,000 men know the general and his strong re- Guard units to be sent later will spondent of the Morning Post tele-England, France, Italy and the other mentary or quarterly, though these allies would be increased to a maxi have value in their place. The readfor but not a worship of the book.

members to more than \$100,000 a month.

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camp will be used only to train men forced the colored trooper to extract exempted from the draft while come ed for a particular cause it will be scalds and shock. He was taken to the they will report for the assignments rejoiced us.—Richter. pleting their studies. | samaritan hospital, where he died. | they received in sealed orders.

been arriving from two to four hours that of a bomb, though a trifle larger, age had made the canning outlook poor.

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is a compound of "worth" and "ship."

HEART OF THE SUNSET By Rex Beach

| fight for their liberties. They say the | her dominant emotion was at the mo- | "What-? You are telling me the gringos are killing all the old people ment she could not tell. Once her first truth?" A moment, then Alaire con- Alpena County First in Retaining Blaze took the speaker by the shoul- everyone, in fact, except the girls, glddiness had passed, however, once tinued, more calmly, "If that is so, der and faced him about. "Look here," whom they take with them. Already the truth had borne in upon her, she there is all the more reason why I said he, "I'm beginnin' to get wise to they have begun the most horrible found that she felt no keen anguish, should lose no time." you. I believe you're—the man in the practices. Why, at Espinal"—Dolores' and certainly no impulse to weep. "Listen!" The general was deeply case." When Daye nodded, he vented eyes were round—"would you believe Rather she experienced a vague horror, in earnest. "You have no conception his amazement in a long whistle. After it?—those Yankee soldiers ate a baby! such as the death of an acquaintance of the chaos out there." He waved a a moment he asked, "Well, why did you They roasted the little dear like a or of a familiar relative might evoke. comprehensive gesture. "If the explowant me to come here alone, ahead of cabrito and ate it! I tell you, it makes Ed had been anything but a true hus- sion has not come, it will come within wild talk among the peladors." band, and her feeling now was more a few hours. That is why I flew to than five years ago the county of Al- ber 39.2 per cent of the 41 cars of "Because I want you to know the Do you believe such stories?" for the memory of the man he had your side. Battleships are hurrying to- pena, in northwestern Michigan, drew wheat received at the Detroit market whole inside of this thing so that you Alaire inquired, with some amusement, been, for the boy she had known and ward our coast, troops are massing ridicule and a horse-laugh from the were infected with stinking smut, can get busy when I'm gone; because I "Um-m-not altogether. But, all the loved, than for the man whose name against our border, and Mexico has old guard and standpats in the farm- while out of ten cars received in the

"What you aimin' to pull off?" Blaze and policies and policies and policies and policies and policies and policies and policies. American and agricultural "specialist" whose similar work, quotes Mr. Rucker, chief "I'm going to find her and bring her "There isn't any war, and there her whole life had changed. She had where and the peons are frantic." He business it would be to advise and inspector for the Detroit Board of "You? Why, Dave, you can't get nervous I'll send you back to Las Pal- embarrassments; she had been pre- greatest upheaval of history." and their neighbors in Presque Isle of Michigan rye carried ergot this diers."

But Dave hardly seemed to hear him.

"You must start things moving at once," he said, urgently. "Spread the notify the authorities. Get every influence at work, from here to head-fluence at work at moment."

Dead! It was deplorable, for Ed was such a moment."

Longorio came closer to her, and his voice trembled as the work at moment."

Longorio came close governor of the state at work. Ells- safely through from Neuvo Pueblo," "How did it happen? Was it—be- harken only to my heart; that for one laughed out of their determination to rid of. The new treatment of wheat worth will help you. And now give "Then I'm glad that he insisted up- cause of me?"

his shaggy head the while. "La Feria ridiculous stories. If they wish the cern and I share your intimate "By rail from Pueblo, yes. But it's fears." barely a hundred, straight from here." | "You think he intends to pay us for while he was drunk, I believe. Now "You ain't got a chance, single-hand- our cattle?" Dave turned a sick, colorless face to Dolores pondered a moment. "Well, why I, of all people, should be the one his friend. "They'll carve a stone for perhaps he does-it is not his money. to impart them." Longorio if I do get through." He For that matter, he would give all Mex- Alaire turned questioning eyes upon called to Montrosa, and the mare came ico if you asked it. Tse! His love him, as if to fathom his meaning, and to him, holding her head to one side consumes him like a fever." he answered her with his brilliant so as not to tread upon her dragging Alaire stirred uneasily; then she smile. Failing to evoke a response, he

rose and went to an open window, went on: "I'm 'most tempted to go with you," which looked out into the tiny patio "Ever since I heard of it I have re-"No. Somebody has to stay here and untended plants. "Why do you insist miracle; it is the will of God,' Come. stir things up. If we had twenty men that he loves me?" she asked. "All then, we know each other so well that like you we might cut our way in and Mexicans are gallant and pay absurd we may speak frankly. Let us be honout, but there's no time to organize, compliments. It's just a way they have, est and pretend to no counterfeit emoand, anyhow, the government would He has never spoken a word that could tions. Let us recognize in this only probably stop us. I've got a hunch give offense," As Dolores said noth- your deliverance and the certainty of that I'll make it. If I don't-why, it's ing, she went on, hesitatingly, "I can't that blessed happiness which divine The two men shook hands lingering- possess even a receipt to show that he "Both?" she reported, dully. ly, awkwardly; then Blaze managed to took those cattle." wish his friend luck. "If you don't "Oh, you must not offend him," Do- heart. You have read me. You undercome back," he said, with a peculiar lores agreed, hastily, "or we'd never stand how I have throttled my long-

catch in his voice, "I reckon there's leave Mexico alive." With which cheer- ings and remained mute while all my enough good Texans left to follow your ing announcement the housekeeper being called to you." lapidated ferry, he gained the Mexican Alaire received him in the great naked am amazed. This is no time-" Her shall be unharmed." He would not per The others have "come in" as a result state will replace the old farmers in your desire, determine to begin a side. Once across, he rode straight up toward the village of Romero. When lest attempt at formality. But her toward the village of Romero. When lest attempt at formality. But her own voice, causing her to stammer.

| An annized. This is no time— He would not per indignation rose with the sound of her own voice, causing her to stammer. Some consist of hardy, herbaceous border. This should while fallen leaves make a good compost heap, they do not improve the soil summer of the work of the temporary distincts have been arranged for by the own voice, causing her to stammer.

lage had thoroughly awakened to his such incredible things have happened, back at once." in the heart of a foreign country. Mex- hand but mine shall comfort her. Only | "It is true. Mexico is a seething cal- for a moment; then she said: ico had swallowed him.

As the afternoon heat subsided, Mont
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the men who acted as emergency agents appointed in a hurry, without me to leave my own house?" rosa let herself out into a freer gait in her breast new hope, new happi- "Do you mean to say that war has "For the time being, exactly."

of cactus and dagger, of thorn and quired, sharply. "You say you bring

of blazing colors, but for the time it failed to thrill him. In that welter of red. Red! That was the color of blood; it stood for passion, lust, viocolor for this land of revolutions and alarms. At first he saw little else—except the hint of black despair to follow. But there was gold in the sunset, too-the yellow gold of ransom! That was Mexico-red and yellow, blood and gold, lust and license. Once the rider's fancy began to work in this fashion, it would not rest, and as the sunset grew in splendor he found in it richer meanings. Red was the color of a woman's lins-yes, and a woman's hair. The deepening blue of the high sky overhead was the hue of a certain woman's eves. A warm, soft breeze out of the west bent into his face, and he remembered how warm and soft Alaire's breath had been upon his cheek. The woman of his desires was yonder, where those colors warred, and she was mantled in red and gold and

CHAPTER XX.

women and children."

in his arms once more before the end. Ing his hearer's growing bewilderment, cost of imported foodstands should in-

her throat; her eyes were wide as she most important source of its prosper- hind in her.

So he was gone and, Longorio said, a frenzy; they are out of bounds; there cent and unsuspecting world that it ing smut.

he will be here today and quiet their dained by God. His end was the result

with its trickling fountain and its rank, peated over and over again, 'It is a very well refuse to see him, for I don't providence offers us both." "Need I be plainer? You know my

cheeks colored with anger. "General!" "Death? Who—Is Dead?"

challenged by an undersized soldier coolness served not in the least to chill Taking advantage of her loss of that you may comprehend fully why; field men employed to help cope with of these, in a few of the northern ing bulbs and perennlals. As such until they are decayed. Do not dig uncertainly, cursing under his breath the greatest importance. They have the overbearing airs of all gringos. Nor been upon my tongue for hours, but the overbearing airs of all gringos. Nor been upon my tongue for hours, but tions—they are less than nothing to victorious sons the name of Luis Long favor of keeping someone on the job have these schools follow: New Richdid the rider trouble to make the slight- now that I behold you I grow drunk me. If it seems to you that my eager- gorio will be sung the loudest, for upon permanently. This has left 32 count mond, Ganges, Gilead, Quincy, Cali- aphis or bark-louse, wash the trunk quires water regularly. est detour, but cantered the full length with delight and my lips frame nothing hess carries me away, remember that him more than upon any other depends ties still without agents, though as fornia, Munroe, Riggsville, Wolverine, and lower branches with soapsuds or those who saw him, soldiers and civilians alike, it was evident that this into effect. That is why I cannot wait tions before the present year ends.

The past is the North. It should be removed to a line of us object to whitening the into effect. That is why I cannot wait tions before the present year ends. gone, the present is here, the future to speak. The struggle will be long, That such a cordial reception of the Grand Haven, Coopersville, Berlin. Order trees, seeds, plants and nurpotent than a bodyguard, and Dave "Well, I hardly know where to begin said, warmly. Then, changing her tone: Under other circumstances the man's quarters most confident of its ultimate ton, Decatur, Hartford, Gobbleville, exactly what you ask for.

Law was one of these. Before the vil
-events have moved so swiftly, and "I too must act quickly. I must go magnificent egotism might have pro
success.

Lacota, South Haven, Covert Reese, Remember that nothing "just hap-

The roads were unfenced, the mea- The general nodded. "In a way, ter- BERMUDA IN FOOD CRUSADE BIRDS WOULD CONSERVE FOOD devoted so much energy to keeping buttermakers and creamery managers

of agriculture of Bermuda has issued grosbeaks and other bird benefactors voting an appropriation for continua- the dairy faculty of the college, and leaslet for general distribution they would save \$15,000,000 a year in tion of the office. "The government is most anxious Philadelphia North American states. has been well borne out by the report M. A. C. Feels High Cost of War. that farmers and others realize the He made a plea for the birds as a showing 51 counties definitely com- More than any other educational increased in the future, add very great- birds would consume 3,600 tons of in Kalamazoe, Aliegan, St. Clair, Branch, other items incident to the conduct of

grow with economy, and to have a surthee places of the thickets, the hollow son, Washtenaw, Wexford and Case. lege three years ago. plus to sell. By so doing he can great- trees and other natural resting places y reduce his own cost of living and for the birds which have disappeared. at the same time lessen the colony's dependence on imported foods. The high

With his head high and his face arm. "No matter how I tell you, it will foods, and a market would seem to following passage in which Higginson lets of High Records and Mate safe way to raise hens that lay a large agleam, he rode into the west, into the be' a blow, for death is always sud- be assured, especially for potatoes, writes home from Malta occurs: "You With Best Males. den; it always finds us unprepared." both Irish and sweet, and pigs." have heard, I dare say, of the adventure of the Fury steam vessel which The hen as we have her today has WORK TO INCREASE PROFITS One of the most prosperous agriculnoitering Sebastopol. The Russians
tural districts in France at the pressallied out with three frigates, and the

reconstruction of the most prosperous agriculnoitering Sebastopol. The Russians
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Bring Higher Prices. "Someone very close to you and very days after their arrival at La Feria."

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"The solution of the control of the edge of your long unhappiness alone not far from Marseilles, and therefore could not sink, for after taking the thing like good type and breeding toand that the American soldiers have gives me courage to speak."

far distant from the scene of war.

crew out as prisoners she found that day may average 140 eggs a year. work for poultry to increase the prof-

By DR. G. H. COONS, ecialist in Plant Diseases, Michigan Agricultural College. Agriculturists Now Are Employed East Lansing, Mich.-A few weeks ago one of the greatest of the nation's in 51 Counties—Only Few grain buyers branded Michigan wheat as about the smuttiest appearing on he market. Whereupon there were

many staunch defenders of Michigan's fair name who ruffled up in high NORK WAS STARTED IN 1912 adgeon at what they deemed a slur upon Michigan agriculture. Nevertheless the fact remains that Michigan Trained Worker to Co-operate smutty. Confirmation of this has re cently come from Detroit. Dr. N. Kopeloff, who has been assisting in the smut eradication work

From Office of Publications, Michigan in Michigan-detailed to this state by risen like one man. The people are in ing game by announcing to a compla- first days in October, four had stinkwon't be any. However, if you are never thought of this way out of her paused impressively. "We face the work with farmers in Alpena county Trade, as stating also that 80 per cent pared, in fact, for anything except this. "Then why are you here?" Alaire de- and Montmorency. The experiment year. The ruling of the board is to

"Glory of God! It would be the end Dead! It was deplorable, for Ed was manded. "This is no place for you at was undertaken at the suggestion of reduce the grade of rye one point if it smile from you I would behead myself; give the county-agent plan a trial. A for this disease has been tried everyon sending them with us. Now tell the "No, no! Rest your mind on that fatherland; that for your kiss I would be tray my fatherland; that for your kiss I would their experiment by Iron, Kent and tions have been followed, excellent Blaze emptied his pockets, shaking ranch-hands to put no faith in these score. See! I understand your conface damnation. Well, I am here at Kalamazoo counties—and with them results have come.

is a hundred and fifty miles in," he re- truth let them ask General Longorio; thoughts. No, it was an accident, or- your side. The deluge comes, but you now are a half-hundred others. County Agent Smith of Kent tells ~ The public, however, has thus far of a case of where the grain was bading with these derogatory plaints | Certain county men have found that | time of Ignorance or neglect. stands the report issued a few days the directions carry the idea that 50 . A pretty combination in the way of

> there are no bad agents; some are bed. Wherever the drill had planted hanging in the trees, remove them, oughly saturated. 1912 have joined with the college and stand was perfect and the color and the scale.

With Farmers in Building

Up Agriculture.

opportunity being given the state to Talk to Buttermakers.

conduct is detected, the responsible also meet with and work with the

ockerels from good laying strains near Hamilton, Ontario.

Russian prize while on a cruise recon- producer. The Juggle fowl from which No Better Time During Year Than in





foiled in their designs by a wide-awake agricultural leader. Contrast-now use no other."

one test of ms grain successfully, and sore. Better demolish the window gar-den than to mock nature with the vic-

gan took the pledge) that as a rule deep planting in a rather poor seed. If you find bunches of dead leaves, the soil and ball of roots are thor aerely better than others. at the proper depth, as in the harder. They contain destructive young An ever-blooming plant is the im-Of these 51 counties which since better packed portions of the field, the larvae. Spray if you see evidence of patiens sultani. It forms a compact If leaves strew the lawn, do not de- sunny window.

called upon to question its nature. "What is it you have to tell me?" she county ngent plan would be encount- Jamestown, Zeiland, Holland, Fair sery stock early and secure the va-There are men who carry an air more asked him, withdrawing her hand. "Indeed, you forget yourself," she hours of darkness." ered was hardly looked for even in Haven, China, Burchville, Colon, Law-rieties you want, the best stock and evergreen and other trees and burn

lage had thoroughly awakened to his coming he was gone, without a glance coming he was gone, which we grant he was gone coming he was go

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Springs, Crant, Ironton, Lawto any species of mosquito known to dipterto any species of mos When Romero was at his back he you good news and bad news; some voice was vibrant with contempt. "I'm ous—a real personality, and no mere the fault can be laid not to the county rence. St. Johns, Schoolcraft, Sturgis, hazard methods of embellishing the than 35 as described as natives of Euternoon while as many as 100 different rode for a mile or two through a region thing to startle you and set your brain in no condition to listen to anything swaggering pretender. Alaire felt a gent idea but to either the man who Ludington, Athens, China, Fair Haven, home. of tiny scattered farms and neglected garden patches, after which he came garden patches garden patches, after which he came garden patche out into the mesquite. For all the signs he saw, he might then have been in the heart of a foreign country. Mexically considering, however, that most of the heart of a foreign country. Mexically considering however, that most of the salvia seeds for the beds exposed to some are known by the Spanish name of mosquite.

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Among the plants that seldom ma- while others are content with the title

A Development of the Old-Fashioned Pink Which Is Again a Favorite.

already killed more than a thousand Alaire raised her fluttering fingers to

But the war is to this district the one unfortunate man had been left be
There are, of course, 200-egg hens and its than during the winter months.

To make a vise in the woods, cut a The desire of power in excess caused women and children."
Who tells you this? Alaire asked, "The men—evrybody," Dolores waved a hand in the direction of the other ranch buildings, "Our people are buzzing like bees with the news, and, of course, no one cares to work when of course, no one cares to work when affilish."

If shall have to put an end to such talk."

This morning the word came that the revolution is ended and that the revolution is ended and that the revolution is ended and that the soldlers of both parties are uniting to soldlers of both parties are uniting to soldlers of both parties are uniting to sold and wood sapling, leaving a few that have Sade records much ligher. But these high records are by no means common.

Saving Home Garden Surplus.

Often in the home garden there are housing and feeding methods will not with life, but the said: "You don't mean.—Mr. Austin?"

The average keeper of hens will never do much better at present, and it's up to our readers to repa the harves; A litle never at the said process, neither closely, no sit to measure the effect of his disclosure. "Senora, you are free!"

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Good Care.

Citizens Phone 162.

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meeting of the Brotherhood or

ie church parlors. Myron H. Wal-

Foley's Honey and Tar.

Miss Jennie Joseph spent

THE LOWELL LEDGER

SIX MONTHS.

50c Pat's parlor. Anyhow there's a deal of comfort in a fat pig singles and less than 2 months, per copy...35 come Christmas time, Irish or with no mishap whatever, where

NOTE:—All past due subscriptions up to December 1, 1916, will be figured at the old rate of \$1.00 per year. After that date the new rate of \$1.50 will be in effect.—Publisher. That portion of Belgium oc-cupied by the Germans has been main for a time. George purchased and fully equipped a Ford to take the trip. All are well and enjoying denuded of its woods, fences the time. and shade trees. A stupendous Mrs. Edith Skinner of Ionia came Treason is to be defined so task awaits the people who re- last Wednesday to spend Thanks-

Recently, we read that car-

loads of potatoes and other veg-

etables have been allowed to

freeze and rot, while being held

for exorbitant prices by Chica-

go food pirates. It is refreshing

now to read that Youngtown,

Ohio, authorities have seized

and sold 6,000 bushels of po-

tatoes being held in that city

under like conditions; and the

onsumer got them at \$1.35 per bushel. It is time these high-lif

robbers had a few lessons; and

a punch in the purse will do for

That Crawfordville man who

wrecked a telephone booth be

cause he could not get Central

was certainly reckless; bu

many who have waited long

when time was precious, only

to be told at last "Busy!" and

"Busy!" "Busy!" again and

again, while people with noth-

ing to do gossiped about their

felt. Fortunately, few people

can afford to vent their dis

pleasure in the expensive Craw

Native Alaskans are not up on

Sunday school gave \$25 for the

Armenian relief fund, much of

the money being earned by children picking cranberries. When

the poor Indians of the northern

wilds, try to mitigate the suffer-

ing caused by the Germans and

their unspeakable allies, it is

time for Kaiser Bill to recall a

One of Edison's assistants spent nearly a day figuring the

cubic contents of an electric

light bulb. The old man did it

in two minutes by breaking off

the tip, filling the bulb with

water and measuring the water. The young man will learn the

difference between putter and

work if he stays with Thomas

So much is said about "Calor-

ies" by food experts that it is well to know that "A calorie of

nutrition is equivalent to the

amount of heat sufficient to

raise the temperature of one

pint of water 4 degree Fahren-

heit." Now, the housewives

Washington itself is peppered

with Alien enemies of high and

low degree, who are to be driv

en from the District of Colum-

bia. It is to be hoped their re-

moval will not be attended with

danger to the rest of the coun-

try. Moving a pest does not des-

Tell it to Hoover: Bananas

are being hoarded to raise

prices. A week or so since we

noted the arrival in New York

of a shipload at a cost of less

than two cents per doezn. Can't the people get a square deal

Greek troops are taking their places at the front against the northern barbarians. May the spirit of Marathon and Ther-

mopylae be theirs.

will know just how to prepare

long forgotten word-shame!

fordville manner.

Treason is to be defined so lask awars the people who re-clearly and so universally made build where the Hun has de-and remained until Sunday. She known, if General John A. John- stroyed. son has his way, that every man, Wonder how Bill Kaiser likes her. Floyd Lang and daughter woman and child in the country will know just what it is and conduct himself accordingly or take the consequences. According to one authority, 5 per cent ing to one authority, 5 per cent in the country will know just what it is and conduct himself accordingly or take the consequences. According to one authority, 5 per cent in the country will know just what it is and conduct himself accordingly or take the consequences. According to one authority, 5 per cent it.

Wonder how Bill Kaiser likes her. Floyd Lang and daughter Orma took them home.

Elmer Lane of Ionia was a guest at the Lang home Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kirby and daughter Amy and Mrs. Hattie Abbott of Saranac, Charles Davenport

of our population are disloyal and responsible for the loss of and responsible for the loss of Bozung spent Thanksgiving day at Bozung spent Thanksgiving day at Carrie Niles spent Friday with Mrs. A. C. vannetter and Carrie Niles spent Friday with Mrs. millions of dollars' worth of foreign language in Chicago the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson food supplies, munitions of war and many lives. To permit a continuation of this treasonal lish is still being taught there.

In the foreign language in Chicago the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Davenport of Keene.

Mr. and Mrs. Froyd Parrott and Stanley visited at Chas. Freyermuth's at Lowell last Wednesday evening.

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Mrs. Matic Russell and Chas. Rolling at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ployd Parrott a it is up to the loyal 95 per cent | Wisconsin farmers, wise to few days. of patriotic, loyal humanity- conditions, have gathered a sur-

loving people to see that it is plus of seed corn. Less fortun-HICKORY CORNERS ate states will be glad of the asate states will be glad of the asMis. M. H. Foster returned to her Miss Lucy Parrott attended



Christmas Gifts for Men

66 | | SEFUL GIFTS" takes on a new meaning this month; there is no place in the scheme of things now-a-days for any but gifts of service.

There is no store that better meets the "Hoover" idea of giving for men than this store for man and boy. As usual, we are prepared with the many articles a man desires.

No family or friend of "Soldier Boy" gifts send a cheerful Christ- Wool Hose, 30c to 65c mas reminder from Sweaters. \$3 and \$7

EARLHUNTER

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F. M. JOHNSON, Editor and Prop.

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The doctors do when there are no propositions for appendix to the first purple of more operations for appendi- Will Rockwell and son of Grand one management
Phones: Office, No. 200; citis? No great gain without Bapids were Sunday visitors of their father and grandfather, Mr. Ireland had nearly a million from her brother and sister, Mr. pigs last June; but contrary to and Mrs. A. G. Steketee, accompanyall nations, they don't all live in ing their son George and family on

they spent a week, and are now en-route to Miami, where they will re-

was joined by her daughter and

husband Saturday to return with

nes as long as any other. **Black Silk Stove Polish**

in the church Thursday morning.

Mort Teeple and sister Naida of
Southwest Cascade spent Sunday

Mrs. John Freeman and baby
turned home last week from
Lowell hospital.

Elroy Schwarder and fai bott of Saranac, Charles Davenport and family of Keene, Mrs. Helen Davenport of Detroit and Lewis supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ar- Frank Quick has moved his fa thur Brown of Alto Sunday even- ily to Cascade.

home in Grand Rapids Saturday, party given by the lota Nu club at Lowell Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blakesle and Mr. and Mrs. John Schwab vis- Quickly Ended by a Pleasant Germ-killing Antiseptic. ited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Philo The little Hyomei inhaler is made Friday with his uncle, Albert of hard rubber and can easily be carried in pocket or purse. It will last a lifetime. Thursday with Miss Bessie Smith.

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This is absorbed by the antiseptor.

This is absorbed by the antiseptor. tertained with a Thanksgiving din-

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Foster entic gauze within and now you are Thanksgiving with he ready to breathe it in over the germ Jack Rockefellow, of ner for the Foster family. Those present were Mrs. M. H. Foster of Grand Bapids, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Foster and family of Detroit Mr. Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Waster and family of Detroit Mr. Grand Bapids and Mrs. Harvey Pettit and family of Holland and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Auble and family of Cascade. This pleasant to breathe.

It is guaranted to banish catarrh, gon, Mrs. Fanny Tucker of was the first time in eleven years bronchitis, sore throat, croup, Odessa and Mrs. Clare Goodsell at main attraction of the day was the It cleans out a stuffed head in two Rev. B. W. Both and lad and Mrs. W. P. Boulard and chil-gists everywhere. Complete outfit, including in spent Thursday with haler and one bottle of Hyomei, mother near Lake (Lowe and daughter Laura costs but little, while extra bottles Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rot Bowne Center and Mr. and Mrs. if afterward needed, may be ob- Mrs. Albert Bedell and son Ber tained of any druggist. Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and CANNONSBURG

Certificates of perfect attendance of South Lowell. were given out last Friday. Harry H. Lowrey visited our Do You Care How Your Pri-W. J. Filkins is making his home Hartwell of Cannonsburg, were with his sister Emma during his If so. The Ledger print united in the bonds of matrimony brother's sojourn in Oregon. her daughter, Mrs. Carl Young, at Silver Lake, the immediate relatives being present, Carl Hartwell of being present, Carl Hartwell of served. Mich., where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hartwell and other relatives. They will be at home after February 1, at Bockford, Mich. Mrs. Fern Waldron and Walter

Eva Conklin was in Ionia one day last week.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hubbel of Oregon, a daughter. They were formerly of this place.

future.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Inwood were entertained Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Pennington at Silver Lake.

Lenard Weber of Camp Custer spent Thanksgiving at the home of his parants Mr. and Mrs. George

visitors of their son Thomas and family at Silver Lake. Their home Court for the County of Kent. and daughter Mildred. Fred Howard and wife partook of a bountiful Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Haw Howard. Mrs. and that all creditors of said de-

among the guests.

Warren Moore was called to Muskegon by the death of his mother last Tuesday.

We have a said county, at the probate office, in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on or before the 21st day of March, A. D., 1918, and that said claims will be Buckley to a Sunday dinner, after at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Rapids and attended a play.
Mrs. Kate Schemerborn will

August 1987 | Stand 57 |
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Warm I interv spent last Thursday with the latter's sister, Mrs. John King and husband of Lowell and a sister from Evart, Mrs. Wm. Foster, who is visiting at the King home.

I home.

James and Miss Anna Easterby spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lewis of Cascade.

Mrs. Geo. Lewis of Cascade.

Were served.

Mrs. Lawrence went to Grand

WOOD

Wrs. Claude Parker and daughter of Owosso, who have been visiting at Lowell, were supper guests at the home of her father, Chris Bleri, last Friday.

Mrs. Eman Beckwith and son Frank spent Thanksgiving with Charlie Rogers and wife of Lowell.

The wedding bells have rung.

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Elroy Schwarder and family

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ited Thursday with E. McDi

nization of the church will be visited their brother, Frank the church parlors. Myron H. Walker will give an address. A program has been arranged, and everybody is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. S. E. Vannetter of Williamston is visiting her son, Rev. M. C. Vannetter and wife.

Mrs. And Mrs. Golffred Roll, and family spent Thanksgiving the home of the latter's sister Jennisonville.

Mrs. Lewis Schrader entertain her sister, Mrs. Bert Anteliff, in niece Irma of Belding over Sund Other visitors Sunday were Geo Vannetter and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wood spent
Thanksgiving at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Ed. Johnson of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thompson entertained relatives from Grand Rapids Thanksgiving.

Will A. Watterson of Lansing spent Wednesday night and Thursday at his home here.

Thanksgiving services were held in the church Thursday morning.

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Cleaning and Reep the Christren Well To keep the little ones well, sturdy

Seese of Freeport were in town Semiah Seese, daughter Clella It is carefully made of selected remand son Clayton of Freeport edies that loosen and break up a cough, were in lown Monday Home-made Candies. were in town Monday. Edwin Johnson spent Thursday and Friday with his sister, Mrs. Dora Weckerly, at Greenville.

New silk petticoats \$3 to \$6 at Weekes.' adv

Lames Spenger of Lewell has been throat, and it is clean of all narcotics. The premptuse of Foley's Honey and Tar is very helpful for whooping cough, and the realless feverish state that attends children's diseases.

M. T. Davis, Bearsville, W. Va, writes:

"One of my patrons had a small child taken bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar and before moraing the child was entirely recovered."

L. A. Hunt and family spent

Sunday with relatives at Potter-

A velvet collar on that over-

James Spencer of Lowell has bought the Rev. B. W. Mc-

Kibben 30 acre farm in Orleans

Mr. and Mrs. C. E Perrin of Weekes.' adv

ing a few days at the home of in town Saturday.

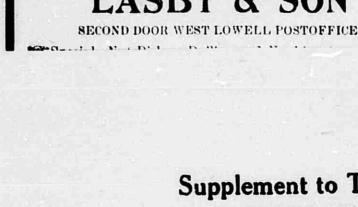
Dr. McQueen.

Miss Jennie Jo

Grand Ledge have been spend- Paul Stuart of Saranac was

Lunch, Meals, Banquet and Special Spreads service still gains in favor. Try it out for yours. You can't

LASBY & SON



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ELMDALE

Ad. Erb was seriously ill day night, with symptoms of dicitis. Dr. Laughlin of will be there now. Sylle is attending her. C Kennell and David Bandiers are loading their hold goods, live stock and aboard cars, which will be the West branch will be on limlay City, where the West ranch will be at Dorothy farms. Perfect Service

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ELMDALE

Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Golds. Mrs. Burr Carr had a severe spell with his brother Perry and in Lansing.

The next Red Cross meeting of the country than all other diseases, meeting of the country than all other diseases of the South Lowell Sunday school will hold their monthly business and social meeting. Triday evening at the social club of the country than all other diseases of the country than all other diseases. The country than all other diseases of the country than all other diseases, and the country than all other diseases of the count Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. There is more Catarrh in this section in Lansing.

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to spend Thanksg ving and were on their way home to Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lee are spending this week on their way home to Grand Rapids.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lee are spending this week on the companion at 7:30 p. m.

Gome and let us worship together. and Mrs. Charlie Howard of Mrs. C. Lampkin. L dies' and men's silk scarfs

boy gone. Good luck to him.

Keene boys are going this and Mrs. C. Verberg spent Thanksgiving with her mother in Lowell.

Thanksgiving with her mother in Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Knee is and take their gans and mas control to the construction of the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Knee is an and Madge Bresnath a ind. May their married life be proposed and. May their married life be proposed and may and may their married life be proposed.

Julia Grinnel of Belding faker very ill at the home of parents, Mr. and Mrs. August proposed faker very ill at the home of parents, Mr. and Mrs. August proposed faker very life and Mrs. Mark Brown in Belding, and Mrs. Mark Brown in Belding, the latter remaining for a loager from Grand Capits for Thanksgiven from Grand From and her mother is caring for her.

Visit.

Mrs. Robert Brock came home for Thanksgiv ng. then returned to Thanksgiv ng. Thank

Al. Pant.

ene young people have started in for Sunday evenings every in for Sunday.

The next meeting will be at in the sunday in the sund and everyone that will will be in the interest in the moved and the C. Start form.

Mrs. C. Verberg received a tester Camp Custer for the week clut.

Mrs. L. B. from Bernie Fowell. He was in Waco, Texas, and Lked it there and guests of relatives here the past week.

Mrs. Leon Hale moved his home folks. He expects to go to his home folks. nor hof the Bailey church;

and Mrs. Leon Hate moved fay to the G. Staal farm.

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by Mill sell the following at the following at Saturday night guests at Weekes, and Weekes,

er mother, Mrs. S. D. Marsh, in cll.

ck Glandville of Cascade spent rday night with his cousin, Pant.

Abraham's.

J. Howard and family spent Thanksing her sister from Chicago. Pant.
r. and Mrs. James Sweet of hd Rapids spent Wednesday and resday with her sister, Mrs. In Holquist.
r. and Mrs. James Henry are entertained from visiting and hunting trip up th. Corwin Cahoon is doing his es.
r. and Mrs. Ed. Parker, son Jay Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson were

giving with John Berg'n in Grand Rapids.
Archie Hettle, Mary Olive Steele, Mrs. Tom Jones and Miss Jeunie Hettle motored to Battle Creek Saturday and returned Sunday.
Mrs. John Quillan is visiting in Belding.
John Woodhead and Miss Tenah DeVries spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Sterzick in South Lowell.
Miss Dorothy Bergin has recovered from a severe attack of quinsy.
Mr. and Mrs. Mike Verlin spent Thanksgiving with his brother Richard in Ada.
Miss Buth Cary entertained the

Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson were Richard in Ada.

Miss Ruth Cary entertained the Miss Ruth Cary entertained the Misses Josie and Helen McCormick and Irma Howard Sunday.

Rev. Robert Douma was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John DeVries on Thanksgiving day.

SSING FREE for a short time, ock-Walker Co., Mfg. Chemists, and Rapids, Mich.

Miss Ruth Cary entertained the Misses Josie and Helen McCormick and Irma Howard Sunday.

Fancy white aprons 25c and 50c at Weekes, adv

Poor Baby!

Little man, aged five, talking to baby brother in the cradle said: "You poor little thing, you hasn't got no mudder, only mamma, and she wor'zs so hard."

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> Knights of Columbus, drew nearly 3000 K. C.'s to Ionia Thanksgiving day, all parts of Ionia and surrounding country being represented. The class initiated eighty-six, half of whom may be called in the next draft. A banquet was given in the evening.
>
> Mrs. Bert Corrigan expects soon leave for her home in Grattan. The farmers around here are threshing their beans.
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> Mrs. Blanche Weeks and son spent several days with her parents in Belding this week.
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> Mrs. Carrie Porter assisted Mrs. Asa Vandenbrock part of last week.
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> A party was given Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Weeks last week Saturday evening as a farewell, as they are moving to Lowell.
>
> N. White, constituting the Township of Lowell.
>
> You are hereby notified, that on the 20th day of November, A. D., 1917, application was made to the County Drain Commissioner of the County of Kent, for the cleaning out, deepening, widening and straightening of a certain drain, known as the Pratt Lake drain, which will traverse the Townships of Lowell and Bowne of Kent County, and affects Boston, of Ionia Secretary A. C. Carton of the

called a meeting of all Michigan | Old Folks Saved called a meeting of all Michigan men interested in sheep raising and of large landowners of the state, for Friday, Dec. 7. The meeting will be held in the Association of Commerce and the possibility of making Michigan M possibility of making Michigan a sheep raising state will be discussed.—Herald.

Police court clerk George M. Reed's report for the month of November shows a total of \$2,009.19 for city and state fines and costs. There were 235 city cases and 106 state cases during the month. Fifty-one persons were committed to the Kent county jail and 19 went to the work-farm. Nincteen others were were held to the superior court.

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Police court clerk George M. N. C., writes: "My kidney trouble was worse at night and to get up at night, and to get up at night, and consider myself in a truly normal condition, which I attribute to Foley Kidney Pills, as I have taken nothing appear for or against said drain approceedings, this being the place designated by said County Drain Commissioner for the purpose of taking Foley kidney Pills are tone, says: "I suffered from kidney all-ments for two years. I commenced taking Foley kidney Pills are tone, says: "I suffered from kidney all-ments for two years. I commenced taking Foley kidney Pills are tone, says: "I suffered from kidney all-ments for two years. I commenced taking Foley kidney Pills are tone, says: "I suffered from kidney all-ments for two years. I commenced taking Foley kidney Pills are tone, says: "I suffered from kidney all-ments for two years. I commenced taking Foley kidney Pills are tone, says: "I suffered from kidney all-ments for two years. I commenced taking Foley kidney Pills are tone, says: "I suffered from kidney all-ments for two years. I commenced taking Foley kidney Pills are tone, says: Townsion on the Lidney all-ments for two years. I commenced taking Foley kidney Pills

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Suits and Overcoats make ideal Christmas gifts \$12 to \$35

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We bought before the prices were as high as they are to-day.

sists of about seventy-five dozpriced at 25c to \$1.00

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\$1.50 to \$3.50.

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Buy Early While the Selection is Best.

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Linen Handkerchiefs

Jersey Sweaters

Sweater Coats

Hockey Caps

John J. Lalley

tained his relatives for Thanksgivspent Thanksgiving with his daughter, Mrs. Ralph Sherwood.
Fur sets and muffs for ladies,

Other Ingraham

Chester Church and wife of Everett were guests at the home of D. A. Church Sunday, enroute for misses and children, at Weekes. California, leaving Monday. Bruce Stocking left this week for Chicago to resume his dento the Noethwestern ited Sunday at Merritt Day's. WEST VERGENNES Capt. Perrin McQueen spent (Too late for last week.) Thanksgiving with his parents here, returning to Camp Custer from a visit with his brother

Ladies' kimonas and bath robes at Weekes,' adv redeemable at any time. Give one to your friends for Christmas. Let us explain it to you. Mr. and Mrs. C. Abel spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. P. DeVries. Mr. and Mrs. Mike Verlin of North Dakota are visiting relatives Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Winegar and daughter of Morrice spent Thanksgiving with his mother, Mrs. C. C. Winegar, returning

Miss Ruth Cary entertained Miss Irene Troy Sunday.

Mrs. Eliza Hettle and son Archie visited Tom Read and family Sunday.

Peter Veenstra and son of East Winegar and Sunday.

John Headworth and family,
Miss Mary Childs and James

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Read motored to Grand Rapids Sunday evening. Wickham of Grand Rapids A number of people from this spent Thanksgiving with Neil vicinity attended the funeral of Peter Byrnes at Parnell Monday. Mrs. Melvin Byrne returned Monameron and family. Holly boxes and ribbons at day from a visit in Chicago and

VERGENNES STATION The annual meeting of the Alton- son and Miss Susie DeVries, all of

The annual meeting of the Altonlergennes Christian church will be
teld at the church Saturday, Dec.
, at 2 p; m., for the election of oficers and any other business.—
larrie Porter, Clerk.

The Gleaner hall at Moseley is
rogressing finely; soon be ready
or lodge.

A few neighbors gathered at the
ome of David Garfield Saturday
vening to bid them good bye.

Mrs. Nora Haynes of Belding is
isiting her sister, Mrs. Verl Weeks
his week.

Mrs. Bert Corrigan expects soon
leave for her home in Grattan.

County, and that on the 26th day of November, A. D., 1917, I was noti-fied by the said Drain Commissioner

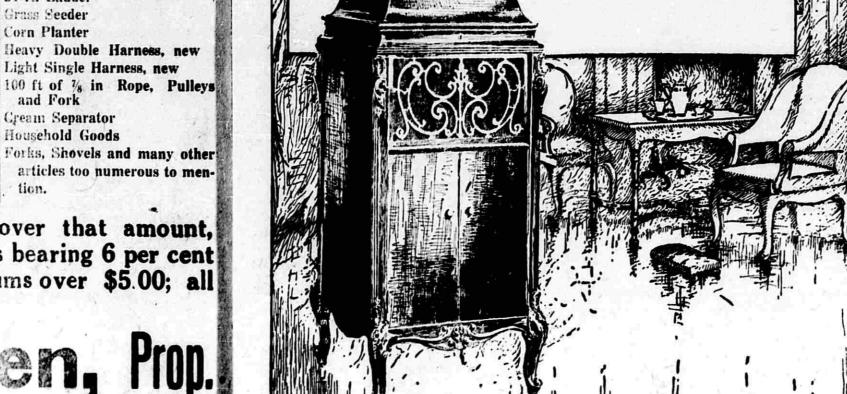
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Lowell Wednesday evening.

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Thomas and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blake

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Friday with his uncle, Al

Miss Lucy Parrott spent

Thursday with Miss Bessie Smi

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Grand Bapids, Mr. and Mrs. F

Foster and family of Detroit

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Auble and family of Cascade.

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that all had been together and

l main attraction of the day was

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clarke,

and Mrs. W. P. Boulard and

dren, Mrs. Chas. Clarke and

daughter and Mr. and Mrs. S.

Lowe and daughter Laura

Bowne Center and Mr. and

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Irs. Geo. Clarke.

Simon Pender of Caledonia

CANNONSBURG

Mr. Jonathan Sowerby of R

ford and Mrs. Vena Hartwell

strong, daughter of Mrs. Cha

united in the bonds of matrim

wedding dinner was served

four babies born in 1916.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Foster

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Willette we

The Lowell Hospital

CASCADE

meeting of the Brotherhood or-

ganization of the church will be held Tuesday evening, Dec. 11, in the church parlors. Myron H. Wal-

ker will give an address. A program has been arranged, and everybody s cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. S. E. Vannetter of Williams-ton is visiting her son, Rev. M. C. Vannetter and wife.

Mrs. Lewis Schrader enterta her sister, Mrs. Bert Anteliff, niece Irma of Belding over Sur

ids.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thompson entertained relatives from Grand Rapids Thanksgiving.

Will A. Watterson of Lansing spent Wednesday night and Thursday at his home here.

Thanksgiving services were held in the church Thursday morning.

in the church Thursday morning.

Mort Teeple and sister Naida of Southwest Cascade spent Sunday

Mrs. John Freeman and baby turned home last week from Lowell hospital.

Elroy Schwarder and factorise for the second secon

Vannetter and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wood spent
Thanksgiving at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Ed. Johnson of Grand Rap-

Citizens Phone 162.

Good Care. Good Board

Chas, E. Rollins of

Ellis W. Rollins of South

91,50 pigs last June; but contrary to and Mrs. A. G. Steketee, accompany-Pat's parlor. Anyhow there's a motor trip over the Dixie high-be deal of comfort in a fat pig they have arrived at Jacksonville TWO MONTHS SINGLES and less than 2 months, per copy... 30 come Christmas time, Irish or with no mishap whatever, where NOTE:—All past due subscriptions up to December 1, 1916, will be figured at the old rate of \$1.00 per year. After that date the new rate of \$1.30 will be in effect.—Publisher.

Recently, we read that car-

loads of potatoes and other veg-

ctables have been allowed to

freeze and rot, while being held

for exorbitant prices by Chica-

go food pirates. It is refreshing

now to read that Youngtown.

Ohio, authorities have seized

and sold 6,000 bushels of po

latoes being held in that city

under like conditions; and the

consumer got them at \$1.35 per

bushel. It is time these high-life

robbers had a few lessons; and

a punch in the purse will do for

That Crawfordville man who

wrecked a telephone booth be-

cause he could not get Central

was certainly reckless; but

many who have waited long

when time was precious, only

to be told at last "Busy!" and

"Busy!" "Busy!" again and

again, while people with noth-

ing to do gossiped about their

neighbors, know just how h felt. Fortunately, few people

can afford to vent their di

pleasure in the expensive Craw

Native Alaskans are not up on

Sunday school gave \$25 for the Armenian relief fund, much of the money being earned by chil-

dren picking cranberries. When

the poor Indians of the northern

wilds, try to mitigate the suffering caused by the Germans and

their unspeakable allies, it is

time for Kaiser Bill to recall a

One of Edison's assistants

spent nearly a day figuring the

cubic contents of an electric

light bulb. The old man did it

in two minutes by breaking off

the tip, filling the bulb with

water and measuring the water

The young man will learn the

difference between putter and

So much is said about "Calor

ies" by food experts that it is well to know that "A calorie of

nutrition is equivalent to the

amount of heat sufficient to raise the temperature of one

pint of water I degree Fahren-

heit." Now, the housewives

Washington itself is peppered

with Alien enemies of high and

low degree, who are to be driv-

en from the District of Column

bia. It is to be hoped their re

danger to the rest of the coun

moval will not be attended with

try. Moving a pest does not des-

Tell it to Hoover: Bananas

are being hoarded to raise

prices. A week or so since we

noted the arrival in New York

of a shipload at a cost of less

than two cents per doezn. Can't

the people get a square deal

Greek troops are taking their

places at the front against the

northern barbarians. May the

spirit of Marathon and Ther-

EARLHUNTER

mopylae be theirs.

will know just how to prepare

work if he stays with Thomas

A. very long.

scientific meal.

long forgotten word-shame!

fordville manner.

a starter.

That portion of Belgium oc-cupied by the Germans has been and fully equipped a Ford to take the trip. All are well and enjoying Entered at the postoffice at Lowell, Michigan denuded of its woods, fences the time. Treason is to be defined so task awaits the people who reclearly and so universally made known, if General John A. John-stroyed.

lask awaits the people who regive a giving with her sister, Mrs. Lang, and remained until Sunday. She was joined by her daughter and

known, if General John A. John- stroyed. son has his way, that every man,

Wonder how Bill Kaiser likes her. Floyd Lang and daughter woman and child in the country will know just what it is and word by bimself accordingly or conduct himself accordingly or take the consequences. According to one authority, 5 per cent ing to one authority, 5 per cent in the consequences according to one authority according to one authority according to one authority according to one authority. of our population are disloyal It

and family of Keene, Mrs. Helen and responsible for the loss of millions of dollars' worth of foreign language in Chicago the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson schools, it is comforting to Davenport of Keene. Davenport of Detroit and Lewis and many lives. To permit a know that rudimentary Eng- Mrs. John King of Lowell and continuation of this treasonacontinuation of this treasona- lish is still being taught there. Mrs. Wm. roster of Evalt continuation of this treasonaday and the latter remained for a visited Frank Rollins at the ho ble busines, is unthinkable; and it is up to the loyal 95 per cent | Wisconsin farmers, wise to few days. or patriotic, loyal humanity- conditions, have gathered a surloving people to see that it is plus of seed corn. Less fortun-

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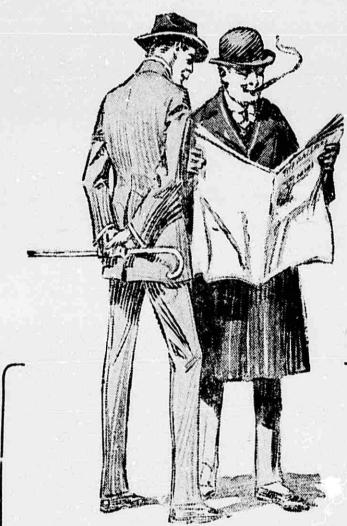
Rockwell.

all nations, they don't all live in ing their son George and family on

HICKORY CORNERS ate states will be glad of the as-surance.

Mrs. M. H. Foster returned to her home in Grand Rapids Saturday, party given by the lota Nu club

route to Miami, where they will re-



Christmas Gifts for Men

month; there is no place in the scheme of things now-a-days for any but gifts of service.

There is no store that better

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Mrs. Alice Bookey attended

Gleaner rally at Belding Tue

She was the guest of Mr. and

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of Detroit were Thanksgiving Bowne township real estate to Florida.

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Visiting her aunit. Mrs. Lura at the home of C. A. Lee.

Vining.

Mrs. Henry Visser went to Mrs. Earl Vanderlip, Friday, Mrs. Earl Vanderlip, M

with his parents here.

Ladies' Cape Tanne, Glase and Mocha kid gloves are ideal and Mocha kid gloves are ideal and Monday for an longer visit.

A. W. Weekes & Son. Gland Rapids of Grand Rapids spent Thanks- of Grand Rapids spent Thanks- the home of George Bird.

Camisoles brassieres and corset covers at Weekes.' adv for a longer visit.

his parents here for a few days. home of Mr. and Mrs. Ribble where they will spend some time. From there they will go spent the week end with her

\$5.50 at Weekes.' adv

Outing gowns 75c to \$1.65 at i L. A. Hunt and family spent Sunday with relatives at Potter-

coat.—Lowell Cleaning and Keep the Children Well Dyeing Works. Jerry Blough and Hiram, and happy, free of coughs, colds, croup, Seese of Freeport were in town little fevers and infisined throats, uso .Foley's Honey and Tar.

Semiah Seese, daughter Clella
and son Clayton of Freeport

It is carefully made of selected remedies that loosen and break up a cough, were in town Monday. Edwin Johnson spent Thursday and Friday with his sister,

James Spencer of Lowell has bought the Rev. B. W. Mc-Kibben 30 acre farm in Orleans

Boxed handkerchiefs Mr. and Mrs. C. E Perrin of Grand Ledge have been spending a few days at the home of in town Saturday. Dr. McQueen. Grattan real estate transfer: Thanksgiving in Grand Rapids. Jacob Dykehouse and wife to Bed blankets and comfort-

Mortimer E. Roberts, nw1/4, sw ables, \$1.25 and up at Weekes.' Miss Irene Southard of Lan- Fort Sheridan for a visit with Nifty neckwear at Weekes.' sing and Miss Florence Huntley his family.

of Grand Rapids spent Saturday Miss Violet Langworthy Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Chase with friends here.

of Grand Rapids were in town Outing and knit skirts at niture store. Weekes.' adv Mrs. O. R. Eaton of Grand Mrs. M Robens of Grand Rap-pair, at Weekes. Rapids spent Sunday with Mrs. ids returned home Monday af- Mr. and Mrs. John Rhodes Know.

Kapids spent Sunday with Mrs.

L. S. Perry.

Caps and toques at Weekes.

Harold Barber of Belding spent Thanksgiving with his spent Sunday with Mrs. John Mnodes ter a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Marsh.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mnodes visited his father at Gaylord over Sunday.

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Mrs. Sarah Jones of Grand

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lyn spent Thanksgiving in daughter and other relatives. Newest things in ladies and daughter Elizabeth were in Floyd B. Oliver of Grand en all accounts settled by Dec.

Remember—Pony votes givchildren's winter coats
Weekes.' adv

Grand Rapids Friday. Rapids spent Thanksgiving day 18th. A. W. Weekes & Son. Mrs. E. Hatch and son Harvey Grand Rapids spent Sunday at

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Beimer R. O. Spence of Clarksville Mr. and Mrs. C. E West left rence Buck spent Thanksgiving and two children are visiting joined his wife and baby at the last week for Niagara Falls, with her mother at Sparta.

guests of Mr. and Mrs. B C.
Smith.

Leroy and Clarence Charon of Grand Rapids spent Thanksgiving with Leonard and Lee
Braisted.

Bowne township real estate transfer: Spencer Welch to Jacob Konkle and wife, part s block east, one block north of City hall. A. M. Smith Co., W. E. Rogers, Mgr. Phone 277. If Everything in yarns, including Kahki and grey mixed, at least transfer: Spencer Welch to Jacob Konkle and wife, part s block east, one block north of City hall. A. M. Smith Co., W. Everything in yarns, including Kahki and grey mixed, at least transfer: Spencer Welch to Jacob Konkle and wife, part s block east, one block north of City hall. A. M. Smith Co., W. Everything in yarns, including Kahki and grey mixed, at least transfer: Spencer Welch to Jacob Konkle and wife, part s block east, one block north of City hall. A. M. Smith Co., W. Everything in yarns, including Kahki and grey mixed, at least transfer: Spencer Welch to Jacob Konkle and wife, part s block east, one block north of City hall. A. M. Smith Co., W. Everything in yarns, including Kahki and grey mixed, at least transfer: Spencer Welch to Jacob Konkle and wife, part s block east, one block north of City hall. A. M. Smith Co., W. Everything in yarns, including Kahki and grey mixed, at least transfer: Spencer Welch to Jacob Konkle and wife, part s block east, one block north of City hall. A. M. Smith Co., W. Everything in yarns, including Kahki and grey mixed. Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Fuller and Rev. H. Bank recovered the Weekes. adv Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Moore and children of Grand Rapids and son Stanley of Rockford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Spent the Thanksgiving heliday with Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Law-with Mrs. Jesse i arks at Sheridan.

Mrs. Myron Kyser and daughter rence.

ter Blanche of South Boston have taken rooms in the Chubb at Weekes.' adv

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Indicate from his pocket. Several people had driven over the money while it had lain there.

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An inheritance tax of \$3,399.

60, one of the largest assessed against a Kent county estate this largest assessed and wife and largest assessed and wife and largest assessed and sets at Weekes.' adv

Mrs. Bert Walsh in Grand Rapids Sunday.

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Wallace Kirkwood has returned from London, Canada, Thanksgiving with his parents having been exempted from here, returning to Camp Custer from a visit with his brother in Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hausserman of Saranac visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. El- robes at Weekes,' adv her sister, Mrs. F. G. Hoffman.

Buy a linen table cloth for Cameron and family. Christmas at Weekes.' adv

F. G. Hoffman of Grand Rapids spent from Wednesday una yard at Weekes.' adv and Mrs. Chas. Althen were Mr. and Mrs. Schrouder and son Charles, Mrs. Simpson, son Althen and daugheir Zehma and evening to hid them good has

Thanksgiving day, all parts of Ionia and surrounding country being represented. The class initiated eighty-six, half of whom may be called in the next draft. A banquet was given in the evening.

Secretary A. C. Carter of the Secretary A. C. Carter of the County Drain Commissioner of the County Drain Cou

Secretary A. C. Carton of the public domain commission, has called a meeting of all Michigan public domain commission, has called a meeting of all Michigan men interested in sheep raising and of large landowners of the state, for Friday, Dec. 7. The meeting will be held in the Association of Commerce and the possibility of making Michigan a sheep raising state will be discussed.—Herald.

Police court clerk George M. Reed's report for the month of November shows a total of \$2,009.19 for city and state fines and costs. There were 235 city cases and 106 state cases during the month. Fifty-one persons were committed to the Kent county jail and 19 went to the work-farm. Nineteen others were were held to the superior court.

Old Folks Saved

From Suffering

Mrs. Mary A. Dean, Taunton, Mass, in her 87th year, says: "I thought I was beyond the reach of medicine, but Foley Kidney Pills have proven medicine, but Foley Kidney Pills have proven medicine, but Foley Kidney Pills and I had to get up at night, and consider myself in a truly normal consideration, which I attribute to Foley Kidney Pills, as I have taken nothing else."

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edies that loosen and break up a cough, stop croup and ease an aching influmed throat, and it is clean of all narcotics.
The prompt use of Folcy's Honey and Mrs. Dora Weckerly, at Greenville.

New silk petticoats \$3 to \$6
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at Weekes.' adv EVERYONE is nationally advised to economize and to eliminate luxuries as much as possible. Therefore, in selecting Christmas gifts make sure that you are giving good, practical presents.

> ever attempted to show. If the price sounds cheap, don't be skeptical in regard to the quality. We bought before the prices were as high as they are to-day. Suits and Overcoats make ideal Christmas gifts \$12 to \$35 Mufflers

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House Coats

John J. Lalley

Harold Bergin and Bruce with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Krum, who enlisted in Detroit Nov. 12 in the aviation corps, Headquarters for ladies and Nov. 12 in the aviation corps are ladies and Nov. 12 in the aviation corps are ladies and Nov. 12 in the aviation corps are ladies and Nov. 12 in the aviation corps are ladies and Nov. 12 in the aviation corps are ladies and Nov. 12 in the aviation corps are ladies and Nov. 12 in the aviation corps are ladies and Nov. 12 in the aviation corps are ladies and Nov. 12 in the aviation corps are ladies and Nov. 12 in the aviation corps are ladies and Nov. 12 in the aviation corps are ladies and Nov. 12 in the aviation corps are ladies and Nov. 12 in the aviation corps are ladies and Nov. 12 in the av with her grandmother, Mrs. Mc- Fur sets and muffs for ladies, D. A. Church Sunday, enroute for misses and children, at Weekes. California, leaving Monday. Solve your Christmas prob-lem with your latest photo-graph. The price is reasonable The price is reasonable at the Northwestern Sunday in Grand Rapids.

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Mr. and Mrs. Will Converse visited Sunday at Merritt Day's.

Capt. Perrin McQueen spent Thursday evening. Ladies' kimonas and bath to Tuesday.

The portrait gift certificate is code and Rapids Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Abel spent Tues-Mrs. H. G. Taylor of Wyo-ming, Ont., came last Wednes-ming, Ont., came last Wednes-ming to the control of the c day for a few weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. F. G. Hoffman Avery Studio. Miss Nola Richmond of Vergennes visited her sister, Mrs. Albert Hausserman, at Saranac from Wednesday until Sunday.

Mrs. L. P. Hodges, who has Mrs. Geo. Winegar and daughter of Morrice spent Thanksgiving with his mother, Mrs. C. C. Winegar, returning home Friday.

Miss Ruth Cary entertained Miss Irene Troy Sunday.

Mrs. Eliza Hettle and son Archie visited Tom Read and family Sunday.

Peter Veenstra and son of East Paris spent Monday evening with Mrs. L. P. Hodges, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. D. McQueen, and other friends, Wighbour of County Described in Grand Rapids Sunday evening. D. McQueen, and other friends, returned to Grand Rapids SatWickham of Grand Rapids SatWickham of Grand Rapids SatWickham of Grand Rapids SatWickham of Grand Rapids Sunday evening.

A number of people from this spent Thanksgiving with Neil
Peter Byrnes at Parnell Monaday.

VERGENNES STATION til Sunday with his family here, and on December 1, celebrated bis 7011 bistleday.

VERGENNES STATION

The annual meeting of the Altonson and Miss Susie DeVries, all of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with New fancy ribbons 20c to 85c 8, at 2 p. m., for the election of ofyard at Weekes.' adv
Thanksgiving guests of Mr.
The Gleaner hall at Moseley is

The Michigan Form

Althen and daugheir Zelma and Mrs. L. P. Hodges, all of Grand Fapids.

The thirteenth annual initiation of Ionia council, No. 944, Knights of Columbus, drew nearly 3000 K. C.'s to Ionia Thonksgiving day, all parts of Spent several days with her parents

home of David Garfield Saturday evening to bid them good bye.

Mrs. Nora Haynes of Belding is visiting her sister, Mrs. Verl Weeks To Christopher Bergin, Alvah M. Andrews, Frank Houghton, Frank N. White, constituting the Township of Lowell.

You are hereby notified, that on the 20th day of November, A. D. 1917, application was made to the

(Too late for last week.) O. J. Howard was a Belding vis-

Peter Byrnes at Parnell Monday. Mrs. Melvin Byrne returned Mon

Holly boxes and ribbons at day from a visit in Chicago and Sunday with his brother Joe. Mr. and Mrs. Sam DeVries and

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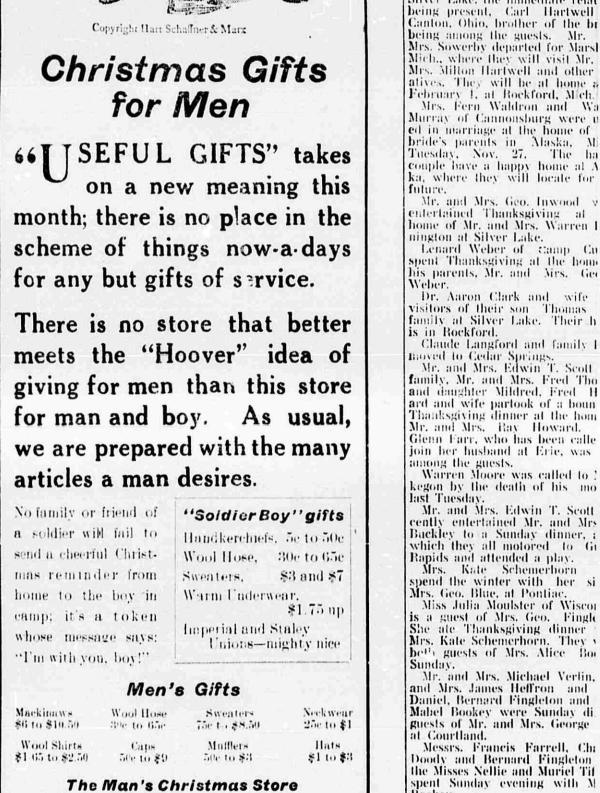
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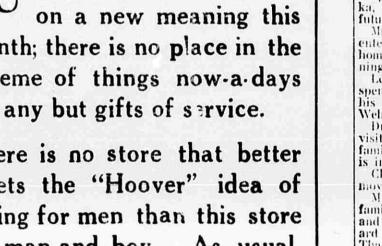


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WHITES BRIDGE

Mrs. Jenkins spent Tuesday with

Mrs. L. M. Cahoon.

Lody Shear went to Evans to

spend over Thanksgiving with this

grandmother, Mrs. Chas. Ridgeway.

Mater and Mrs. Morris Kalwaard

entertained for Thanksgiving dinner and Lowell theatre in the even
ing, Mr. and Mrs. David Garield,

who are moving to Traverse City

from Moseley.

Elmer Richmond and family of

Vergennes were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mrs. Jasie Sher
rard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Yeiler's Sunday and

former guests of Mrs. Jasie Sher
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Vergennes were Thanksgiving dinner guests of her parents

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Smrt House, January of Kent. State of Mischer County of Kent. State

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Mr. and Mrs. Bert Norton,

And Mrs. Bert Norton,

The Hoppough school gave a Thanksgiving ding vacation at least of the Mrs. Line Hoppough school gave a Thanksgiving was a House of the East Fort-gelic listed of th rard and family.
Mr. and Mrs. James Stanton spent last Thursday with the latter's sister, Mrs. John King and husband of Lowell and a sister from Evart, Mrs. Wm. Foster, who is

Rapids Monday morning, after and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Norton, and other relatives.

The Hoppough school gave a Thanksgiving program Wednesday afternoon. Candy and popcorn were served.

Mrs. Geo. Lewis of Cascade.

Mrs. L. H. Merriman went to Grand

band of Lowell and a sister from Evart, Mrs. Wm. Foster, who is visiting at the King home.

Mrs. Claude Parker and daughter of Owosso, who have been visiting at Lowell, were supper guests at the home of her father, Chris Bieri, last Friday.

Mrs. Emma Beckwith and son Frank spent Thanksgiving with Charlie Rogers and wife of Lowell.

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Cha WANTED! one year's time on good bankable notes bearing 6 per cent interest. 2 per cent off for cash on sums over \$5.00; all Poultry for Shipping goods to be settled for before moved.

Will Condon, Clerk

Light Single Harness, new 100 ft of 3 in Rope, Pulleys and Fork Cream Separator

Household Goods Forks, Shovels and many other articles too numerous to men-

TERMS...All sums under \$5.00 cash; over that amount,

THE REAL MAN

Inever can tell-"

By FRANCIS LYNDE

CHAPTER XVI.

With a blank evening before her, Miss Richlander, making the tete-atete dinner count for what it would, | & tightened her hold upon the one man available, demanding excitement. Nothing else offering, she suggested an evening auto drive, and Smith dutifully telephoned Maxwell, the railroad superintendent, and borrowed a runabout. Smith drove the borrowed runabout in sober silence, and the glorious beauty in the seat beside him did not try to make him talk. Perhaps she, too, was busy with thoughts of her own.



of the dam, was threatening to cancel what I am doing, and I shall go on as father." "I was just thinking—he has heard the lighting contract with Timanyoni I have begun. It's the only way. Mat"The idea!" she laughed. "He's not

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**There are some incidents about the start of the British "John Bull."

**Nowadays, however, "Uncle Sam" has have found that they were losing their in popular use.

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fence at a single bound and disappear. The old man rubbed his chin and scowled grimly. Tige wanted his mis-Nancy s tress, that was sure. Slowly the lips of Joel puckered into a resolute knot. "He's my dog and I'll have him!" he uttered harshly. "I bought him, I raised him. She shan't have him. She'll Jackson.—J. S. Josenhans, high mext. Nor sir-e-ee!" So, fully resolute, Joel started down the dusty country road. He reached the fence that
Tige had vaulted. Ten feet beyond it,
sented on the greatest form. She'll be down to cart the furniture away, next. Nor sir-e-ee!" So, fully resolute, Joel started down the dusty country road. He reached the fence that
Tige had vaulted. Ten feet beyond it,
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home of his daughter-in-law, tenp the

Seen and Heard

"Excuse me, madam," roared out who spurned his attentions at Manisti-

By Ruth Evelyn Brooks

around the deserted home.

Looking back, he could scarcely analyze how it had all come about. For the first time in his life Joel had visited some relatives in the city for a week. It was his first vacation and his wife had encouraged him to enjoy it. He had promised her a gold watch and chain, and had come back without it—for reasons. In fact, old Joel harbored a secret which he did not care to impart to anybody.

"The present I promised you will come in time, Nancy," he told his wife. "Next time Jones makes a payment on the mortgage you shall have the on the mortgage you shall have the on the mortgage you shall have the come in the come in the come in the mortgage you shall have the come in the come in the mortgage you shall have the come in the come

watch and chain, and all the better for waiting. You know, while I'm no pauper, I never spend money till I've got it, and truth is what I took with me to the city went faster than I calculated and Joel Blake read:

"Oh, I've found out! Read that, and forget it, as I'll try to do."

She handed her husband the newspaper item which she had preserved, and Joel Blake read:

WOMEN SUFFERES MAY breaking Lonsdury's neck. Baker, a

seamy side of life. Next morning I forward crow's nest. found my wallet missing. Some one had picked my pocket—of course, the fellow who was fined for his escapade.

There was \$300 in the wallet and I couldn't get you that watch and chain." | with 100 bot mobile. "I'll walk a bit with you, if I may,"

hand in hand, they passed along the his hand. smiling country path.

Among Women in London. picked up things generally. He kept As the personification of the citizen of off the streets at night.

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sented on the grass fondling Tige and and killed Policeman Arnesen, and crying at the same time, was his wife. seriously wounded Amanda Forest,

CHAPTER XV—Continued.

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at Egypt. Writing to his mother, he

the old Adam. When Your Eyes Need Care Try Murine Eve Remedy
To Smarting - Just Byo Comfort to case a
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MURINE BYE SEMEDY OO., CHICAGO

Lord Rosebery once mentioned to Doctor Cheighton that there were dimes when he could not sleep.

AMERICAN SECTOR Doctor Cheighton that there were The bishop remarked: "Well, my lord, I never suffer from sleeplessness, for whenever I feel weary, I begin to read a sermon; and I am off "Ah, my lord," replied Lord Rose

PRELIMINARY TRIALS NEAR least. Much rather would I go with-THE GERMAN BORDER.

be called a coward? She-Not if he marries her.-Judge. things for your own good is harmless-W. N. U., DETROIT, NO. 48-1917. and it affords them a lot of pleasure. tion of Alsace-Lorraine. THE NEW METHOD | A PROMINENT MICHIGAN

RESIDENT SPEAKS

Backache of any kind is often caused by kidney disorder, which means that the kidneys are not working properly. Poisonous matter and uric acid accumulate within the body in great abundance, overworking the sick kidneys; hence the congestion of blood causes backache in the same manner as a similar congestion in the head causes headache. You be from a permanent cure. I have in the head causes headache. You be in the head causes headache. You be green nervous, despondent, sick, feverish, irritable, have spots appearing before the eyes, bags under the lids, and lack ambition to do things.

Washington.—An amiable censorship has allowed the American people to know the section of the French front in which their troops are engaged in the preliminary trials of warding the manner as a similar congestion of blood causes backache in the same manner as a similar congestion in the head causes headache. You be lived in this neighborhood for about irritable, have spots appearing before the eyes, bags under the lids, and lack ambition to do things.

The latest and most effective means of overcoming this trouble, is to eat spar-The latest and most effective means of overcoming this trouble, is to eat sparingly of meat, drink plenty of water between meals and take a single An-u-ric tablet before each meal for a while.

Simply ask your favorite druggist for Anuric, double strength. If you have lumbago, rheumatism, gout, dropsy, begin immediately with this newest discovery of Dr. Pierce, who is Chief Medical Director of Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute in Buffalo, N. Y. Send 10 cents for trial pkg. Large package 60c.

The lower intestine is like a garbage box and should be cleaned occasionally.

You will escape many ills and clear up the coated tongue, the sallow complex of artillery, with few rattlings of rides and machine guns to "staccato" the performance. Washington believes to day that the part of the front in France where the Americans now are fighting and where duliness has reigned soon will be a scene of violent battle action.

Veterans Here to Help.

At the various American canton-

(By L, W. Bower, M. D.)

"The head waiter seems to scorn

Try Kondon's

for the babyscold

(at no charge to you)

KONDON'S CABARRHAL JELLY

Your head feels like a basket of broken bottles—you need

Stomach or bowel disorder poi

sons the blood and thus irri-tates the rest of the body.

times when he could not sleep.

in a very few seconds."

out sleep than read a sermon."

battle action. From one high point of vantage near ments today there are British army the sector where the American troops officers on special missions who have are camping and trenching they can just taken up the work of advising belief is strong in Washington that It has been learned that a mistake smile. When the first unanswered word ican forces now in training in this won't come off. came that the Americans were at a country. Of course they will be inquiet point of the line everybody at all structors in a high sense, but their infamiliar with the battle conditions in structions will be given through the

to the Moselle river near the city of The authorities have thought it best Nancy, and not far from Pont-a-Mous- that the duty should be done in this son, the city of a thousand bombard- way. ROSY CHEEKS or HEALTHY COLOR indicates Iron in the Blood. Pale or faces usually show its absence. A con-dition which will be much helped by CARTER'S IRON PILLS

change. What's money to a man who enoy he was resplendent in a loose ing has been almost continuous since Major Bishop's Great Record. Opportunity for All. breeches, long white galters, and a trenches are so close together that a tary Cross, and twice has been given of the house," was clad on the same lines, and so that and an inferno the next. The Ameri- of War. It is probable that no other his powdered head might be kept in cans getting into this place are as- man in the warfare of all time has The undertow of selfishness may not be visible in the current of love, but include a curling-iron, a comb, a pow- Military strategists for three years a Canadian from Owen you spoke to just now?" der bag with puff, and a supply of have been studying the "possibilities Sound, in the Lake Huron country, and "My dancing teacher. Did you not that just my luck? pomade and tallow. His hair had to of the case" in the valley of the Mo- he is only twenty-three years old. | tice the look of commiseration he gave | Second Soldier-What's the matter be greased, curled and powdered selle, a valley in which today the disdaily, his pig-tail tied, and the cock patches more than intimate many of tor, and only one man in all the arm-

ment Stops Itching Instantly. "Had 51 ulcers on my legs. Doctors the property of France and which is certain once more to be the property this never has received a scratch.

It is not likely that Aviator Bishop Peterson's Ointment in the house. Fine for burns, scalds, bruises, and the surest remedy for skin diseases, pimples, itching edy for skin diseases, pimples, itching to sczema and piles the world has ever known.

Metz. They do not want to destroy arrival at an Atlantic port, and soon thereafter married "the girl he left behind him" when he went flying to the front two years ago. Bishop never "Peterson's Ointment is the best for mans destroy it themselves. bleeding and itching piles I have ever found."—Major Charles E. Whitney, Vine-"Peterson's Ointment has given great lowing the ablest American strate- Other Distinguished Mcn Here. tisfaction for Salt Rheum."-Mrs. J. L. gist to remain in the semiobscur-

Weiss, Cuylerville, N. Y.

All druggists sell it, recommend it. Adv.

Tree Three Centuries Old.

Luscious pears from a tree three centuries old were sent to King George, says a correspondent. The tree is the control of the control ancient Endicott pear tree in Danvers,
Mass. It was planted by Gov. John
Endicott 300 years ago ir what was
then the settlement of New Salem, and
has never ceased to bear fruit for has never ceased to bear fruit for this tried student of warfare, three centuries. Before the American Maj. Herbert Howland Sargent, still attached to the regiment with Revolution a basket of pears from the United States army, retired, is today which they entered the war. Endicott tree was sent to the royal pal- teaching the student body at Prince- This British major went to the Philace in London. The tree stands in the ton, while, according to expressed ippines and fellowshiped with Ameriowned by Mr. William C. Endicott. The he ought to be either in the War colingly somewhat proud of the fact that

. ____ State of Ohio. City of Tolede, Lucas close its secrets and it may be of it with the enjoyment which he does The one to blame is you. County—sa.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUN-DRED DOLLARS for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December.

By the series and it may be of it with the enjoyment which he does not get from the readymades.

Major Day will stay in Washington for a time, while Captains Hall, Greene and Heinmann will go to the American cantonments. Two of these officers are Irishmen, one from the South and the other from the North of the island, and the third from the Midlands of England. The three have that Sargent has not been overlooked in the search for men who may have within them the qualities of greene and Heinmann will go to the American cantonments. Two of these officers are Irishmen, one from the South and the other from the North of the island, and the third from the Midlands of England. The three have A. D. 1886.

(Seal) A. W. Gleason, Notary Public.

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System.

Is known. Therefore it is possible taken that in the seclusion of the student's closet at Princeton he is acting his of the war. They have served and Druggists, 75c. Testimonials free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

The Traveling Salesman - You boosted for the school committee to oring a pretty schoolma'am from Chi-I have an eye for business. As soon to go in to visit with her for the first neer. as the pretty schoolteacher showed up all the big boys began sneaking down lars and scented soap by the whole-

What She Wanted. "John, dear," said Mrs. Youngbride. Think Twice.

Before turning things over in the field turn them over in your mind. Domestic quarrels are the coupons | that ox tail soup?

Grandma was recovering from a se- Nextdoor-Our neighbor, Fussbody, vere illness. Robert had been allowed claims to be an expert efficiency engitime since her sickness.

Overthere—He's all of that. See.

"But he's incurably lazy at that. So he likes to run up a bill with the aid he likes to run up a bill with the aid.

"Has a woman a sense of humor?" | "How much is the toll?" asked two | "Ah," sighed Mrs. Jenkins, "we're "She has," replied Miss Cayenne, old women of an Indiana tollkeeper. never sure of anything in this world." "But a girl who allowed herself to "Twenty cents for a man and a "Yes, we are," replied her husband. laugh at whatever impressed her as horse," answered the gatekeeper. "Whenever you are quiet for half a

Where He Learned It. day when the traffic cop bawled him "and we don't mind if you give us

are here with their brothers of the American service feel as of course all IS CLOSE TO METZ

all-embracing strategic plan or campaigning must be adopted by the allies to force the war to an end quickly. No officer of any army can talk for publication upon military subjects, but have been learned from high

army headquarters here and abroad to let the American people know that a grand plan of campaign is the thing which today is being sought. He—But if he marries now, won't he HARDLY A "QUIET" REGION no one of our own officers who are in conference with them is in ignorance of the exhaustive studies which Artinery Fighting Is Almost Continu- Major Sargent has made of strategy, ous There-Sammies, It is Hoped, and of the high standing which his Will Take Part in Actual Restora- works on military operations have attained in the war offices of the world. Pointedly, the thing which something more than interests civilians Washington.—An amiable censor-ment taken a chance, if one may so

REAL POLAR WEATHER.



look on Metz. They are close to Ger- their American brethren in the matter woman next door refused to give you | Everybody admits that it is foolmany and some unfortunate few of them already are in Germany. The them already are in Germany. The trenches, the trenches, the trenches, the trenches the trenche something that happened yesterday an extraordinary effort will be made was made when it early was asserted The Hobo-Ah, mum, dat is a smile that we couldn't avoid. Exchange. by the Americans shortly to take a that these seasoned veterans of the of expectancy dat settled on me face trench on their own account and to front line trenches in France were to before I went dere, an' it is so cold louble the score against the Germans. act directly as instructors to the Amer- outside de smile froze on me face and

Town Specialties. There is a man in our town, France knew that our boys were close | mediumship of American line officers. He has a rusty phonograph Figures of Speech. "This poet speaks of forswearing the These veterans of the British line Scene of Continuous Bombardment, are splendid men physically, and un- flagon. People don't drink out of

CARTER'S IRON PILLS

Scene of Continuous Bombardment,
The Moselle river runs northward through Pont-a-Mousson and thence on fifteen miles to Metz, the capital of German Lorraine. In this general sector are the woods of Champenoux and the "Wood of the Priest." In the looked askance at such a garb as khaki, observes a correspondent. When he went into the battle of Font-tho eney he was resplendent in a loose of the priest of the fight.

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Major Bishop's Great Record.

Scene of Continuous Bombardment, The Moselle river runs northward through Pont-a-Mousson and thence on fitteen miles to America. They are soldier-like in appearance, as they have been soldierlike in service. Nearly every one of them has been wounded in battle, and all of them repeatedly have been through the hell of the fighting at the British front.

Getting By.

"Was your wife's party a formal affair?"

had the heaviest kind of guns em- the Frenchman, brought down 52 Ger-AND ECZEMA VANISH

placed in this sector. An order given from a place of high command would result any private in a hardward from a place of high command would record, but he is gone. Bishop has Hungry Harold—Do we have to go result any minute in a hurling of brought down 47 German alrplanes, widout supper? projectiles weighing a ton into the and has engaged single handed in 110 Educated Edgar-No. We merely

This city of German Lorraine, once ish air service. In his 110 battles he "Had 51 ulcers on my legs. Doctors wanted to cut off leg. Peterson's Ointment cured me."—Wm. J. Nichols, 40 Wilder St., Rochester, N. Y.

Get a large box for 30 cents at any druggist, says Peterson, and money back if it doesn' help you at once. Always keep Peterson's Ointment in the house. Fine for the property of France, is guarded by 14 huge fortifications which probably cannot be taken by frontal assault. The eyes of the French, however, are fixed on Meet the property of France, is guarded by 14 huge fortifications which probably cannot be taken by frontal assault. The eyes of the french, however, are fixed on Meet the property of France, is guarded by 14 huge fortifications which probably cannot be taken by frontal assault. The eyes of the french, however, are fixed on Meet the property of France, is guarded by 14 huge fortifications which probably cannot be taken by frontal assault. The eyes of the french, however, are fixed on Meet the property of France, is guarded by 14 huge fortifications which probably cannot be taken by frontal assault. The eyes of the french, however, are fixed on Meet the property of France, is guarded by 14 huge for the has won a rest, but he does not look as if he needs it. He went straight to his canadian home on his arrival at an Atlantic port, and soon

sat in the seat of a flying machine un-

Endicott plantation, which is now thought on the matter in Washington, can regulars for a while. He is seempears are being sent in a basket 300 lege as an advisory chief or in the he can roll, after American teaching, Don't blame the fates for what goes field as a major general.

The war department does not dis
a certain brand of tobacco into a wellmade, compact cigarette, and smoke

Whatever else you do;

part in the war, but if so the country have been wounded, and are now in "I have been trying for three weeks knows nothing about it, and in fact this country still to work at war, but to have a buzzer for my desk." suspicion in the case seems to be that to undertake a service in American "Come out home with me, dear boy. this retired major and the possibilities camps which to the battle-tried ones There are buzzers enough there to sup ply your whole office."

"Why does young Flubdub always

"Is this a second-hand store?" in-

. Generous Avowal. the orator's friend. short weight at that."

Backache of Women How this Woman Suffered and Was Relieved. Fort Fairfield, Maine. -" For many months I suffered from backache caused by female troubles so I was unable to do my house work. I took treatments for it but received no help whatever. Then some of my friends asked why I did not try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so and my backache soon disappeared and I felt like a different woman, and now have a healthy little baby girl and do all my house work. I will always praise Lydia E. Pinkham's

Vegetable Compound to women who suffer as I did."- Mrs. ALTON D. OAKES, Fort Fairfield, Maine.



Why don't you try it?



Distemper in stallions, brood mares, colts and all others is t destructive. The germ causing the disease must be re-ed from the body of the animal. To prevent the trouble SPOHN'S COMPOUND

That Itch and Burn Are Usually ALUMINUM FOR WAR PURPOSE Eczematous-Cuticura Quickly Heals. It needs but a single hot both with Cuticura Soap followed by a gentle Nations New in Conflict.

To have beaux on Sunday afternoons. Some of the beaux seemed to seek the application of Cuticura Ointment to the most distressing, disfiguring It is stated that Germany and Austressive with her affably during their eczemas, itchings and burnings to tria use more aluminum for war pur. visits. No one's feelings were hurt, prove their wonderful properties. They poses than all the other belligerents. Billy was only four. One day her sisare also ideal for every-day toilet use.

Free sample each by mail with Book.

Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L.

Posts than an the other benigerents only was only tour. One day her sistems watched her strolling in the garden with a young man. They seemed absorbed in each other, but Billy was Boston, Sold everywhere.—Adv, uses, and the majority of the drinking mugs, cans and cups of the German the pair for several minutes, and in soldiers are made of the light metal, all that time the young man did not Figures compiled by competent and The frames for zeppelins and the fuses speak, nor did he for one second since the beginning of the European war the United States, already known as the greatest sugar consuming coun have had to face is the shortage of the fittle handwould be disclosing. As can collect all the left-over bread and beefsteak and potatoes and everythe sides to give a certain amount of been hand-to-hand.

Ing has been almost continuous since try, had also become the world's great-copper necessary for the rings round search and in many cases it has been hand-to-hand.

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Ing has been almost continuous since try, had also become the world's great-copper necessary for the rings round search and the left-over bread and been hand-to-hand. the sides to give a certain amount of freedom to the legs. A long and close-buttoned cloth waistcoat, blue from 500,000,000 pounds and the German won the Victoria Cross, and the Mili-like my looks. I knew he wouldn't be sugar to other countries increased from 500,000,000 pounds during the regarded as a substitute, even in curt.

the American troops are now under jes of Europe has surpassed his rec- "I recently confessed to him that I girls there are in the states knitting the matter with my watch; I think it jug sacreleegious and tongue-fied."fire. For a long time the French have ord, and that man is dead, Guynemer, thought it a waste of time to dance." sweaters for soldiers I have to draw must need cleaning. one with a note pinned to it saying it | Child-Oh, no, father: I don't think washing it in the basin for ever so You may be able to convince a moth-A laboratory to be created at Hel-

Wisdom appeals, but brute passion | "I did not. I put my request for one | If you must prejudge a man, at least



You do not sacrifice pleasure when reasons of health cause you to stop your

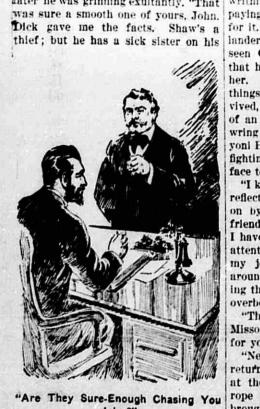
It's remarkable how this gratifying and wholesome cereal beverage completely takes the place of coffee with those who for some reason or another think it best to abandon the old table drinks.

There's a rich, coffee-like flavor which can be modified to any strength desired by using more or less of the Instant Postum in the cup-and the addition of hot water with cream and sugar as desired make a truly delectable hot drink.

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Sold by Grocers. No raise in price. 50-cup tin, 30c. 100-cup tin, 50c.

There's a Reason



dazed door listener into a chair. "Just to bed. There'll be nothing more do- That's the way it goes when a man put the auger a couple of inches into ing tonight.' mixes and mingles too much. You this fellow and see what you can find." Richard Shaw had an exceedingly bad quarter of an hour when Smith and Starbuck applied the thumbscrews

At Any Cost. and Starbuck applied the thumbscrews to force a confession out of him. Nevertheless, knowing the dangerors ground upon which he stood, he evaded ground upon which he stood, he evaded ground to take a sudden second to take and shuffled and prevaricated under water-right seemed to take a sudden scoundrel, colonel. For the past two the charges and questionings until it slant against the local promoters, after days I have been contemptible enough became apparent that nothing short of the failure to cripple Stanton by the to play upon a woman's vanity merely bribery or physical torture would get the truth out of him. Smith was not one of the vacant rooms across the corridor until his captors could determine what was to be done with him.

"That is one time when I fired and one of the stories was to the effect that the Timanyoul dam had faulty foundations and that the haste in building had added to its insecurity.

On the heels of this came clamorous "I didn't think that of you, John; I sure didn't. Why, that's what you might call a low-down, tin-horn sort of a game."

"I that is one time when I fired and only the stories was to the effect."

That is one time when I fired and only the stories was to the effect. I sure didn't, why, that's what you might call a low-down, tin-horn sort of a game."

"It is just that, and I know it as

Starbuck reflectively. "He used to be gedness of the soldier who sees the first, Williams and I both so hat."
Smith caught quickly at the suggestion.

Wait a minute, Billy." he broke in:

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"Ion. He saw the carefully built or show-down, we'll all light for you, and they'll have to bring a derrick along if they want to snatch you out of the Timanyoni. You go over yonder to the Hophra House and tell that young womble in they'll have to bring a derrick along if they want to snatch you out of the Hophra House and tell that young womble in they'll have to bring a derrick along if they want to snatch you out of the Hophra House and tell that young womble in they'll have to bring a derrick along if they want to snatch you out of the Hophra House and tell that young womble in they'll have to bring a derrick along if they want to snatch you out of the Hophra House and tell that young womble in they'll have to bring a derrick along if they want to snatch you out of the Hophra House and tell that young womble in they'll have to bring a derrick along if they want to snatch you out of the Hophra House and tell that young womble in they'll have to bring a derrick along if they want to snatch you out of the Hophra House and tell that young womble in they'll have to bring a derrick along if they want to snatch you out of the Hophra House and tell that young womble in they'll have to bring a derrick along if they want to snatch you out of the Hophra House and tell that young womble in they'll have to bring a derrick along if they want to snatch you out of the Hophra House and tell that young womble in they'll have to bring a derrick along if they want to snatch you out of the Hophra House and tell that young womble in they'll have to bring a derrick along if they want to snatch you out of the Hophra House and tell that young womble in they'll have to bring a derrick along they have a show of the Hophra House and tell that young womble in they'll have to bring a derrick along they ha

what was said here tonight—which is High Line; and Kinzie, though he was ters are desperate enough with us now, coming out here to see father. Poor "In which case it would be little could be averted now only by prompt self within reach of the desk set. The deeper in debt to me, Montague. There "At home and in bed, I reckon." the second day of back-slippings. "They had luck all comes in a bunch!" he row afternoon? I want to see the "Call him upon the phone and state say you're fiddlin' while Rome's approtested. "Williams was rushing colonel's fine horses, and he has invited

the case briefly. Tell him if he has any nip on Shaw that would warrant us in turning him over to the sheriff, Smith did know. During the two days of stress Miss Verda had been was set. That puts us back and they was set. They was set was set. That puts us back and they was set. They was set was set. They was set was set. They was set was set was set was set was set. They was set was set was set was set was set. They was set w

"You're getting the range now," very exacting. There had been another other twenty-four hours, at least. Don't than Trumbull, the elder, a friend of the range war and church funds.

The days of street was set. That puts us back another other twenty-four hours, at least. Don't colonel invited you to Hillcrest, it was the area of the range now," because of the range now, and the secret.

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Colonel invited you to Hillcrest, it was because you didn't leave him any thoughtfully serious the day after washington in whose judgment whose judgment washington in whose judgment whose judgment washington in whose judgment whose judgmen faughed the ex-cowman, and instead of using the desk set, he went to shut himself into the sound-proof telephone limited into the sound-proof telephone of using the desk set, he went to shut himself into the sound-proof telephone limited into the unischief?

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"Sure he is," was the prompt re- by the persistent story of the unsafety "No," said Smith shortly. "I know him up into the mountains to join your

the Timanyoni stockholders, disaster Baldwin twisted his chair to bring him- to look as if you might have to go still

thief; but he has a sick sister on his seen Corona; he was telling himself

SHIPS' MASCOTS LOSE NERVE BALDNESS DUE TO PET DOGS

Joel till he lost his temper and said means of procuring what was required. The story was told in the army, and protect Battle Creek girls. In additional troubles. It gives the patient a good

and there was a convenient fire escape and there was a convenient fire escape and there was a convenient fire escape and the ground.

"It's us for that roadhouse out on the Tourna trail before the news gets are the Tourna trail before the news gets are the Tourna trail before the news gets are trail before the news gets get a doctor that in awful serious."

The Cheerful Sister.

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Latin name of a floating seaweed or weeds, carried out to mid-ocean by steam heated apartments? "The fellow we thought so mean to mous banks. The part of the north
Atlantic that is known as the Sargasso
"I dare not love again," said the rocalled, dear. Shall I have him shown his wife at the hotel last summer has

watch and chain, and all the better for "Then we'll raise him."—Everybody's.

"That is one time when I fired and missed the whole side of the beek of this came demoveds and special collection of the beek of the beek of this came demoveds and beet likely read and beet likely read."

"In unusually festive visitor of the breaking Lonadury's neck, Baker, a did not complain and was patient and positive to pay for an fellow, was thrown clear. Thousands upon thousands of women includers to the middle of that phase is the half. "I know that fellow is so that he could keep ensors or you." If the beet so this lob with you so that he could keep ensors or you. If the could keep ensors or you. If the local control is not that the could keep ensors or you. If the local control is not the work as the prove anything that we say, so long as he refress to talk."

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"The distance the method is the control of the break in the cannot of the break in the control of the break in the co blame you for getting wild. Here's the facts! I did visit a cabaret, and in good company, with your brother, a cryst foremast was carried away while

> There was \$300 in the wallet and I with 100 bottles of whisky in an auto- described by a soldier now stationed "My direction is home," observed son of a banker and business man, was which I think was posted in South killed at Black lake when he stepped Africa, somewhere about September, into a boat while holding a shotgun in 1916. It had gone to the Hants' in Jackson.-Ezra Osborn has been ar. which sent it to Blighty and to two rested on the charge of murdering Le- hospitals there which forwarded it on roy Basset, Lansing taxicab driver, to the officer in charge of records, Brother Jonathan.
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> Brother Jonathan is a general name applied to the people of the United September 26, 1916.
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> near Michigan Center, Jackson county, September 26, 1916.
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> Narwick. He in turn sent it to the officer in charge records, Exeter, then Produce and leastly to Frank Tolly helps States. Its origin is said to be as fol- Charlotte.—The Gizzard circle of Ryde, and lastly to Egypt. Jolly lucky lows: Soon after having taken com- the Congregational church is the latest to get it after ten months, don't you

the waiting elevator and said, "Good- "the extravagance of a selfish hus- army, Washington suggested that they ized protective bureau. This appoint- when Boschee's German Syrup has band, while the poor slaving wife consult "Brother Jonathan," meaning ment has been made upon the recomscrimped and saved at home!" The his friend, Trumbull. This advice was mendation of Miss Virgina Murray, years in all parts of the United third day she "picked" on the harassed followed and Trumbull devised the representing the war commission, who States for coughs, bronchitis, colds eral row and Nancy left home, vowing the reply to a demand for an article tion to Miss Hulbert two police women night's rest, free from coughing, with

dom come back to the man who waits



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A toolet proparation of marit.
Helps to oradicate deadruf.
For Restoring Color and
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Ste and \$1.00 at Druggiote. CHILDREN'S COUGHS To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regumay be checked, and more serious conditions of the threat will be often avoided by premptly giving the child a dose of Domestic quarrels are the coupons torn from the bonds of matrimony.

The less a man cares the more love tail is always behind.

to my store to buy hair oil, clean colasked his mother when he came home. him his lot line before he shovels the of machinery." "Oh, she looks nice," said Robert, snow off his front walk. Don't be content with doing your wealth." But don't despise the two antly. bit for the country; do your best, when combined.—Boston Advertiser.

in his case have been neglected. | must seem to be a recreation.

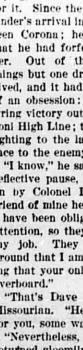
ridiculous would stand little chance | "Well, then, get out of the way! minute I am sure that you'll say someof being successfully proposed to." We're two old women and a mare. Get thing soon or burst, and I've never up, Jenny." Living Up to its Name. Customer-Say, waiter, where is Waiter-Coming in half a minute. ever hear such language?" Customer-Well, it's mighty slow. "I was in the car with pa the other "Yes." chimed in another friend; Waiter-Fault of the soup, sir; ox out for missing his signal."

"We must," says Roger Babson, quired a customer. "have the courage to put merit before "Yes," said the storekeeper expect-

"Goodness gracious, where did you "You should weigh your words," said

missed it yet."

coffee, providing you use



You Can do a Little Better at the Grand Trunk where he has a position with the Mrs. Garfield will join him there 3 lb. can Monarch Coffee. \$1.00

Salt Herring, lb.....12c Spanish Onions, lb......7c Pop Corn, per lb.....

Self Raising Buckwheat, pkg...15c Pure Buckwheat Flour, .lb...10c 241/2 lb. Spring Wheat Flour. \$1.70 Large can Tomatoes......20c call for samples, prices, etc., at this Large can Armour's Hominy..12c office, not at the Lowell postoffice— Large can Peaches in syrup....20c as an Alto Solo item erroneously Red Salmon, lb can....25c and 30c run in this paper last week would Pink Salmon, lb. can....20c and 22c indicate. The Legder and the Low-Lb.Lrick colored Oleomargarine,28c cept those of postal delivery.

E. T. White

Newsy Notes About People

You Know Mrs. Will Washburn is clerking

at Howk's bakery. Mrs. James Jones of Gladstone is visiting relatives here. Frank Morse spent Thanksgiving with Murle Hiler at Ionia.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wisner were in Grand Rapids for Thanksgiving. Earl Coles' parents and sister have rented the Terwilliger house. Misses Viola Harr and Frances be money ahead. Train spent Friday in Grand Rap-Mrs. Wm. Hawes and son Kenneth

spent Friday and Saturday in Grand Rapids Mrs. H. M. Parrott has returned from an extended visit at Wood

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Reed visited friends at Coopersville Thanks-

daughter spent Friday in Grand evening, Dec. 3, 1917. Hapids. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Thornton of

Grand Bapids spent Sunday at E. C. Mrs. A. F. Jay of Ionia spent Sat-urday with her daughter, Mrs. How-

Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford of Ionia spent Thanksgiving with Low-

entertained by Grand Rapids friends November: Thanksgiving. Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Hoover of tenced 30 days. Lowell relatives.

Miss Helen King has returned from an extended visit at Carroll Mrs. Harry Anderson and daugh-

ters Crystal and Eithol spent Friday in Grand Rapids. Licensed to wed: Harry J. Beukema, 24, Cascade; Anna G. Boomstra,

26, Grand Rapids. Graffan real estate transfer: Jacob Ockerberg and wife to Martha L. tenced 30 days. Howard, part lot 20, 875. Miss Maude VanArsdale of Pon-

tiac spent Thanksgiving with mother, Mrs. M. VanArsdale. Ladies' silk hose 65c to \$2.00 per pair at Weekes,' adv

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Burt and Dorothy spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Burt's parents in Ionia. Mrs. Cheetham's class of the M. E. Sunday school met with with Mrs. lowing bills were allowed:

Frances Aldrich Monday afternoon. Advertised letters at the Lowell E. C. Walker postoffice for John Verschoor, Mrs. Harvey Haysmer Sarah Dickerson, Mrs. Frank Ket- Fire Department

giving dinner with her sister and nephew, Mrs. Rose Ford and son Light & Power Fund Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sayles of

Hastings were Thanksgiving and week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Miss Ruth Johnson spent Sunday and Monday with her brothers C. Darby

James and Roy and the latter's fam- Eugene Carr ily in Pontiac. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Murphy and Crane & Co. Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Fuller of Grand

Rapids were Thanksgiving guests of their parents here. Mrs. Mary James of Grand Rapids and Elmer James and family of

Saranae spent Thanksgiving with Wm. Hawes and family. Eugene Pippin, well known to F. J. McMahon

many Lowell people, died this week James McMahon in a Kalamazoo hospital, following Arthur Waite an illness of typhoid-pneumonia. Holiday handkerchiefs now Mabel Charles on display at Weekes.' adv

James of Chicago are here for an L. Franz extended visit with the former's D. G. Look parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lasby. Glenn Conklin of Grand Rapids Fostoria Incan. Lamp Div. was operated on at Butterworth A. T. Knowlson Co. hospital Sunday for appendicitis, Westinghouse and at last reports was doing nice- C. J. Litscher Elec. Co.

their monthly meeting and election of officers Wednesday, Dec. 12, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank

C. E. Wood has bought the produce business of George Lake and Links & Bund will continue the same at the old Light & Power Fund stand. We hear that Mr. Lake has rented the Clark store building for City Hall Op. Fund a similar business. Holiday umbrellas up to \$5

at Weekes.' adv

n. C. Chomas McCords - WHITNEYVILLE The Auctioneer will be pleased to call your sale

References-Caledonia, Middleville, Wayland, Dorr State Bank, Farmers and Merchants Bank, Grand Rapids; Lowell City State Bank and scores of satisfied customers. Make dates at this office, call Wm. Condon, Lowell. or Citizens telephone No. 61, Caledonia. Watch this space each week for the date. Monday, Dec. 10-C. VanHouten,

Tuesday, Dec. 11-Fred Hunt, Al-Thursday, Dec. 13—Chris Kechele, Caledonia.

Friday, Dec. 14—Frank Gibbs, Middleville. Monday, Dec. 17-Peter Smith, Byron Center.

Tuesday, Dec. 18-A. E. Bass, Middleville. Wednesday, Dec. 19-L. Hofman, Byron Center.

D. L. Garfield is moving his household goods to Traverse City. next week.

The Ledger is in receipt of a 1 lb. pkg. best Tea Dust....20c neat wall calendar for 1918 from 1 lb. pkg. Steel Cut Coffee 28c the Pere Marquette Railroad com-2 lb. Ungraded Prunes.......25c pany. It carries a map showing Extra large Prunes, lb......15c the P. M. lines in Michigan and At the Lowell hospital: Mrs. L. J.

.7c Gregory is slightly improved. Mrs. .10c Will Brush, who was operated up-Fancy Prunes, per lb...........18c on, left yesterday. Mrs. Laura Hugh-Fred Slamma, E. V. Storey, Geo. Ingersoll, Claude Condon, Will Post

and Verne Hapeman, who went to Onata, U. P. on Nov. 7 for their an-10 lb. sack Whole Wheat Flour 65c mual hunt, had more than their share and a wolf.

Ledger job printing patrons will Good Salt Pork, lb...........28c ell postoffice have no relations ex-

Lowell, was married at the home of Phone 299 for quick delivery Dwight Newell Ives. Mr. and Mrs. lves are spending a few days in Detroit. They will live in Flint, where Mr. Ives is employed as an efficiency engineer at the Buick

Notice.

If you want to get 46c a

You will get an absolutely ac- B. C. Warner and daughter Iva in parents. curate test and weight, as all Bowne. right away.

Try out this deal. You will Very respectfully,

Durand Creamery Co.

Monday, December 3. Regular meeting of the Common Council of the village of Lowell, Thanksgiving with her cousin in Mr. and Mrs. Howard Burt and held in the council rooms Monday

> Meeting called to order by Presisent, Trustee Mange.

Nov. 1, Dan Peterson, drunk, sensentenced 20 days.

Nov. 6, Arthur Horgell, vagrant, sentenced 30 days. sentenced 20 days. Nov. 15, James Hall, vagrant, sen-

tenced 20 days. Nov. 15, John Driscoll, furnishing liquor to listed persons, discharged, his nephew, John Warner, and his friends visited Camp Custer Nov. 21, Charles Lewis, drunk, sentenced 30 days.

Nov. 21, Ed. Hervey, drunk, sensentenced 20 days. Nov. 28, Joseph Werner, vagrant sentenced 20 days.

Nov. 28, Hall Rogers, vagrant. discharged. Nov. 30, Sam Hall, drunk, tenced 30 days.

The report was received and ordered placed on file. On motion of Trustee Lee ported by Trustee Archart, the fol- the ladies have made one dozer General Fund

Mrs. Hattie Culver ate Thanks- H. L. Shuter Citizens Telephone Co. Dr. E. D. McQueen R. E. Springett

> Water Works Fund I. E. Hatherly James B. Clow & Sons

City Hall Operating Fund. Walter Gibson Light & Power Fund

Light & Power Fund

\$70.00

24.3

Clyde Kinyon McLean Bros. Mrs. W. E. Marsh and son Overland Service Station Luz Garage

City State Bank The Mystic Workers will hold Holland, Ackerman, Holland 250.00

84.731.09

4,731.09 Water Works Fund 85,070.97

On motion of Trustee supported by Trustee council adjourned. H. L. Shuter, Clerk.

Chas. Tucker returned to Chicago Monday after spending a few Richard Rawlings is very ill with Levi Cooper and family spent

Thanksgiving at his sister's in Mr. and Mrs. Bert Douglas visited relatives in Detroit from Friday un-Mrs. Jones and daughter-in-law

of Ionia spent Thanksgiving and until Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Miles Graham.

Martin VanStee and family spent Thanksgiving with his parents in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Spaulding were in the city Monday and Tuesday.

GRAND RAPIDS OIL now handled by WALTER ROGERS Phone 262 ;

Royal Baking Powder saves eggs in baking.

In many recipes only half as many eggs are required, in some none at all, if an additional quantity of Royal Baking Powder is used, about a teaspoon, in place of each egg omitted.

Try the following recipes which also conserve white flour as urged by the government.

Corn Meal Griddle Cakes

1½ cups corn meal
1½ cups boiling water
34 cup milk
1 tablespoon shortening
1 tablespoon molasses

1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
NO EGGS Scald corn meal in bowl with boiling water: add milk.

nelted shortening and molasses; add flour, salt and baking powder which have been sifted together; mix well. Bake on hot greased griddle until brown. (The Old Method called for 2 eggs)

Eggless, Milkless, Butterless

1 cup brown sugar 1% cups water 1 cup seeded raising 1/2 tenspoon salt
1 tenspoon nutmes
1 tenspoon cinnamon
1 cup flour 2 cunces citron, cut fine 1 cup flour 1 cup shortening 1 cup rye flour 5 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder Boll sugar, water, fruit, shortening, salt and spices together in saucepan 3 minutes. When cool, add flour and baking powder which have been sifted together. Mix well; bake in loaf pan in moderate oven about 45 minutes.

(The Old Method [Fruit Cake] called for 2 eggs)

Send for our new booklet "55 Ways to Save Eggs." Mailed free on request. Address Royal Baking Powder Co., Dept. H., 135 William Street, New York

Carl Gress and Will Rowland with . E. Gress' Saturday.

cream is weighed and tested Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rockefellow and children of Williamston and Miss Evelyn Kraft spent the week entertained her mother, Mrs. Ellen Miss Ruth Layer of Flint were the end with her parents in Grand Rapright in the open where you can Linton, and brothers George and Thanksgiving guests of their parsee it, and you get your pay John, and sister, Mrs. Batey, with ents. their families Thanksgiving.

son with their families spent last Thursday with the former's sister, Official Report of Meeting Held Mrs. Emma Fonger, in Grand Rap-Mr. and Mrs. Bert Douglas spent

Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Blood enterdent Winegar at 8:30 o'clock.

Trustees present, Archart, Lee, McKay, Peckham and Weekes, Ab
daughters, Nellie and Mrs. Marguerite Warren, and Jimmie and Mrs. Marguerite Warren, and Jimmie and Mrs. Percy Sears and family, Mrs. Sears

Watch The Ledger for some interesting portions of these in next issue.

Percy Sears and family, Mrs. Sears

Minutes of last regular meeting Keith Fulton for Thanksgiving. read and approved.

Street Commissioner's reports for the weeks ending Nov. 24 and Dec.

Byron Patterson and family spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Patterson's mother, Mrs. Watterson, of Cascade.

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Earl Thomas has a new windmill.

Bay No.

> Wood and children spent Thanks-Mrs. Fred Eardley, at Fox Station. Vane Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Vanderjagt and Bertha Gress dition. spent Sunday at Camp Custer. John Wisner returned to his ome in Indiana, after a visit with

fiece, Mrs. James Bawlings. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown and laughter have gone to their home the city after spending the sum- Thanksgiving in Ada at their son's. Nov. 28, Albert Miller, vagrant, mer on the Duane Brown farm.

SOUTH LOWELL The Misses Beatrice and Doris

day school class party Friday even All report a good time. The Ladies Aid society met will Mrs. T. C. Willette Thursday and That's what makes us certain that sewed for the Red Cross. So far pajamas, 3 dozen surgical robes, dozen surgical shirts, 3 s 30,00 lowels, 3 dozen belmets, 2 muffler 25.00 sweaters.

Carl Bittenger writes 20,00 France that he was glad, through University on December 1. 25.00 time. He expects to write to then

Mrs. Howard Bartlett spent the week end in Grand Rapids and at- Carl Roth. \$10.80 lended the Better Homes exposition. 5.40 Howard spent Sunday there. Ray Bittenger spent Sunday with 12.98 Minor Dutcher near Caledonia. Emerson Wieland had the misortune to break his arm. Edson O'Harrow spent Thanks- day.

giving in Kalamazoo with his sister \$15.00 Letha. Frank Rittenger and family spent Saturday in Grand Rapids and attended the Better Homes exposi-

Mrs. Bace is spending a few days Will Klahn of Dundee, Ill., is visiting relatives and friends here. Mrs. Allen Behler and Arline are spending a few days in Lowell with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kiel. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klahn, Will Klahn and Mrs. Klahn's cousin 2.80 spent Sunday with John Klahn and family of Lake Odessa. Lucile Robbins has returned from Grand Rapids, where she had an operation on her throat. Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs.

John Behler were Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Eckhart and children, Esther 3,683,48 Aubil and Freda Phillips, all of Grand Rapids.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Kilgus spent Saturday in Grand Rapids.

Large stock of

just received. We invite your inspection.

The Jeweler.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Rice spent pound for butterfat this week, their families attended the sale at Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. the home of Charles Gregory. and Mrs. T. VanHaitsma. James Rawlings and family spent | Miss Ina O'Harrow of Battle Miss Lillian Skelding of Grand Rap-Mrs. F. W. Braisted, Lowell. Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. Creek spent Thanksgiving with her ids spent Thanksgiving with their

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Whitmyer

and Mrs. Frank DeNise and Clayton giving with Mr. and Mrs. Melvia

Joseph Buttrick, who has been suffering with blood poisoning, has been removed to Blodgett hospital,

been performed. Some very interesting letters from Gerald Frazier and other Ada boys tained Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cook and daughters, Nellie and Mrs. Mar. Watch The Ledger for some inter-

where an operation on his fool has

and Arlo, Nellie McGregor and Neith Fulton for Thanksgiving.

Petty coal and wood thieves are on the rampage in this vicinity.

Mrs. D. A. Wood, Harold and Gleaners, has been boosting for giving with the former's daughter. It ili, is reported somewhat better. J. J. Boyd, who has been serious-Mrs. Garrett Farrell, who is seriously ill, is still in a critical con-Mrs. Wm. Farrell is visiting her

daughter in Grand Rapids. Archie Hettle with a party of Lieut. Freeman, formerly called Doc. around Ada, with wife spent

to France and in active service near front "Attaboy." Over to France, over to France, ov-Harrow entertained with a Sun-Ready, smiling, cheerful, ready to er to France they go fight the foe. cheer or a grin.

SOUTH VERGENNES

Yankee boys must win.

Howard Krum, who enlisted in 15.00 I pair wristlets, and are knitting the Aviation corps. left Thursday for Ithaca, N. Y., where he was called to enter training at Cornell 2.85 the Ledger, to get the addresses of Mrs. Chris Wittenbach and two 27.75 the Graham brothers, who are in daughters Johanna and Freda and 26.65 the Canadian army, as they all at- Carl and Fritz Wittenbach spent 14.50 lended the Sweet school at one Thanksgiving day at the home of Fred Wittenbach in Grattan.

> spent Thanksgiving at the home of Miss Marie Roth of Grand Rapids was a guest of Bose Roth Sunday, Sam Skeldings' entertained Mr. and Mrs. Mike McCarthy, Mr. and

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Skeld-

Gordon Frost and family and Miss Mrs. G. Rittenger. Andrew and Helen Andrews of Moseley spent John Andrews. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fraser and Mr. Frank and family spent Thanks and Mrs. Frank DeNise and Clayton giving with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Thanksgiving with Mrs. Wedness Court of West Lowell.

Sunday afternoon at Roye Ford's. Roye Ford and Thanksgiving with Mrs. Ford's Gamily spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Ford's Gay. motored to Grand Rapids Wednesday.

Mrs. Lizzie Sears and son Ario spent over Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Fay Hoppongh, at Belding.

Elishu Colvin and Anton Ander
ADA SQUIBS

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> from a broken hip. Marie Wittenbach, who has been suffering with quinsy for the past three weeks, is recovering and expects to resume her school duties Monday. Miss Rosa Roth has been teaching during her absence.

A Dangerous Trouble

Lowell People Tell How To Act In Kidney diseases are very danger-

ous. They come on silently, gain ground rapidly, and cause thousands of deaths that could have been prevented by proper treatment in the beginning. Nature gives early warnings of kidney disease—backBelding Tuesday. in this vicinity for a few days.

J. Boyd, who has been seriousing or lifting, headaches and bladder disorders. If these symptoms are unheeded, there is grave danger of Bright's disease. Doan's Kidney Pills have earned a reputation for their effectiveness in kidney troubles, and are known and recommended the world over. Lowell testimony proves the merit of Doan's Kidney Pills to our readers.

Mrs. Julia Hildreth, Washington St., Lowell, says: "I got Doan's Kidney Pills from Winegar's drug Doc, says he is anxious to get over store when I was suffering from backache that had troubled me for a long time. I found them to be a fine kidney medicine. They rid me of the aches and pains, regulated my kid neys and did me good in every way My kidneys have since been nor-Ready to meet the Bosches with a mal and my health has been bet-

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Hildreth had. Foster-Mil-burn Co., Props., Buffalo N. Y.

SARANAC

Mrs. R. Olmstead was called to Grand Rapids Friday by the illness of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Horton. Keene and O. Vanderlip.

Thanksgiving guests at A. E. Denny's were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bigley of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Kingdom and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Denny and Lyle ited his parents from Wednesday visited at R. S. Bigley's Sunday.

red Wittenbach in Grattan.

Anthony and Simon Wingeier and Mrs. G. H. Kingdom of West game at Lowell Thursday after-Elmer Yeiter of Three Oaks vis

Thanksgiving visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Pat McCormick and Mr. and stead and wife, Misses Hattie and cago. Mrs. John Cary and families Sun-Lena and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Olm-with stead and Derward.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Lowell State Bank

of Lowell, Michigan, at the close of business November 20, 1917, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

RESOURCES Loans and Discounts, viz. Comm reial Dept.... \$230.864.36 Savings Dept., 64,522.43 295,386.79 Bonds, Mortgages and Securities viz: Commercia! Dept 99,304.25 Savings Dept 197,201,08 296,505,33 1.079.87 Banking House 4.500.00 Furniture and fixtures 2.000.00 RESERVE Commercial Savings S. Bonda Due from banks in reserve cities....\$37,852.77 11.809 14 Exchanges for clearing house...... 1,503.20 S. and National bank curr'ey... 13,585 00 5,500,00 9,745.00 Nickels and cents..... \$58,758.78 \$18 569.74 102,323.47 Total. \$732,713.61 LIABILITIES Capital stock paid in \$ 30,000 00 10,000 00 Undivided profits, net.... 11,563.96 Commercial deposits subject to check......... .. \$164,829,89 Commercial certificates of deposit...... 184,925.79

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Kent, 88. I. D. G. Mange. Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear, that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

Reserved for taxes, interest, etc.....

Bills payable.

Correct attest:

D. G. MANGE, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of November, 1917. LENA MURPHY, Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov. 2nd, 1918. E D. McQUEEN S. S. LEE E L. BENNETT

660,090.72

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Directors.

Mr. and Mrs. Longwell of Ronald visited Leo Longwell Friday and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Lind Sunday.

Mrs. Howard Olmstead entertained her mother and sister from

lonia over Sunday. WEST BOWNE

Mrs. Clara Watts and sons John and Will and wife spent Thanksgiving with Elwin Watts and family of Grand Rapids.

Hiram and Ray Seese with their families spent Thursday with Wm. Olthouse and family of Freeport.

Orvin Smelker had a number of sheep killed by dogs Friday night. Scott Lowe, Ward Boulard, Charlie and Arthur Clark with their families ate Thanksgiving dinner with Geo. Clarke and wife. mother Sunday. with Geo. Clarke and wife.

Earl Fox and family entertained Mrs. Fox's parents from Hastings the latter part of the week.

Myron Thompson returned from
his hunting trip Saturday. Earl Smith spent over Sunday with Guy Smith and family.

Roy Deming and family and Mrs. Edith Benton and children ate Thanksgiving dinner with John Deming and family of Freeport. Tom Fingleton was a Grand Rapids visitor from Friday until Sun-

Mrs. Guy Smith and children. Mrs. J. S. Thomas, Harry Clemens, Watt and John Thomas with their families spent Thanksgiving with Will and Ray Thomas of Lansing.

MOSELEY

Miss Mead spent Thanksgiving with her mother in Sparta. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Adams, Mrs. Collette Condon, Miss Lena Con-verse and friend of Grand Rapids spent Thanksgiving with Will Converse and wife.
Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Church spent

the past week with relatives in Grand Rapids.
Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Rennells
entertained their children and grandchildren for Thanksgiving. Mr. and Mrs. Roye Ford and

Thanksgiving at daughter spent

Miss Frances Sullivan, teacher at the Moseley school, spent her vacaword that her mother is suffering tion at Bay City. Mrs. Sarah Purdy spent Monday afternoon with Hosmer Andrews

and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Frost and children and Miss Helen Andrews spent Sunday at Roye Ford's. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Frost and son Byrne and Mrs. Ella Richmond were in Grand Rapids Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Hoover and Children of Pontiac spent last week with their aunt, Mrs. Mike McAn-

Mrs. Oren Sayles spent Sunday with Fred Pottruff and wife. Mrs. Frank Keech and son Clare spent Saturday in Grand Rapids. Mr. Zimmerman is working for Gordon Frost and wife were in Mr. Carr of Lansing spent Sunday

with his daughter, Mrs. Lee Cum-

SEELEY CORNERS

The Sunday school voted to hold their Christmas exercises the evening of Dec. 24. Rev. Bennett and wife of Ada at tended services at Snow church Sunday morning and were enter tained by W. Burras and family. The next meeting of the teachers training class will be held at the home of S. P. Reynolds. A committee consisting of Gladys Ferrall and Edna Hesche was ap-

pointed to collect funds for Christmas candy. J. Nicklin and family of Grand Rapids spent Thanksgiving with V. Gregory. Seymour Hesche entertained sev en of his school friends Friday af

leventh birthday. Mr. Shelton lost a horse last C. Cole and family spent Thanks

ternoon, the occasion being his

giving with M. Schneider of Lowell

MORSE LAKE Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Foote visited Frank Houghton and sons Lloyd

until Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Arch Wood and Mrs. Leo Longwell were R. Olm-children, Charles Tucker of Chitook Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. Wood's sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eardley. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Houghton and

family ate Thanksgiving dinner with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo Charles Tucker of Chicago visited at Arch Wood's and other friends

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Yeiter en-tertained for Thanksgiving, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dygert and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Yeiter, Floyd Yeiter and family, Elmer Yeiter of Three Oaks, Dan McVean and Art Stearns. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lane visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Floyd Yeiter,

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bloomer and daughter ate Thanksgiving dinner with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Quiggle.
Mr. and Mrs. John Patterson and family of Lowell ate Thanksgiving dinner with his brother Fred and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Curtiss at

Thanksgiving dinner with their parents, Earl Curtiss and wife.

Miss Audie and Olive Yeiter have

eturned to their school work at The Fairchild family entertained for Thanksgiving, Harold Fairchild and Miss Freda Johnson of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Devey Pinkney and Miss Blanche Wolverton of

Frank Pattison and Miss Evelyn Hale of Grand Rapids visited Sunday at Fred Pattison's.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Miller and Grandpa Gaines of Grand Rapids spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dolo Curtiss Mrs. Dale Curtiss.
Mr. and Mrs. Whit Kiel entertained Thanksgiving, Mr. and Mrs.
Ed. Kiel and family of Lowell, Allen Behler and family of Alto and Miss Bernice Underhill of Grand Rapids.

South Lowell Grange, gives a chicken pie supper and a nice program Saturday evening at 5:30 in honor of the 35th anniversary of he Grange. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Smith entertained for Thanksgiving, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Salon and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Salon and family of Lansing, Mrs. Pheobe Mabie of Detroit

Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fairchild and sons Will and Richard visited their old neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Curtiss, in Lowell Sunday after-Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. C.

Campbell, Alma Snyder and friend, Clayton Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. G.

Snyder and family and Levant

DISTRICT NO. 5, LOWELL Although quite late quite a few of the people of this vicinity have not threshed their beans. Emery Orchard company threshed theirs on Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sherman of East Lowell visited the former's

Mrs. Raynor has returned to Macatawa Park for the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Theo Rice of Grand Rapids spent Thanksgiving with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. VanHaitsma. Emmet Needham visited his sis-

ter and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Baker, in Boston Sunday. Percy Atkinson intends to move to Grand Rapids in the near future.

Ledger want ads pay.

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FOR SALE—Good productive farm 2 miles from Lowell. 100 acres under cultivation, 13 acres timber, house, barn, other buildings and windmill. Located on main traveled road between Lowell and Grand Rapids. This is a desirable farm near best town for its size in the state should pay for itself. in the state, should pay for itself in a few years. Reasonable terms, inquire of E. A. Anderson.

FOR SALE—Gold Coin coal heating stove. Enquire Dr. Gotfred-sen's office. 24tf

OR SALE—Good rabbit hound Inquire of Calvin Rogers, phone 143.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, one Ford touring car and a Ford roadster.

—E. V. Storey.

OR SALE—Stunning Old Ivory bedroom suite, very attractive, full size bed, dainty dresser, gentleman's chiffonier with oval mirror, bedroom chair and rocker. Comfortable Fumed Oak library table of distinctive pattern. Overstuffed rockers, etc., good dining room suite, round extension table, pretty buffet, good comfortable chairs, kitchen cab-inet. None of this furniture has been used more than three months and a part of it has never been used. Only \$50 secures this handsome furniture, balance of only \$145 payable in one year. Opportunity, Care Ledger.

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FOR SALE—2 1917 Ford touring cars, 1 1916 Ford touring car, 1 1915 touring car, 1 Saxton roadster. Kreiser Auto Co., Lowell, Mich. Overland garage.

FOR SALE—New milch cow.— Percy Read, R. 5, Phone 241-5.

FOR SALE—Four year old mare, broke single or double. Am moving away, will sell cheap. P. V.

Atkinson, Citz. phone. FOR SALE—Couch, upholstered, in good condition. To make room, will sacrifice for \$2.50. Mrs. A. A.

HOUSE FOR RENT OR SALE—Fer-

stead, phone 223. FOR RENT-Three houses on West

WANTED-To buy 25 cords green stove wood, preferably secondgrowth oak, to be paid for as de-livered. Bids will be received by

leave at Henry's drug store and receive reward.

OST—Saturday p. m., Dec. 1, spotted Beagle female hound. Calls to name of "Net." Wore new collar; no name on plate. Last seen on Main Reward for information. street.

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