

Business Directory.

SABATH SERVICES.
SERVICES are held every Sabbath at 10:30 o'clock A. M., at the Church of the "Larger Hope," also, Sabbath School services immediately after the morning meeting. Prayer and conference meeting every Thursday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

O. O. P.—Buckham Lodge No. 73 holds its regular meeting at 8 o'clock, follows hall, on each Tuesday evening.

A. M.—Buckham Lodge No. 65 holds a regular meeting Monday evening on or before the first and third Saturday of each month.

O. O. P.—Buckham Lodge No. 40 meets on the second and fourth Saturday of each month, at 8 o'clock P. M.

O. O. P.—Buckham Lodge No. 98 holds its regular meeting the 1st and 3rd Tuesday evening of each month.

A. R. Wm. Perrott Post No. 22 Regular meeting on the first and third Tuesday of each month, at 8 o'clock P. M. Visiting comrades always welcome.

WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS. Wm. Perrott Post No. 22. Meetings held regularly in Grange hall, first and third Saturday of each month. Co-ops welcome.

M. E. KNIGHT, M. D. (Homoeopathic). Office and residence first door south of Rough Run, Wagon Works.

DRS. HENDERSON & BRADLEY. Physicians and Surgeons. Office in Opera House Block. Residence No. 90 Front St., one door west of Perry block. Also at the corner of Oak and Front streets. Office hours, 10 A. M. to 6 P. M.

L. BAILEY. Homoeopathic Physician and Surgeon. Office and residence in Smith's block, Buchanan, Mich.

M. WILSON. Dentist. Office, first door north of the Bank. Charges reasonable and satisfaction guaranteed.

M. S. RAPP. Manufacturer of Lumber. One door south of Rough Run, Wagon Works.

H. M. Brodick, M. D. Graduate of the St. Louis Mo., Homoeopathic College, and Member of the Royal College of Physicians of Ontario. Diseases of Women and children a specialty.

CONSULTATION FREE. Office and residence in Mrs. Dunham's building, 600 South Street, Buchanan, Mich.

BEST BUILDING BRICK.

TILING.

Having recently erected an improved Brick and Tiling Kiln

I am now prepared to furnish the

Best Brick

the market affords. Also

FIRST-CLASS TILING

running in place from two to eight inches.

Call on me for a list of prices.

HENRY BLODGETT.

Normal & Collegiate

INSTITUTE.

Benton Harbor, Mich.

25th Session Begins Sept. 1st, 1921.

This Institute offers the highest instruction to students in Academic, Business, Education, Teachers, Music, Art, Kindergarten and Preparatory courses.

Business Course as thorough as, and cheaper than any other school. Teachers Course under the immediate charge of the Principal.

Normal Course as thorough as, and cheaper than any other school. Normal Course in all Courses of Michigan, W. Hestley, Oberlin, and other Universities and Colleges.

Superior College of Art and Apparatus. Well equipped instructors; daily laboratory and gymnastic; pleasant surroundings; excellent location; and thorough discipline render the situation one of the most popular schools for higher education in the west.

Send for Annual Catalogue, free.

Send G. J. EDGECUMBE, A. M., Ph. D. Principal.

Dr. J. T. SALTER.

Would inform the citizens of Buchanan and surrounding country that what he wants

PAIN SUBDUER

LIVER PILLS.

Made or endorsed by himself, can obtain them at any of the

Buchanan Drug Stores.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL

By Niagara Falls

THE SHORT LINE

Between New York and Buffalo

via New York, Buffalo, and Niagara Falls

via New York, Buffalo, and Niagara Falls

via New York, Buffalo, and Niagara Falls

via New York, Buffalo, and Niagara Falls

BUCHANAN RECORD.

VOLUME XXV.

BUCHANAN, BERRIEN COUNTY, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, AUGUST 20, 1891.

NUMBER 30.

DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT

Has steadily gained in sales during the last year. The reason for this increase of trade is because more and more people are discovering every day that they can get just what they want at the

Lowest Price Ever Made!

You can buy Pink Prints of us for 3 cents a yard; Plain Turkey Red Calico, good quality, at 4 cents; Handsome Indigo Blue Prints at 5 cents. All the new and fancy styles of Prints, in choice patterns, at 5 and 6 cents.

You can buy 20 yards of better Unbleached Muslin of us for \$1, than you ever purchased. We also sell for \$1.16 yards of Unbleached Muslin, that has never been matched at 7 cents.

While they last, and we have some eight or ten cases of them, our price for Fruit of the Loom, 4-4 bleached, and of Lonsdale, 4-4 bleached, will be 7 1/2 cents.

500 Bates Counterpanes, with the brand upon the Counterpane, our price, \$1.

You can always find what you want in this department and the prices will always be below competition.

Rose & Ellsworth,

South Bend, Ind.

Open every Wednesday and Saturday evening.

Teeth! Teeth!

ARTIFICIAL TEETH.

From one tooth to full sets.

Filling Teeth with Silver, Bone or Amalgam

50 CENTS.

Fine Gold Fillings and Crown work a specialty. All work warranted for five years.

I still keep the Nitron Oxide Gas.

OSTRANDER,

THE DENTIST,

Redd-a Block, Buchanan, Mich.

Special Sale

AT THE

BOSTON

DRY GOODS STORE.

During the remainder of this month or as long as they last we will place on sale 1,000 dozen of

LINEN TOWELS

AT HALF THEIR VALUE.

Our fall importations is now in and we give you far better goods for the money than ever before in our history.

100 doz. Gloss Linen Towels, good size and a hummer at 10 cents, our price during sale 5 cents each.

50 doz. Heavy Damask Towels, really we have seen towels sold for 12 1/2, not as good as these, our price, 8 cents each.

100 doz. All Linen Towels, coming in buck buck and damask, at our price of 10 cents each, worth 15 cents.

100 doz. Linen Towels, coming in knotted fringe, buck buck and damask and a great bargain at 20 cents, our price only 12 1/2 cents each.

100 doz. Linen Towels, coming in elegant borders, knotted fringe and a great bargain at 25 cents, our price only 15 cents a pair.

250 doz. Linen Towels, elegant borders, nice designs and an elegant pure linen, good value, worth 25 cents, our price 17 cents a pair, towel, linen and better every way, for 30 cents a pair.

A Special Bargain.

200 doz. Linen Towels. These towels are, as we tell you, the best value ever shown in this city. Good size, good linen, in fact good every way, worth 50 cents each, our special price only 25 cents. We will show better values at 37 1/2, 50, 75 and \$1 each. Call in and see these goods and be astonished.

CHILLAS, ADLER & COBLE,

127 SOUTH MICHIGAN ST.,

South Bend, Ind.

The Leaders of Low Prices.

Store open Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

NEW HOME

SEWING MACHINE

THE BEST OF THE FINEST WOODWORK

FOR SALE BY J. W. HESTLEY, Agent.



H. E. LOUGH,

Watchmaker and Jeweler,

MAIN STREET,

Buchanan, Mich.

Repairing Gold Spectacles a Specialty.

TAKES DR. MILES' NEW HEART CURE

FOR HEART FAILURE, PAIN IN THE SIDE, SHORT BREATH, DROPSY, ETC.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

STATISTICS show that one in four has a weak or diseased heart. The first symptoms are short breath, oppression, fluttering, palpitation, dizziness, pain in the side, then smothering, swollen ankles, dropsy (and death), for which Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is a marvelous remedy. Fine booklet, "Heart Disease," with full directions, FREE at druggists, or address Dr. Miles' Medical Co., Elkhart, Indiana.

A MARTYR TO STYLE.

BY ROSIE M. BEST.

I despise this way of wearing

Gown that leads to the dust,

But the other woman do, And so I suppose I must.

It is neither neat nor pretty To be wiping up the street,

And the only ones who like it Are the women with big feet.

If I only had the courage To make the horrible gables Of my fellow female creatures,

I would cling to olden styles, I would always have my dresses Short enough to miss the dirt,

And I would wear mittles On the bottom of my skirt.

But I am too great a coward! A decided snail to take;

So with all the rest I follow In a foolish fashion's wake.

And my newest gown I'm making Shorter, shorter, dip, Over which some luckless mortal Will may day be sure to trip.

But I hold I'm a martyr! Almost worthy of a crown,

For my meek and mild adoption Of the now-prevailing gown.

HOW HE WAS CURED

"I am a miserable man," said Mr. Cyrus Maddox, gloomily, "and it is best that I should be rid of my presence."

"No one cares for me," said Lizzy Silver, desolately. "You know I love you. You are the only friend I have in the world, and if you were to die what would become of me?"

"Suppose young Guy Cheevers would console you for my loss," said Mr. Maddox, grimly. "At any rate, I don't care. I will end my troubles and so row tomorrow at twelve M."

With these few words he strode out of the room, leaving Lizzy sobbing, with her curly black head resting on a dinner plate.

"What's the matter now, Bess? Has the doctor disappeared?" asked a warm, hearty voice, which was the property of "young Guy Cheevers," as Mr. Maddox called him, as that gentleman strode into the room.

"Oh, Guy," sobbed Lizzy. "Uncle Cyrus is going to die to-morrow at twelve o'clock."

"How do you know?"

"He said so."

"But how does he know?"

"He's going to kill himself."

"So as to make himself a true prophet, eh?" asked Guy, laughing.

"Oh, Guy, don't joke!" cried Lizzy, tearfully. "I will know he will kill himself!"

"I doubt it!" said Guy, skeptically.

"But he tried to commit suicide several times," she persisted tearfully.

"Once he tried to smother himself with a pillow, but he was too big to do so."

"He tried to hang himself, but he was too big to do so."

"He tried to shoot himself, but he was too big to do so."

"He tried to drown himself, but he was too big to do so."

"He tried to starve himself, but he was too big to do so."

"He tried to poison himself, but he was too big to do so."

"He tried to burn himself, but he was too big to do so."

BUCHANAN RECORD.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 20, 1891.

Entered at the Post-office at Buchanan, Mich., as second-class matter.

W. TRENBETH, Merchant Tailor

Has moved into his new brick building on Front street, foot of Day's ave., and has the largest stock of new

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC SUITINGS,

For Gentlemen's Wear, to be found in Berrien county at the lowest living prices for good work.

NEW STOCK

now arriving, of which

An Inspection is Solicited.

Buchanan Markets.

Hay—\$10 to \$12 per ton.
Butter—12c.
Eggs—13c.
Lard—8c.
Salt, retail—91.00.
Flour—\$3.20 to \$3.60 per bbl., retail.
Honey—12 1/2c.
Live poultry—8c.
Wheat—85c.
Oats—30c.
Corn—60c.
Beans—\$2.00.
Live Hogs—\$4.00.

Taxes! Taxes! Taxes!

Notice is hereby given that I shall take legal steps to recover all taxes not paid to me by August 31, 1891.

JOHN SUROS, Village Marshal.

They have a brand new son at Will Waterman's.

The Teachers' Institute is in session in Benton Harbor this week.

St. Joseph has decided upon having waterworks. Good idea.

JUDITH O'HARA is visiting in Manitowish.

NILES is talking of issuing \$20,000 bonds for subsidy purposes.

There is whooping cough in Berrien Springs, of good quality.

TEX acres yielded 400 bushels of oats for E. S. Boyd, of Oronoka township.

Mrs. ELMIE DUNCAN is in the city buying goods.

ROE BROS. extend an invitation to you. See their advertisement.

AN infant child of Jonathan Goodling was buried Tuesday.

MR. AND MRS. ED. CALVIN have returned to their home in Nebraska.

THERE was a heavy shower on the east side of Portage prior Sunday afternoon. We were not in it.

Mrs. H. N. Mowrey went to Marcellus this morning for a visit with her son, Ora Remington.

We learn that a horse belonging to John W. Broesus died suddenly yesterday.

MR. AND MRS. HARRY PRESCOTT visited in Sturgis over Sunday, the guests of W. H. Fox.

HENRY KINGERY has sold his street sprinkling outfit and franchises to N. E. Jones.

THERE was a \$150 fire in the Makepeace wagon works, in Niles, Saturday morning.

THERE will be services in the U. B. church next Sunday morning and evening.

GEORGE G. ROGERS is home for a visit with his family. He has been in Wisconsin this trip.

FOUND—A gold pin. Call on Henry Broesus, prove property and pay for this notice.

Mrs. WRIGHT SMITH returned to Chicago on Friday, after several days' visit with Buchanan friends.

F. M. SMITH arrived here from California, Saturday. He does not expect to return to the Golden State.

BARNEY SAWYER put his finger against a rip saw, Monday, and it is somewhat shorter now.

WILL SWYDER, of Niles, was here yesterday morning, posting bills for the "Kajanka" in Peak hall, Monday evening.

Mrs. ARBOUST, of Chicago, and Mrs. Johns, of Waupun, Wisconsin, are visiting here with their brother, B. S. Crawford.

THE editor and printer of the Quill came to this place Friday, and fished down the river to the Shaker farm, and caught some fish.

JEFF DARTMOUTH, of Benton Harbor, formerly of this place, was married last Thursday to Mrs. Emma J. Koon, of that place.

Mrs. W. A. PALMER and Grace have gone to Milwaukee for a visit with the Severson family, accompanying Mrs. Severson across the lake to her home.

WORK has been commenced on the building of a new cement walk at the front of the Union school lot and Clark Phelps' lot, on Chicago street.

BARNEAD CHRIST's house and its contents, in Royalton township, were burned Thursday night. Insured in Berrien County Mutual for \$350.

THE Star is ferriest excursion to Marion, Ind. Fred claims the town owes him \$150 for running the excursion there last year, hence the thunders.

Mrs. O'Neil, of Port, Iowa, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Crawford, for several weeks, returned to her home on Friday.

THE owners of Niles electric light plant, also of that at Bluffton, Ind., failed Monday for \$40,000, says the Inter Ocean.

WHILE plowing, last week, Mr. F. R. Harding discovered a clover root five feet in length. It had most likely started out in search of moisture.

LINCOLN BURRIS had the misfortune to lose a valuable three-year-old colt, Tuesday. When found, the colt was lying on its back in a ditch, dead.

QUITE a number of fires are being reported in all directions during the terribly dry spell. None but the most reckless would start an open fire at such a time.

NILES papers credit Buchanan with seven of the prizes from the picnic races. It is quite uncommon for that town to credit us with more than belongs to us of that which is good.

THE remains of Mr. S. C. Raymond, father of Mrs. J. K. Woods, were brought from Mount Station, Ill., Monday for burial. The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon.

LAST winter the square-neck legislature reduced the test standard of kerosene in the State, and now we are having the old story of kerosene explosions.

MISS FLORA STARNETT, a former RECORD employee, now employed in the Register office in Ann Arbor, is here for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Geo. I. Blowers.

PRETTY dry weather when a live hedge fence will burn, but such is reported by the Star to have occurred between Niles and South Bend on Monday.

A SPECIAL from Columbus, Ind., Monday, says Charles A. Russ has just been paid \$1,200 for being put off a railroad train because the conductor thought he did not sign his mileage book as he should.

REV. AND MRS. J. F. BARTNES have returned from their vacation, and found Italian postal cards from E. A. A. telling of his visit to Rome, Naples, Pompeii, Herculaneum, Mt. Vesuvius, and other points of historical interest.

THE Cincinnati, Wabash & Michigan railroads have been granted the privilege by the war department at Washington, to erect a grain elevator on the canal at Benton Harbor, and will immediately erect it.

ANOTHER opportunity for using the river power presented itself last week. This time it is a factory that will employ 1,500 men. When we get the dam built we can commence to talk business to such institutions.

J. W. BLACKFORD, foreman in the Recorder office in Niles, caught his hand in the Gordon press last week, and now has three less fingers than before. Fingers are quite necessary to a printer.

Eighty baskets of peaches, shipped from Bainbridge to Milwaukee, have been destroyed because they were afflicted with the yellows. The laws of the State prohibit the shipment of the diseased fruit.

BUCHANAN is represented at the teachers' institute by Misses Elsie Kingery, Nettie Drake, Hattie Gano, Ella Morley, Cora Fisher and Minnie Sparks. Seventy-six teachers are in attendance, of whom fourteen are gentlemen.

ANNA E., only daughter of Hon. Samuel Hess, of Three Oaks, was married at the home of her parents yesterday morning to Prof. Frank W. Walls, of Concord, Mich., Rev. E. B. Patterson, of Benton Harbor, officiating.

A GOOD healthy shower was seen at the south of us, perhaps ten miles away, yesterday, while we were boiling in the sun at 95 to 100 in the shade and wondering why we may not have a shower.

THE inveterate small boy in South Bend was discovered sitting calmly straddle of an electric light wire at the top of a pole, where he had climbed. Dead? No, the dynamo attached to that wire didn't happen to be running just then.

LIST of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending Aug. 17, 1891: Mrs. Hattie Head, Mr. A. B. Kuhlman, Mr. Noah S. Lester (2).

Call for letters advertised.

JOHN GRAHAM, P. M.

ALBERT HALL and Orin Wise, colored, and Maj. Meredith, white, are in jail for attempting to murder Henry O'Brien, at the Young People's picnic in Niles, last week, with a razor. Hall did the carrying, while the others held their victim.

WHILE threshing on the D. C. Higbee farm in Bertrand, last week, fire caught in the top of an oats stack, and but for the prompt action of the men, Mr. Higbee would have met a heavy loss. The fire was extinguished after a sharp fight.

THE price of wheat has been on the upward road, and Saturday reached the dollar mark. A considerable amount was contracted for at that price by Mr. Bishop. As there is a shortage in the supply in Europe, amounting to nearly 300,000,000 bushels, it is not at all likely that the price is going much below that figure before another crop comes into the market.

THE Christ Ditmar house in Bertrand township, east of the river, was burned Monday night, supposed to have been the work of an incendiary, as the house was vacant. Insured in Berrien County Mutual for \$400.

THE Shaker farm at Berrien Springs has been entertaining a small army of tinner who have been replacing the tin roof on the monster barn, the old one having been neatly removed by the gentle zephyr of August 9.

Go to Niles next Monday, the 24th, and see the grand spectacular production, "Kajanka." Fifteen sets special scenery, 40 people, eight acrobats, eight Mariquita dancers. Revel, the great clown, and many others. Seats at Surridge's drug store.

THE excursion to St. Joseph took 140 people from this place, Tuesday morning, and they report a good time for a S. Three Oaks sent 110, Dayton and Gallen all they could spare and be sure the towns would be there when they returned.

Mrs. LENA MARQUET, who has lived four miles west of this place during the past thirty years, died last Sunday, after a sickness of a few weeks. The funeral services were conducted in the Holmes school house, Tuesday forenoon, and the remains taken to Baker-town cemetery for burial.

THERE is reported to have sprung up a sudden and exceedingly lively market in Dayton for celery tonic. Its other name is "Book and Rye." The principal ingredients being rye whiskey and a little celery extract. It proves a lively tonic and not bad to take.

IT has been definitely settled that the Featherbone corset factory shall be removed from Three Oaks to Kalamazoo. This takes a good live industry out of Berrien county, which should have been kept here. Kalamazoo salaries \$30,000 and Mr. Hatfield \$25,000 stock.

ABRIEL HATHAWAY has sold his house and lot on Oak street to DeLoe Koonz. There are some who are fore-sighted enough to predict that this is in preparation for a wedding, but DeLoe says it isn't, now, and we shall have to take his word for it, for a time at least.

A NUMBER of copies of America Junior, published in Chicago, has been received in this place. It bears at its head the names of F. R. Anderson, business manager; W. F. Davis, managing editor. The business manager is Frank Anderson, well known in Buchanan, grand-son of Mr. Alfred Richards.

THE Michigan Central will, on Aug. 22 and 23, sell tickets from Buchanan to Minneapolis, Minn., and return at the rate of one first-class limited fare on day of sale and returning on the 25th or 26th, but not good for passage to destination after August 31, 1891. On account of National Encampment Sons of Veterans.

E. S. MCGILVER, Ticket Agent.

LAND SALES.—Mr. Samuel French has sold his farm of 100 acres, two miles south of this place, to his son, Harvey, for \$11,000, and Harvey sold 32 1/2 acres from the north side of his farm to W. B. French for \$3,200. This gives the two brothers ownership of a full sized farm, one and one-half miles long, and all pretty fair quality of land.

PREPARATIONS are being made to build a cement walk at the front of Rev. W. W. Wells' lot, on Front street. It would make the improvement all the more noticeable if that kind of walk might be made to extend to the corner of West street, and what is left of a once nice picket fence along that block be relegated to the kindling pile.

BRO. HOLMES had the courtesy of neighboring exchange ought to be omitted for four months?—Eau Claire Leader.

WE suppose it shouldn't had ought to have been omitted, and we beg pardon for the omission, but deal out your wrath more gently next time, and it will be heeded just as quickly.

At a meeting of the County Grange held at Mr. Tabor, Tuesday, it was decided to hold a meeting of farmers in Buchanan, next Thursday, Aug. 27, 10 a. m., for the purpose of discussing the subject of smut in wheat, and the best means of relief from its effects. It is requested that those who know anything about it come and tell what they know, and those who do not come and hear what the others have to say. It is a subject which interests every man who raises a bushel of wheat, and there should be a full attendance.

MR. LEVI SPARKS, who has been canvassing among the farmers to raise a bonus of \$1,500 to start the Rogers grist mill, reports to the RECORD that he has secured enough subscriptions to insure the success of the undertaking. Mr. Miller, who is to be the future miller, has reached an understanding with the owners of the property regarding its sale, and we may expect soon to hear the buzz of machinery in that institution, which has been idle almost continually since Mr. Pears sold out six years ago. The old building is to receive a thorough overhauling and be put in first-class order for business.

FOLLOWING are the officers of the Young People's Picnic association, elected at the meeting in Niles last week: President, Wm. C. Hall, Three Oaks. Secretary, C. R. Smith, Niles. Treasurer, T. L. Wilkinson, Berrien Springs. Vice Presidents, Bainbridge, Edward Matrau; Benton Harbor, H. R. Huntington; Benton township, I. W. Pearl; Bertrand, S. C. Messenger; Buchanan, Clyde Baker; Berrien, Arthur Miers; Chikaming, John Gleason; Galien, Ed. Blakeley; Hagar, George Dickinson; Lake, Ed. Brown; Lincoln, C. H. Johnson; Niles, Ed. Baker; Niles City, Nath. Bacon; New Buffalo, not filled; Oronoka, Chas. Cohn; Pipestone, Chas. Correll; Royalton, Caleb Rockey; Soda, Samuel Reuter; St. Joseph township, Louis Schultz; St. Joseph City, Jos. Burkhard; Three Oaks, C. Van Riper; Watervliet, R. H. Sherwood; Wessaw, Wm. Pierce.

A MEETING of the Common Council was held in Rough Bros. office, this morning. J. L. Richards was employed to look after the purchase of material and the interests of the town in the construction of the dam, and was also sent to Grand Rapids to see to the negotiation of the bonds. He will go this evening on that errand. A member of the School Board was present and asked that a cement crossing be built between the corner of the school lot and Clark Phelps' property. This was referred to the street committee.

At THE meeting of the common council, held last Thursday evening, the committee on right of way was empowered to call to their assistance, any who might be able to secure contracts or a solution of the problem which has been delaying the work. The council does not want to walk into a series of law suits in order to proceed with these improvements, but it will have to be done rather than allow the work to be much further delayed. The people who are interested want the work completed this summer, and are becoming disposed to accept a string of lawsuits as long as the river, rather than have it fail.

MR. ALDEN DINGER, of Benton Harbor, was here yesterday to bid on driving the piles for the dam across the river. He wants \$4 each. Another bidder is expected here today from St. Joseph. Sufficient right of way has been secured to give a seven-foot dam, and it is expected that this much will be built, making the abutments, wheel pits, gates and other permanent parts high enough for a twelve or fourteen foot works. The comb of the dam can then be raised to its full height at any time at small expense, and in a very short time. It is likely that by the time it is needed there will be found a way in which to settle for the swamp lands that will be flooded by the higher head. It begins now to look as if work would commence soon.

BENTON HARBOR decided Monday by a vote of 72 to 70 to bond the city for \$50,000, to meet the obligations of the improvement association, done under the head of public improvements. The RECORD learns that an injunction has been served upon the city council to restrain them from issuing the bonds. From this distance the situation appears to be that the improvement association, composed of about twenty of the citizens of Benton Harbor bought a considerable tract of land there, and at once set about to locate factories on the land, depending upon the sale of lots to pay for the land and the bonuses paid to the factories. The obligations made by the association amount to about \$20,000 and are coming due, while the sales of lots do not keep pace as was anticipated, hence the necessity for the city to come to the rescue with a "loan," and give the association more time to work out of their corner. Should the injunction hold it may make interesting times for those who have been booming the town. Nearly every community contains a class of individuals who are ready to be benefited by the exertions of others, but will allow nothing which calls for exertion by themselves. Perhaps Benton Harbor is not an exception.

FROM BERRIEN CENTRE. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bremner, Monday, 3d inst., a son.

Rev. Albert Murphy, of Odessa, Ind., was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Murphy, Sen., last week.

Mrs. A. C. Palmer and children Sunday with her parents at the Centre.

Sylvia and Cordia Murphy are visiting their cousin, Ida Savage, in South Bend this week.

WIN Burmette, of Harrisburg, Pa., is the guest of his cousin, A. J. Smith.

Thomas Rager, of North Manchester, is the new agent at this station.

E. S. McCullough is on duty at Niles for the present.

Quarterly meeting here next Saturday and Sunday. Communion service Sunday, 10:30 a. m.

A SUREWORD paper prints this list of men who hurt a town: All who oppose improvements; men who never push their business; those who distrust public spirited men; those who run down the town to strangers; those who show no hospitality to its visitors; men who envy their neighbor's prosperity; men who oppose everything that does not originate with them; men who wear long faces when strangers speak of locating in town; men who find fault with all enterprises that are not likely to be of pecuniary benefit to themselves; men who never subscribe for, advertise in, or in any way patronize their local papers; and are always ready to find fault with everything they contain.

Do you know of a town which has such citizens?

THEY KNOW HIM—Frank Merson, the big butcher and meat buyer from Buchanan, is a familiar figure on our streets, and has a well-earned reputation as a monstrous feeder, not only among South Bend's hotel and restaurant men, but also in surrounding places. The other day George Reynolds was at Berrien Springs, Mich., when Frank Merson was in sight and asked Gil Burdick, the big proprietor of the Hotel Oronoka, if dinner would soon be ready. Frank had stopped with Gil before, and despite Burdick's liberal provisions for his table, had nearly caused a famine. Gil reached down into his pocket and pulled out the price of a meal, and handed it to Merson with the remark that he should go and buy his dinner at a competing hotel, as it was the surest and most effective way to break them up. Frank went and got his repast in high glee, and a crash is now expected in Berrien Springs hotel where the week's bills are to be settled.—South Bend Times.

FOLLOWING is the assessment rate on \$1,000 in the Modern Woodmen: From 18 to 23 years, 40c; 24 to 27 years, 45c; 28 to 41 years, 50c; 42 to 46 years, 55c; 47 years, 60c; 48 years, 65c; 49 years, 70c; 50 years, 75c; 51 years, 80c.

THE steam shovel was started this morning to remove the point in the M. C. railway yard between the main line and the Air Line tracks. An extra force of thirty or forty men have been sent for to complete the proposed improvements as early as possible.—Niles Sun.

MR. DUDLEY BRANT, living a mile and a quarter south of Spinks' Corners, has a daughter, born July 18, just one month old, which weighs only 2 1/2 pounds, being one of the smallest mid-gets in this vicinity. Around the large finger of the babe it is but three-fourths of an inch, and the wrist measures only two and a quarter inches in circumference.—B. H. Palladium.

MORRIS' THE FAIR.

A FREE PASS TO SEE THE WORLD'S FAIR

Cannot be had. The rustling, hustling, pushing, energetic, tireless, fearless, incomparable and unchallenged

LEADER IN BARGAINS!

Is again reading the riot act to high priced would-be competitors. See what we have to say below:

Just received, a lot of

MEN'S PANTS.

Also—

Sattine, Madras Cloth and Flannel Shirts,

which we are offering at bargains. Come in and make your selections. We can save you 25 to 50 per cent.

Our 5c counters a great attraction. Hundreds of 15c articles all go for 5c. Our 10c counters have surprised everybody. 25 and 50c articles all go for 10c. In Pocket Knives we sell at 25c and 50c, others ask 75c and \$1.00. Good Table Knives and Forks, 50c to \$1.15 per set. Remember

Our Cigar and Tobacco Stock

is the largest and best assortment in Berrien county. We have 32 different brands of Plug Tobacco, 30 different brands of Cigars, 10 different brands of Fine Cut Tobacco, 25 different brands of Smoking Tobacco. So you see we have a large assortment to select from. Our

CONFECTIONERY

Department is at the front with the choicest Candies that can be had in the market. Also

FRUITS AND NUTS.

A BIG VARIETY OF OTHER GOODS

WHICH YOU WILL SEE BY CALLING.

MORRIS' THE FAIR.

EARL HILDRETH, 12 years old, was helping thresh on the Carl Fox farm this afternoon. Fox's dog killed two rats in a straw stack on the place, and was bunting for more, when young Hildreth picked up one of the dead rats and the Fowler dog jumped on him, setting his teeth in the right hand and biting him on the left leg in a fearful manner. The dog of U. H. Stebbins happened to be there and picked a fight with the Fowler dog, which saved young Hildreth from being torn to pieces.—Star, Saturday.

A Model Railway.

The Burlington Route, C. B. & Q. R. R., operates 7,000 miles of road, with terminal in Chicago, St. Louis, St. Paul, Omaha, Kansas City and Denver. For speed, safety, comfort, equipment, track, and efficient service it has no equal. The Burlington gains new patrons, but loses none.

SHEEP to let on shares. I want to buy 300 first-class Sheep. Breeders only. No culls wanted. 27w4 H. D. ROUGH.

Buck Lambs for sale. Cotswold-Shropshire.

J. M. PLATTS.

Two miles east of Buchanan.

I am closing out all my cotton Hosiery. Ladies, come and get a bargain!

H. B. DUNCAN.

Now is the time to get your DUSTERS and FLYNETS of JAKE BAKER.

He has a full line and is selling cheap.

School commences one week from next Monday, and for your supply of Books, Slates and tablets, do not fail to call on me.

BARMORE.

School Books, Slates, Tablets, Pens, Inks, and everything in School Supplies, at

BARMORE'S.

SCHOOL BOOKS!

SCHOOL BOOKS!!!

At HARRY BINNS', Opp. Hotel.

Good substantial Writing Paper and Envelopes, at

HARRY BINNS'.

WHEREAS, I, Frank S. Lamb, executor of the last will and testament of James Miller, deceased, am duly authorized to sell at private sale, all the real estate in Berrien county, Michigan, of which said deceased was owner. Notice is hereby given that with all convenient speed I will sell all of said real estate, to the best bidder, and will receive such bids in writing duly signed at any time prior to the 20th day of August, 1891.

Dated Aug. 3, 1891.

FRANK S. LAMB.

Executor as aforesaid.

P. O. address, Dayton, Mich.

A full line of Jackson Corset Waists for ladies, to be found at

S. P. HIGHS.

FLY NETS.—JAKE BAKER has a full line of leather Fly Nets, and all kinds of cotton and other cheap Nets. Call and see them.

A new line of Corsets, that are extra, may be found at

S. P. HIGHS.

Call for a Domestic Loaf, at

SPARKS & HATHAWAY'S.

RYNEARSON BROS. have a steam outfit for making wells, and are prepared to make Wells of any kind and guarantee satisfaction. Prices reasonable. Call on or address them, at Buchanan, Mich.

If you want to see a nice line of Prints, go to

H. B. DUNCAN'S.

New Goods, at

S. P. HIGHS.

Try the New Bread, of

TREAT BROS. & CO.

Now is the time to buy a nice Summer Dress, as they are being sold at reduced prices, at

S. P. HIGHS.

Get the Best Teas and Coffee on the market, at

TREAT BROS. & CO'S.

Fresh Vegetables every morning, at

SPARKS & HATHAWAY'S.

You can buy the best Tea you ever drank, for 50 cents, at

MORGAN & CO'S.

Jelly Tumblers, at

TREAT BROS. & CO'S.

Corn and Oats, at

SPARKS & HATHAWAY'S.

I will have another nice lot of Ladies' Watches to show on the 4th.

H. E. LOUGH.

No more sour bread if you buy of

TREAT BROS. & CO'S.

Exclusive sale of Sanitarium Goods, SPARKS & HATHAWAY'S.

We make our own yeast and the result is the Best Bread in town. 10

TREAT BROS. & CO'S.

ADAM KERN has moved into the Marble building in Dayton, and will continue his business in boots and shoes and furnishing goods as heretofore. He will be found on the west side of the street hereafter. He is putting in a fresh stock of new goods, and invites people to call and see them.

Barrel Salt, at

SPARKS & HATHAWAY'S.

Lots of New Goods to be found at

Appetite of a Voracious Bass.

In a water trough in front of Sullivan's hotel on Chilton avenue, Germantown, there is a black bass that has attracted the attention of hundreds of people because of its peculiarities and the degree of intelligence exhibited on many occasions. The fish is the only one of its kind in the trough and has occupied it for two years. The exclusion of 200 others which had been put in it for propagation purposes, but the bass killed them one by one until the entire number had fallen victims to the fish, but not to the trough.

His voracity flies by the dozen, which the boys of the neighborhood gather for him, and the more they give him the better he appreciates them. He is fed almost daily on cheese, lobsters and choice beefsteak and after he receives his morning compliment of the latter he rises to the surface and splashes the water furiously with his tail. This is presumed to be his method of returning thanks.

He also eats mice, and several times John Leithard, of Engine 19, has provided him with this quality of bait, only to be swallowed without any ceremony. He likewise eats mice and rats, and it is said that he does not dispose of at least two sparrows and two chipmunks. The fact that the feathers are upon the bodies of the birds makes little difference to him, and it is only when the legs have been removed that he refuses to touch them. Otherwise he gulps them down with great rapidity.

Although he measures eighteen inches in length and weighs about five pounds he causes no one to have a second thought, and never has been known to molest one of them, excepting Joe Laddley's gray mare, and several times she has risen out of the water and snapped at her while she was drinking. Philadelphia Times.

When Your Head Is Off.

As human curiosity has never been satisfied as to the precise moment of death in cases of beheading, the experiment of the experiment on a decapitated criminal by a leading scientist of Lyons is of absorbing interest. This time the results are more satisfactory than has hitherto been the case, and the doctor making the following statement with regard to the manifestations of consciousness after the head had been separated from the body: That the head, on being separated from the body, remains in possession of all its faculties, if the lower part of the neck does not pass certain limits. The proportion of oxygen in the blood is sufficient for keeping up the nervous function for a brief space, never exceeding half a minute. That the repeated opening and closing of the jaws after the separation of the head from the body are nothing but the reflex action common in cases of acute asphyxia. St. Louis Republic.

Seen During a Shower.

A phenomenon was presented in the electric shower which passed over Lee Friday evening. A huge bank of clouds advanced rapidly from the southwest, the edge rolling and stretching in a straight line from northeast to southwest until half of the heavens seemed covered with a monster blanket, when a brilliant red light appeared in the northwest directly over the shower. The light of the village. Everybody thought it was a fire caused by lightning. The apparent flame grew rapidly, and shone upon the black clouds above, and many hurried up towers of smoke and spread to an extent which showed it to be a freak of the elements. The shower which followed was not severe, and gave rise to the explanation by the wise ones that the unusual sight was caused by the setting sun shining through a cloud, but compact body of falling water. Springfield (Mass.) Republican.

Ten Dozen Bananas for a Cent.

A lively banana war took place the other afternoon between two rival department stores on State street, Chicago. Each store had purchased a carload of bananas to use in a special bargain sale. It was accidental that the purchases were made at the same time. One store opened out by selling a dozen bananas for a cent. The other offered three dozen for a cent, and the rivalry waxed hotter, until for an hour nine bananas were sold at ten dozen for a cent. Many fruit-vendors around their stocks. Many fruit-vendors were among the customers at the latter part of the sale. Philadelphia Ledger.

A General Dies a Monk.

Just thirty years ago General Nicolai, son of the well known ambassador, and whose name was once the subject of the lips in connection with the Russian war, mysteriously disappeared. Last week, as Father John Louis, he died at Grande Charteuse in consequence of an accident, and it turns out that his cell has been given to a nephew of one of the Broglies, who is known as Father Don Charles, and he had long been believed by his former friends of the Jockey club to be traveling in the interior of Africa. Buffalo Enquirer.

A Flushing (L.) Man had a Dream.

Nothing has been heard of late of the Watkin tower, which is to rival in London the altitude of the Eiffel tower. The work has, nevertheless, been going steadily forward, foundations for the tower being now being laid out on the grounds considerably advanced. On the invitation of the chairman and directors an inspection of the works was recently made by a number of members of parliament and others. London News.

Swallows Live Frogs.

A man with one of the most curious propensities lives in Shelton, Conn. He has acquired an appetite for live bullfrogs, and swallows them with the same ease with which he swallows the most dainty morsel that ever was cooked. The man's name is John Stowe, and he is employed by Austin Harris. Stowe has been a resident of Shelton only a few years, but it was not until recently that his appetite for bullfrogs became known. One day within a week he laid a wager that he could swallow a frog alive, and was at once taken up.

Wednesday's Perf was Present.

Wednesday's perf was present. The first one that was brought to him was too large to work down his throat, and he selected one from a creek on the Harris farm small enough to go down. He placed the frog in his mouth, showed the remainder in his hand, and in an instant the amphibious animal was out of sight and probably jumping around his stomach. The story of the feat at once spread, and within a few days there was a number of doubting Thomases who, notwithstanding the undoubted integrity of the many witnesses, did not believe that Stowe could swallow a live frog of their selection.

Stowe was Willing to Try the Thing Again.

Stowe was willing to try the thing again, and willing, so to speak, to his friend, took another bet and appointed the day. On Monday the second frog was swallowed, and the witnesses present were again asked to stand ready at any time to swallow a frog on a bet, and as frogs are numerous at present he scoops in lots of dollars from workmen with whom he comes in contact. He says he does not feel any effect, as they are dead as they are after landing in the stomach. The frog, he

Meats and Her Mackerel.

The advent of mackerel upon the Maine coast and into its countless little bays occasions great general excitement.

It is a measure of the excitement that the coming winter. The good people all hasten to salt down a barrel of fish to each family, and with pork and potatoes in the cellar they feel that they can in a measure protect themselves against the coming winter. In these Maine villages visited by the silver tribe there is an odor of cooking mackerel emanating from every cottage, and the visitor may reckon on getting all the fish, and more, that he wants. It is at such times that the boarding house keeper makes something on his people who pay him only a dollar a day. Boston Herald.

Two Clean to His Good.

While laboring under the misapprehension that it was contagious, the cashier of a large store on Main street refused on Monday to receive a two dollar bill that had merely been disinfected by a judicious use of soap and water. The bill was clean, and the cashier's refusal was subsequently established by the Charter Oak bank exchanging it for another bill. Would it not be better if storekeepers and the public in general would refuse to receive bills which are so soiled as to suggest at sight the need of disinfection, and accept those that are fit to handle? Hartford Courant.

Mexican Ruins Discovered.

Some interesting ruins of ancient cities have been discovered in the heart of the Sierra Madre, near the natural warm baths of the Piedras Verdes, Mexico. Some of the houses are in a good state of preservation. In one of the cities can be seen a great cupola, which stands directly in front of a farm, and there are many other interesting objects. An exploring party at the last account was sent to the ruins, and the ruins are now being excavated. The ruins are now being excavated. The ruins are now being excavated.

Baseball playing on the house roof is the novel thought dangerous way in which a number of factory hands in New York spend their dinner hour.

A lobster more than three feet long and weighing twenty-three pounds, was caught a few days ago by Captain John O'Connell at Moose point, Belfast, Me.

The New Silver Designs.

"It is not likely that another competition will ever be tried for the production of designs for United States coins, and the designs for the new silver coins, which will produce the dies required according to such patterns as its own sense of the beautiful suggests."

Another Wandering Turtle.

Ernest North of Berlin, caught a turtle last week which was first captured by his father half a century ago. The following letters are carved on the shell, "J. J. Lamb, A. S. E. N. 1840." The initials "A. S. E. N." mean Albert Sanderson, who is still living in Durham, Mr. Lamb and the original Ernest North are dead.

Like the Man in Our Town.

A unity man who lost his false teeth while bathing on Sunday and found them again while taking a walk on Monday thinks he has some slight idea of how the renowned man of business fared. He is now in the hands of the law. Philadelphia Ledger.

Playing Peekaboo with Death.

Mrs. Divina, a widow of Cornwall, N. Y., went to church Sunday, leaving her two little girls, Nora and Janey, aged respectively six and four years, alone in the house. Half an hour later Mrs. Benton, the wife of a neighboring farmer, saw the children playing peekaboo under an apple tree, striking every few moments at something on the ground. After each stroke they screamed with laughter.

Those who Safe the Kaiser Took with Him.

Those who safe the emperor's luggage brought down at Port Vieux, the member of the iron safe which formed part of it. In this safe was the large collection of jeweled snuff boxes, silver cigarette cases, diamond breastpins, signet rings, etc., which the Kaiser brought with him for distribution among the members of the queen's household and other officials with whom he was brought in contact during his visit.

Locked in a Trunk.

Mary Driscoll, a two-year-old Havenhill (Mass.) child, while playing, crawled into a large trunk, and, after the trunk was closed, was kept a prisoner until discovered, a few hours later, by her parents. She was unconscious when removed. After missing her a search was begun, and though they could plainly hear her voice from the trunk, they were unable to get her out until the trunk was opened. The child was found in a state of collapse, and was taken to the hospital.

Two Miles a Day by Rail.

Some illustrations of modern railway speed cited before the parliamentary committee on the cross country railway bill merit special attention, showing what can be accomplished when a railway company makes an effort. A Buxton coal merchant says that sometimes the Midland company manages to complete a run of five miles in less than eleven to thirty-four days, and as the towns are more than twenty miles apart it will be seen that sometimes the coal trains travel along the line at the rate of two miles a day. The Buxton merchant found a bird's nest in a truck which had been thirty days on the way, and he reasonably believes that the nest was laid by the bird's mother.

Robert, the Waiter, Is Dead.

On Thirty-first street is a little low broiled chophouse. The place seats but thirty people. The walls are smoky and dingy and exude odors of 10,000 cigarettes. The morning overcast and the rain, the paintings on each other on the dirty walls and have that peculiarly indistinct look of the work of the old masters.

Yets, for bidding as this would all appear to be noted for its choice morsels and is frequented by the well-to-do.

Yets, for bidding as this would all appear to be noted for its choice morsels and is frequented by the well-to-do. The man's name is John Stowe, and he is employed by Austin Harris. Stowe has been a resident of Shelton only a few years, but it was not until recently that his appetite for bullfrogs became known. One day within a week he laid a wager that he could swallow a frog alive, and was at once taken up.

Wednesday's Perf was Present.

Wednesday's perf was present. The first one that was brought to him was too large to work down his throat, and he selected one from a creek on the Harris farm small enough to go down. He placed the frog in his mouth, showed the remainder in his hand, and in an instant the amphibious animal was out of sight and probably jumping around his stomach. The story of the feat at once spread, and within a few days there was a number of doubting Thomases who, notwithstanding the undoubted integrity of the many witnesses, did not believe that Stowe could swallow a live frog of their selection.

Stowe was Willing to Try the Thing Again.

Stowe was willing to try the thing again, and willing, so to speak, to his friend, took another bet and appointed the day. On Monday the second frog was swallowed, and the witnesses present were again asked to stand ready at any time to swallow a frog on a bet, and as frogs are numerous at present he scoops in lots of dollars from workmen with whom he comes in contact. He says he does not feel any effect, as they are dead as they are after landing in the stomach. The frog, he

Meats and Her Mackerel.

The advent of mackerel upon the Maine coast and into its countless little bays occasions great general excitement.

It is a measure of the excitement that the coming winter. The good people all hasten to salt down a barrel of fish to each family, and with pork and potatoes in the cellar they feel that they can in a measure protect themselves against the coming winter. In these Maine villages visited by the silver tribe there is an odor of cooking mackerel emanating from every cottage, and the visitor may reckon on getting all the fish, and more, that he wants. It is at such times that the boarding house keeper makes something on his people who pay him only a dollar a day. Boston Herald.

Two Clean to His Good.

While laboring under the misapprehension that it was contagious, the cashier of a large store on Main street refused on Monday to receive a two dollar bill that had merely been disinfected by a judicious use of soap and water. The bill was clean, and the cashier's refusal was subsequently established by the Charter Oak bank exchanging it for another bill. Would it not be better if storekeepers and the public in general would refuse to receive bills which are so soiled as to suggest at sight the need of disinfection, and accept those that are fit to handle? Hartford Courant.

Mexican Ruins Discovered.

Some interesting ruins of ancient cities have been discovered in the heart of the Sierra Madre, near the natural warm baths of the Piedras Verdes, Mexico. Some of the houses are in a good state of preservation. In one of the cities can be seen a great cupola, which stands directly in front of a farm, and there are many other interesting objects. An exploring party at the last account was sent to the ruins, and the ruins are now being excavated. The ruins are now being excavated. The ruins are now being excavated.

Baseball playing on the house roof is the novel thought dangerous way in which a number of factory hands in New York spend their dinner hour.

A lobster more than three feet long and weighing twenty-three pounds, was caught a few days ago by Captain John O'Connell at Moose point, Belfast, Me.

The New Silver Designs.

"It is not likely that another competition will ever be tried for the production of designs for United States coins, and the designs for the new silver coins, which will produce the dies required according to such patterns as its own sense of the beautiful suggests."

Another Wandering Turtle.

Ernest North of Berlin, caught a turtle last week which was first captured by his father half a century ago. The following letters are carved on the shell, "J. J. Lamb, A. S. E. N. 1840." The initials "A. S. E. N." mean Albert Sanderson, who is still living in Durham, Mr. Lamb and the original Ernest North are dead.

Like the Man in Our Town.

A unity man who lost his false teeth while bathing on Sunday and found them again while taking a walk on Monday thinks he has some slight idea of how the renowned man of business fared. He is now in the hands of the law. Philadelphia Ledger.

Playing Peekaboo with Death.

Mrs. Divina, a widow of Cornwall, N. Y., went to church Sunday, leaving her two little girls, Nora and Janey, aged respectively six and four years, alone in the house. Half an hour later Mrs. Benton, the wife of a neighboring farmer, saw the children playing peekaboo under an apple tree, striking every few moments at something on the ground. After each stroke they screamed with laughter.

Those who Safe the Kaiser Took with Him.

Those who safe the emperor's luggage brought down at Port Vieux, the member of the iron safe which formed part of it. In this safe was the large collection of jeweled snuff boxes, silver cigarette cases, diamond breastpins, signet rings, etc., which the Kaiser brought with him for distribution among the members of the queen's household and other officials with whom he was brought in contact during his visit.

Locked in a Trunk.

Mary Driscoll, a two-year-old Havenhill (Mass.) child, while playing, crawled into a large trunk, and, after the trunk was closed, was kept a prisoner until discovered, a few hours later, by her parents. She was unconscious when removed. After missing her a search was begun, and though they could plainly hear her voice from the trunk, they were unable to get her out until the trunk was opened. The child was found in a state of collapse, and was taken to the hospital.

Two Miles a Day by Rail.

Some illustrations of modern railway speed cited before the parliamentary committee on the cross country railway bill merit special attention, showing what can be accomplished when a railway company makes an effort. A Buxton coal merchant says that sometimes the Midland company manages to complete a run of five miles in less than eleven to thirty-four days, and as the towns are more than twenty miles apart it will be seen that sometimes the coal trains travel along the line at the rate of two miles a day. The Buxton merchant found a bird's nest in a truck which had been thirty days on the way, and he reasonably believes that the nest was laid by the bird's mother.

Robert, the Waiter, Is Dead.

On Thirty-first street is a little low broiled chophouse. The place seats but thirty people. The walls are smoky and dingy and exude odors of 10,000 cigarettes. The morning overcast and the rain, the paintings on each other on the dirty walls and have that peculiarly indistinct look of the work of the old masters.

Yets, for bidding as this would all appear to be noted for its choice morsels and is frequented by the well-to-do.

Yets, for bidding as this would all appear to be noted for its choice morsels and is frequented by the well-to-do. The man's name is John Stowe, and he is employed by Austin Harris. Stowe has been a resident of Shelton only a few years, but it was not until recently that his appetite for bullfrogs became known. One day within a week he laid a wager that he could swallow a frog alive, and was at once taken up.

Wednesday's Perf was Present.

Wednesday's perf was present. The first one that was brought to him was too large to work down his throat, and he selected one from a creek on the Harris farm small enough to go down. He placed the frog in his mouth, showed the remainder in his hand, and in an instant the amphibious animal was out of sight and probably jumping around his stomach. The story of the feat at once spread, and within a few days there was a number of doubting Thomases who, notwithstanding the undoubted integrity of the many witnesses, did not believe that Stowe could swallow a live frog of their selection.

Stowe was Willing to Try the Thing Again.

Stowe was willing to try the thing again, and willing, so to speak, to his friend, took another bet and appointed the day. On Monday the second frog was swallowed, and the witnesses present were again asked to stand ready at any time to swallow a frog on a bet, and as frogs are numerous at present he scoops in lots of dollars from workmen with whom he comes in contact. He says he does not feel any effect, as they are dead as they are after landing in the stomach. The frog, he

Meats and Her Mackerel.

The advent of mackerel upon the Maine coast and into its countless little bays occasions great general excitement.

It is a measure of the excitement that the coming winter. The good people all hasten to salt down a barrel of fish to each family, and with pork and potatoes in the cellar they feel that they can in a measure protect themselves against the coming winter. In these Maine villages visited by the silver tribe there is an odor of cooking mackerel emanating from every cottage, and the visitor may reckon on getting all the fish, and more, that he wants. It is at such times that the boarding house keeper makes something on his people who pay him only a dollar a day. Boston Herald.

Two Clean to His Good.

While laboring under the misapprehension that it was contagious, the cashier of a large store on Main street refused on Monday to receive a two dollar bill that had merely been disinfected by a judicious use of soap and water. The bill was clean, and the cashier's refusal was subsequently established by the Charter Oak bank exchanging it for another bill. Would it not be better if storekeepers and the public in general would refuse to receive bills which are so soiled as to suggest at sight the need of disinfection, and accept those that are fit to handle? Hartford Courant.

Mexican Ruins Discovered.

Some interesting ruins of ancient cities have been discovered in the heart of the Sierra Madre, near the natural warm baths of the Piedras Verdes, Mexico. Some of the houses are in a good state of preservation. In one of the cities can be seen a great cupola, which stands directly in front of a farm, and there are many other interesting objects. An exploring party at the last account was sent to the ruins, and the ruins are now being excavated. The ruins are now being excavated. The ruins are now being excavated.

Baseball playing on the house roof is the novel thought dangerous way in which a number of factory hands in New York spend their dinner hour.

A lobster more than three feet long and weighing twenty-three pounds, was caught a few days ago by Captain John O'Connell at Moose point, Belfast, Me.

The New Silver Designs.

"It is not likely that another competition will ever be tried for the production of designs for United States coins, and the designs for the new silver coins, which will produce the dies required according to such patterns as its own sense of the beautiful suggests."

Another Wandering Turtle.

Ernest North of Berlin, caught a turtle last week which was first captured by his father half a century ago. The following letters are carved on the shell, "J. J. Lamb, A. S. E. N. 1840." The initials "A. S. E. N." mean Albert Sanderson, who is still living in Durham, Mr. Lamb and the original Ernest North are dead.

Like the Man in Our Town.

A unity man who lost his false teeth while bathing on Sunday and found them again while taking a walk on Monday thinks he has some slight idea of how the renowned man of business fared. He is now in the hands of the law. Philadelphia Ledger.

Playing Peekaboo with Death.

Mrs. Divina, a widow of Cornwall, N. Y., went to church Sunday, leaving her two little girls, Nora and Janey, aged respectively six and four years, alone in the house. Half an hour later Mrs. Benton, the wife of a neighboring farmer, saw the children playing peekaboo under an apple tree, striking every few moments at something on the ground. After each stroke they screamed with laughter.

Those who Safe the Kaiser Took with Him.

Those who safe the emperor's luggage brought down at Port Vieux, the member of the iron safe which formed part of it. In this safe was the large collection of jeweled snuff boxes, silver cigarette cases, diamond breastpins, signet rings, etc., which the Kaiser brought with him for distribution among the members of the queen's household and other officials with whom he was brought in contact during his visit.

Locked in a Trunk.

Mary Driscoll, a two-year-old Havenhill (Mass.) child, while playing, crawled into a large trunk, and, after the trunk was closed, was kept a prisoner until discovered, a few hours later, by her parents. She was unconscious when removed. After missing her a search was begun, and though they could plainly hear her voice from the trunk, they were unable to get her out until the trunk was opened. The child was found in a state of collapse, and was taken to the hospital.

Two Miles a Day by Rail.

Some illustrations of modern railway speed cited before the parliamentary committee on the cross country railway bill merit special attention, showing what can be accomplished when a railway company makes an effort. A Buxton coal merchant says that sometimes the Midland company manages to complete a run of five miles in less than eleven to thirty-four days, and as the towns are more than twenty miles apart it will be seen that sometimes the coal trains travel along the line at the rate of two miles a day. The Buxton merchant found a bird's nest in a truck which had been thirty days on the way, and he reasonably believes that the nest was laid by the bird's mother.

Robert, the Waiter, Is Dead.

On Thirty-first street is a little low broiled chophouse. The place seats but thirty people. The walls are smoky and dingy and exude odors of 10,000 cigarettes. The morning overcast and the rain, the paintings on each other on the dirty walls and have that peculiarly indistinct look of the work of the old masters.

Yets, for bidding as this would all appear to be noted for its choice morsels and is frequented by the well-to-do.

Yets, for bidding as this would all appear to be noted for its choice morsels and is frequented by the well-to-do. The man's name is John Stowe, and he is employed by Austin Harris. Stowe has been a resident of Shelton only a few years, but it was not until recently that his appetite for bullfrogs became known. One day within a week he laid a wager that he could swallow a frog alive, and was at once taken up.

Wednesday's Perf was Present.

Wednesday's perf was present. The first one that was brought to him was too large to work down his throat, and he selected one from a creek on the Harris farm small enough to go down. He placed the frog in his mouth, showed the remainder in his hand, and in an instant the amphibious animal was out of sight and probably jumping around his stomach. The story of the feat at once spread, and within a few days there was a number of doubting Thomases who, notwithstanding the undoubted integrity of the many witnesses, did not believe that Stowe could swallow a live frog of their selection.

Stowe was Willing to Try the Thing Again.

Stowe was willing to try the thing again, and willing, so to speak, to his friend, took another bet and appointed the day. On Monday the second frog was swallowed, and the witnesses present were again asked to stand ready at any time to swallow a frog on a bet, and as frogs are numerous at present he scoops in lots of dollars from workmen with whom he comes in contact. He says he does not feel any effect, as they are dead as they are after landing in the stomach. The frog, he

Meats and Her Mackerel.

The advent of mackerel upon the Maine coast and into its countless little bays occasions great general excitement.

It is a measure of the excitement that the coming winter. The good people all hasten to salt down a barrel of fish to each family, and with pork and potatoes in the cellar they feel that they can in a measure protect themselves against the coming winter. In these Maine villages visited by the silver tribe there is an odor of cooking mackerel emanating from every cottage, and the visitor may reckon on getting all the fish, and more, that he wants. It is at such times that the boarding house keeper makes something on his people who pay him only a dollar a day. Boston Herald.

Two Clean to His Good.

While laboring under the misapprehension that it was contagious, the cashier of a large store on Main street refused on Monday to receive a two dollar bill that had merely been disinfected by a judicious use of soap and water. The bill was clean, and the cashier's refusal was subsequently established by the Charter Oak bank exchanging it for another bill. Would it not be better if storekeepers and the public in general would refuse to receive bills which are so soiled as to suggest at sight the need of disinfection, and accept those that are fit to handle? Hartford Courant.

Mexican Ruins Discovered.

Some interesting ruins of ancient cities have been discovered in the heart of the Sierra Madre, near the natural warm baths of the Piedras Verdes, Mexico. Some of the houses are in a good state of preservation. In one of the cities can be seen a great cupola, which stands directly in front of a farm, and there are many other interesting objects. An exploring party at the last account was sent to the ruins, and the ruins are now being excavated. The ruins are now being excavated. The ruins are now being excavated.

Baseball playing on the house roof is the novel thought dangerous way in which a number of factory hands in New York spend their dinner hour.

A lobster more than three feet long and weighing twenty-three pounds, was caught a few days ago by Captain John O'Connell at Moose point, Belfast, Me.

The New Silver Designs.

"It is not likely that another competition will ever be tried for the production of designs for United States coins, and the designs for the new silver coins, which will produce the dies required according to such patterns as its own sense of the beautiful suggests."

Another Wandering Turtle.

Ernest North of Berlin, caught a turtle last week which was first captured by his father half a century ago. The following letters are carved on the shell, "J. J. Lamb, A. S. E. N. 1840." The initials "A. S. E. N." mean Albert Sanderson, who is still living in Durham, Mr. Lamb and the original Ernest North are dead.

Like the Man in Our Town.

A unity man who lost his false teeth while bathing on Sunday and found them again while taking a walk on Monday thinks he has some slight idea of how the renowned man of business fared. He is now in the hands of the law. Philadelphia Ledger.

Playing Peekaboo with Death.

Mrs. Divina, a widow of Cornwall, N. Y., went to church Sunday, leaving her two little girls, Nora and Janey, aged respectively six and four years, alone in the house. Half an hour later Mrs. Benton, the wife of a neighboring farmer, saw the children playing peekaboo under an apple tree, striking every few moments at something on the ground. After each stroke they screamed with laughter.

Those who Safe the Kaiser Took with Him.

Those who safe the emperor's luggage brought down at Port Vieux, the member of the iron safe which formed part of it. In this safe was the large collection of jeweled snuff boxes, silver cigarette cases, diamond breastpins, signet rings, etc., which the Kaiser brought with him for distribution among the members of the queen's household and other officials with whom he was brought in contact during his visit.

Locked in a Trunk.

Mary Driscoll, a two-year-old Havenhill (Mass.) child, while playing, crawled into a large trunk, and, after the trunk was closed, was kept a prisoner until discovered, a few hours later, by her parents. She was unconscious when removed. After missing her a search was begun, and though they could plainly hear her voice from the trunk, they were unable to get her out until the trunk was opened. The child was found in a state of collapse, and was taken to the hospital.

Two Miles a Day by Rail.

Some illustrations of modern railway speed cited before the parliamentary committee on the cross country railway bill merit special attention, showing what can be accomplished when a railway company makes an effort. A Buxton coal merchant says that sometimes the Midland company manages to complete a run of five miles in less than eleven to thirty-four days, and as the towns are more than twenty miles apart it will be seen that sometimes the coal trains travel along the line at the rate of two miles a day. The Buxton merchant found a bird's nest in a truck which had been thirty days on the way, and he reasonably believes that the nest was laid by the bird's mother.

Robert, the Waiter, Is Dead.

On Thirty-first street is a little low broiled chophouse. The place seats but thirty people. The walls are smoky and dingy and exude odors of 10,000 cigarettes. The morning overcast and the rain, the paintings on each other on the dirty walls and have that peculiarly indistinct look of the work of the old masters.

Yets, for bidding as this would all appear to be noted for its choice morsels and is frequented by the well-to-do.

Yets, for bidding as this would all appear to be noted for its choice morsels and is frequented by the well-to-do. The man's name is John Stowe, and he is employed by Austin Harris. Stowe has been a resident of Shelton only a few years, but it was not until recently that his appetite for bullfrogs became known. One day within a week he laid a wager that he could swallow a frog alive, and was at once taken up.

Wednesday's Perf was Present.

Wednesday's perf was present. The first one that was brought to him was too large to work down his throat, and he selected one from a creek on the Harris farm small enough to go down. He placed the frog in his mouth, showed the remainder in his hand, and in an instant the amphibious animal was out of sight and probably jumping around his stomach. The story of the feat at once spread, and within a few days there was a number of doubting Thomases who, notwithstanding the undoubted integrity of the many witnesses, did not believe that Stowe could swallow a live frog of their selection.