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Business Directory.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH. — Sunday services: Preaching at 10°30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.; Junior C. E. at 3:00 p. m.; Sen. C. E. at 6:00 p. m.; S. S. at 12:00 m. Other services: Cottage prayer meeting Thesday evening at 7:00; Church prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:00; Luddes' and every Wednesday afternoon at 4:30; Teachers' meeting Friday evening at 7:00. Pastor's receiving days—Tnesday and Friday afternoon, 2 to 4.

E. R. Black, Pastor, 11 N. Detroit St. TNITED BRETHREN CHURCH—Rev. G. S. Sinsser, Pastor. Sabbath services: Sabbath School 12:00 m.; Freaching 10:30 a.m.; Young People's Meeting 3:45 r.m.
Prayer Meeting and Bible Reading Thursday evering 7:00. Everybody invited to all these services. ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH-Rev. E. W. ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH-REV. E. W. Shepard, Pastor. Preaching at 16:30 Å. N. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 1: M. Y. P. prayer meeting Thursday evening. Cottage prayer meeting Treeday evening. Covenant meeting Saturday before the first Sanday of each month, with communion the first Sanday of the menth strangers always welcome.

HETHODIST CHITICH, flow, H. L. Potter, H. Pastor, Sabbath services: Freaching 10:33 cancus, a.m. and 7:40 p m; Sabbath School 12:09 m; dunior League 3:30 p, m; Epworth League, 6:00 p, m; Frayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00 p, m. Members are expected and strangers are given ways welcome.

DRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Rev. James Pre-van, Pastor, Sabbath services: Preaching 10:30 A. M. and 7:00 P. M. Sabbath School 12:30 M. Young People's meeting 5:00 P. M. Prayer meeting, Thursday evering, 7:50 All Lee Cordial-by Jordan.

TVANGELICAL CHURCH, corner Oak and of the township of Buchanan, will and will soon be around as well as I Second Sts. Rev. F. C. Berger, Pastor. Residence 47 Main St. Preaching at 1080 a.m. and be held at the Common Council ever. nuence 47 alain St. Preaching at 10 80 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Sunday School H.45 p.m., Mis. F. C. Berger, Supt. Young People's Alliance every Sunday at 6.30 p.m. Prayer service Wednesday at 7.30 p.m. All so to are free. All condulty welcomed.

C.C.F.-Buchansh Lodge No. 75 holds 148 regular meeting, at Odd Fellows Pall, on each Tuesday evening. Z A. M.—Buchanan Lodge No. 58 boids a

L', regular meeting Monday evening on orbefore be full moon in each month. A O.t. W -Buchanan Lodge No. 98 tolds its A realer meeting the 18t and 3d Friday even conscient month (1 A. R.-Wm. Perrett Post No. 22. Begular (T. meeting on the first sud thin saturday vening of each month that no content at

O'TLVIA CHAPTER, No. 74, O. 1. S. helds a pregular neeting Wednesday extring on or before the full moon in each meath.

OBERT HENDERSON, M. D., Physician and L. Surgeon, Office, Rough's Opera House Block sidence, No. 90 Front Street. Casts answered hours of the day and night. M. BREDRICK, M. D., Homeofathic Picy-sician, &c. Office at the drug store of W. N. odrick. Residence 71 Front Street. Consultation Fig.

Dr. E. O. Colvin, PHYSICIAN & SURGEON, Telephone from office to house accessible for the street at all hours of day or night. Office over Unimer & Carmer's show store. Pesidence, 15 Cayuga Sire-

W. C. STRYKER, D. D. S.

Office over Nable's Store. In Galien Monday of each week.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL

"The Niagara Falls Route" TRAINS EAST. LEAVE BUCHANAN.

 Detroit Night Express, No. 8.
 1:40 A M

 Mail, No. 6.
 9:47 A M

 Fast Eastern Express, No. 14.
 5:20 P M

 Chicago & Kalamazoo Accor. No. 22 7:22 F M

 TRAINS WEST. LEAVE BUCHANAN.

VANDALIA LINE

O W. REGGLES, G. P. & T. A.

TIME TABLE. In effect June 19, 1898. Trains leave Galien, Mich., as follows:

FOR THE NORTH.
No. 20, Ex. Sun., 7:10 P. M.
No. 6, Ex. Sun., 1:30 P. M.
No. 14, Ex. Sun., 8:55 A M.
No. 16, Sun. only, 9:46 A M.
For St. Joseph
For St. Joseph FOR THE SOUTH.

No. 3, Ex. Sun., 11:33 A. M.

No. 7, Ex. Sun., 4:39 P. M.

No. 15, Ex. Sun., 6:38 P. M.

No. 17, Sun only, 6:41 P. M.

For South Bend For Complete Time train, giving all trains and tations, and for full information as to rates stations, and for Address through cars, etc., address C.M. WHEELER, Agent.
Terre Haute, Ind.

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EWBIG FOUR ROUTE. THE POPULAR ROCCE BETWEEN THE MICHIGAN

GOING NORTH No. 22 1:18 p m | No. 23 7:50 a m No. 24 5:45 p m | No. 25 1:57 p m No. 25* 8:02 a m | No. 27* 6:13 p m *The above train runs between Benton Harbon L. G. SMITH, Agent,

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Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus Railway Co. Time Table.

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Berrien Springs
*Hinchman

*Royalton
Benton Harbor

Sunday trains leave Buchanan 9 30 a. m., 4 30 p. m. and 6 30 p. m. Arrive at Buchanan 8 00 a. m., 5 10 p. m. and 9 25 p. m.

BUCHANAN RECORD.

BUCHANAN, BERRIEN COUNTY, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, 1898.

services.

Prof. L. G. Avery's family arrived FOR GOVERNOR. Monday, and are now engaged in getting settled in the Miller house, cor. Detroit and Front Sts. HAZEN S. PINGREE.

VOLUME XXXII.

PLATFORM:

Special Privileges to None.

Uniform Railroad Rates.

Republican Township Caucus.

be held Saturday afternoon, Sept. 10,

at 2 o'clock, at the Common Council

Rooms for the purpose of selecting

21 delegates to attend the county

nominating convention at Berrien

Springs, Sept. 15, and for the pur-

pose of transacting such other busi-

ness as may properly come before the

D. H. Bower,

D. E. HINMAN,

* * * * Republican Township Cancus.

Rooms in the village of Buchanan

on Saturday, Sept. 3d, at 2 o'clock

in the afternoon, for the purpose of

selecting 21 delegates to attend the

delegates to attend the State and

D. H. BOWER.

tion: "With all possible emphasis

and earnestness The Gazette declares

in favor of Senator Fred M. Warner

as the next Republican nominee for

Secretary of State. In thus stating

our preference we but voice the sen-

timent of every Republican in the

Twelfth Senatorial District. Every

person who knows Fred M. Warner,

no matter what may be their political

affiliation, will be pleased to see him

nominated, for his election would

secure to the state the services of a

man of whom all may well be proud.

We favor his nomination, not be-

cause he is a resident of our county,

not because of his universal popular-

ity wherever he is known, but be-

cause he possesses in largest degree

degree those characteristics which

peculiarly fit him for the discharge

of the duties of the office of Secretary

BUCHANAN MARKETS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

All "copy" for change of advertise-

ments must be in our office by Wednes-

day of each week to ensure the change

Hay-\$7@\$5 per ton, new.

Flour, per bbl-\$3.60-\$4.80

Lard, retail-8¢.

Honey-15¢.

Butter-20c.

Eggs-10c. Wheat-\$.63

Oats-20c.

Corn-35c.

Harry Binns.

Rve-37c.

Salt, retail-90c.

Live poultry-5@7¢.

Beans-80¢@\$1.00.

Drake's Dyspepsia Cure.

Piano tuning. See locals.

Card of thanks. See local

Republican Caucuses. See locals.

Whalebone whip found. See local.

Estate Wm. J. Hall, dec'd. See legal.

Estate Francis Wells, dec'd. See legal.

Agent wanted, \$60 per month. See adv.

Michigan Central R'y Excursion. See

E. S. Roe wants your order for coal

Are you good guesser? If so, read W.

Mr. W. F. Runner has a change of adv.

this week calling attention to his stock of writing tablets.

D. L. Boardman of the "Cold Cash" has

an interesting special announcement, this

B. R. Desemberg & Bro. of the Big Double Store are advertising new goods arriving daily. Read their adv.

The Democratic caucus was held

Saturday of last week, and delegates

elected to the county nominating

convention. Mr. J. L. Richards was

chairman and Mr. Edgar Ham, secre-

week. Read about it.

tary.

Live Hogs—\$3.25.

of State."

D. E. HINMAN.

A. A. WORTHINGTON,

Township Committee.

the caucus.

A. A. WORTHINGTON,

Township Committee.

Equal Taxation.

No Free Franchises.

Mrs. A. M. Glover's Sunday school class enjoyed a picnic at Clear lake, last Thursday, and all enjoyed themselves in a most through manner.

Charles Charlwood who is charged with larceny had his examination was bound over to the circuit court.

A petition to pave the business portion of Front street has been circulated and isbeing generally signed. The project will undoubtedly be carried out.

One of the finest vineyards in this has some fine grapes just coming into the market.

secured the agency for Drake's made on another page of this issue.

A party of Benton Harbor citizens were in town Sunday and took dinner at Hotel Stephens. The party comprised Messrs. D. H. Patterson, James Pound, Irving R. Pearl, J. K. Scherer and F. E. Morrow.

Druggist W. N. Bredrick has quite a novel display in one of his windows. He has a number of articles placed therein and offers a fine bottle of perfumery to the one guessing the A caucus of the Republican voters of the township of Buchanan, will

along on his wheel from New Carlisle their many friends at No. 95 Front to Niles, Delbert Halloway was violently thrown on a pile of stone by a dog grabbing his wheel. Young Halloway sustained very serious internal injuries and is in a critical condition.

Ralph, the eleven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton O. Hamilton, had one of the bones of his right foot broken, last Saturday, by being run over by a team which had been plowing in one of the fields on the farm. He is getting along nicely A caucus of the Republican voters

Miss Georgia Emory gave a stereopticon entertainment to a party of friends at her home on Tuesday evening. Miss Emory has over two thou-County Convention, to be held at sand negatives covering a wide field Niles, Sept. 8th, for the naming of in art and nature, and these supplemented by an impromptu lecture fur-Senatorial Conventions. Also for nished charming entereainment. Miss the purpose of transacting such other Emory will renew her school duties business as may properly come before at Muskegon in about ten days.

Quite a party from Buchanan drove over to South Bend and Notre Dame today. The party comprised Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Roe, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Boardman, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Pears, We take great pleasure in giving Mrs. H. D. Rough, Misses Olive H. space to the following extract taken Brenner and May Becker of Cincinfrom the Pontiac Gazette, relative to nati, Miss Mabelle Roe of Austin, the candidacy of Senator Fred M. Ills., Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Roe of Warner for the nomination for Secre-Chicago, and Dr. A. B. Kirke of Ann tary of State at the coming conven-

Mrs. William Rynearson suffered a slight stroke of paralysis, Sunday morning. Her face and organs of speech are affected but her attending physician, Dr. M. M. Knight, reports her condition as much improved. Mrs. Rynearson and family are attending the Riverside camp meeting, and the stroke occurred while at the camp ground. She will remain at the camp ground until the close of

Victor Plummer, a young man who has been employed at the National Mfg. Co., was arrested on Saturday by Deputy Sheriff John C. Wenger on a charge of stealing seven unset sapphires and garnets valued at about \$100, the property of Mr. F. J. Miliar. Plummer had a hearing before Justice Keller and was bound over to the circuit court. He was taken to St. Joseph on Sunday by Deputy Sheriff Wenger.

A burglar attempted to get into the home of Mr. W. G. Blish of Niles, Saturday morning, when Mr. Blish shot him in the cheek, tearing away one tooth and considerable of the jaw. The burglar got away, but was trailed by the blood from his wound for some distance and after hunting for him during the day, the officers made a thorough search of the box cars in the Big Four yard, and at 2 o'clock, Sunday morning, found their man hidden in the last car on the switch. He was a big, burly negro; giving the name of Wm. Gant, and was at once taken into custody. He was given a hearing

and committed to the county jail to await trial. Monday, September 5, is Labor Pay, a day made a holiday by legal enactment, at which time the laboring classes in all the larger cities are given privilege to celebrate as they may deem best. The Labor Unions of South Bend are making arrangements for an excursion on that day to Benton Harbor and St. Joe, and invite the people of Buchanan to accompany them on that occasion. An excursion rate of 50 cents will be made, going over the "Beuton Harbor Route." They are endeavoring to provide plenty of entertainment. The unveiling of the Firemen's monument takes place at St. Joe on that day, and this of itself should be

the county to that point. * * * 'The M. C. R. R. company will sell excursion tickets to Toronto, Ont., August 29th to September 4th inclusive. Good for return not later than September 12th, for one first-class limited fare for the round trip. A. F. PEACOCK, Agent.

sufficient to attract every citizen of

A Well Kept Secret. .

Two young people, well-known and with a host of friends in Buchanan. have demonstrated to their friends that they can keep a secret. The young couple referred to are, or rather were, Miss Ethel E. Curtiss and Mr. Joseph L. Richards, jr., for they are now Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Richards, jr. They were married on July 4, 1898, at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Tues lay before Justice Keller and by Rev. Oliver H. Chapin, pastor of the Perseverance Presbyterian church. For nearly two months they kept their secret faithfully, but last week the young bridegroom, determined to acquaint his parents of the fact, before leaving on Saturday for Coloma, where his bride was residing, Mr. Richards arranged with one of section is that of Mr. Jacob Vite, his most intimate friends to leave a about 4 miles south of town. He letter, after he had started, at the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs Joseph L. Richards. In the W. F. Runner, the druggist, has letter the young man "owned up" to his parents and requested that they Dispepsia Cure and Nerve Restorer, | call him up over the telephone that of which a more lengthy mention is evening and advise him as to their views regarding the marriage. His parents were greatly surprised at the news contained in the letter but, like the sensible people they are, tele phoned to the anxious groom that, while they would have preferred to have had the marriage deferred on account of their youth, they had the highest regard for the young lady of his choice, and would be glad to have him bring her back with him and they would welcome her as a daughter. Accordingly, the largest number of the articles in the the young couple came. Sunday evening, over the "Benton Harbor On Thursday last while hurrying | Route", and are now "at home"to

> * * * Florida Experiences.

street. The RECORD is pleased to join

with the other friends in wishing the

young people a happy and prosper-

ous journey through life.

The following extracts from a letter received here by Mr. Ashley Carlisle from his son Frank, will be read with interest by his friends. The

letter is dated Jacksonville, Fla.: Since my last letter, I have been up to Fernandina, forty miles from here. The camp is built on side vious to his death. In his early manout with reference to each other The town is only a place of about four or five thousand people. but they have a pretty fine harbor and, just at present, quite a little is going on there. I went there to see a friend I heard was there. After a long search. I found him. He was sick and unconscious, from yellow fever in a mild form. When he came to, he recognized me, and seemed very glad to see me. He has wasted away to a mere skeleton, and looks bad off. I went from there to the 32d Mich., and there found three boys from Hartford whom I knew, and we had a good talk about old times. Then I went back to town to see the sights. We climbed up as high as we could; clear to the main tops of the main mast of a large four master. It was built- in London and sailed around the world.

There are large oyster beds here, but it is out of season so I could not

You have no idea what a Florida swamp is like, till you see one. They are dark and dismal but, with all, there is something solemnly beautiful about them. The swamp is full of huge cypress trees and palms, and from the cypress hangs tons of long gray moss. Then the ground is covered with a rank growth of vegetation and brush, and almost every plant has some kind of a beautiful

I am feeling first rate. I have been Company cook for over a week, and I have 104 men to cook and wash dishes for. It has not so much fun as it seems, but there is one consolation, I can have all I want to eat. The cooks rank as duty sergeant.

COMMON COUNCIL.

OFFICIAL MINUTES. A special meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan was called by the President of said village, to be held in the Council Chamber on Wednesday evening, Aug. 24, 1898, at 8 o'clock, and notices of said meeting were served on the members of said Council, before 1.30 p. m., Wednesday, Aug. 24,

A special meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan was held in the Council chamber of said village, Wednesday evening, of September, I am Aug. 24, 1898, at 8:15 o'clock.

President Keller presiding. Present-Trustees Arthur, Bishop, Boardman, Dodd, Pears and Whit-

Moved by Trustee Pears, supported by Trustee Dodd, that the following resolution be adopted:

Resooved. That the refunding bonds au thorized by the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan at the meeting of Aug. 12, 1898, be issued under date Sept. 1, 1898; that the interest on same be at the rate of 5 per cent, payable annually: that the principal and interest be payable at the Union National Bank at Chicago, Ill .: that the date of payment be as follows: One boud of \$1000.00 Sept. 1, 1900...

One bond of \$1000.00 Sept. 1, 1901. One bond of \$1000.00 Sept. 1, 1902. One bond of \$1000.00 Sept. 1, 1903. One bond of \$1000.00 Sept. 1, 1904. One bond of \$1000.00 Sept. 1, 1905. One bond of \$1000.00 Sept. 1, 1906.

One bond of \$1000.00 Sept. 1, 1907. On motion of Trustee Dodd, supported by Trustee Bishop, the Council adjourned.

W. N. BRODRICK, Clerk. * * * Sunday School Union.

All members of the executive committee of S. S Townships Union are requested to meet at Evangelical church, Monday, August 29, at 2 o'clock p. m. to arrange for S. S. convention. All pastors and S. S. superintendents are requested to be present.

Mrs. D. L. Phelps, Secretary.

CHURCH NOTES.

CHRISTIAN. Next Sunday morning the pastor will preach on "The Man; Christ Jesus". There will be no evening

There will be no C. E. services, next Sunday. Two young men united with the

church, last Sunday. METHODIST. The Epworth League will hold

their devotional meeting, Sunday evening, 6 o'clock. Subject, "Going to Church." Ref. Mal. 3, 16 17; also the third clause of pledge. Leader, Rolla Barr. We had a very helpful service last Sunday evening. Those in attendance were paid for coming. Will you be among the number present Sunday evening?

* * * OBITUARY. DELBERT FULLER was born March 22, 1852, being 46 yr. 5 mo. 1 day old at the time of his death. He was married to Miranda Brant, Oct. 5, 1872, and to them were born six sons. Died Aug. 28, 1898. Funeral services were held at his residence, six miles north of Buchanan, near Grange Hall, Aug. 24. Funeral Services were conducted by Rev. Wm. M. Roe, and interment took place in Mount Tabor Cemetery.

WILLIAM MCCOWEN was born in

Ottawa Co., Chio, February 3, 1823, and died in Buchanan, Mich., Aug. 19, 1898; aged 75 years. In September 1844 he was married to Margaret Dunham of Elmore, Ohio, Of the eight children born to them but three are now living. Mrs. James Patterson and L. D. McGowen of Buchanan, and Allman McGowen of Indiana. A daughter, Mrs. Ed. Cooper died in Buchanan. Margaret McGowen died Oct. 26, 1882. In the fall of 1883 he was married to Julia Aldrich of Plymouth, Ind., in which place they spent thirteen years of quiet happiness. After the death of his second wife in 1896 he came to Buchanan to live. The 16th of August 1897 he was married to Mrs. Sarah Cowels, an July 8th, 1898, but six weeks prehills, and no two regiments are laid | hood he united with the United Brethern Church and has been an earnest consistent christian. Although suffering intensely, he bore it patiently and with great fortitude. He often spoke to his daughter of c'cath and said it did not seem like

dying but just like going home.

PERSONALS.

President W. H. Keller is in South Bend today. and family. Master Leo Wehrle of Three Oaks Mr. H. A. Hathaway is spending a

young friends.

Ed. Steele and wife of Buchanan visited their niece, Mrs Fred Gelow,

last Sunday.—The Misses Lou Paxson

and Emma Churchill visited relatives

in Buchanan, the latter part of last

THE MARKETS.

Grain, Provisions, Etc.

Chicago, Aug. 24. FLOUR—Quiet and easy.

OATS—Firm. September oats opened at 19%c, sold up to 20%c at 20c. May sold from 22%c up to 22%@22%c.

PORK, LARD AND RIBS-Steady. Sep-

tember pork sold at \$9.05, off to \$8.971/2. October lard sold at \$5.15, up to \$5.20, off to

tober lard sold at \$5.13, up to \$5.29, on to \$5.17½. October ribs started at \$5.17½, firmed up to \$5.20, eased off to \$5.15, closing at \$5.15@5.17½. POTATOES—Easy. Minnesota, Early Ohio, 37@42c; Wisconsin, 37@42c; Illinois and Kansas stock, 30@35c per bu.

EGGS — Quotably unchanged. Sales, losses off, cases returned, were made at 12c, and city recandled, new white wood cases included, at 12½c.

BUTTER-Active, feeling firm. Cream-

LIVE POULTRY-Market unchanged

Turkeys, 6@Sc; Chickens, 4½@10c; Ducks, 6@7½c per pound; Geese, \$3.00@5.00 per flozen.

WHISKY-Firm. Basis of \$1.25 for fin-

Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 24.

HOGS — Unsettled. Choice to fancy strong-weight shipping, \$4.00@4.10; plain to choice heavy, \$2.80@4.05; fair to choice heavy mixed, \$3.80@3.90; assorted light, \$4.00@4.10; common to choice light mixed, \$3.80@4.05; skips and pigs, \$2.75@3.75.

CATTLE—Market slow. Prime beeves, \$5.60@5.65; choice to extra steers, \$5.45@5.50;

good medium shipping and export steers, \$5.00@5.45; plain grades, \$4.80@5.15; common and rougn, \$5.50@4.80; bulls, poor to extra, \$2.50@4.25; fair to choice feeders, \$4.40@4.50; plain stockers, \$3.60@4.40; good to choice before \$4.00@4.50; plain stockers, \$3.60@4.40; good to choice before \$4.00@4.50; fad Towns \$4.00@4.50;

Carries Supplies to Miners.

er Cleveland has cleared for St

Michael. She carried few passengers,

but a full cargo of provisions and min

* * *

The Little Queen's Picture,

her coronation, and will be printed

pared sketch, showing the personal-

The M. C. R. R. company will sell

on September 16, 17 and 18 excursion

tickets to Boston, Mass., at one first-

class limited fare for the round trip.

Limited to return not later than

September 30th. Account of Odd

* * *

your Piano, let him in and be glad

to see him even if you are not ready

good to see and know a young man

who has gone to the top of his pro-

fession and made a success of life in

* * *

COUNTY SEAT NEWS.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Fannie E. Curtis, through her at

torney, C. N. Sears, has filed a bill of

divorce from her husband. Alva V

Curtis, on the ground of desertion

and drunkenness. They have two

Cooper, Wells & Co. have filed :

declaration against Henry B. Rosen-

berg, to obtain \$2,740.30 due on a

promisory note secured by mortgage.

PETIT JURY.

Ferguson, and Justices Smith and

St. Clair met, Saturday afternoon,

and drew the following jury for the

Benton Harbor, W C. Noc. Geo.

nderson, J. E. Felts, Samuel Neil.

Bainbridge, P. L. Northop.

Berrien Springs, Joe Hand,

Dayton, John T. Dempsey.

Galien, Alonzo Goodenough

New Buffalo, Chas. I. Waight.

Niles, tp., Benj. C. Geyer. Niles, John Hauley, Wm. H. Bul-

lard, Win. B. Reedy, Henry Steinbam.

Coloma, Allen Hibbard.

Oronoko, W. A. Edison.

Pipestone, W. I. Howard.

Royalton, Fayette Burt.

Sawyer, Geo. Hinchman.

Sodus, J. B. Watson.

Stevensville, Edward Beihler.

St. Joseph tp., John W. Hudson. St. Joseph, Herman Schultz, H. C.

Guernsey, J. W. Doyle, Louis Mollha-

Three Oaks, Thomas Hutton.

PROBATE COURT.

Petition filed by Enos Holmes, ex-

Petition filed by Isaac M. Wells fo

Wells and himself as executors of

Watervliet, G. A. Wigent.

Weesaw, Thomas Lamb.

Scpt. 19, at 10 a. m.

Buchanan, Elias Eaton.

Barada, Andrew Mead.

Benton tp., G. E. Drake.

County Clerk Needham, Sheriff

spite of blindness.

small children.

If Mr. Hamilton calls to see about

A. F. Peacock, Agent.

Fellows Sovereign Grand Lodge.

every point of view.

San Francisco, Aug. 25.—The steam-

heifers. \$4.00@4.80: fed

ing supplies.

4.69; fed westerns, \$4.65@5.50.

eries, 13@17c; dairies, 12@15c.

ished goods.

week .- Three Oaks Press.

few days at home. Mr. J. R. White was in Chicago on business, Wednesday.

Editor J. A. Mohler of the Resorter cousin, Mr. Phllip's child, at Three was in town, Tuesday. Prosecuting Attorney G. M. Valen-Oaks on Sunday.

tine was in town, Tuesday, Mr. Henry Dickinson is enjoying a visit from his grandfather,

Atchison, Kansas, for an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kolb. Miss Eberinan of Pittsburg, Penn. Mrs. Miles and the Misses Hattie is visiting Mrs. O. H. McKay. and Jennie Gano of Benton Harbor, Mr. W. C. Hall of Three Oaks was and Mr. Frank Gano of Ft. Valley, a Buchanan visitor, yesterday. Ga., are attending Riverside camp-Mr. E. S. Roe returned on Saturday, meeting.

from a business trip to Chicago. Mrs. Mary Smith of Chicago is vis iting her sister, Mrs. John Graham. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bunker of South Bend were Buchanan visitors, Tues-

Dr. and Mrs. Martin Steele returned to their home in Fennville, last

Dr. A. B. Kirk of Ann Arbor is the guest of Dr. Claude B. Roe, this Dr. and Mrs. Emory W. Roe of

Chicago are visiting Buchanan rela-Miss Genevieve Corell of Niles is

Mr. H. E. Bradley was in Three Oaks, last week, returning home on Saturday.

spending a few days with Miss Edith

Miss Plimpton of Benton Harbor visited Mr. and Mrs. F, T. Plimpton, this week. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Plimpton spent

Mrs. Will Hill of Berrien Centre visited her sister, Mrs. Chas. Bishop, Wednesday.

Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. T.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. Kane have been entertaining relatives from Kalamazoo, this week. Auditor General and Mrs. R. D.

Dix were in town Monday, on their way to Lansing. Rev. H. L. Potter conducted quarterly meeting at the Galien M. E.

church, Sunday. Mr. Degolier Wooden of Benton old resident of Buchanan who died | Harbor spent Sunday at the home of Miss Mary Imhoff.

> Rev. C. W. Stephens of Geneva, Ind., was a visitor at Riverside Camp

> Mrs. Julia Bugbee is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Guy Eggleston, at Cassopolis, this week.

Mr. Carroll Pallock and Miss Marie Pollock of Cassopolis visited Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Pallock and family, the past week.

For Wheat and Grass.

GRAIN GROWER. Especially prepared for wheat. An excellent fertilizer for \$21.00 per ton. AMMONIATED BONE (At highly ammoniated managed bone have been appeared to the second bone have been appeared to the second bone been nure, bone basis. \$23.00 per WITH POTASH.

ALL SOLUBLE. Running high in Phosphoric Acid. An extra fine wheat manure \$28.00.

Two hundred pounds per acre of either of the above pure bone fertilizers at a cost from \$2.10 to \$2.80 will not only increase yield of wheat but will insure you a better catch of grass. Having had several years of experience in growing wheat, with aid of fertilizer in the East (Maryland) I am prepared to give purchasers any information they may desire on this point.

Percy G. Skirven. Buchanan, Mich.

W. A. Palmer, this week.

A Bicycle Trip. SUMNER, Mich., August 20. We arrived here Wednesday, a distance across the country of about 200 miles, camped by the way, and to say that we enjoyed the trip puts it very mild; it was a continual round of fun from beginning to end. Came through Hastings, Lake Odessa, Dowagiac, Kalamazoo, Ionia, Muir, and other smaller villages. We find our people here enjoying good health and all getting along nicely. The fruit along the road, in the way of plums, is beyond description, the trees just hang full; and corn and potatoes are looking fine, and taking the good weather into consideration our trip was one long to be remembered. We had the pleasure of attending the Township Sunday School Convention the next day after our arrival, and the next visited our splendid little village, Alma; some changes and improvements have been made since we left here in 1892, progression has been the watch word. I am indeed enjoying shaking hands with so many of my dear old friends. Hoping to be with you again the first

> B. O. MARKHAM, Glendora, Mich.

 \leftrightarrow \leftrightarrow J. P. Hamilton, the well known piano tuner will begin making regular trips to Buchanan. Mr. Hamilton has been blind since three years of age, but does more than ordinary work in both tuning and repairing. He has worked in a piano factory and also spent two years in Europe returning with recommends from leading European conservatories. Besides holding recommends from such men as Nazo of the Athenian Conservatory, and Prof. Stanley of the Ann Arbor School of Music, Mr. Hamilton comes highly recommended by our own leading musicians. Orders may be left with Mrs. Dr. Dodd or Miss Katie Deering. * * *

Auction Sale.

At the farm known as the Elijah Hall place, 5 miles west of Buchanan in Weesaw township, on Wednesday, September 7th, at 10 o'clock sharp. The following property: 1 span of horses, 4 milch cows, 5 fat hogs, Champion binder, mower, Garland riding plow, drags and various farming utensels not mentioned. WM. REDDEN.

N. HAMILTON, Auctioneer,

Mrs. Fred Eaton and little son Earle have been visiting South Bend friends, the past week.

son on Sunday, from a few day's visit with Buchanan friends. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Savage of Three Oaks visited her brother, Mr.

Mr. Will Griffith returned to Jack-

Mrs. Henry Tieche of Muncie; Ind., returned home from a visit with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Ingalls. Miss Susie Butler is spending a

well-earned vacation in Indianapolis and other Indiana points. Misses Annie A. Treat and Carrie Williams are the guests of Miss Sara Farmer, at Benton Harbor.

Mrs. Frick and children of Chicago have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Tambling, for two weeks. Mrs. Geo. I. Blowers and daughter,

Miss Belle, returned to their home in Kalamazoo, Monday evening. Mrs. E. L. Harner and son Arthur went to Detroit, Monday night, for a

few days' visit with relatives. Mrs. Marvin of Detroit returned ome, this week, after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Dr. Wheelock Miss Elsie Kingery returned home,

Friday evening, from a few month's visit with friends in Saugatuck. Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Carmer. Miss Jessie J. Fitzgerald and Mr. D. H. Bower drove over to Niles, Tuesday. Mrs. Dr. Stow of Chicago has been

visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Re S. Tambling of Moccasin Mound Farm. ... Rev. Mr. Keene of Galien, spent Sunday in Buchanan, preaching, a very acceptable sermon at the M. E.

church.

Mr. B. D. Harper and Miss Mattie Brown were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. Nims at Berrien Centre, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Morgan and Miss

Chloe Morgan of Bainbridge spent Sanday with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Miss Susie Miller and friend; Miss Kelley, of Elkhart, Ind., were the

guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Lamb,

this week. Miss Lenora Patten returned to her home in Chicago on Friday, after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Carmer.

County Clerk John W. Needham was in town last night and this morning. John reports everything looking well for a good sized Republican majority this fall, Mr. I. L. H. Dodd made a business

trip to Chicago, Monday. He was accompanied as far as Benton Harbor by Mrs.. Dodd and son Robert, who returned with him yesterday.

School Supplies. School Books. NUMBER 30. School Supplies. Mr. B. Graham of Mendon, Mich., returned home, last week, after a visit with his sister, Mrs. C. D. Kent, School Books.

came to Buchanan on Tuesday morn-School Supplies. ing, for a few day's visit with his Mrs. Lizzie Baker and daughter Susie attended the funeral of their School Books.

BINNS, Mrs. Lizzie Baker and daughter NEXT TO POST-OFFICE, BUCHANAN Susie started on Wednesday for

School Books.

School Books.

School Supplies.

said estate. Hearing, Sept. 19, 10 a.

JAIL NOTES. Paul Lentwine has been brought from Niles for 90 days, for being

drunk and disorderly. Albert Hodge of Niles is in the county jail for 40 days, for larceny. There are now ten criminal cases in the county jail, awaiting the open-

ing of the Circuit court. REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS For week ending Ang. 16, 1898, furnished by the Benton Harbor Abstract Co., of Benton Harbor, Mich.

J. E. Wilkinson to School Dist. No. 1, New Buffalo, \$300, lots 7 and 8 blk 25, New Buffalo. Jane Brown to school Dist. No. 1, New Buffalo, \$20, lot 8, blk 23.

WHEAT—Strong and higher. September opened at 63%c, sold to 64%c, closing at 64%c; December opened at 61%c, sold up to 62%@62%c; May sold at 63%c to 64%c, closing at 64c.

CORN—Firm. September corn opened at 30%c, sold at 30c to 30%@30%c, and closed at 30%c. December sold from 30@30%c early up to 30%@30%c, closing at 30%c.

OATS—Firm. September oats opened at P. W. Hall to B. Kimball, \$300, 4, 5, 6, 7, blk 2, Leeside 2d add, Benton Harbor. M. Lindstron to H. I. Hapier, \$325,

2 1 a ne nor 81 ne 1 sw 1 Sec. 2 Ben-E. S. Pennell to H. J. Storrick, 21 a in w 1 se 1 Sec 12, Berrien tp.
Abearnethy & Allen to G. F. Smith,

\$300, lots 3 to 5. revised plat of Forest Beach. M. C. Christianson to C. F. Inhala. a 1 ne 1 sw 1 Sec. 9 Benton tp. Geo. O. Dickenson to G. F. Culver,

\$1000. 15 a in e 1 w 1 sw 1 Sec. 5

Benton tp.

Geo. G. Dickinson to E. G. Brake, \$1000. 10-4 a in e w w s w 1 Sec. 5 Benton tp. H. A. Dakin to C. K. Warren, \$7000, n & e \frac{1}{2} nw \frac{1}{4} and n \frac{4}{2} w \frac{1}{2} ne \frac{1}{2} Sec. 33, ne \frac{1}{2} Sec. 32, n \frac{1}{2} sw \frac{1}{2} Sec. 23,

all in Chikaming tp.

J. E. Allen to J. S. Allen. \$20000, lots 255, 256 257, 258, 259, 300, 301 and 302, Berrien Springs-Court House Square.
R. S. Taylor to S. E. Hiatt, \$250, lot 35, blk 1. Lake Shore add to Bridgman.

R. S. Taylor to N. Ashley, \$300. lots 23 and 24, blk 1, Lake Shore add to Bridgman. C. T. Warner to T. N. Inman, \$100, lot 3, blk 10, Somerlayton. E. W. Inman to T. N. Inman, \$700

lot 6, blk 3, Hurd & Down add to Benton Harbor. C. Quinn to N. Morehorse, \$100, lot 123, J. Beasons add, Niles. J. W. Inman to T. N. Inman, \$400, lots 15 and 16, lot 3, Hurd & Downs

to add to Benton Harbor, lot 7 blk

same add. J. W. Inman to I. O. Drow \$1000, n ½ to ne ¼ nw ¼. Sec. 9, Pipestone. Wilhelmina, who is to be crowned J. T. Hatfield to S. C. Hatfield 253 Queen of the Netherlands, September a in nw 1 Sec. 20, Three Oaks tp. 6, has personally sent to Mr. Bok, the C. N. Smith to A. Harner, \$220, 6 by 10 rds ne 1 Sec. 19, Lake. editor of The Ladies' Home Journal

-himself a Hollander by birth-one \$700, pt out lots 1 and 2 Green & of her private portraits for publica-Hoffman add to Niles. - Redden to E. A. Clayton, \$5000, tion in the next number of her magase 4 Sec. 39, Weesaw tp. zine. It is the last portrait which W, Lamad to R, Daniels, \$300, 9 a will be taken of the little lady before in se 4 Sec. 2, Berrien tp.

K C. Halloway to G. McOmber.

D. W. Roos to P. A. Starck, \$130, in connection with a specially prelot 60, Beech Wood Point. T. J. Benske to J. Deitle, \$3000, w ½ e ‡ ne ‡ Sec. 31, Benton. ity of the first Queen of Bolland from C. Webber to S. E. Webber n 1 a 1

Sec. 7, Bainbridge tp. F. Smith to J. Smith lot 17, block G, Imp. Co. add, Watervliet. E. S. Kelley to L. A. Kelley und 1 n 1 lot 4, blk 59 Hoyts 2d add to St.

MARRIAGE LICENSES. Wm. E. Bird, 30, Bainbridge; Ora Eva Etta Warebam, LaPaz, Ind. Ernest Boomer, St. Joseph; Sarah Armour, 28, same.

Michael Long, 61, Royalton; Julia Dor-

then, 60, same. Milo L. Wilson, 34, Monon, Ind.; Lola Belle Hancock, 18, same. Jacob Sampson, 45, Chicago; Kittie Tor to have work done. It will do you pey, 29, same

E. C. Wills, 23, Benton Harbor; Verna Anson G. Zimmerman, 44, Buchanan; Rose Soenpagel, 19, Laporte, Ind. Henry Clipperfield, 52, Chicago; Eliza-

beth Smith, 50, same. * * * An Advertising Fable.

Once upon a time there was a merchant who said, "Huh! What do I want to advertise for? I can't advertise and I shan't advertise. Who, me? Why, I've got more business now than I can attend to. By gee! It keeps me awake nights! Go away, young man, you are a mere insect, I can't see you. What, me advertise? Me? Well I guess not! I don't have to. I am the whole thing! I am the people!" So the man swelled up very large and puffed like a steamboat, and the poor advertising insect crept out of his office and went over to see a plain approachable sort of a man across the way, who did not September term of the Circuit court: have all the business he could attend to, and thought he would advertise. And it came to pass that in a year or so that the plain approachable man's business came creeping up and up, because the people had seen his advertisement and knew he was alive, while they concluded by the same token that the large pompous man across the way must be dead, or at least dying, or they would hear something from him. So the large pompous man's business dropped off and dropped off, and he laid the fact

Over One Haif

Millon Acres of splendid hard wood timber land in for sale by the Railway.

to the monetary system and the tariff,

while the quiet approachable man's

business grew and grew, and he laid

it to judicious advertising .- Shoe

Northern Wisconsin and Michigan Chicago & Northwester The best land proposi-tion ever made to set-tiers. The timber more tinn pays for the land. For prices, terms, and all details, write or apply to J. F. CLEVELAND, Land Comr. C. & N. W Ry., Chicago,

and Leather Gazette.

eeutor of the estate of William J. Hall, deceased, for final settlement of his accounts as such and for such distribution of said estate. Hearing the probate of the will of Francis Wells, deceased, and for the appointment of Charles H. Wells, Frank



PLEASANT TO LOOK AT-

Yes, and pleasant to wear-becoming, stylish, and comfortable; these a.e the three points we aim at in our women's shoes. And the prices? We have all reasonable prices -for the purchaser; some of the prices are so low they are hardly reasonable for the fine quality of the shoes.

CARMER & CARMER,

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WANTED Agent for Buchanan and vicinity. Salery 800.00 per month and expenses. Steady. References.
JOHN M. MILLER. Detroit, Michigan.

business in every Department of this great store.

Dress Goods

Our entire new line of Fall dress goods is now ready for purchasers.

Colored

Dress Goods. Every new color and combination

in the stylish weaves both plain and novelty will be found represented in unusual variety.

Black Dress Goods.

We have every desirable weave, from both plain and fancy, from the lowest to the highest prices. Especially strong is the line of rough or repon effects so highly favored by

fashion for fall wear. We advise early purchases in dress

Blankets.

We offer sixteen cases of bed blankets at a great bargain. 10-4 blankets

29c pr.

11-4 blankets

35c pr.

Prices remain on above until sold. Don C. Morrison, We have bills of lading for heavier blankets than above, that will come to us in a day or so, making a stock of bed blankets that will be marked at bargain prices that cannot be beat. Buy all you want as we may be unable to duplicate these values

later on. Our sale will continue on Shirt at 25e and 38e; also on Canfield Dress Shields at 2 pairs for 25c,

while these goods last.

Our new waiting room is on the second floor, front. There is plenty of room. Make this your headquarters while in

COME AND SEE US.

GLO. WYMAN & CO South Bend, Ind.

Closed evenings except Saturday.

BUCHANAN RECORD.

D. H. BOWER,

FUBLISHER AND PROPRIETOR. THURSDAY, AUG. 25, 1898.

Republican State Convention. DETROIT, Mich., July 29, 1898.

Dernorr, Mich., July 23, 1898.

To the Republican Electors of the State of litchigan:

The State Convention of the Republicans of Michigan is hereby called to meet at the Light Guard Armory, in the city of Detroit, on Wednesday, the 21st day of September, 1898, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for State offices; and for the purpose of selecting a Chairman of the State Central Committe and two members thereof from each Congressional district, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention. The delegates from the several counties in each Congressional district are requested to meet in district caucus at 10 o'clock a. m., on the day of the state Convention, and select candidates as follows, to be presented to the State Convention for confirmation;

for confirmation;
I've members of the State Central Committee;
One vice president;
One assistant secretary;
One member each of the committee on "Credentials," "Permanent Organization and Order of Business," and "Besolutions;"
And to transact such other business as they may deem processary.

And to transact such other business as they may deem necessary.
Under the resolutions of 1858, no delegate will be entitled to a seat in the convention who wond not reside in the county he proposes to represent.
In accordance with the resolutions of 1876, every county will be entitled to one delegate for each five hundred of the total vate cast for Governor at the last election. (Nowember, 1896, and one additional control of the county will be set to the last election. the last election, (November, 1896.) and one additional delegate for every fraction amounting to three hundred, and each organized county will be entitled to at least two delegates.

In compliance with the resolutions adopted in Detroit, June 23, 1890, the secr tary of each county convention is urged to forward to the Secretary of the State Central Committee, Detroit, by earli-

of the State Central Committee, Detroit, by earliest mult after the delegates to the State Convention be choten, a certified list of such delegates as are entitled to seats in the State Convention from their respective counties.

Republican State Central Committee.

DEXTER M. FERRY, Chairman, DENNIS E. ALWARD, Secretary.

The following is the apportionment of delegates to which the various Countries are entitled on a basis of the lotal vote for Governor, November 3, 1896, (the last election. One for each 500 or fraction thereof of 300 or more—no county, however, being entitled to less than two delegates:

Total Vote.

We'll show you the goods with pleasureand the quality and price will do the talking.

BUCHANAN, MICH.

and Java coffee. Price only 50c.

To Lovers of Good Coffee We would say try one of our 3 pound pails of Mocha

Just Arrived

New crop of Tycoon Tea, none better on the market.

We are headquarters for

Home grown Celery, Fruits and Vegetables

Give us your trade,

CERCE WYMAN & CO. Treat Bros.,

GROCERS.

HAVE YOU SEEN THEM?

We mean our New Line of Cuff Buttons, Studs, Brooches and Rings. They are beauties, and we are always pleased to show them to you whether you purchase or not. Call at once while the assortment is complete.

A. Jones & Co,

Republican County Convention. A Republican County Convention will be held in Bullard's Opera House, in the City of Niles, on Thursday, September S, 1808, at 10:30 a. m. to select twenty-four delegates to attend the State Republican Convention, to be held in the City of Detroit on the 21st day of September, 1898, and to select thirty-two delegates to attend the 7th District Senatorial Convention, the date and place yet to he fixed, and to transact such other business as may properly come before said Convention. The following is the apportionment of delegates to which the several townships and wards are entitled, based on the vote for Governor in 1896.

FIRST DISTRICT. SECOND DISTRICT. No. Delegates. No. Delegates. Bainbridge 17 Bertrand Benton Harbor 1w 6 Buchanan 2w 13 Chickaming " 3w 11 Galien 10 Lake 7 New Buffalo Hagar 9 Niles township 7 " 2w Royalton " 3w " 4w St. Joseph.tp 6 Pipestone " " 2w 7 Three Oaks

Watervliet 159 Total Total 141 HENRY L. HESS,

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Chairman Secretary Republican County Convention.

7 Weesaw

A Republican County Convention will be held to the Town Hall in the Village of Berrien Springs, on Thursday, September 15, 148, at 10:30 a.m., to cominate the following county officers: One Register of Deeds. One Pros cuting Attorney. Two Circuit Court Commissioners

No. Delegates.

One County Surveyor.

And to transact such other business as may regularly come before said Convention. The following is the apportionment of delegates to which the several townships and wards are entitled, based on the vote for Governor in 1896. FIRST DISTRICT. | SECOND DISTRICT.

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Chairman. Secretary.

Among the probably successful candidates wh have some opposition is J. S. Stearnes of Ludington, who aspires to the position of Secretary of State and who is among the most able business men of the state. Asito nominations for Attorney General and Commissioner of the State Land offce, there is such a number of candidates for each position that an inteligent forecast at this time cannot probably be made, beyond the probable fact that whoever is nominated will be carried into office with the entire ticket by more than 100,000

majority .-- Negannee Iron Herald. So far as can be learned there is no opposition whatever to the re-nomination of Roscoe D. Dix for the important office of Auditor General. This is as it should be. Mr. Dix has proven himself one of the most able and attentive officers of the state within its history. Always the most important branch of the state government, the one in which is vested the vast system of taxation-it has been more than ordinarilly difficult to administer during Mr. Dix's term from the fact of important amendments of the tax-laws that have gone into effect during his term and of the frequent decisions of the supreme court greatly affecting the practices of the system. Thus the work has been complicated and greatly increased, notwithstanding which it has been carried on with all the regularity and accuracy supposed to aftend a simply routine duty. Aside from having proven himself an Auditor of unquestionable ability

WATCHMAKERS AND JEWELERS

as well as a substantial citizen in his section of the state. It is needless to say that the name of such a man will be an element of strength to his ticket .- Negaunee Iron Herald.

With the Mich. Press Association-V.

man, an old soldier of high standing

Saturday morning, July 30. At the Chamber of Commerce, the Mayor extended a hearty welcome to the city. By favor of the City Electric R'y, we were given a free ride to Point Defiance Park where the great treat was a clam-bake on the beach of Puget Sound. The afternoon was spent at the beach and in sauntering about the city visiting the city visiting the Court House, museum, power

house and other interesting places. At 8 a. m. the start was made for the East. By Sunday morning, Lyon was reached where a short stop was given for breakfast. On Monday afternoon we arrived at Calgary Here Lord and Lady Aberdeen had just arrived, and in their honor about 200 Indians had been brought to the depot. After each Indian had shaken hands with Lord Aberdeen, he treated the association to a neat little speech, congratulating us on our pleasant journey and wishing ns God-

speed to its close. Indian Head was reached, Tuesday morning, and after partaking of a find lunch furnished by the town, we were driven to and over the Experimental farm conducted by the Government. Leaving this place at 1 p. m., we gain Regina at 2:53. A magnificent banquet was tendered us in City hall. While we did extensive justice to the viands, a stringed orchestra discoursed sweet music, our National airs and other sprightly melodies. These mottoes adorned the walls: "The Queen and the President; God Bless Them"; "Welcome to Guests" "The Pen is Mighter Than

the Sword". Our next|note-worthy stop is at St. Paul 10:20, Wednesday night. The time until 1:30 was occupied by a banquet at one of the club houses. Short, happy speeches and toasts pleased the hearing while the salmon and lobster salad tickled the taste. A number of both Wisconsin and Michigan people said "good-by" to us here, while by the time we arrived at Oshkosh, nearly all of our Wisconsin brethren bade us a sad farewell, At Chicago the members left by many different roads for their various

homes throughout the state. A sentence or two in closing should be written of the favors shown by our hosts of the Canadian Pacific Railway and Wisconsin Central. No favor was too large nor no detail too trifling to escape the attention of Mr. White, the Canadian Press agent, or Mr. Calder, the Traveling Passenger Agent for the C. P. R. These gentlemen used every opportunity to make the journey instructive as well as pleasurable. As a token of appreciation felt by the Associations of their efforts, each presented the gentlemen with handsome presents. In recognition of the numerous courtesies extended, the following resolutions were adopted.

WHEREAS, We the members of the Michigan Frees Association, have been so fortunate as to enjoy a pleasure trip of two weeks, extending nearly across the American continent—from Chienjoy a pleasure trip of two weeks, extending nearly across the American continent—from Chicago to St. Paul over the Wisconsin Central, from St. Paul to Winnipeg over the Northern Pacific, thence west via the Canadian Pacific through the rich agricultural and grazing districts to the most florithern railroad point on the continent—Edmonton; then through the grand scenic mountains whose beauty rivals the Alps, to the coast cities of Vancouver, Victoria, Seattle and Tacoma; therefore we take great pleasure in expressing in this feedle way our sincere sense of gratitude to those whose courtesy and hospitality have made it possible for us to make this annual excursion an educational trip which was one of the most important in the history of the Association.

It is with especial gratification and pleasure that we acknowledge our indebtedness to Hom Clifford Sifton, Minister of the Interior of the Lonning of Ganada; who last winter, as the resentative of the Government, extended to us a most cordial invitation to take this trip as the guests of the Dominiour and the Canadian Pacific Railway, and who, through his most courteous representative; Will J. White, of Ottawa, as Press

Agent for the Pominion, has done so much to make our trip pleasant and memorable by anticipating our desires and providing every possible means for gratifying them.

We are especially under great obligations to the Canadian Pacific Railway, the great trans-continental line, for its special train service for nearly 2,000 miles and return, and the many courtesies given us by its officers, President Sir William C. Yan Horn; General Superintendent R. Malpole; General Manager William White; Robert Kerr, Traffic Manager; Arthur B. Calder, Travelling Passenger Agent; E. J. Coyle, District Agent, and Geo. McLaren Brown, Executive Agent.

The Canadian Pacific is one of the world's greatest railway systems, and its officers we have found to be most obliging and courteous, giving every possible attention to onr pleasure.

We are also under great obligations to the Wiscousin Central for conveying our sleeping cars from Chicago to St. Panl and return. Also to the Northern Pacific Railway for transporting our cars from St. Paul to Winnipeg, and for placing at our service the elegant steamer City of Kingston for the enjoyable ride from Victoria to Seattle, and the train service from Seattle to Tacoma; also to the Canadian Pacific Navigation Co. for the especial favors shown in transporting our party from Vancouver to Victoria; also to the Seattle and International Railway Co. for transporting us from Seattle to Mission Junction, and to the Soo Line for returning us from Moose Jaw to St. Paul—about 600 miles. Also to the Chicago & West Michigan Railway, the Grand Rapids & Indiana Railway, the Michigan Central, the Grand Trunk system, and to other Michigan railroads for transportation to our homes.

To the city of Winnipeg, which extended us such a cordial greeting on our entrance to Canadian territory, and which through its mayor, Hcn. A. A. Andrews, the C.ty Council, the Board of Trade, and its many public spirited citizens, gave us such a cordial reception and devoted every attention to us as the guesta of the city. Also to

the bands played our national airs. Especially will we remember with joy the greeting extended us a Griswold, where a hundred little girls, decorated with paper caps and red, white and blue emblems, sang "America," "The Star Spangled Banner," and other patriotic airs, and presented us with boquets of flowers.

At Brandon we visited the government experimental farm, and were shown the great progress made in so practical a way in the development of the Dominion, by experimenting with various products in the natural soil and climate in which they are to be grown. Also in their efforts to educate the young Indians of the country in a practical way at their mission school, thus litting them to earn their own living instead of living as wards of the nation. We were also impressed with the rich, fertile agricultural resources of this vicinity. In this beautiful city, the home of Messrs. Sifton and White, our visit was made still more pleasant by the personal attentions of Mayor E. Evans and the city council.

At Souris we will ever remember the cordial reception by the mayor, council and public spirited citizens, who headed by the hand discoursing patriotic airs, gave us a ride to the city park, where the ladies of the W. C. T. U. of this city had prepared us a most bountiful banquet, following which were warm welcomes from our Canadian cousins.

To the citizens of Virden, who met us at the train with a band and escorted us to a near by grove, where we were made to feel the enthusiastic welcome extended us all along the line.

At Calgary we were addressed by the Governor-General of Canada, Lord Aberdeen, also treated to an exhibition by the mild Indians from a neighboring reservation.

At Edmonton, the most northerly point that any rallroad reaches, we were under obligations for many favors, including a view of the only herd of wild buffalo in the northwest.

At Vancouver, to Mayor Gordon, the city council and board of trade for a delightful evening ride upon a steamer to the north inlet of the Sound, and for entertai

extensive salmon canneries, an interesting sight to us.

At Victoria, where Mayor C. E. Redfern, the city council and board of trade gave us a hearty wetcome to the capital city of British Columbia. To the Marine and Fishery Department of the government for its us of their steam yacht for a delightful ride in the harbor, and to the Navy Department for the many favors shown on board the British man-ot-war, "Imperiense"

To the citizens of Seattle for a ride about the city and on Lake Washington, and for the many favors shown us by the generous citizens.

To the hospitable and public spirited citizens of Tacoma, headed by our former Michigan resident, Orno Strong, and backed by Mayor Nickens and the indefatiguable Frank Cole, who had gathered the former residents of Michigan in this city, and induced the ladies to prepare an elegant lunch at the city park in the way of a clam bake, followed by a steamer ride on the Sound, and a ride about the city, the prosperous appearance of which speaks-volumes for the immense trade centering there.

Also to the citizens of Indian Head, who on

centering there.
Also to the citizens of Indian Head, who on tal farm located there.

To the royal entertainment accorded us at Regina on our return we are under lasting obliga-tion, also for the warm words of friendship and brotherly affection shown, and the outspoken de-

brotherly affection shown, and the outspoken de-sire for a closer relation of the two great nations of the world. To the Commercial Club and the generous citizens of St. Paul and to their repre-sentative, H. B. Hall, who is endeared to Michigan editors by very many kindnesses, past and pres-ent, we tender appreciative thanks. Although arriving very late in that city, an elegant dinner had been prepared for us and was partaken of at the club's rooms. We are also under obligations to the Western Union Telegraph Company for favors extended.

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We desire to return especial thanks to Will J. White, representing the Canadian Government, and to Arthur B. Calder, Traveling Passenger Agent of the Canadian Pacific, for their personal a tention and upervision of the trip from first to last. It was owing largely to these two gentlemen that our trip was made so pleasant and profitable. We also wish to return sincere thanks to President H. R. Pattengill and Secretary H. C. Blackma: for the pains aking care exercised in s. successfully providing and arranging the details of one of the longest and most important excursions ever enjoyed by the Association.

In conclusion we would add that we recognize in the great agricultural resources of North-In conclusion we would add that we recognize in the great agricultural resources of North-Western Canada vast possibilities for its future. The expanse of territory between the Rocky Mountains and Winnipeg reaching to Edmonton, and even beyond, is boundles in wealth for future generations, in grazing and raising all kinds of crops. It is but partially developed at present and offers great inducements to home-teckers, and is destined to become one of the richest and most important sections of the North American continent. The scenery along the Canadian Pacific railway through the Rocky Mountains is grand and magnificent beyond comparison and offers to the tourest greater delights than the Alps of Switzerland. It is also very rich in mineral wealth—gold, silver copper and mica—the development of which has just begun.

MARTIN E BROWN,

JAMES J. SAV GE,

A side issue carried out by the men of Michigan's party, was the gift to our worthy secretary, Mr. Blackman of the Hillsdale Democrat, of an ele-

I have neither space nor ability to express in words the tons of pure fun that was had every evening in the tourist car, prompted by songs, recitations, readings and stories, and at different cities where banquets were engaged. In a word, the entire trip was without mar, or jar, or accident, and replete with pleasure and education, and was regarded by older members of the Association as one of the most successful yet accom-E. S. L.

FARM AND DAIRY Conducted by Percy G. Skirven.

Our readers are invited to send in any questions for information on this subject, and any commu-nications bearing on dairying will be received with pleasure and will be fully discussed in this

Is It "Pear Blight?"

A gentleman who has just returned from a week's stay in Weesaw reports that the pear crop in that township is very fine. Everywhere the trees are loaded down and there is every promise of an excellent crop. There has however appeared on the farm of John Dunkelberger, on the road between New Troy and Three Oaks, something that is spoken of by some as "pear blight," which seems to be killing the trees. If it proves to be really "pear blight" it is a very dangerous enemy, as that disease is contagious, and it is liable to spread all over Berrien county. Every limb attacked by "pear blight" should be cut off at once and burned, or all the trees in the neighborhood will be destroyed. Let all the neighbors insist that Mr. Dunkleberger attend to these diseased trees at once, as the destruc tion of the pear trees of this county would mean the loss of a great many thousand dollars. If the disease, whatever it is, is stamped out at once the remedy will cost but little, only the destruction of a few trees. If it is neglected it is very hard to compute the extent of the loss. Be sides this, the law provides severe

to those of his neighbors.

intendent of Farmers' Institutes, of Institute Bulletin No. 4, being a report of the Farmers' Institute work in this state during the past season. The volume is a book of about 275 pages, containing a very complete report of the Institute work of the

be noticed .- Western Rural.

POULTRY COLUMN

Our renders are invited to send in any questions

ter's work was very successful, indeed. There were 67 County Institutes, meetings of two-days or more, and 84 one-day Institutes. The total attendance of all sessions at all Institutes held in the state during the year was 118,692. The number of members of Institute societies was 7.080. The average attendance per session, of County Institutes, was 211; of one day Institutes, 152. Of the total attendance at all Institutes, 31,559 were reached by one-day Institutes; the remainder, 87,133, by the County Institutes. The Women's Sections, of which there were 58, were attended by 8,705 women. The local expense of all Institute work done in the state last year, as reported to Superintendent was \$1,464.66.

Farmers' Institute Report.

We are in receipt, from the Super-

state in all its phases; a complete re-

port of the State Round-up Farmers'

Institute, which was held at the

Agricultural College last February;

and also a large number of local ad-

dresses delivered at County Institu-

tes. A very nice engraving of Hon.

Charles W. Garfield, of the Board of

The report indicates that last win-

Agriculture, adorns the book.

Every paid-up member of our County Institute Society is entitled to one of these bulletins, and they will be distributed through the Secretary of the Society, Mr. A. N. Woodruff, Watervliet, Mich.

Export of Butter. With proper care on the part of all exporters of butter it is believed our country could compete with any other in supplying the world's wants in this article of food. We know that as good butter can be made in America as in any other country; but if proper attention is not paid to the manner of shipment, of course our butter will not hold its own in the foreign market.

Our agricultural department has of late taken more interest in this matter than formerly and will co-operate in introducing our butter to new mar-

Denmark has been making great progress in this direction. During 1897 Denmark's export of butter amounted to 145,290,000 pounds, which shows an increase of 12,140,000 pounds over that of 1896. In taking the whole export 116,670,000 pounds were Danish; and 28,620,000 pounds Swedish and Einnish produce. The export of purely Dannish butter has increased by 5,132,000 pounds, which shows how enormously it is increasing, and to what an extent the de

mand holds on outside markets. This increase is probably due to different causes. First of all the Danish exporters have exercised great care to keep up the quality and not permit any carelessness of packing or shipping to hurt their credit. It is said, also, that fodder has been better and more abundant. Great care is taken to keep the milking powers of the cows at their best.

Besides the fact that there was as abundance of fodder of all sorts and of excellent quality, during the winter and summer of 1897, it appears that 11,000,000 pounds of bran and 77,000,000 pounds of oil cake more than in 1896 were imported. In a word, superior feeding resulted in a great increase of production and export .- Western Rural.

Seed Wheat.

Too little care is taken in preparing the seed wheat for sowing. If farmers were as careful in selecting their seed wheat as they are in their seed corn, better results would follow in the quality and quantity of the grain raised.

At corn husking time care is taken to select the very best ears. Ears that are heavy, well filled out at the point and of a certain type. It is then put away early in a dry place so it will become "cured" out well before freezing weather comes. Before planting, the tips of the ears are shelled off to get rid of the small grains. Care is exercised all along the line in looking after the seed corn. Not all farmers are as particular as this, for many take their seed corn from the crib. But the most careless farmer looks after his seed corn better than he does the seed for any other crop. He don't go to the crib with a scoop shovel, but he gets up on the corn and digs and works a

long time to get the best ears. Now how about the seed wheat? He takes a scoop and goes to the general pile and scoops it up, and often if it is free enough from straws to work through the drill it is sown, just as it comes from the machine If it is run through the fanning mill it is done with an eye to removing the straw and not so much the small grains. Of course, the market screen is used in nearly all cases. Now this is a wrong way to do

A good way to secure seed is to take enough from the best part of the field and put it in the bottom of the mow or stack. Then by the time you get thrashed down to the seed wheat, the machine is free from all rye and foul stuff that might have come from a neighbor.

The wheat for seed should be run over the coarse screen very slowly and at the same time turning the mill "hard." By this way you will get pedigree seed; just the same as breeding animals from the best will get pedigree stock. A small or shrunken grain of wheat is a scrub grain, just as much as a runt pig is a scrub pig, and should be avoided as much in sowing as a scrub animal is in breeding.

A large healthy grain of wheat will bring a healthy stalk that will be more able to send out strong branches and cover the ground better for its own protection in winter. A strong stalk will stand more hardships than penalties for the person who permits weak one. Hence it is to our adthis disease to extend from his trees vantage to sow only the strongest, plumpest grain, I know men who

argue that shrunken wheat is the best to sow for the reason you can get more stalks with less bushels; while it is also true they get less bushels from more stalks when they come to thresh. I know that a careful selection of seed will improve your wheat in quantity and vield. And it will followed before beneficial results will

Conducted by R. F. Greene.

uation on this subject, and any commu-bearing on poultry will be received with and will be fully discussed in this Resting from Laying. If the hens have done good service do not sell them because they begin to moult and cease laying. Hens

cannot lay constantly, for there are periods when nature gives them a resting spell, and they must renew their plumage and get ready for fresh operations. Hens that are beginning to moult now will come into service late in the fall and make the best winter layers. It is always safer to hold on to the "tried and true" hens than to replace them as long as they do not fall off, and as some hens are good layers until they are five or six years old there will be no necessity for raising pullets until the egg supply begins to lessen. The season for poultry, is the whole year. When there are but few eggs to sell there can be early brollers raised, and there are also times when the unprofitable hens can be fattened. There is not a month in the year when the fowls cannot be made to return a profit from some source. The object in the keeping of poultry should be to always have something to sell. The egg basket can be filled and emptied many times in a year, and if

Small Breeds of Fowls.

or meat.

The small breeds-Leghorns, Hamburgs and Bantams-possess certain advantages which may not be generally noticed but which are worthy of consideration. .The first is the fact that fifteen Leghorns can be kept in a poultry house which will accommodate but ten Brahmas. This means more eggs for the space occupied, and as Leghorns and Hamburgs lay eggs nearly as large in size as those of the Brahmas, the best and most economical use of the space is with the smaller breeds. The Bantam hen seldom weighs a pound, yet she lays more weight of eggs than will a Brahma. In proportion to size of the hen and cost of food the Bantam surpasses all other breeds as egg producers. If a Brahma or Plymouth Rock hen lays in proportion to the size of the hens (in comparison with the Bantam), the eggs would be as large as those of the goose. This shows very favorably for the little Bantam, a dozen hens of which can be kept in an ordinary dry goods box, but the eggs would find no sale in market though valuable for home use. The small breeds are very active and cannot be kept in confinement unless by judicious management, but under certain circumstances they are more profitable than the larger breeds for the season that a small hen may be as prolific as a larger one, and will pay for herself as long as eggs are sold by the dozen.

Yards made of wire are cheap, easily put up, and very serviceable, but the lower portion of such fences should be of boards, at least two feet high, to serve as wind breaks in the winter season as well as to prevent picking each other by the males. A yard enclosed entirely by wire offers great exposure to the fowls in winter from cold winds .- P. H. Jacobs in American Gardening.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Review says: A war which brought no shrinkage of business while it lasted has brought with its ending a quite remarkable expansion. Orders and purchases have increased in nearly all branches, few as yet being of such nature that they can be attributed to the material enlargement of trade with the lately Spanish islands which must come a little later. The stock market has meanwhile advanced to the highest average for railroad stocks, \$62.51 per share on Wednesday, that has been known for over five years, and the profit-taking on Thursday did not lessen general belief in still higher prices to come. Though the average is higher by \$10 per share than when the war began. foreign exchange shows weakness London buying 45,000 shares on balance for the week, and there is prospect of further imports of gold in

payment for the great crops now going forward. The outlook is made still brighter by handsome earnings on important roads and increase of the dividend on Burlington & Quincy to 6 per cent,, not over 5. having been paid since 1887. The statement that western roads have agreed to maintain rates from Chicago and other western points has some value, because with business enough for all it will be easier to keep the agreement. It is worth noticing that the great systems which do not often report directly after the ending of a month, and whose returns usually lower the rate of increase comparing with past years, are at present raising that rate. The fuller returns for July make earnings 2.0 per cent. above 1892, though last week showed a decrease of 1.4 per cent., and partial returns for August though below those of 1892 by 4.6 per cent., exceed last year's by 5.5 per cent., and may yet

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This series of letters is the result of a personal visit to Mexico made by the writer early in 1898 as a special representative of the Michigan Republican Newspaper Association to investigate the monetary system of that

"Silver is the money of the common an account is kept with the fowls it eople, '' is an arbitrary statement many will be found that they will give a times made in connection with the adprofit at all seasons. Harvest with vocacy of the free coinage of silver in the poultry is every day and the fowls United States. "Copper is the money of the common people in Mexico," is a contribute to the capital by giving statement which can be more truly frequent returns in the form of eggs made relative to this country, where all the possibilities of free silver have unquestioned control. For as it is most convenient in the United States to conduct mercantile and business operations involving only small amounts in silver currency, so is it necessary in Mexico, by reason of the pitifully small wages paid and the poverty of the masses, to transact a large part of all trade with the so called common people in copper

centavos, worth less than one-half a cent in American money measurement. At all the markets patronized by the laboring people little portions of the few articles of provisions they can afford to buy are made up in quantities to be sold at 1 cent each, and they buy in this way one, two or three portions of lard, beans, peppers, potatoes, tomatoes, or as the pittances they possess will permit. Shelled corn is bought and sold by the quart, out of which the and crushed, and baked when mixed with water, and which with beans form their almost exclusive article of food. In the trade transactions of the laboring masses of Mexico it is seldom that a purchase is made that it is not computed and completed in their copper centa vos, the same meager measurement be ing applied to their earnings as to their spendings. If therefore it is desired by the advocates of free coinage in the United States to herald the results of their selected currency system, as shown by experience rather than by theory, they should be as further progressive as such conditions fully justify and seek added favor for their cause by proclaiming copper as the money of the common people, as it is in Mexico, the ideal home of the free coinage of silver.

In their efforts to create opposition to the present monetary standard of our country they include denunciation of banks and corporations and trusts and syndicates and monopolies, as if it were true that some principle inherent or pertaining to the free coinage of silver would prevent and provide against the evils they thus so fiercely portray. If there is any truth whatever in their assertions and assumptions, it should be made apparent in Mexico, where the system they seek has always prevailed and such virtues as it may possess have been given uninterrupted opportunity for experience in action and in effect. Careful investigation as to the facts in that direction, however, reveals a state of affairs in Mexico most decidedly the opposite of that which it has been boastfully a umed would accompany the free coinage of silver.

Banking In Mexico. The banking business of Mexico is principally conducted and controlled by two large government favored institutions, the Bank of London and Mexico and the National Bank of Mexico. The Mexican government issues neither government notes nor coin certificates, the function of issuing legal tender paper being delegated to the banks above named, the paper circulation of which is guaranteed by the government. There are state banks of issue as well, but they are not so favored, and their notes are accepted only at a discount, except perhaps in the immediate locality in which they are issued. These few favored banks are permitted to issue notes to three times the amount of their paid up capital, the only added requirement being that their deposits shall be equal to one-third of their notes issued. They are also permitted to loan money to the government at 6 per cent interest The Bank of London and Mexico is principally owned by English and German capitalists, and its capital stock is reported to be \$10,000,000. -The capital stock of the National Bank of Mexico is given at \$20,000,000. By reason of the privileges they possess these banks are enabled to show dividends upon even the enormous capital they proclaim of from 18 to 25 per cent. It is therefore not necessary to further suggest that there is nothing inherent in the free coinage of silver to prevent enormous profits for banks and bankers. On the contrary, the reduction of the currency of the country to a commodity the value of which persistently varies gives to banks and bankers in Mexico the opportunity which the strong always possesses over the weak where values are uncertain and loss or gain through such conditions thereby made possible. The free silver shrinkage in the value of its representative centavo in the hands of the toilers of Mexico has contributed to the princely profits of the foreign own-

ers of the Bank of London and Mexico. It may further interest the common people of the United States, who have been urged to believe that a free silver system carried with it some features of peculiar home favoring policy, to learn that the great profit earning franchises or concessions of Mexico are almost entirely owned and controlled by foreign capitalists. They buy the legal labor paying currency of the country at its depreciated market value, and through investments made and wages paid in this cheap currency foreign capital is given an inusual advantage of which it has not failed to fully possess itself. The street railway system of the City of Mexico is owned in London, and its business offices are conducted in England's metropolis. The electric light system of the city is the property of German capitalists. The Mexico and Vera

the property of Belgian sto elder the Mexican Central, the meta imp tant railway of the republic, is prip pally owned in Boston; the Mexican Cuernavaca and Pacific railway is ow ed in Denver, and of the other railroads of the republic, not all of which in Mexico equal the mileage of the single state of Kansas, the controlling stock is held in England, Germany or the United States. What an opportunity to make use of that sonorous sentence, 'Free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 without the aid or consent of any other nation on earth!" where the free and unlimited coinage of silver permits the reaping of profits by the capitalists of every other nation with the return of less than half for the possession of Mexico's natural resources and the service of Mexican labor, which the currency standard of the leading nations of the world would compel. The rich resources of the mineral mountains and tropical valleys of

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Mexico, which should be made to contribute so far as possible to the well being and well doing of the natives and citizens of the republic, who are expected to maintain its government and defend its flag, are through the always connected possibilities of "Mexican silver and cheap labor" placed at the disposal of the alien and the foreigner for return so inadequate as to insure the perpetuation of the poverty and misery which are the only free possessions of the common people of Mexico. Mexican Dollars as Merchandise. In some respects the gold standard is in as practical operation in Mexico

today as in any country in the world. All investment inducements state promised profits in gold, the earnings of all important industries are discussed in terms of gold value, merchants seek to make their prices alluring by quoting the lower price on a gold basis, and hotel keepers accompany information as to their rates by reference to the fact that it is a certain amount in Mexican silver, which they tell you is only so much in American money or gold. The purchase and sale of Mexican dollars are carried on in little shops, as is the sale of railroad transportation in the ticket scalpers' quarters of the larger cities of our own country, and like the ticket scalper the dealers in Mexican dollars make large profits in handling the so called money, because of its variable and uncertain value. The value of the Mexican dollar is given day by day in the daily newspapers of the republic, as the value of iron and coal and variations in the quotations of the former are as frequent and as comparatively wide as in the case of the latter, but the man who toils in the mines or at the smelter hears nothing and knows nothing of the existence of any money in Mexico save the cheap silver, even though the corporation for which he toils receives its returns in gold and adjusts its business to that basis. The laborers in the fields the artisans in the shops, the deft fingered weavers at the looms and in the homes, and he who from daylight to dark upon the streets and highways of the republic bears burdens upon his back that a horse would soon tire with -all these, laborers, farmers and mechanics, are the free silver servants of the subsidized corporations and importers who receive their returns in gold. There is no cheap silver in Mexico for the workingmen or their families. They give the constant labor of their lives for a few coins, now so shrunken in value as to barely prevent starvation. in order that Mexico may be proclaimed as the unique possessor of prosperity through its twin blessings of free silver

and cheap labor. Subsidized Corporations. I have referred above to "subsidized corporations." and in order that it may not be assumed that I am merely deal ing in phrases to create prejudice it should be explained that Mexico has paid and is paying liberal subsidies to the railroads, manufacturing plants, breweries and almost every other desirable or undesirable industry, as individuals may view them. Even the boast of cheap labor, rich and undeveloped resources and the assumed blessings of free coinage of silver were not sufficient to prevent the annual payment from the Mexican treasury in some recent years of as much as one-fourth of its entire customs receipts to but four railroads alone, and the fact that many other railroad charters have been issued with accompanying generous subsidies in addition to the government gifts lavishly bestowed for various other purposes leaves it not a matter of surprise that in addition to issuing bonds to the amount of nearly \$30,000,000 for the payment of railroad subsidies as was done in 1890. Mexico has been compelled to adopt and maintain a system of taxation probably the most excessive of any nation in existence when compared with valuations involved and the amount of business transacted. Relative to the bonds above mentioned, it should also be said that they were sold at a discount of 111/4 per cent, bearing 6 per cent interest, and were guaranteed by 12 per cent of the customs receipts. In addition to the subsidies granted the corporate and individual interests so favored have their federal taxes remitted for the term of years covered by their

There is no other country on the globe in which corporations are so favored and monopolies so dominant as in Mexico. In view of these facts the pretense that the free coinage of silver is a system necessarily favorabit to the interests of the common people as gainst corporations and monopoly is surely an indulgence in extravagant and cruel irony.

PERRY F. POWERS.

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Riverside Camp Meeting.

The meeting is progressing finely and with great interest. The three sermons delivered by Bishop Breyfogel on last Sabbath were an inspiration and were very highly appreciated by the people. The speakers over the coming Sabbath are Rev. Joshua Gill of New England and Rev. Geo. Johnson of Naperville, Ills. The number of tents and tenters is the largest in the history of the association. Long live Riverside Camp.

We have just received the annual announcement of the Veterinary De- | and started on our long march. Durpartment of the Detroit College of | ing the first day the thermometer Medicine. On reviewing it, we are reached 104 degrees, and out of the pleased to note the thorough course 24,000 men in line, 3,100 fell out and of instruction which is given in the the rest were good and tired when various branches of Veterinary Sci- | we reached Burke station, sixteen ence and especially commend the miles from Camp Alger. We laid daily provision which is made for over at that point one day, and all the practical application of the sub- | we had to eat that day was six hard jects in the different class-rooms. We | tacks, and we got nothing more uncan supply catalogues to those who desire to enquire further into the details of the workings of this institution, as a number of extra copies have been sent for our distribution. The college year begins on Tucsday, The camp of the 33d was on the

* * * The Democrats Nominate. The County Convention of the Democratic party was held Monday

at Berrien Springs. The following is the list of men who will lead the forlorn hope this year. For sheriff-Fred Collins, Benton

For Clerk-M, Webber, St. Joseph. For Register of Deeds-L. H. Kempton, Weesaw. For Treasurer-James M. Babcock

For Circuit Court Commissioners-David Bacon, Niles; John C. Coveny, For Coroners-G. L. Freemyer, Ben-

ton Harbor; J. Kreigher, St. Joseph. The convention endorsed the candidacy of Roman I. Jarvis for Congress, and then adjourned. It is estimated that this ticket will be about | On the following day the 33d was as badly defeated this year as any put out on post duty, so there was ticket ever put up.

A Cool Thief.

esidence -- Frent St. opp. Presbyterion church . his store, Friday morning, he did not, at first, notice anything unusual, but as he proceeded with his work he noticed that something was amiss, and that two large panes of glass were broken in at the rear of the store. Upon investigation he found that someone had deliberately fitted himself out with an entire new suit, shoes, hat and underwear, at Mr. Morris' expense. The thief was real obliging, for he left the box from which he took the shoes and also the tag from the coat, in order to let Mr. Morris' know what he had taken. The shoes were size 104, the hat 74 and the coat 40, and the underwear hoxes had been overhauled to get just the right size and kind of underwear to suit his fastidious taste.

Deputy Sheriff Jno. C. Wenger at once took charge of the case, and is busily engaged in running down the various clews to the thief or thieves.

A Pretty Home Wedding. On Wednesday evening, August 17, Oscar L. Wright and Harriett E. Davis were joined in wedlock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis. Only the immediate relatives, numbering about 25 were present.

At 7:45 the appointed hour, all the guests having assembled in the parlor, Mrs. Bennett rendered the wedding march, by which the couple entered and took positions under beautiful decorations of vines at one side of the room. A simple and most impressive ceremony was performed by Rev. Bennett.

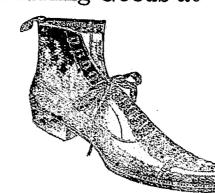
The bride looked very pretty attired in a light tan gown with silk and chiffon trimmings. Both the bride and groom wore beautiful bouquets of white chrysanthemums.

After hearty congratulations the guests repaired to the dining room and partook of a beautiful wedding supper. A number of useful and valuable

gifts were bestowed upon the happy pair as tokens of high esteem. Several well rendered solos by Rev. Bennett added much to the evening's enjoyment. Shortly after ten the guests departed feeling that great credit was due Mr. and Mrs. Davis for the hospitable manner in which they had been entertained .- Three Oaks Press.

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In Camp and On the March. CAMP, NEAR THOROUGHFARE GAP,)

Aug. 13, 1898. DEAR EDITOR:-I will write you a letter, this time, and give you a detailed account of our experience as U. S. Volunteer soldiers on a long of the garden."-Demorest's Monthly.

At 9:30 p. m. on Monday, Aug. 1, we all turned in for a good sleep, and the entire camp (this was Camp Alger) was snoring so loud that Jim and I thought it was the Modern Woodman Band of Buchanan at practice when, at 11:30, an orderly from headquarters came into camp with the orders to break camp at 3 o'clock in the morning for a long march to the mountains. The camp at Alger was getting so unhealthy that the war department decided to move the

We fell into line at 5:30 a. m., Aug. 2, in heavy marching order ready to start. When a soldier is equipped in heavy marching order, he has a rifle belt and side arms, a sack filled with his mess-kit, and provisions (if he has any) for the march, a canteen of water or coffee, a knapsack in which he carries his clothing and woolen blanket, and then he does his pup tent and poncha, or rubber blanket, in a roll and fastens it to the top of his knapsack, the whole outfit weiging about sixty-five nounds.

The column formed at 5:45 a. m., at 5:30 on the morning of Aug. 4, for a thirteen-mile march to the old battle field of Bull Run, where the second battle of Bull Run was fought. ground where the Ohio Reg. made their charge in that battle. The old breast works are still plainly visible. This day the boys went without anything to eat, so as soon as we got our tents pitched the boys went foraging and when they got back to camp you could smell fresh beef and pork and all kinds of fowl that the boys were cooking. Jim and I got two turkeys and one chicken, beside a lot of corn and potatoes. To make matters worse it rained every night that we were on the march. We would go into camp, put up our pup tent,, then get a lot of fence rails, and straw from neighboring stacks for our beds, and then dig a ditch around our tents with

On Aug. 7, we left Bull Run for Manussas, a distance of fourteen miles. no sleep for the boys for that 24 hours. It was still raining continuously which, of course, was very When Mr. John Morris opened up | pleasant for the boys. On the 9th we broke camp and started for our present camp, a distance of twenty miles. The road was one continuous up-bill, and it started to rain shortly after we left camp, and it never stopped once during the day. By noon the road was almost impassable. We were the rear guard, and after the entire army of 24,000 men had marched through that wet, red Virginia day, you can imagine what the roads were like. We were walking in mud up to our knees and going up-hill with our load on our backs, and the worst of it was they would not let us rest long enough to eat what little we had with us. I tell you it goes pretty hard to get up and start off again, just after you commence to eat a hard tack. In the last day's march there was not one boy in the 33d that fell out; every man came into camp with his company. We have the reputation of being the best walkers it the Division.

our bayonets, which is no small task.

Our camp is up in the Blue Ridge mountains, 4,500 feet above sea level. Our orders are to stay here one week. and then we start on a march of 156 miles, to Middletown, Pa., where our next camp will be. From there we go to Montauk Pt., L. I., where we will join our old regiment. It spite of all the hardships of the last ten days, the boys are all in good spirits and, best of all, in good health. We are in the 2d Division of the 2d Army Corps. and are under the command of Major General Davis, a man whom all the boys like. The American To: bacco Co. made every man in camp a present of a 1 lb. plug of Battle Axe, a pack of Dukes Mixture Smoking,

and a good briar pipe. Our Captain, whose name is Fred Griesel, from Saginaw, Mich., is going to take the boys up the mountains. so I will close in order to go with him. Hoping to hear from the folks at home, I remain yours truly,

WM. O. STRAUSER, and his pard Jim.

Letters unclaimed remaining in the P. O. at Buchanan, for week ending Aug. 22. Call for advertised letters. Miss Lillie Brandon, Miss Rosey Camp, Mrs. Jennie Wells, Mrs. L. Brown, Mr. J. P. Morley, Mr. George W. Hess, Mr. Geo. Curtis, A. F. Swanson. GEO. W. NOBLE, P.M.

Just a Mistake. Little Edith, a fresh-air-fund girl, while taking her first walk in the country, noticed a brilliant bufterfly alight on the ground before her. "Isn't it too bad," she exclaimed, quickly,

"that somebody's sweet pea flower got

broken off and blown so far away out

Sad Case. First Doctor-Well, I've lost old Yellowboys! Second Doctor-You didn't expect him to recover, did you? First Doctor-No; but I didn't think he'd die.-Puck.

Not Pleasant.

"Did you take that bouquet to Miss Lardi? "Yus, sir." "What did she say?" "She said as how a fool and his money is soon parted, sir."-Ally

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Mr. George E, Graham and Mr. W. A. M. Goode will contribute to McClure's Magazine for September. accounts of the destruction of Admiral Cervera's Fleet as witnessed by themselves from Commodore Schley's flagship, the "Brooklyn and Admiral Sampson's flagship, the "New York." They represented the Associated Press, and were the only correspondents aboard the American ships at the time of the battle with Cervera. The articles will be very fully illustrated, largely from photographs of the actual scene, taken by the authors. The illustrations will comprise portraits of all the commanders. Spanish as well as the Americans; pictures of all the ships; views and diagrams of the battle in its successive stages; and views of the wrecks of the Spanish ships taken soon after the battle closed.

* * * The Omaha Exposition.

When the World's Fair at Chicago ceesed to exist, it was supposed that we should ne'er look upon its like again. However, the Trsns-Mississippi Exposition at Omaha has effectively reproduced in similarity all of the buildings which made the White City so attractive in 1893.

It does not now take weeks to wander through grounds and structures and then be compelled to go away with a jumble of ideas, for the Omaha Exposition people have profited by past experience, and have so improved the arrangement of exhibits that no more than two or three days of time need be consumed in admration and inspection of the marvelous resources of the West, collected together in the chief city of Nebraska. Even the new Midway, is a repro-

duction of the far-famed Street of All Nations of 1893, with many improvements upon the original. The electric lighting of the buildings, grounds and lagoon at night makes a scene of enchanting beauty, alone worth traveling a thousand

miles to see. The means of communcation between the city and the grounds are ample, and the distance to be trav-

ersed is short. The ways of reaching Omaha are innumerable, but chief among them is the direct Chicago and Omaha short line of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, with its electric light-ed, vestibuled trains, leaving Chicago every night at 6:15 p. m., and arriving Omaha at 8:20 the next morn-

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Chapter I. — Fannie McLane, a young widow, is invited to visit the Graftons at Fort Sedgwick. Her sister tries to dissuade her, as Randolph Merriam (whom she had jilted for old McLane) and his bride are stationed there.

Chapter II Chapter II.—Fannie McLane's wedding causes family feeling. A few months late she, while traveling with her husband meets Merriam, on his wedding trip. Chapter III.—Some time previous to this Merriam had gone on a government survey, fallen ill, and had been nursed by Mrs. Tremaine and daughter Florence. A hasty note from Mrs. McLane's stepson takes him to the plains.

chapter IV.—Young McLane dictates to Merriam a dying message, which is sent to Parry (a young Chicago lawyer and brother-in-law of Mrs. McLane). Reply causes Merriam to swoon. He is taken to Tremaine; calls for Florence. Chapter V Engagement of Florence Tremaine to Merriam is announced; wed-ding shortly follows. y shot in San Francisco. Merriam is greatly excited when he reads account in papers. While still in mourning Mrs. McLane prepares to visit Fort Sedgwick.

Chapter VII.—Mrs. McLane arrives at the fort. Merriam is startled at the news, and he and his wife absent themselves from the formal hop that evening. Chapter VIII.—Mr. and Mrs. Merriam pay their respects to the widow on an evening when she would be sure to have many other callers. When the call is returned Merriam is away, and his wife pleads illness as excuse for not seeing her. Mrs. McLane receives a telegram and faints Chapter IX.—Mrs. McLane desires to see Merriam. Grafton persuades him to go, but the widow postpones the meeting till

Chapter X.—Florence learns Merriam has been to see Mrs. McLane, and in a storm of passion will not allow him to explain. Shortly after Merriam is intercepted by Fannie McLane as he is passing through Grafton's yard. Florence witnesses the meeting, which she supposes has been prearranged. Chapter XI.—Mrs. McLane begs Merriam for papers given him by his stepson, but which he tells her were all forwarded to Parry. Merriam is seriously wounded in fight with preserts. Parry. Merriam is fight with greasers.

Chapter XII.—Florence, in her deep disappointment, leaves her home in the night Chapter XIII.—Three personal telegraph messages come for Merriam from Parry. Latter is notified of Merriam's mishap miles from post. A dispatch from her law-yer on his way to the fort, together with account of serious injuries to Merriam, causes Mrs. McLane to faint.

Chapter XIV.—Merriam is brought in in the ambulance, inquires for Florence, but gets only an evasive answer, doctor fearing news of her flight may prove fatal to him.

him.

Chapter XV.—During absence of hospital attendant Mrs. McLane steals in on Merriam, hoping to get from him some papers or information: tells him of his wife's disappearance. Randy staggers out to the stable, and is shortly galloping madly off over the mesa. Mrs. McLane breaks down, tells of dying message of her stepson to effect that the first Mrs. McLane was alive at time of her (Fannle's) marriage, and of the blackmail and extortion practiced on McLane by his first wife and her family. Report comes that Florence has fallen into hands of Apaches.

And if that night was one of dread and dejection at the ranch, what must it have been to Merriam, reeling and well-nigh exhausted, yet riding grimly, desperately forward through the long hours, searching vainly, vainly under the wan moonlight, even along into the pallid dawn, for that little cleft in the foothills Floy had named "Mon Abri." Faint and shimmering the daybeams came at last, and then, and not until then, Murdock, a faithful trooper, now riding by his lieutenant's side and supporting him with his arm, turned to his comrade, who, dismounted, was striving with the aid of a match or two te study some hoof-prints they had

und in the soft surface. "Jimmy," he pered, "there's something moving that ridge yonder—coming this

and though soft the whisper it caught poor Randy's drowsy ear, and he strove to straighten up in saddle. "What? Where?" he faintly asked. "Yonder, sir, not half a mile away. It's some of our fellows, or I'm a duffer.

Yell to 'em, Jimmy." And obedient to the word Jimmy yelled. Over the rolling surface the soldier's voice went ringing through the dawn, and eclfo sent it clattering back from the buttes and bowlders to the west. "This way, you fellers!—this way!" he cried, and then, mounting, clapped spurs to his pony and sputtered away down the intervening swale. Ten minutes later Randy Merriam

was lying on the ground in a swoon, and George Grafton, with grave, sad face, well-nigh as haggard as the lieutenant's, was bending over him and striving to force some brandy down his throat. Following "for all they were worth" the Apache trail, they had overbauled the supposed marauders not 20 miles back in the foothills-a pacific hunting-party, provided with the agency pass and safeguard, and culpable only in that they had come too far and had picked up on the plains an American horse, abandoned at sight of them by some Mexicans who galloped far away; and that American horse, minus saddle and bridle, was Floy's pretty bay mare. Mignon. Then where in heaven's name was

It was some minutes before Merriam revived. Then he strove to stagger to his feet, but fell helplessly back. It was nearly broad daylight, but the sun was still below the distant Guadaloupe. Gathering his feeble energies, Randy strove to describe the little cove and to implore Grafton to bear him thither. and was interrupted by an eager sergeant, who said: "We passed just such a brook; sir, not a mile back. Shall I take half-a-dozen men and follow it

"Yes, at once," said Grafton, "and I'll go, too. Stay here, Randy." Indeed, the caution was not needed, for Merriam was past moving now, poor fellow, and his head sank helplessly back upon the soldier's supporting arm. And then they rode away, Grafton and half-adezen of his men, with Mignon, leg weary and reluctant, trailing behind. And meantime the troop dismounted and set about making coffee, while one orderly rode back on the trail to summon Dr. Gould, jogging wearily a mile behind. And presently the doctor came and knelt by Randy's side and scolded through his set teeth, even while he skillfully stripped away the hunting-shirt and so reached the shat-

Then came the glorious sunshine streaming over the Guadaloupe and gilding the westward Mescalero, and then far out among the buttes, one-two-three, at regular intervals, the ringing, echoing signals of the cavalry carbine; and rough-garbed troopers sprang to their feet and shouted loud. and clapped ball cartridge into the brown bellies of their guns, and fired unlicensed salvos into the air, and danced and swung their hats, and drew coarse flannel shirt-sleeves across their blinking eyes-all at Sergt. Rogan's fubilant cry: "My God, boys, they've found her!"

Found her they had, indeed, curled up like a child, wrapped in her own pet Navajo blanket, sleeping the sleep of utter exhaustion, and waking only to burst into tears of relief and joy at sight of Grafton's radiant yet haggard face; then roused to instant action by the tidings he bore and gently, but reproachfully, told her-that, though sorely wounded and well-nigh exhausted, it was Randy who guided the rescuers to her, and who now lay prostrate and unconscious barely a mile away. Then she could hardly wait for them to saddle Mignon-could hardly erge her laboring favorite fast enough to match her mad impatience. It was

the radiant sun was nearly an hour high did their patient seem to respond to stimulant or caress; but at last, to her wild joy, he opened his eyes a little moment, looked up in her face, whispered: "Florence - sweetheart," and then seemed to drop away into resistless slumber. "A pretty time we had," said Gould, getting that pair of spoons back to Jose's!" It was an all-day's job, between waiting for the ambulance and then finding an easy road for it. But has been eliminated from the managethere at Jose's were "the spoons" conment, and an American basis of edudemned to stay four days and nights, at least, while the rest of Sedgwick's scouting parties drifted back to the post, and there presumably Florence

something in Randy's conduct to undermine the faith of such an unusual girl as his Brownie. But he did not say soit would have done no good.

And her story was very simple. Neardle-pouch, and only then discovered have grass and water. What more could army girl ask in that warm and rainless region? Before sunset she had found picketed Mignon, and later moved her farther down stream for fresh grass, and, then, wearied, she herself slept for hours; and when she awoke and would have pushed on to the cantonment, lo! Mignon was gone. Florence had heard She could only sit and brood and think, and then, as the long, long day—the second day-drew to its close, pray heaven for Randy's coming. There,

more surely than anywhere else, if he loved her, his love would lead him. What days of jubilee there were at Sedewick when at last Randy was convalescent enough to be moved, and the ambulance brought him back through the same old hole in the fence, Florence scated by his side. Another patient was out on a piazza farther down the row, taking the sweet fresh air and listening languidly to the purring of Minturn, who still worshiped at the shrine deserted by Whittaker. Undeniably sallow looked the Widow Mo-Lane, and her eyes gazed but languidly at the joyous little cortege entering the westward end of the road. Capt. and Mrs. Grafton, the Haynes, and other sympathizing friends had flocked thither to welcome the fugitives, and so it happened that there was no one at home but Mrs. McLane and a much perturbed young battery officer to greet two somewhat dusty civilians. who had just driven out from the junction, and now slowly ascended the Grafton's steps. One - Mr. Parrycame jauntily forward. The other-a

mutton-chop whiskered, plethoriclooking party-hung reverentially back, as though waiting permission to venture into the presence of a queen. With swift, anxious, imploring glance the invalid searched the impassive features of her exasperating brother-inlaw and read no hope; but even from the depth of her despond sprang something of her old-time coquetry as she languidly lay back in the easy-chair and extended a slender, bejeweled hand to the adoring Swinburne. The batteryman bowed stiffly and pulled at his mustache in recognition of this new ar rival, and Ned Parry almost audibly chuckled his enjoyment of the situation. Then stable call sounded and drew the warrior away and left the field in the hands of the civilian, and ently he was patting Randy on the back declaring she must go and order more dinner, whereat Parry followed

"More than that," said Parry, with a comical grin. "More than Fan deserves by a good deal—I've brought the fellow dinner—give him ten minutes."

know," said she, with womanly eager-

proofs. She owes her deliverance to

"Then it was as you thought—as you told Capt. Grafton?" "Certainly. Mrs. McLane No. 1 died two months after she got her \$25,000, but the family couldn't afford to lose so fruitful a member. They had read and written each others' letters from childhood. Either surviving sister could write just as well as the youngest. They planned the game; they fcoled McLane completely, and they as completely deceived poor young Jack, She only reputable connection they had. Fan's all right now, thanks to Swinburne. Let him be happy for ten minutes-she'll make him miserable the rest of his life. Let's go back and look at a picture of absolute bliss-Floy Merriam's face. Isn't she an ideal army

A Colonel Dead.

St. Louis, Aug. 25.—Col. C. B. Mc-Lellan, formerly colonel of the Tenth United States cavalry, but retired five years ago, died at his residence in this city of rheumatism of the heart, aged 69 years. The colonel was well known in the army and had a son in the battle

SOLDIER LIFE ENDED

List of Volunteer Regiments to Be Mustered Out at Once.

ORDERS FROM THE WAR DEPARTMENT

Santingo Schools to Open-Saloons Closed at Ponce-Gen. Miles Waiting for His Wife-Fighting Reported in Cuba.

Washington, Aug. 25.—Orders have been issued for the mustering out of the following regiments: First Vermont, First Maine, Fifty-second Iowa, Sixth Pennsylvania, Fifth Maryland, Second New York, Second Nebraska, One Hundred and Fifty-seventh Indiana, all volunteer infantry; also batteries A, B, C and D, of Ohio light artillery; First Illinois, volunteer cavalry; batteries A and B, C and D, of Ohio light artillery; First Illinois, volunteer cavalry; batteries A and B Georgia light artillery, Twenty-eighth Indiana light battery and the New York and Pennsylvania cavalry troops now in Puerto Rico. Other orders to master out troops will be announced as soon as definite decisions are reached. The Provice Place decisions are reached. The Puerto Rican cavalry mustered out are troops A and C

of New York; the Philadelphia city troop, Sheridan troop and the governor's troop of Pennsylvania. Santiago Public Schools. Santiago de Cuba, Aug. 25.—The conference between Gen. Wood, military governor of Santiago, and the local authorities with reference to opening the public schools, has resulted satisfactorily, and places will be ready for 4,000 children on September 15. The salaries of the school commissioners have been fixed at somewhat reduced figures; the element of sectarianism

cation has been proposed. Saloons Closed Ponce, Puerto Rico, Aug. 25.—Gen. James H. Wilson has assumed control of the district of Ponce and has ordered that all saloons shall be closed told him how wicked-wicked | for three days, with a view to quieting she had been, and how penitent she was the existing disorders. They will be opened subsequently under special regulations. Gen. Grant has estab-

lished his headquarters here. Awaits Mrs. Miles. Ponce. Puerto Rico, Aug. 23 (delayed in transmission).—A cable message announcing that Mrs. Miles, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Col. Rice, sailed for Ponce on the United States transport Odam from Charleston last Saturday will delay the departure of Gen. Miles and his staff possibly several days.

Fighting in Cuba. London, Aug. 25 .- According to a dispatch from Madrid to a local news agency there has been serious fighting between the Spaniards and insurgents in Cuba in which the insurgents lost 500 killed and wounded.

Denied by Government. . Madrid, Aug. 25.—The government definitely denies that it has sent an order to Gen. Blanco instructing him to resume hostilities against the insurgents.

Took His Chances. Ponce, Puerto Rico, Aug. 25.-The coasting schooner Dolores, flying the Spanish flag, entered the harbor. Her captain was uncertain whether a state of peace or war existed, but decided to take his chances. The Dolores was not

Congratulate the President. Denver, Col., Ang. 25.-At Wednesday's session of the American Bankers association the following telegram was

sent to President McKinley: "The bankers' association, in its Twenty-fourth annual convention assembled at Denver, Col., representing banks of every state and territory, begs most heartily to congratulate the president of our beloved republic upon the successful conduct of the war and the brilliant achievements of our army and navy, and the prospect of

Guilty of Murder. Lancaster, Pa., Aug. 25.—The trial of Ralph W. Wirback for the murder of David B. Landis ended with a verdict of murder in the first degree. Wirback, who was a manufacturer of patent medicines, killed Landis, who was president of the Conestoga national bank, on April 7.

Publishers in Trouble. New York, Aug. 25.-Justice Mc-Adam, of the supreme court, has appointed William Rose receiver of the assets and property of Brentanos, publishers and booksellers of this city, Paris, Chicago and Washington, on a suit brought by Simon Brentano against his partners.

Turns Against Autonomists. Madrid, Aug. 25.—A report has been received from Capt. Gen. Blanco in which he suggests the suppression of the Cuban autonomous government on the ground that it is useless pending the negotiations for the evacuation of the island, while at the same time it is very expensive.

Pope Thanks the President. Rome, Aug. 25.—Cardinal Rampolla, the pope's secretary of state, has telegraphed Archbishop Ireland to call on President McKinley and thank him for his declaration concerning the Catho-

lic religion in the territories captured by the United States. Died on the Voyage. La Coruna, Spain, Aug. 25.-The

Spanish Trans-Atlantic line steamship Alicante arrived here from Santiago with 1,000 Spanish officers and sailors on board. Sixty men died on

Want to Keep the Island. New York, Aug. 25.—A petition sligned by many merchants and machine to facturers of New York was sent to President McKinley asking that the F'hilippines be retained.

· Three Hundred Drowned. London, Ang. 25.—A dispatch from Vienna says that 300 miners were drowned by the flooding of the Kasimir coal mine at Nience, near Schno-

SERVICES RECOGNIZED.

The Naval War Board Receives the Thanks of Secretary Long for Services Rendered.

Washington, Aug. 25.—The navy department gave out the following letter addressed by Secretary Long to the president of the war board, in recogmition of its services: "Hingham, Mass., Aug. 21, 1898,-My Dear

Admiral Sicard: In view of the practical ending of the war with Spain, and the wellearned relief from further duty to which the naval war board is now entitled, I geannot, though absent from the department, forbear to express to you, and through you to your associates on the board, Commodore Crowninshield and Capt. Mahan (retired), the very high appreciation which the department has of the services it has rendered since the war ibegan. That its members have been faithful and diligent in the highest measure goes without saying. But from my personal knowledge and observation, I desire to add commendation for the comprehensive forethought and the unfailing competency to meet every exigency which have distinguished their deliberations and action. May it not be said that not one error has been made? Proper control by the department has been exercised over all movements in the field, and yet at the same time commanding officers have been duly left to exercise discretion, and have never been hampered in their work. I do not know how your work, as member of that important board, could have been better done, or where in the arena of the war you could have rendered better service or

deserved more honor. Very truly yours, "JOHN D. LONG, "Secretary of the Navy." THE CUBAN FORCES.

Efforts Being Made for Their Disbundment and Acquiescence in United States Policy. Washington, Aug 25. The repre-

sentatives of the Cubans in the United

secure the disbandment of the Cuban forces and acquiescence in the policy of the United States in Cuba. Letters are being sent and arguments made to the Cuban leaders pointing out that

the interests of the Cubans lie in cooperation with the United States authorities. Little or no information has been received as to what effect these representations will have upon the leaders in Cuba, but it is believed that amicable relations can be brought about when the Cubans are persuaded that it is to their interest to accept the situation as the protocol leaves it.

Instructions Completed. September.

Bar Users of Tobacco. Columbus, O., Aug. 25.—The Ohio conference of the Christian church, in any form."

expert safe blower, is under arrat here, charged with robbing the Bank of Richland, Mich., on August 5. of \$52,500 in cash and negotiable notes. Has His Commission.

partment upon his arrival. Gen. Rios at the Head. Madrid, Aug. 25.-Premier Sagasta asserts that Gen. Jaudenes, being a prisoner of war, Gen. Rios, governor of the Vizcayas, is now governor-gen-

A Destructive Storm. Utica, N. Y., Aug. 25.—As the result of a furious storm which swept over the region north of this city, over \$300,000 worth of damage was done to property.

Killed by Lightning. Wilkesbarre, Pa., Aug. 25.-Golbert B. Curry, state secretary of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, was struck by lightning and instantly killed at

Kills Father and Son. Chillicothe, O., Aug. 25.—A double fatality has wrecked the home of John Collett, a vicious horse having killed both father and son.

CURRENT EVENTS.

Japan will place a direct line of steamers between Yokohama and San Diego,

The queen regent has signed the royal de-cree convening the Spanish cortes Septem-

Mrs. Catherine Rice celebrated her one hundred and first birthday at Mount Mor-ris, Ill.

The United Typothetae of America convened in twelfth annual meeting in Milwaukee. The he ton from New York. The president has apppe Finney to be assistant United States treas-

States treasury on Wednesday was \$250,-935,814; gold reserve, \$206,375,049. Superintendent Andrews, of the Chicago public schools, considers it essential to teach the Spanish language in the schools. A terrible windstorm visited Syracuse, N.

been systematically and regularly robbed for the last two months of thousands of dollars

Capt. Alfred Bishop, retired ship master. aged 59 years, and Miss Josie Styles, aged 18, were killed by a railroad train at Dorchester, N. B.

Illinois district. pastor of the church

sen, privates of the Seventy-first New York volunteers, were killed while skylarking on a train near Westbury, L. I. At the final session in Milwaukee of the Central Union of Catholic Young Men's Societies Rev. Henry J. Hagen, of Belle-ville, Ill., was elected president. Mrs. C. E. Malkemaus, of Jacksonville, Cal., sacrificed her life to save her three children from death in a fire started by the accidental upsetting of a lamp. There are about 400 cases of sickness-typhoid fever, malaria, etc.-under treatment at the military post at Fort Myer, opposite Washington, in Virginia.

apolis of the Mississippi Valley Lumber-men's association the price list of lumber was thoroughly revised and an average increase of five per cent. made. Albert Swanson, of Chicago, and Joseph Bolton, of St. Louis, narrowly escaped death from starvation in Alaska. They

Supplies Furnished. tributed foods, medicines and general supplies to the poor and suffering Cu-

tributions and \$146,587 in supplies. Railroad Bridge Accident. Carlinville, Ill., Aug. 25. — While painting the railroad bridge over Apple creek near Berdan the swinging trestle gave way, precipitating Frank Owens, of Carlinville, Lee Darnell and Emmett Mills a distance of 50 feet. Mills struck a pile and was instantly killed. The others fell into the creek and escaped with minor bruises, but

Darnell lost his reason from the shock. Lightning Strikes a Car. Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 25.—During a heavy thunderstorm lightning struck a car on the Second avenue traction line and as a result B. S. Fear, a wellknown business man, was killed, a woman will probably die and four

Atlanta City, N. J., Aug. 25.—In boat 13 feet long, provisioned with canned goods and vichy, Capt. William Andrews sailed from Young's ocean pier Wednesday for a trip to Europe. This will be his fifth similar voyage across the Atlantic.

Seguranca sailed for Santiago. Among her passengers is Lieut. Richmond P. Hobson, who is going to try his rubber bag scheme for raising two of the sunken vessels of Cervera's squadron. Line of Transports. Washington, Aug. 25.—Assistant Sec-

retary Meiklejohn, of the war depart-

ment, is contemplating the establishment of a line of transports from New York to Havana, Santiago, Ponce and return. It is expected that the line will be ready for operation next week. Complimentary Banquet. St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 25. Senator James K. Jones, of Arkansas, chairman of the democratic national com-

READY TO GIVE UP.

Insurgents at Manila Willing to Lay Down Their Arms.

BUT AMERICANS MUST NOT WITHDRAW

Gen. Merritt Assumes the Duties of Ruler of the Philippine Islands -Money Ready to Pay the Troops.

Manila, Philippine Islands, Aug. 25.— At a conference between the insurgents and the Americans the former leclared emphatically that they were willing to co-operate with the Americans and to surrender their arms promptly if assured that the islands would remain either an American or a British colony, or under a protectorate of the United States or Great Britain. Otherwise, the insurgent leader asserted, they would not dare disarm, but must positively refuse to do so. They threaten a fresh rebellion within a month if the Americans withdraw.

Wants Medical Supplies Rushed. San Francisco, Aug. 25.—Dr. Middleton, chief surgeon of the department of California, has received a letter from Chief Surgeon Lippincott, under Gen. Merritt, requesting that the forwarding of extra medical and surgical supplies for the Philippine troops be expedited as much as possible. This request has been wired to the war department at Washington. Merritt Is Governor.

San Francisco, Aug. 25 .- A special from Manila of August 23 says: Gen. Merritt has assumed the governor's duties and transferred the command

cf the Eighth corps to Maj. Gen. Otis. Brig. Gen. H. G. Otis, of California; has been ordered to report to Gen. Anderson, and Gen. MacArthur has been assigned to command the Second division. Col. Ovenshine, of the Third regulars, will command the brigade in place of Gen. MacArthur.

Gold Going to Manila. San Francisco, Aug. 25.—About \$1, 060,000, mostly in gold and silver coin, will be carried to Manila on the Scandia for the payment of the United States troops in the Philippines. The coin will be guarded by a detachment of soldiers.

Will Promote Officers. Washington, Aug. 25 .- The president has called upon Gen. Merritt, commanding the military forces at Manila, for his recommendations regarding the operations that resulted in the surrender of the capital of the Philippines. It is the president's purpose to promote the officers who rendered conspicuously meritorious services in the land fighting at Manila, just as was done in the case of the gallant officers at Santiago. Transports Reach Manila.

Manila, Aug. 25.—The transports Rio Janeiro and Pennsylvania have arrived here. Their voyage was uneventful. There was very little sickness among the troops on board and no deaths. The transport St. Paul has not yet been sighted. Captured Spanish Arms.

Washington, Aug. 25.-Gen. Flagler, chief of the ordnance bureau, has received further reports from the o cers in charge of the captured Spanish arms at Santiago. They show that the number taken will be about 25,000, with 'several million" rounds of ammuni

Reported Killed. Saratoga, N. Y., Aug. 25.—According to a report which reached here C. P. Huntington, the railway magnate, was shot and killed at his camp, known as Pine Knot, on Raquette lake, in the Adirondacks. Wires all down, owing to storms, and the report cannot be Oklahoma Republicans.

El Reno, O. T., Aug. 25.-Ex-Delegate Dennis Flynn was nominated for territorial delegate to congress by the republican convention. The platform adopted demands "the acquisition of all the territory we can consistently get under the peace protocol."

Drops Dead. . Dayton, O., Aug. 25.—Homer Parrott, of this city, dropped dead from heart disease while attending the democratic state convention. He was a brother of Col. Ed Parrott, of Dayton, and of Col. Charles Parrott, of Columbus. O.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Progress of the Contests for Championship Honors-Results of Recent Games. Following is the standing of the clubs in

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National league games on Wednesday At New York—Cleveland, 4; New York, 1. At Chicago—Chicago, 2; Boston, 1. At Louisville—Louisville, 11; Philadelphia, 6. At St. Louis-St. Louis, 14: Washington, 5 At Pittsburgh—Brooklyn, 5; Pttsburgh, 1: Western league: At Milwaukee—Milwaukee, 15; Kansas City, 5. At Indianapolis (two games)—Indianapolis, 5; St. Joseph, 2; Indianapolis, 9; St. Joseph, 3. Interstate league: At Youngstown-Youngstown, 6; Newcastle, 3. At Toledo (two games)—Grand Rapids, 7; Toledo, 5; Grand Rapids, 6; Toledo, 1. At Fort Wayne-Fort Wayne, 15; Mansfield, 6.

MAKING INVESTIGATION. Supreme Lodge of the Knights of Pythias Working Over Charges

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 25.—While a great many people who came here since Saturday have gone home, there is still an immense crowd in the city, estimated at about 50,000 strangers. The supreme lodge Wednesday continued at work on the charges of extravagance that had been made against the supreme officers by some of the representatives. One of the members of that committee announced that he would also bring a suit for libel in the United States court for the district of North Carolina as soon as he got home.

While a strong fight is being made

against the supreme officers, it is un-

derstood that the present officers will

be continued.

of Extravagance.

Wheeling to San Francisco Springfield, Mass., Aug. 25.—E. Victor Sergeant and Robert McKisson, both of Lowell, passed through this city on picycles on their way to San Francisco, which they must reach by December 1, without the assistance of railroad or steamboat conveyance, to satisfy a wager made by members of Vesper Country club, of Lowell.

Assassinated. Columbus, Ga., Aug. 25.—Hon. Thomas M. Adams, democratic nominee for the legislature, has been assassinated at Giles, a country town in Chattahootchee county, remote from here. The deed was committed in a general row at a political gathering

Politicians Nominate Tickets and Adopt Party Platforms.

NAMES OF THOSE TO BE VOTED FOR.

Ohio Democrats Nominate a Secretary of State, Missouri Republicans Supreme Judges, California

Republicans & Governo Terrain, O., Aug. 25.—The demont c state convention assembled at 11 o'clock Wednesday at the Fairview casino, a suburban summer resort. Judge Allen Smalley acted as chairman and Col. W. A. Taylor as secretary. The resolutions adopted reaffirm the Chicago platform, and say:

"We particularly indorse the financial plank therein declaring for the free and unlimited coinage of silver and gold at the ratio of sixteen to one independent of any "We are proud of the patriotic conduct in peace and war of that great leader, William J. Bryan, and we favor his renomination for president in 1900."

The platform favors an income tax and

thanks the minority in congress for seek-ing to secure "a just distribution of the war taxation equally upon the wealth and corporation of the country as well as upon In regard to Cuba and the Philippines the platform says: "We believe that until the people of the islands of Cuba and the Philippines redeemed from Spanish domination declare otherwise, we should keep the faith upon which the war was begun and prosecuted."

The following ticket was nominated: Secretary of state, Upton K. Guthery, of Marion; judge of supreme court, Hugh G. Nichols, of Clermont; clerk of supreme court, David S. Fisher, of Delaware coun-

Baker, of Hancock; member of the board of public works, T. Dwight Paul, of Summit county.

MISSOURI REPUBLICANS. Ticket Nominated After a Session That Lasted Two Days. St. Louis, Aug. 25.—After two days' session the republican state convention. which was the largest and most harmonious ever held in Missouri, ended its labors and adjoured sine die. The following ticket was nominated:

Supreme judge (long term), G. A. Finklenburg, of St. Louis; supreme judge (short term), Edward Higbee, of Lancaster; railroad and warehouse commissioner, W. S. Hathaway, of Mexico; superintendent of public instruction, Prof. John R. Kirk, the present incumbent.

The most important work of the convention was the turning down of Chauncey Ives Filley, who, for 25 years off and on, had been chairman of the republican state committee. T. J. Atkin, a banker and business man of Humansville, was elected as Filley's successor as chairman.

CALIFORNIA REPUBLICANS.

They Name Henry Gage, a Los Angeles Attorney, for Covernor. Sacramento, Cal., Aug. 25.—The state republican convention nominated Henry Gage, a Los Angeles attorney, for governor. Gage had only one opponent, George C. Pardee, of Oakland, who before a ballot was taken withdrew in favor of Gage. The nomination was then made for Gage by acclamation. The platform indorses the administration of President McKinley and the annexation of the Hawaiian islands and strongly advocates the permanent retention of the

SOUTH DAKOTA REPUBLICANS.

They Nominate a Governor and Congressmen at Mitchell. Mitchell, S. D., Aug. 25.—The republicans in state convention have nominated Kirk Phillips, of Deadwood, for governor, and Robert J. Gamble, of Yankton, and Charles H. Burke, of Pierre, were nominated for congress. The resolutions indorse protection; oppose the free and unlimited coinage of silver, and unhesitatingly indorse the gold standard; also strongly indorse President McKinley's conduct of the war; favor change in the revenue law to require corporate and other property, now exempt, to pay equal share of taxation.

Arrives at Cramps'.

Philadelphia, Aug. 25.—The United States auxiliary cruiser St. Louis arrived at Cramps' ship yard. The St. Paul, the sister ship of the St. Louis, is already at Cramps'. It is thought two months will elapse before the great ocean greyhounds will be in condition to be returned to the International Navigation company.

Estate of Francis Wells, deceased. First publication August 25, 1898.

First publication August 25, 1888.

CTATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien, — 88.

At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate office, in the city of St Joseph, on the 22d day of Angust, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight Present, Jacon J. Van Ritter, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Francis Wells, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Isaac M. Wells praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Charles H. Wells, Frank Wells and Isaac M. Wells, the executors named in the will of said deceased, or to some other suitable person.

Therespon it is ordered, that Monday, the 19th day of September, next, at ten o'clock in the fore noon be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden in the Probate office, in the city of St. Joseph, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the peritioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that the said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Bechanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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Estate of William J. Hall, deceased. The publication, August 23, 633.

At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate flice in said county, on Monday, the 22d day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. Present, Jacob J. Van Riper, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of William J. Hall, lecensed.

eceased. Enos Holmes, executor, of said estate, comes Enos Holmes, executor, of said estate, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such executor. Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 10th day of September, next, at ten o'clock in the forencon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of St. Joseph, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed: And it is further ordered, that said executor give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereol, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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mailed. Full directions with each package. Cream Balm opens and cleanses the nasal passages, allays inflamation, thereby stop-ping pain in the head, heals and protects the membrane and restores the senses of taste and smell. The Balm is applied directly into the nostrils.

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DRAIN LETTING.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I, J. P. Beistle, N. County Drain Commissioner of the County of Berrien, State of Michigan, will on the 25th day of Aigust, A. D. 1898, at H. Haskin's, in said township of Buchanan, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, proceed to receive bids for the cleaning out of a certain drain known and designated as "Juday Lake Drain No. 5," located and established in the townships of Buchanan and Weesaw, and described 'ns' follows, 40-wit;. Commencing in Section 12, Weesaw township following up the drain to township like between Weesaw, and. Buchanan townships, thence in Buchanan township, for cleaning ont of the same. Said job will be let by excitons. In Section 18, Buchanan township, for cleaning ont of the same. Said job will be let by excitons. The section at the onlet of the drain will be let first, and the remaining sections in their order up stream, in accordance with the diagram now on file with the other papers percaining to said drain, in the office of the County Drain Commissioner, to which reference may be had by all parties interested, and hids will be made and received accordingly. Contracts will be made and received accordingly. Contracts will be made and received accordingly. Contracts will be made with the lowest responsible bidder giving adequate security for the performance of the work, in a sum then and there to be fixed by me reserving to myself the right to reject any and all bids. The date for the completion of such contract, and the terms of payment therefor, shall be announced at the time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place thereafter to which I, the Drain Commissioner aforessid, may adjourn the same, the assessment District, will be subject to review.

The following is a description of the several tracts or parcels of land constituting the Special Assessment District, will be subject to review.

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In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file that the defendant Elizabeth Ballinger is not a resident of this State, but resides at Harrisburg, in the State of Papperlyant and Marchine and County rence C. Fyfe, complainant's solicitor, it is or'ered that the said defendant, Elizabeth Ballinger
cause her appearance to be entered herein on or
before the 22nd day of November 1898, and that in
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a sight to move a heart of flint to see her, as with streaming eyes and convulsive sobs she threw herself from her saddle, and, reckless of them all, knelt and gathered Randy's unconscious head to her bosom, cooing over him, crying over him, praying over him, begging for one word of love and pardon, then showering tears and kisses on his pallid lips. There was no crime of which the poor child did not accuse herself, for on their hurried way Grafton gravely told her of Randy's utter innocence and of his own culpability. Not until

made her peace with her lover lord, and wept gallons of salt tears as she and how severely punished, though never so severely as she deserved. She would listen to no condoning words of Mrs. Hayne. She flung herself into her father's arms when, white-faced and ten years aged, he reached her at the ranch, and told him what a fiend she had been and what an angel Randy-a statement the captain could not entirely indorse, for he went back to the cantonment at the end of the week confident still that there must have been

ing the ranch early in the first afternoon, she saw a party of horsemen riding in toward it, and in her half-crazed state she believed them troops from the post-Randy's men. So she turned square to the north and rode for the foothills. She had a little store of provisions and some wine in the large sadthat her bag was gone. She could ride away round the ranch, find "Mon Abri," and hide there during the night. She had her Navajo blanket. Mignon would the romantic little spot, unsaddled and no sound. She could not account for it.

then Parry decided he must "join the gang" at Merriam's; and there presand showing symptoms of a desire to kiss Mrs. Randy's hand, as he did Mrs. Grafton's. Mrs. Grafton hurried out, her to the gate and called a halt. She saw the twinkle in his eyes and stopped: "You've brought her good news, I

> that brings her the news. Never mind "Oh, how did you get at the truth?" "I didn't-I couldn't. They were shy of me as though I'd been a Pinkerton. I knew Swinburne was sore-smitten. L knew he'd blow in his whole bank account if need be. I told him the story and my suspicions, and set him to work. He found the engineer and got the

Washington, Aug. 25 .- It is learned that the government has practically completed the instructions to the mil itary commissions which are to have the direction of affairs in Cuba and Puerto Rico pending the evacuation of the islands by the Spanish forces. Within a few days everything is expected to be in readiness for the departure of the commissioners early in

session here, adopted a resolution to the effect that "a minister cannot be admitted to the Ohio Central Christion conference who uses tobacco in Charged with Bank Robbery. . Chicago, Aug. 25.—George Wagner, alias George Whitney, ex-convict and

Washington, Aug. 25.—Admiral Sampson carried home with him his commission as rear admiral. That of Admiral Schley awaits him at the de-

eral of the Philippines.

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urcr at Philadelphia. The available cash balance in the United

Y., and vicinity. Fifty dwellings were wrecked or damaged, the loss being placed One of the largest banks in St. Louis has

Maj. J. M. Thompson has been persuaded to withdraw his declination of the nomination for congress from the Twelfth Miss Nora Izer, an active member of the First Methodist church in Alliance, O., confessed to robbing the residence of the Morris D. Kane and Christopher Jurgen-

A serious insurrection broke out at lodos, in the interior of Hainan island, and the American missionaries and native converts sought refuge in safe territory. At the semi-annual convention in Minne-

were lost for 20 days in the Stikine wilds. isting all that time on bugs, frogs and Washington, Ang. 25.—In addition to the \$50,000 appropriated by congress and distributed by ex-Consul Gen. Lee for the relief of the people of Cuba the central Cuban relief committee appointed by the president dis-

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