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FUNSTON IS NOT BLAMED

KANSAS BRIGADIER IS ACQUIT-TED OF CHARGES.

Inquiry Into the Execution of Two Natives Develops They Were Caught in the Act of Murdering Scouts.

It developed that General Funston caught the native in the act of murdering bound Maccabeebe scouts, his action, in view of the circumstances, being regarded as justifiable.

Scouting, small engagements, and the capture of arms and prisoners continue daily in northern Luzon. Last week's operations by the Ninth, Twelfth, Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth, and Thirty-sixth Regiments resulted in the killing of forty-six of the enemy, the taking of 180 prisoners, and the capture of 300 rifles and a quantity of ammunition.

The government corral at Manila has been quarantined. There are four suspected cases of bubonic plague among the teamsters, who are living in filthy dwellings, which will be burned.

TRAIL OF AGUINALDO.

Mccrs Think They Have Trace of Insurgent Leader.

Manila, May 26.-Major Peyton C. March, with a battalion of the Thirtythird infantry, and Colonel Luther R. Hare, with another part of the Thirtythird regiment, while scouring the country northeast of Benguer, report they have struck the trail of a party of Filipinos, traveling in the mountains, and believe they are escorting Aguinaldo.

Major March is continuing the pursuit across an exceedingly difficult country beyond the telegraph lines.

Sergeant Barry and four privates of regiment, have rescued the daughter of the president of San Mateo from some Ladrones who abducted her. Afterward twelve Ladrones ambushed Ladrones were killed.

Old Farmer Went Home.

Port Huron, Mich., May 28.-Wm. Sharp, the aged Canadian farmer, who got into trouble while seeing the sights of the town and was locked up on a serious charge, was released from cuscoat and poorer by \$60 than when he came here Monday.

Taken Back to Port Huron.

Sanilac Centre, Mich., May 27.— Sheriff Mains, of St. Clair county, was in town on Thursday after a young man by the name of Bryce, who is charged with having stolen a bicycle in Port Huron. Sheriff Stone, of this place, caught the young man near here. He was staying at a farmer's house under an assumed name. He was taken to Port Huron today

High Prices For Steel.

Chicago, May 25.—High prices for steel and iron products have caused a serious stagnation in building operations and a consequent slump in the prices of stocks of the big companies that produce the metal, and the closing of many mills. Consumers are not buying. Most of them declare prices are prohibitive and that they must wait until lower figures are quoted before they can execute plans for build-

While in Chicago the present labor crisis has tied up building operations in all save a few cases, the fact remain that the high prices for steel and iron are keeping those who wish to build from perfecting plans and leiting contracts.

Gen. Harrison Saves a Life.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 28.—Ex-President Harrison and wife were driving down-town when a child started across the street in front of the carriage. General Harrison seeing the danger reached forward and grabbed the lines. assisting the driver to throw the horses on their haunches. The child was unhurt. General Harrison jumped out and picked the child up, placed it in the carriage, and took it home.

Life For Canal Dynamiters.

Welland, Ont., May 26.—The trial of Dullman, Walsh and Nolan, the Welland Canal dynamiters, was concluded this evening, all three being found guilty and sentenced to imprisonment for life. It was expected that Nolan would turn Queen's evidence, but in this the crown authorities were disap-

Mrs. U. S. Grant to Attend.

Grant and her daughter Mrs. Nellie Grant Satoris, have signified to the members of the Grand Army National Encampment committee their intention to accept invitations to be present at the encampment in August, and have requested that apartments in the Palmer House be reserved for them.

MANY SHOT IN ST. LOUIS.

The Street Car Strikers and Sympathizers Fight Officers.

sult of an encounter last night between strikers and employes of the Transit street railway system, three | Kruger Admits That the Situation Is men were shot, one being fatally and the others seriously wounded. As Manila, May 28.—The investigation Philip Sullivan, James Sullivan, and of the charge against Brigadier Gen- Patrick O'Connell, strikers, were eral Frederick Funston of having passing through Lafayette Park they summarily executed two natives in were approached from the rear and the Province of Zambales has result- fired upon by three men, said to be in ed in a discontinuance of the proceed- the company's employ. A riot call was sounded, but the three unknown men made their escape by the time the police arrived on the scene.

St. Louis, Mo., May 26.—Sympathizers of the striking street car men were again the medium of a rictous demonstration yesterday, and as a result anof wounded. As a car on the Jefferson their good guns. avenue line approached Sullivan avenue, it was attacked by a crowd of men and boys. Several shots were fired at the car. The policemen on board the car returned the fire, and in

all about 100 shots were exchanged. Peter Wells, a patrolman who was riding on the front platform, was hit in the left armpit, the bullet producing an ugly wound.

St. Louis, Mo., May 25.—In an attack on a train of the Park avenue division of the Transit company, at Compton and Park avenues, to-night, several shots were fired by guards. and three persons wounded, one seriously.

WHITE TO ACT ON MEAT BILL

Ambassador to Germany Will Explain Injustice of Legislation.

Washington, D. C., May 26.—Instructions have been sent to Ambassador White at Berlin to make representations to the German foreign office with a view to laying before that government the injustice that will be done American meats if the proposed legis lation should become a law.

The State department will not disclose the nature of these instructions, Company B, of the Twenty-seventh because the American Ambassador has to the German officials. They are more in the nature of an appeal, however, than a protest, and no threats of them, killing the sergeant. Three pri- retaliation are made, as this governvates stood of the band, while the ment, according to the diplomats, has other secured reinforcements. Seven no more right to protest against legislation in Germany than officials of the German government have to object to legislation by the American Congress affecting German interests.

Otis to Arrive.

San Francisco, Cal., May 28.—Preparations are being made at the Presidio tody this morning, the evidence not be- for the reception of Major General Eling sufficient to warrant holding him | well S. Otis, late | commander-in-chief for trial. He immediately left for his in the Philippines, who is scheduled to home near Bayfield without his over- arrive in this city from Manila tomorrow. All soldiers out on passes have been ordered to report for duty and the army post is being generally renovated in anticipation of the distinguished

Miller Given Twenty Years. Centerville, Mich., May 25.-Luther Miller, convicted of murder in the second degree, was sentenced by Judge Yaple to twenty years at Jackson.

THE MARKETS.

Wheat—No. 2 red. 7214@7314c: No. 3 red 63@71c; No. 2 hard winter, 66@67c; No. 3 hard winter, 62@66%c; No. 1 northern spring, 67@68c: No. 2 northern spring, 66@67c; No. 3 spring, 63@65½c.
Corn—No. 2, 38½c; No. 2 white, 38½c;
No. 2 yellow, 38½c; No. 3, 35c; No.

No. 3 yellow, 35¼c.
Oats—No. 2, 23½c; No. 2 white, 25½@26c; No. 3, 23c; No. 3 white, 25½@25½c; No. 4 white, 25½c.
Barley—Feed lots, 34@36c; malting. 40@45c.

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Rye—May 54c.
Butter—Creameries. extras. 19½c: firsts 17@
18½c; seconds. 15@16c. Dairies. extras. 16c;
firsts. 14½c; No. 2, 14c. Ladies, extras. 13@
14c. Packing stock. 13c.
Eggs—Fresh stock, 11½c, cases included.
Live poultry—Turkeys, 6c per 1b; chickens
hens, 8@8½c; spring, 15@20c; ducks, 6½@
7c: geese, 6@8c.

7c; geese. 6@8c. Veal—Small carcasses, 6@6½c per lb; mediums, 7@8c; good to choice, 7½45c. Green fruit—New apples. \$4 00@500 per bbl. Potatoes—Fair to choice, old, .5@ 0c; new, Cattle—Steers. \$1 10@5 10; butchers cows. \$3 00@3 00; feeders. \$4 40@5 10; choice calves. \$6 25@6 85; common calves. \$1 50@5 50. Hogs—Roughs, \$1 :4 @5 10; mixed and prime packers, \$1 :6 @5 25; prime heavy and assorted butcher weights \$5 :1 :6 .5; light mixed bacon weights. 140 lbs up, to average 175@18Jlbs, \$5 17½@3 20; pigs, under 100 lbs \$4 25.

Sheep and Lambs—Lambs. \$7 00@3 50; good to prime native wethers. \$6 00@6 40; fair to good fat western sheep. \$6 00@6 40.

Wheat — July 72%c: No. 3 red 72c; May. 74c; No. 3 red 65c; mixed red, 73%c; No. 1 white. 74c asked.
Corn—Cash. No. 2, 3 %c: No. 3, 39%c; No. 4, 38%c; No. 2 yellow, 40c; No. 3, yellow, 40%c; No. 4 yellow. 40 c. nominal.
Oats—Cash No. 2 white, 2 c; No. 3 white.

Rye—Cash No. 2. 6 c.
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Butter—Prime private creamery. 19@20c;
prime dairy. 1:@ .c: fair to good 15@1 c;
common dairy. 1:c; cheap dairy grades 10@

12c. Eggs—Strictly fresh eggs in large lots 12c. Fruit-Apples, No. 1. 21.001 25 per bu.

New York. Wheat-July. 72%c; May, 71%c.

Wheat—July. 12780, Corn—May. 41c.
Butter—Receipts. 4.7 0 pkgs: firm: western creamery. 1 26201/20 factory 1 @16.
Cheese—Receipts. 297 pkgs. small fancy.
large fancy. 9@9½c: choice Chicago, May 26.—Mrs. Ulysses S. rant and her daughter, Mrs. Nellie

Buffalo

Cattle--Good veals. \$6 23@6 35.

Hogs--Yorkers. \$5 35@5 45: mixed \$5 44

© 0: light. \$5 3 @5 4: pigs \$5 00.

Sheep---Good lambs top, \$1 @6 4: cull to good. \$1 0@4 0: sheep. tops. \$5 10@6 is others. \$5 00@7 65: wethers and year-lings, \$5 00@5 55.

ROBERTS OVER VAAL RIVER

St. Louis, Mo., May 28.—As the re- BRITISH NEAR JOHANNESBURG AND PRETORIA.

> Critical-Boers Will Make Their Last Stand on Gatsrand

Mountains. London, May 29.-According to an official dispatch from Lord Roberts Klip River, eighteen miles from Jo- probably he will refuse. hannesburg, having marched twenty In Senate Wellington charged a se

the north branch of the Vaal River. Johannesburg is only twenty-five retary Hay's denial. miles from Pretoria, and the opposition he reports to have encountered is not serious, the burghers having no trace of fraud. abandoned position after position, and

CAPE TOWN TUESDAY, MAY 29.-Lord ers" and protect Americans. Roberts yesterday announced to his troops the annexation of the Free State, which hereafter will be called the Orange Free State.

London, May 28.-When Lord Roberts wrote his first dispatch on Transvaal territory yesterday, shortly before 2 o'clock in the afternoon, he was fifty-one miles from Johannesburg and seventy-seven from Pretoria. His immensely superior forces had passed the Vaal River, their last great natural obstacle, at three points.

The Vaal forms a curve of eighty miles from Parys on the west to Zand drift on the east. The concave of the curve is toward the Free State. Thus Lord Roberts, advancing along the railway, was in a position to strike any part of the crescent by shorter lines than those by which the Boers could reinforce the threatened points. The Boers retreated almost without a show of defense. General French and General Hamilton apparently did not fire a shot.

The situation, both from a military and a political point of view, has become critical. President Kruger yesterday admitted that for the first time matters are exceedingly grave. The Boer determination is to trust everything to a last stand on the Gatsrand | House approved extradition bill. countains, to the north of Potchefstroom, where 8,000 Kaffirs are digging trenches. To that point every available man and gun have been

London, May 26.—The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Roberts:

"Wolve Hoek, Orange Free State, May 26.—An advanced portion of this force crossed the Vaal river on the queen's birthday, near Parys. "Hamilton's column is at Boschbank.

Our scouts are now at Viljohen's drift (on th frontier north of Wolve Hoek). "The local mines are uninjured and work is going on as usual. There is no enemy this side of the river.

"Hunter reached Vryberg May 24." London, May 25.—If the reports sent out from Cape Town and Lourenzo Marquez, said to be based on statements by the Boers themselves, are to be believed, great pressure is being brought to bear upon Presidents Kruger and Styn to end the war by surrender. Delegates, it is declared, have been sent by citizens who are tired of bloodshed to the generals and commandants in the field to get their opinions. It is claimed that the burghers as a whole realize the hopelessness of their cause, and when they find that their opinions are supported by the generals they will join in an appeal to the two presidents to accept any terms offered by the British.

Germany Bars American Meat.

Berlin, May 24-The meat bill passed the Reichstag today by a vote of 163 to 123. The bill has already been promised the Bundesrath's approval, when it will become a law. The bill is general in its provisions, but really af- this city, and whose branches and con- to be filled later. The changes are fects America only, and Chicago pack- nections touch the entire commercial made for political reasons. ers in particular.

The passage of the German meat bill by the Bundesrath, which is now assured, since it has passed the Reichstag, will cause a loss of millions of months' sensation. dollars anually to Chicago packers, and a heavy loss to workmen in packing-houses, depriving them of the extra amount of work which is given in preparing the product for export.

Robbers Kill With Wire.

with a piece of copper wire, Daniel Tepker, 30 years old, a driver employed by a Germantown meat company, was found tonight in a piece of Woodland a quarter of a mile above the Reading | though many narrow escapes from sufrailroad crossing at Ogontz. There were signs of a struggle and beside the body on the building and contents is more was a revolver, every chamber of than \$40,000. Insurance only \$12,000. which held a discharged cartridge, showing that Tepker fought to the end for his life.

Robbery apparently was the motive of the crime.

Charlotte to Have Free Delivery.

Charlotte, Mich., May 26.-Postmaster Beekman has received official notice that free delivery would be estab- officer, from interfering with the comlished in the city October 1, with three merce and comfort of the Chinese carriers and one substitute. This office quarter by establishing a quarantine has been entitled to that system for on the pretext that the bubonic plague the past two years.

Disorderly Sentenced.

Charlotte, Mich., May 25.—Mamie

HOUSE AND SENATE.

Proceedings of Both Branches and Gen eral News Notes.

Washington, May 28.—At the request of the National Live Stock Association Bailey (Kan.) introduced bill to impose 10 per cent extra duties on German imports in retaliation for meat bill. Retaliation has many supporters, but this bill would vio-

late treaty. More than 200 Congressmen asked Speaker to set a time for considera after midnight last night he is at tion of St. Louis exposition bill, but

miles from his position of Sunday on cret alliance existed with Great Britain, but Lodge called attention to Sec-Auditors investigating Cuban treas

ury and customs departments found Washington, May 25.—The United other name was added to the long list barely escaping from the last with States instructed Minister Conger to

insist that China suppress the "Box-

Japanese government protested against inoculation of Asiatics in San Francisco.

Congress is not likely to appropriate the \$5,000,000 asked for St. Louis ex-

Rumors of frauds in Cuban customs service and in contracts for public

Washington, May 24.—Solicitor's bureau in Cuban postal service abolished and a law clerk substituted. General Wood ordered thorough investigation of every department. Senate again debated insular affairs;

Spooner charged anti-imperialists with creating an issue which was not legiti-

House committee reported St. Louis exposition bill without recommendation; passage is unlikely.

House probably will pass anti-trust bills on June 1 and 2, but they will be defeated in Senate.

Washington, May 23.-House voted to adjourn Congress sine die on June 6 and passed resolution authorizing Ways and Means committee to plan reduction of war taxes during recess. Senate debate postal frauds in Cuba; Platt (Conn.) defended administration and said no guilty person will escape.

House committee favors packing branded packages.

Senate voted to authorize a commission to plan enlargement of the White The United States will dun the Sul-

tan, treating him as a bad debtor. Washington, May 22.-The Boer envoys called on Secretary Hay, who de- M. Ry. crossing two years ago, recovclared the United States had done all it could, and, although desirous of peace, is bound to remain neutral.

Democrats on House committee filed minority report declaring anti-trust bill designed for political considerations.

House passed bill establishing eighthour day on public works, including that by contract.

E. G. Rathbone, Director of Cuban Posts, suspended; accounts will be investigated. House passed bill making convict-

made goods subject to laws to state to which shipped. Senate voted to continue present

pneumatic tube service, but opposed extensions. Supreme Court will hear drainage canal case during October term. Congress probably will adjourn on

June 9. Resolutions extending Boer envoys privileges of floor laid on table by Senate, 36 to 21.

Fails With Liabilities of \$13,000,000. New York, May 25.—Yesterday ended one of the most memorable bull campaigns in the history of the country's cotton speculations. The closing dismissed and their places filled. event was the failure of the banking | Sergt. Milalley becomes lieutenant and and brokerage firm of Price, McCormick & Co.. whose headquarters are in made sergeants, the other sergeantcy world. The liabilities of the firm aggregate \$13,000,000. Its inability to effect a corner in the great staple of the south closes the chapter on a six

Inmates Escape in Time.

ment brick and stone building of the Home of the Good Shepherd was dis-Philadelphia, Pa., May 27.—Strangled covered on fire. The fourteen sisters a liberal franchise, and the road is of the order of the Good Shepherd bound to be a paying venture. succeeded in getting the eighty inmates, most of them small girls, to a place of safety. No one was injured. focation are reported. Estimated loss

The Plague in San Francisco.

San Francisco, Cal., May 25.-The only development in the plague situation was an application made in the United States court by the Chinese for a temporary injunction to restrain the San Francisco board of health and Dr. Kinyoun, the federal quarantine exists in this city.

Clark Howell to Marry.

Savannah, Ga., May 26.—The endate is fixed for July 12. The couple of his office, and risked his life to save employed at the Sanitarium and Adwill sail for Europe on July 18. the little one. will sail for Europe on July 18.

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THE GREAT COPPER MINE IS ON FIRE.

Men Flee For Their Lives From Calumet and Hecla-Blaze Five Thousand Feet Underground Drives Workmen Out.

Houghton, Mich., May 28.—The great Calumet and Hecla mine is on fire again and workmen are fleeing from all the shafts. One miner, Will McRae, has per-

ished and five others, one of whom is expected to die, have been taken to the hospital. The fire was discovered at 5:45 in

the afternoon at the time of a change of shifts. The blaze started at the bottom of No. 2 shaft at a point 5000 feet below the surface.

Only watchmen, pumpmen, and a few timbermen were below at the time. Some came up directly, reporting the trouble, while others made their escape by other shafts with which No. 2 is connected by levels.

Ohio Man Charged With Murder. Ishpeming, Mich., May 27.-Jacob Brown, of Sandusky, O., is a pris ner in Ishpeming jail charged with the murder of Harrison Howard, of Harvey, Ill. The body of Howard was found three miles west of Ishpeming, where the crime was committed, the night of the 23d. Howard was a peddler, and ten days ago met Brown and son tramping. Brown was penniless and tried to get money from Howard, and being refused is alleged to have taken a stone and struck Howard on the head, killing him instantly.

Jury Could Not Agree in Damage Suit. The occasion was celebrated by blow-Marquette, Mich., May 26.—The \$10,-000 damage suit brought by Frank Dollar against the city of Marquette, for alleged sidewalk injuries, has been continued to the next term of the circuit court for the reason that the jury which has just heard it could not agree after seventeen hours' delibera- ing him out. His condition is critical. tion, including an all night session. Judge Stone called it into the court room and dismissed it. It is underoleomorgarine in one and two-pound stood the jury stood ten in favor of giving Dollar damages and two in favor of the city.

Verdict Against Old F. & P. M.

. Port Huron, Mich., May 28.-Wm. Washburne, who was run down in his milk cart at the Lyons street F. & P. ered a judgment of \$4,000 from the railroad company in the Circuit Court. Washburne sustained a permanent injury to his spine and is palsied as a result of the accident. The accident occurred after dark, and it was claimed the train carried no headlight. The jury found for the plaintiff on the first

A \$25,000 Damage Suit.

St. Joseph, Mich., May 27.—The big \$25,000 damage suit of John T. Bays vs. The Warren Featherbone Company, of Three Oaks, will be tried here in the Circuit Court next Monday, the jury having been secured. Bays was badly hurt in an accident in the company's warehouse and he alleges that a pulley was defective. Mr. E. K. Warren, of Dewey cannon fame, is president of the defendant company.

Old Police Officials Discharged.

Grand Rrapids, Mich., May 27.—The long promised shake-up in the police department has been made by the commissioners and Lieut. Hurley and Sergts, McCarthy and Warner were Pat. Rolmen, Madigan and Whalen are

Surveyors for Detroit-Toledo Road. Rockwood, Mich., May 26.—The surveyors for the Detroit-Toledo Electric Railroad have arrived here. They came by the way of Stoney Point, a beautiful Lake Erie summer resort, which is Peoria, III., May 28.—Last evening | bound to become one of the most popthe beautiful three-story and base- ular resorts between Detroit and Toledo if the electric road materializes. The township board is willing to grant

Boy Crushes Man's Skull.

Chicago, May 27.-While trying to evade capture by climbing over a fence in the rear of his home last night William Bendor, 14 years old, hit with a brick and probably fatally wounded John Miller. The boy previously had from the end of the present pavement hit Miller's son, George, with a bat and to Lake Side Park. The proposition to was running toward his home when macadamize the section of the road Miller started after him. Realizing his north from there to the city limits inability to climb over the fence the was defeated. Bendor boy picked up a brick and hit Miller on the head. Miller's head was crushed in.

Dies to Save Her Child. Chicago, May 26.-Mrs. Emil Joseph

Polock threw herself in front of a Northwestern train running at the rate Maywood yesterday afternoon in an effort to save the life of her 2-year-old \$1,500. daughter. Mrs. Polock was struck and Compton was arrested charged with gagement of Clark Howell, editor of hurled forty feet along the track. She being a disorderly, on complaint of the Atlanta Constitution, to Miss Annie, was killed instantly. The child was Comer, daughter of the late President rescued by Frank Bellrose, the teletenced to 65 days in the Detroit house H. M. Comer, of the Central railroad graph operator at the Maywood sta- Lake Goguac, over 100 being in attendcompany, is announced. The marriage tion, who leaped through the window ance. There are many Englishmen

Closed by Creditors.

Sanilac Center, Mich., May 25.-The drug store of Jas. Wooley, at Deckerville, has been closed by creditors. The firm was supposed to have been doing a fine business until the morning the store was closed. It is one of Deckerville's oldest business places.

Hamberger Taken to Ionia. Jackson, Mich., May 25.—Hamberger, the insane murderer, was taken to the Ionia asylum in charge of John B. Foote, superintendent of the prison tailor shop. His condition is un-

Murderer After a Pardon.

changed. He still hangs his head and

is speechless.

Grand Haven, Mich., May 25.-The state pardon board meets here June 5 to consider the application of George Chesbro for a pardon. He was sent up for life from this county five years ago for the murder of his grandmother.

Bought by Standard Oil Co.

Lansing, Mich., May 27.—It is announced that the Standard Oil Company has purchased the interests of the Wells & Clear Oil Company in this city and will hereafter control the local market on oil.

Caused by Ill Health.

Kalamazoo, Mich., May 28.-Henry Siterle, aged 83 years, committed suicide by hanging. His lifeless body was found by his grandson suspended from a rafter in the barn. Ill-health was the cause.

First Train Through St. Clair. St. Clair, Mich., May 28.—The first train through St. Clair on the new electric line was a dummy engine and gravel cars at 6 o'clock Saturday night. ing of fire whistles.

Injured in a Runaway.

Lapeer, Mich., May 28.—Perry Stimson, of Hadley, was seriously injured here Saturday afternoon. His team ran away from King's lumber yard, throw-Trunk shops. There were speeches and toasts, and games, and a jolly time. A good sum was contributed to the famine sufferers in India.

Smoked a Cigar Before Dying. Menominee, Mich., May 26.—Edward House, a shingle weaver, whose home is in Depere, Mich., was run over by a train of ore cars near Hermanville. this county, and died to-day from the effects of his injuries. Both legs were cut off. Houle was in a jocular mood on the way here. He smoked a cigar and talked to the train men of the accident. He was 34 years old and sin-

Granted by War Department. Lansing, Mich., May 25.-The war department has granted the request of the state military authorities permitting the United States marine of the crew of the Michigan to be landed at Ft. Wayne barracks so that a portion of the Michigan Naval Reserves may go aboard the ship for the cruise of the reserves July 9. The remainder of

the reserves will sail on the Yantic. Woman Charged With Assault.

Pontiac, Mich., May 25.—Mrs. Laura Hall, of Rochester, was on trial before Justice Snowdon for alleged assault and battery. Mrs. Hall is a neighbor of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rivard, of Rochester, and the Rivards claim that Mrs. Hall whipped their 6-year-old daughter Pearl to sufficient extent to warrant the charge of assault and battery. The case will be taken up again.

Sold Oleomargarine.

Marshall, Mich., May 27.-In the Circuit Court James Williams, of Battle Creek, was found guilty of violating the pure food law by serving oleomargarine to the patrons of the Williams house. Although Judge Smith was very plain in his charge, it took the jury over four hours to decide the case.

Plant Secured by Bonns.

Benton Harbor, Mich., May 28.—The Converse Manufacturing Co. will open plant, employing 100 men in this city July 10. The company manufactures heating boilers, radiato's and registers. A building has been secured. The citizens pay a bonus of \$15 per man for every man given steady employment the first five years.

Part to Be Macadamized.

Port Huron, Mich., May 25.—The board of estimates has given its consent for macadamizing Gratiot avenue

Given a Bigger Verdiot.

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 26.—After being out nine hours, the jury gave Hattie M. Bond a verdict of \$2,000 against the Lake Shore railroad. The plaintiff was injured six years ago, and of fifty-five miles an hour in West on a former trial, reversed by the Supreme Court, was given a verdict of

> Battle Creek Englishmen Celebrate. Battle Creek, Mich., May 26.-The English people in this city celebrated the Queen's birthday by a picnic at ventist printing offices and Grand

· Railroad Wreck at Axle Works

The above cut of the wreck appeared in the Detroit Evening News of May 23rd and appears in our columns though the courtesy of that paper. The photo was taken by John Cunningham.

"She went into a convent. They

cay she died of a broken heart, and

soon afterwards Sir Edgar was ex-

"Rather a severe punishment?"

"Not at all," she said warmly. "He

was a mean wretch to behave as he

did! Since those days a Clutton has

never owned an acre of land in Devon-

shire. And they will never get back

to their position of landowners un-

"Well, there is a ridiculous old le-

gend, which has been handed down;

but I don't suppose it will ever come

"'My lord shall come to his own

When a Clutton squire wed a Clar-

"So the theory is that when a Clut-

ton marries a Clarence, and so repairs

the wickedness of Sir Edgar, then

sigh. "Nobody knows what has be-

come of the Cluttons: and the Clar-

are superstitious about the country

"It appears to me," I said, "that you

"I am afraid I am," she said, laugh-

"Because," she said, "I happen to

be the last of the Clarences. I was

named Dorothy, after the lady who

"Are you a Miss Clarence?" I asked,

"But I am afraid I can't help those

At this, I am afraid, I winked at the

"Besides," she continued, "even if I

did, I couldn't give them back their

property, because I haven't any mon-

By this time my rough drawing was

"May I keep it?" she asked. "I

should like to paste it in my scrap-

"By all means. Would you like me

I did as she told me, signing my-

When she saw what I had written

"Are you really descended from

"Not from the monuments," I ans-

wered. "But I believe I am descend-

ed from that unfeeling brute who

broke Miss Dorothy Clarence's heart."

Then she turned scarlet at some

thought which struck her, and looked

uncomfortable; but I could not resist

"There is no doubt that you will

have to marry me," I said, "and so

restore the Cluttons to their former

"I don't see that," she said. "I-I

"Yes. I believe in some of them,

but not this one. Besides, I am not

going to marry anyone. I have de-

cided to be an old maid. I like old

"So do I. But I like young maids

better. I am afraid, Miss Clarence,

you can't escape. It's a question of

destiny. You and I will have to fall

in love with one another: so we must

By this time she had quite recovered

her equanimity, and was prepared to

"It seems rather hard lines that I

should be obliged to fall in love with

you," she said, with a mischievous

gleam in her eyes. "I am afraid you

"Perhaps not," I admitted. "But

"I beg your pardon?" she said, rais-

"People don't marry their ideals," I

"People don't usually address strang-

"Certainly not. But perhaps you

ers by their Christian name." she re-

forget that we are not strangers; we

are cousins. You can't seriously ex-

pect me to address my own cousin as

Miss Clarence?"

ing her eyebrows with dignified sur-

then, Dorothy, people never marry

make the best of it."

are not my ideal."

their ideals."

plied severely.

treat the matter as a joke.

don't believe in those old legends."

"I thought you said you did."

the opportunity of teasing her.

"Yes, please, and put the date."

she went pale with astonishment.

those old monuments?" she said.

finished, and she was kind enough to

broken-nosed monument of Sir Fran-

unfortunate Cluttons." she went on,

ing, "because so many have come true.

"Unless what?" I asked.

ecuted for high treason."

She stopped.

true. It runs-

ence dame.' "

legends."

"Why not?"

prosperity will return?"

ences are nearly extinct."

But this one never will."

died of a broken heart."

struck at the coincidence.

"because I don't know one."

say it was very clever.

to sign my name?" -

self "Richard Clutton."

THE DANGER OF BEAUTY.

I never read the papers without feeling se content That both my eyes are twisted and my nose is slightly bent; I'm glad my mouth is out of line and that my

teeth are few. And if I had a "wealth of hair," I don't know what I'd do.

▲ "tiny foot" or "lily hand" would fill me vith dismay. And if I had a slender waist I'd sicken in a For I have noticed from the first, as strange as it may seem,

The girl who gets the worst of it is "lovely as The papers never tell about a woman being

Or mangled by a trolley car, or married to a Or forced, at point of pistol, her last fifty cents to lose, But that her eyes are "limpid" and her boots are number twos.

So I can live in sweet content, without the slightest fear That trouble or calamity will ever hover

And when I see my misfit face, it's some relief to know That I'll outlive the beauties by a hundred

-Wallace Dunbar Vincent.

A QUEER ENCOUNTER.

BY LOYD WILLIAMS.

A heavy shower of rain had left me stranded in the ancient and sleepy city of Elchester. The country roads, bad enough at the best of times, were so sloppy as to put bicycling out of the question. I knew nobody in the town, and as there is only one place of interest—the cathedral—I went there.

In doing this I believed I was spending an idle hour. As a matter of fact. I was unconsciously fulfilling the object for which I was probably brought

The building appeared to be empty, and I amused myself reading the tablets that recorded the lives of worthy people who existed generations ago. I found that the cathedral sheltered the bones of many people named Clutton. This was interesting, for my own name happens to be Clutton, and, though I have never troubled myself about family "trees," I knew that we came from the West of England. In other words, the knights and dames who lay in Elchester Cathedral were in all probability my ancestors. I wished that they had had the foresight to leave me some of their property.

Wandering through the cloisters. I came across a living picture of much greater interest and beauty than the images of stone and iron lying around

It was a young lady who was sketching a corner of the building, and making a frantic attempt to do justice to the wonderful arches and quaint win-

In order to get a peep at her face, I made a pretence of examining a mounment close at hand. It was erected to the memory of "Sir Francis Clutton." 1153-1201." His legs were crossed at the knees, which signified he had fought in three Crusades; and had it not been that some barbarous visitor had broken off the gentleman's nose, he would have made a most imposing

I took the liberty of standing for a moment by her side, to see her work. "If you will excuse my saying so," I ventured, "you have drawn that arch wrong. It is out of perspective." "I know it is," she answered, with a little moue. "But I can't get it right. Are you an artist?"

"Not exactly," I said. "But I know something of architectural drawing." "I wish you would show me how to get the wretched thing in so that it doesn't seem to be standing on one

"With pleasure."

I took her place on the campstool, and on another piece of paper made a rough drawing of the corner which had puzzled her.

"What a number of people of the name of Clutton are buried here!" I said, by way of opening the conversa-

"Oh, yes; they used to be a great family in days gone by," she said. "Henry VIII, took them away, when he was reforming the Church. The prise. Cluttons didn't change their religion fast enough. Edgar Clutton was the last of them. But he deserved to be punished," she added. "He did a very shabby thing."

"What was that?" I inquired. "He was bethrothed to his cousin,

Dorothy Clarence, and filted her." "And what became of Mistress Dorothy Clarence?"

"Many thanks for your help with the sketch. It is time for me to go."

She packed up her drawing materials; but I noticed she did not offer to return my sketch, in spite of her indignation—she packed it away in her portfolio. However, that may have been an accident.

But I was not going to let her escape so easily.

"You will let me see you home, at any rate?" I said.

"I think not," she answered; "I live a long way off." "So much the better; we can discuss

family legends and other things." "Besides, I am well known. If I am seen walking through the streets of Elchester with a stranger everybody mined.

will want to know who you are." "You will, of course, explain that my name is Clutton," I remarked, "and they will grasp the situation at once."

She bit her lips with vexation. "Come," I said, "don't let us worry about destiny or anything else. I will walk with you as far as your house. You must in mercy permit that, for I don't know a soul in the town. Then if you find an additional cousin such a ripeness. nuisance, we will say good-bye for ever and a day. Will that do?"

"Yes," she said, rather doubtfully. On our way through the town she time a branch of the family used to live. It is now converted into a hairdressing establishment—a somewhat inglorious falling-off.

That evening Mr. Clarence called at the hotel where I was staying, and begged to make the acquaintance of a member of the family. I submitted two o'clock in the morning.

I think few men have had a more difficult courtship than mine, for Miss Dorothy fought against the guidance of destiny with all her might. But I succeeded.

Curiously enough, the rest of the legend came true, for a distant relation left her a moderate fortune. The terms of her will ran: "I leave the sum to my kinswoman Dorothy Clutton, that the ancient prophecy may be fulfilled, and I beg that she will emply it as far as practicable in repurchasing the Clutton property."

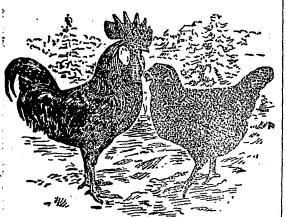
And all this arose from a chance encounter in an old cathedral on a wet "Yes; but I am afraid that will never afternoon! happen now," she said, with a little

TO DESTROY LICE

It is Essential to Kill the Young Ones as They Appear.

Farmers who do not give any attention to fowls in summer, permitting them to roost inside or outside of the sure even heating and prevent cook- year, and employed a large number of poultry house, sometimes find their ing on the sides of the can. Never ap-natives, one of whom found the freak, flocks in a condition in which many ply steam or hot water directly to the which he at first thought to be the are sick or droopy without any apparent cause, and they pronounce the disease cholera, proceeding to give remedies therefor when the cause is really lice.

Not only will the poultry house be swarming with lice but also the fences, woodpiles, trees, or wherever the hens may roost, and it is useless to attempt to get rid of lice on the hens as long as the vermin have possession of every location where the hens roost at night. Not only during



the day but through the entire night the hens are annoyed by the vermin. until they become exhausted and begin to droop, finally commencing to die off.

The use of remedies should be with the view of removing the difficulty at all cost. First, the poultry houses should be cleaned and the fowls made to roost therein, and not outside. Then the interior and exterior should be thoroughly drenched with kerosene emulsion, adding a gill of crude carbolic acid to every quart of the emulsion before adding the water. The point is to do the work so as to save labor afterward. To destroy some of the lice and allow the rest to multiply is to waste time and labor. Besides, there are eggs of lice hatching every hour, and it is essential to kill the young ones as fast as they appear.

How to Scald Poultry.

The scalding of poultry is some thing that must be done with considerable care, if best results are pro duced. Dealers see a good deal of im properly scalded poultry every week. Some of it will show that the body of the bird was over scalded, while the legs will be slack or under scalded. Of course this makes an unattractive bird, as the overscalding causes the yellow cuticle to loosen and rub off, while slack scalding is apt to increase the danger of stock becoming slip. nerv in transit, two things that do not appeal to buyers of high priced poultry.

The water for scalding should be just to a boiling point, but not actually boiling, before birds are immersed: In performing this trick it should be borne in mind that the operator must hold the bird by legs and head and then lift up and down in the water three or four times, when all feathers and pin-feathers should be removed very cleanly, without breaking the skin. One dealer says it is essential that the scalding water be of uniform temperature to insure fine appearing stock; where there is a wide variation in the temperature of the water, there is not apt to be a uniform appearance of the birds. All scalded poultry should be plumped after picking by dipping for about two seconds in very hot water-just under boiling point-and then thrown into cool water of the natural temperature, where it should be allowed to remain for fifteen or twenty minutes.

RULES FOR CHURNING

Compiled at the Texas Experiment Station

Containing Some Local Features. These, compiled at the Texas Experiment Station, have some local and climatic features, but in the main

have general application: 1. Rinse out the churn with cold water.

2. Scald thoroughly with hot water. 3. Wash out with ice water to cool. (The observance of rules 1, 2 and 3 will prevent the sticking of the cream or butter to the walls of the churn.)

4. It is necessary to weigh the cream, so that the proper amount of salt and coloring matter can be deter-

5. Strain the cream into the churn. This will prevent white specks in the butter. If the butter contains white specks it is due to:

(a) Failure to strain the cream. (b) Failure to stop the churn when the butter is in the granular form. (c) Improper washing of the granu-

lar butter. (d) The attempt to churn "mixed" lots" of cream of different degrees of

6. Put in the butter color (not necessary to use color when cows are on fresh grass pastures), from one-fourth to one ounce to 100 pounds of 30 to 35, per cent. cream, varying with the pointed out the house where at one amount of cotton-seed products fed. (a) If the butter is streaked the color may not have been properly mixed with the cream before churning com-

> 7. Churn at from 40 to 70 degrees F., according to the season and nature of the food.

menced.

(a) In our climate too low a temperature cannot be secured during gracefully, and we discussed the fam- the summer season. Better results ily tree and the family history until | will be secured at this season if 20 to 40 pounds of ice is broken up and put in the churn to aid in maintaining a

low temperature. (b) As the use of cotton seed products raises the melting point of butter considerably, the addition of a small quantity to the ration in the warm season will be good practice.

(c) When cotton seed products are fed freely during the winter season the cream should be churned at a temperature of 66 to 70 degrees F. Attempts to churn below sixty degrees will result in foaming, and prolonged and exhausting churning.

(d) In very cold weather, when an abundance of cotton seed products are fed, it may be advantageous to churn at from 70 to 80 degrees F. (e) When the cream "foams" it is

too cold. (f) If the butter is "crumbly" the churning temperature is too low.

(g) Cream should be warmed by placing the can containing it in a vessel of water (the water and cream should have the same level), heating be about the same size. Mr. Goss had gently and stirring constantly to in- several hundred acres

from five to six-tenths of one per cent of acid by Farrington's acidity test. (a) If more or less acid is present in the cream the loss of fat will be very considerably increased.

(b) Mixed batches of cream should not be churned, and all cream should be mixed at least twelve hours previous to churning, and frequently stirred to insure even ripening, and hence exhaustive churning.

(c) Sweet cream does not churn as exhaustively as acid cream, and the resulting butter is not so palatable nor salable.

9. Start the churn slowly, 30 to 40 revolutions to the minute. Remove the air plug every few revolutions for the first five minutes and allow the gas to escape. Gradually increase the speed of the churn to 40 to 60 revolutions per minute.

10. Just when the butter breaks add a gallon of ice water in warm weather, and at a temperature of 50 to 60 degrees F. in cold weather, to the churn and continue until the granules are the size of wheat grains.

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It eats with him at the table. It gets under his pillow when he It rides upon his shoulders during

the day. It consumes his grain crop.

It devours his cattle.

It selects his finest horses and the fattest steers.

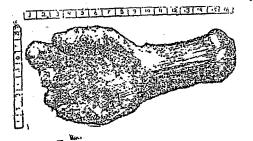
It shares the children's bread, and robs them of half their clothes. It stoops the toiler's back with its remorseless burden of care. It hard-

ens his hands, benumbs his intellect, prematurely whitens his locks, and oftentimes sends him and his aged wife over the hill to the poor house. It is the inexorable and exacting task-master.

Its whip is as merciless and cruel as the lash of the slave driver. It is a menace to liberty, a hindrance to progress, a curse to the world.

—Norton's Monthly. Potato Like Human Hand. A full-grown Cuban potato in the exact form of a man's hand was brought to New York by Adolph Goss, a wealthy farmer whose home is at the foot of San Juan hill.

The jamin, or the Cuban potato, is almost like the common sweet potato, both in form and taste and grows to



hand of a dead man. The jamin is 8. Properly ripened, cream contains almost two feet long and weighs eleven and one-half pounds. Its formation is almost perfect.

> . It doesn't take the average woman half as long to tell what she doesn't want as what she does want.

> The way to make water taste better than champagne is to eat salt fish about three hours before imbibing. Lawyer-Since you can't deny hav-

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COUNTY SEAT NEWS ^~~~~~~~~

CIRCUIT COURT.

The big \$25,000 damage suit of John T. Bays vs the Featherbone Co of Three Oaks will be tried this week the jury being secured last week Bays was badly hurt in an accident in the company's warehouse and he alleges that the pulley was defective.

The Lambert vs Mills assumpsit case is nearly finished.

· In the case of Hoveland vs Wood ley a judgement of \$668.40 was grant ed the plaintiff.

The jurors have all been excused until a week from next Monday excepthe Bays vs Featherbone Co. jury which is to report next Thursday.

Mary A. Gibbons, by O'Hara & O'Hara, has filed a bill of complaint against Katherine Gibbons and asks for a receiver for their dry goods in St. Joseph. The complainant claims that a partnership was formed between her and the defendant with the express agreement that it could be dissolved when either party so de sired. She alleges that the defendant refuses to dissolve the partnership and hence brings suit.

Judge Coolidge, late last week Wednesday, sentenced Richard Whit ford to Ionia for seven months. Whitford was tried on a serious charge and found guilty.

The jury in the case of the People vs Clyde Monier, who was arrested on a serious charge, retired at about 10:30 Thursday afternoon but could not agree on a verdict and at 1 o'clock were taken to Morton ceme tary to view the premises where the act is supposed to have taken place. The jury disagreed and were dis

charged.

The assumpsit case of Alonzo Lam bert and Mary E. Lambert vs George A. Mills was on trial Thursday. The plaintiffs claim that the defendant owes them for stone purchased for building purposes.

The case of Martha J. Hauser vs Matilda Bihlmire for assault and battery has been dismissed on motion of Hammond & Hammond.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Wilmer M. Pratt, 42, Hagar township, Abbie Bartram, 38, St. Joseph. Robert C. Watt, 21, Hattie Ison, 18,

Chicago. Joseph W. Walsh, 32, Boston, Mass., Clara Beyers, 70, Chicago.

Eastman, 24, Benton.

Wm. H. Grafe, 19, Hattie Bartbel. 8. Chicago.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

August Vetterly to Lydia E. Mc Dowell 5 acres in New Buffalo \$80. Eliza Lenhart to Ayres Deaner pro perty in Sodus \$100.

Edwin H. Guertin to Angust Schaus lot 9 blk 4 Leesides 2d add to Benton Harbor \$200.

lot 8 blk 4 Leeside's 2d add to Ben-

John E. Shooks et al to Mary A Shooks property in Bertradd \$1. cres in Buchanan \$531.25.

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ot lot 2 blk I Keigley's 1st add to Eau Claire \$550.

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to Buchanan \$500. acres in Buffalo \$1200.

F. H. Morley to John Woods lots 4 and 9 blk 27 New Troy \$50.

Manly S. Rowly to Geo. C. Tappan property in Niles \$1125.

Wm. Justice's, add to Niles \$900 .

Chas. P. Elias to F. H. Morley lots and 9 blk 27 New Troy \$100.

Farley lot 58 in Berrien Springs \$425. Edgar S. Pennell to John U. Hoffman 59 and 15-100 acres in Berrien

Eliza A. Ford to John U. Hoffman property in Oronoko \$50.

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win properto in Chikaming \$350. Fair Plain Literary Association by President and Secretary to Elvie

Young property in Benton \$200. Lufus VanPatten to John U. Hoff man property in Oronoko \$1200.

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property in Oronoko \$500. Wilda J. Tuttle to John U. Hoffman property in Oronoko \$400.

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nan property in Buchanan \$200. Jim Fox to John U. Hoffman property in Berrien Springs \$30.

man property in Buchanan \$50.

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property in Buchanan \$80. Eliza Ford to John U. Hoffman

property in Berrien Springs \$100. Sam'l A. Tudor to John U. Hoff man property in Oronoko \$850

Mary Ling et al to John M. Hoff man property in Buchanan \$425. R. S. Pennell to John U. Hoffman

property in Berrien \$3100. Elizabeth Pennell to John U. Hoff man property in Berrien \$227.50.

Lucy L. Simpson et al to John U Hoffman property in Berrien \$850. Eleanor A. Ingalls to John U. Hoff

man property in Buchanan \$250. Artie O. Noggle to John U. Hoffman property in Berrien \$20.

Melinda Morgan to John U. Hoff man property in Buchanan \$50. Burton Jarvis to John U. floffman

property in sec 1 Buchanan \$75. Peter Snyder to John U. Hoffman property in sec 2 Buchanan \$800.

Christopher Herman to John U.

property in Berrien \$3000.

Harvey Cady to John U. Hoffman property in Berrien \$575. Cora B. Barnard to John U. Hoff-

Wm. H. Suydam to Albert E. Roundy lot 53 in Baroda \$400.

& & A

Dr. S. Weir Mitchell's paper addressed to college girls in the June Ladies' Home Journal, should have by Nikola Tesla, the electric investithe widest possible reading. It is gator. Mr. Tesla regards mankind the viewpoint of a scholar and phy as a body in motion, and addresses sician on "When the College is Hurtful to a Girl." The social, domestic, its force. This can be done in three and business life of Hetty Green is strongly pictured in "The Richest ing its friction, and adding to its Woman in America," and "The Passion Play This Year" tells of the per-

Joseph Deleaw, 25, Luella May take the chief roles in the great re- fertilizers, hydrogen compounds exligious drama given every ten years tracted from the atmosphere by the at Oberammergau. Ian Maclaren chemical action of electric discharges. writes on "The Minister and His Vacation." and Mrs. Burton Kingsland on "Correct Letter-Writing." he would lessen the destructiveness Rudyard Kipling's "Just So" story, of future battles by producing electelling how the kangaroo came by tric machines that would fight withhis long hind legs, is extremely funny Julia Magruder's capital new serial is begun in the June Journal. She calls thus taking the personal animus out it "The Voice in the Choir." There of war. The transmission of intelli-August Schaus to Jas. A. Hinkle are several notable pictorial features: a page drawing. "The Auction at distances by electricity operating the Farm," by A. B. Frost; a group of photographs showing "Sol Smith Mr. Tesla announces one or more con-Russell in His Summer Home"; the Mary A. Quint to Emma Wray 81 third installment of "Through Picturesque America"; an apron worked Mary M. Goodwin to Mabel Hull by Mary, Queen of Scots, while awaiting execution, and "Cottage Chambers.". The correct thing in women's Douglas Ely to Ella M. Wilkinson | wear, articles on cooking and other themes pertaining to the home are included in the practical features of the Journal. By The Curtis Publishing Company, Philadelphia. One dollar a year; ten cents a copy.

> * * * The Filipino Character is Not Trustworthy.

From our point of view, all of them seem immature, by which is meant Sarah L. Nash to Geo. Nash 40 their characters are comparable with those of Anglo-Saxon boys, rather than with those of men of our race. Their principles do not seem fully formed. A native servant will be faithful and honest for years, and Lydia Peake to Frederick Carter then steal a paltry sum, perhaps to lot 15 Beeson's sub division of lot 62 buy a trinket for his sweetheart. They require frequent admonitions to duty. They have much amour propre, are even touchy, and think more of a Hannah L. Cuthbert to Bethuel slight than of an injury. They are presuming, and generally on the watch to see how far they can go. They are both suspicious and credu lous. They are generous and hospitable, but give the impression of neither expecting gratitude for favors, nor feeling it. This, however, is a somewhat uncertain point, for they are extremely reluctant to betray their feelings in the presence of white men. They are not frank, and their word is not to be depended upon, in most cases.—From "Are the Philip-Becker, in the June Scribner's.

* * * Leafy June 18 high carnival for Outing's readers, and color strikes the keynote of the issue. It comes in its new and permanent three-color cover by Maxfield Parrish, and its opening articles on ',The Country Cart of to-day," by Casper Whitney, has nine illustrations in four colors Frank A. Gonder to John U. Hoff- by Edward Penfield. It is the season when the road calls with more than siren power, and "Early Road Driving and its patrons" is a welcome reminder of other June and other men. June, too, claims Polo for its own, and the "Educating of a Polo Pony" comes from the pen of Owen Wister, tinged with the seriocomic persiflage of this gifted writer. June, too, is when "How to lay out and care for a golf course" is seasonable, and "The Why and Wherefore of the Rules of Golf" will be understood as explained by C. B. Macdonald, a member of the N. G. A. Rules Committee. Anglers will find in "A Bit about Bass" a wealth of practical knowledge, and "The Evo lution of the trout and artificial fly" explains many a trouting mystery, whilst "The Water Wolf" is a reminiscence of the Muscallonge in June. "On the Big Sea Water" tells of a cruise in Georgian Bay the most picturesque of American yachting waters. "In Woodland Byways" is a delightful morning's walk through the Chautauquan woods, beautifully embellished by J. Oliver Nugent. "The Road and its Reward" is a dainty bicycling idyll. More adven turous spirits will follow the fortunes of "Twenty-four Hours in the Ropes," Hoffman property in sec 2 Buchanan an ascent of the Matterhorn, and the absorbing "Jungle Duel," a tiger Alex Burke to John U. Hoffman fight to the death. Still others, with equal pleasure, will read of "The | Singing Gibbon." a vocal ape of the Philippines, and George Wharton James' powerful description of "The man property in sec 12 Buchanan Hopi Snake Dance," a mystic cere mony of a strange people on the mesas

of Arizona, One of the most notable articles The Century has ever printed is "The Problem of Increasing Human Energy," contributed to the June number himsels to the problem of increasing ways: by increasing its mass, reduc velocity. Its moss is chiefly reduce by lack of food, and to increase the formances and of the players who food supply he would utilize, as

The chief frictional element diminishing velocity is organized warfare, and out involving the exposure of those who launched them against the enemy, gence and of power to enormous without increasing human energy, tributions, presenting for the first time photographic views of recent experiments with electrical forces of enormous voltage. His paper com bines philosophical theorizing with the record, now for the first time made, of experimentation in many directions.

Who is there in Michigan who is not ready for a cessation to all this strife and turmoil over stealing from the state Government? Only those who have their grasp on the powers that be and are satisfied to permit things to go on as they are, probably under the presumption that their opportunity will come soon. But the voters are the people yet awhile and we do not think it possible for them to strike a more forcible blow than to do what they can to secure the nomination and election of Hon. D. M Ferry for Governor. Mr. Ferry is one of the most conservative and successful business men in Michigan. He has brought his personal enterprises. to their present high standard simply through his personal supervision and we feel confident that if elected governor he will give the affairs of state the same careful painstaking atten+

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tion. Sturgis Jonrnal. * * * in the June number of McClure's Magazine will relate the story of some of the more important conflicts that have arisen, during the Governor's organization politicians, and will show what these conflicts tend to independence in politics. The article will be written by J. Lincoln Steffens pines Worth Having?" by George F. of the New York Commercial Adver-

* * * Tainting Milk in the Udder.

The question has often been asked if the bacteria which cause the tint in the milk do not pass through the tissues of the animal from the intestinal tract to the udder, says a writer in Practical Dairyman.

This question- has doubtless been suggested by the fact that frequently after the cows begin to drink from stagnant pools, the taint of "grassy curds begin to appear. The frequent detection in the milk

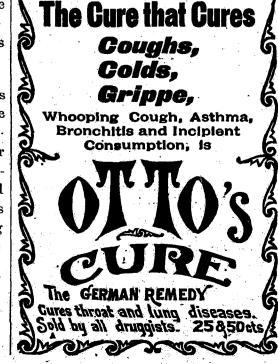
of flavors and odors characteristic of vegetables which the cows have eaten, such as garlic and turnip, may have suggested that bacteria could in

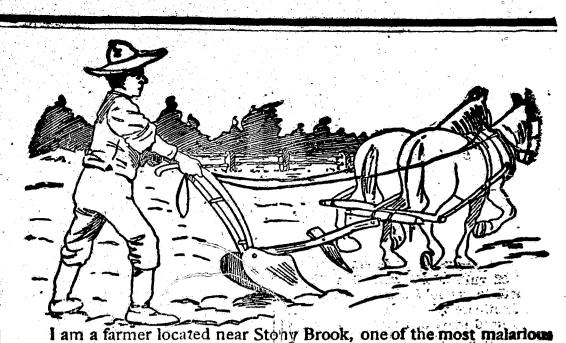
like manner pass into the milk. The belief centered in the affirmative answer to this question is so strongly entertained by some dairymen that a word of explanation seems

necessary. Some of the early hypothesis regarding bacteria in the animal body might be construed to mean that such a procedure was possible but the fact is now well established, supported by the results of many investigations, that the bacteria do not pass from the digestive tract to the various glands of the body so long as the animal is in a perfectly healthy condition. This does not imply that such a passage does not under certain abnormal conditions take place; but that it is a rare normal occurrence, must in the light of our present knowledge, be unhesitatingly denied. The occurrence of tubercle or anthrax bacilli in the milk is not an analogous case. for in these diseases, the bacteria are already within the animal body where they can be carried to various parts by the blood and lymph in their respective

In order to bring positive evidence to support this reply, two experiments were made to test the power of bacteria to pass from the intestine to the udder. The fore milk of two cows was carefully examined and the norbacteria content determined throughout the stable, and, coming in contact with the end of the teats, this particular species found a suitable place for multiplying and from there grew up into the udder. The examination of the milk from several animals in different dairies fails to show a common invasion with this or similar organisms.

OF STREET





districts in this State, and was bothered with malaria for years, at times so I could not work, and was always very constipated as well. For years I had malaria so bad in the spring, when engaged in plowing, that I could do nothing but shake. I must have taken about a barrel of quinine pills besides dozens of other remedies, but never obtained any permanent benefit. Last fall, in peach time, I had a most serious attack of chills and then commenced to take Ripans Tabules, upon a friend's advice, and the first box made me all right and I have never been without them since. I take one Tabule each morning and night and sometimes when I feel more than usually exhausted I take three in a day. They have kept my stomach sweet, my bowels regular and I have not had the least touch of malaria nor splitting headache since I commenced using them. I know also that I sleep better and wake up more refreshed than formerly. I don't know how many complaints Ripans Tabules will help, but I do know they will cure any one in the condition I was and I would not be without them at any price. I honestly consider them the cheapest-priced medicine in the world, as they are also the most beneficial and the most convenient to take. I am twenty-seven years of age and have worked hard all my life, the same as most farmers, both early and late and in all kinds of weather, and I have never enjoyed such good health as I have since last fall; in fact, my neighbors have all remarked my improved condition and have said, "Say, John, what are you doing to look so healthy?"

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Bertrand Township.

The Republican voters of Bertrand township are requested to meet in caucus in the town hall on Thursday, May 31, 1900 at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of selecting 7 delegates to the County Delegate Convention to be held at Niles, June 12, and such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

By order of committee, SYLVANUS FERGUSON.

Chairman.

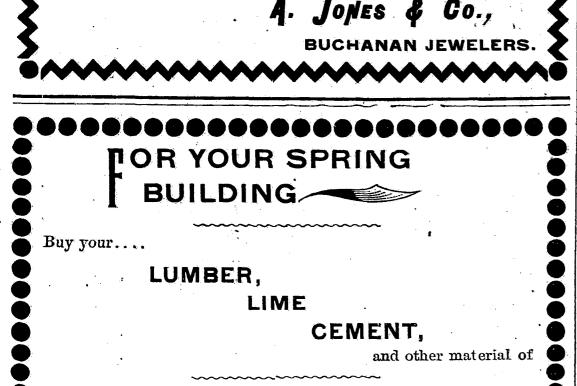
Township Caucus.

A Republican Caucus of the voters of Buchanan township will be held on Saturday afternoon, June 2, at the Council Chambers, commencing at 2 o'clock for the purpose of selecting 20 delegates to the Connty Delegate Convention to be held at Niles, June 12, and the transaction of such other business as may properly com before the caucus.

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The Michigan Press Association will hold their mid-summer meeting this year at Benton Harbor, some time in July.

Ferry's Prospects.

As the time for holding the state nominating convention approaches, it is more than ever evident that Hon. D. M. Ferry will be the next governor of Michigan as his chances for Kent county caucuses have been held and the Stearns forces failed to capture a majority. In Wayne county the Detroit Evening News an avowed Stearns organ has complained bitterly that the Stearns men cannot keep their forces together and concedes the delegation to Ferry. With such a lead as these two counties give Mr. Ferry he will easily distance all other candidates.

The Detroit Journal publishes the following dispatch from Grand Rapids under date of May 25:

In an interview to-day George Bardeen, the president of the Otsego paper mills, said that he favored D M. Ferry for governor, and would work for him to the last point. Mr. Bardeen thinks that it is now time for the party to rid itself of some of its scandals, and believes that Mr. Ferry as governor, would not permit any such disgraceful conduct from its state officers as is now being unearthed at Lansing. He also believes that the party's salvation is in nominating Ferry. "The people of Michigan," said Mr. Bardeen, "I believe will set down upon anything that is Pingreeized, and we can never elect any man who is not known to be entirely, free from the Pingree influence."

Mr. Bardeen is very sanguine that Allegan will give Ferry her vote in the convention, and looks for the Detroit man's nomination on the second or third ballot. He does not believe in being partial to any part of the country, but says "we want ernment at Lansing than has been afthe best man, no matter where he comes from."

If there were not scores of other gree is infintely more bitter in his in-

vectives against D. M. Ferry than BUCHANAN RECORD. against any other candidate for Governor, and has threatened to runas an independent candidate, should Ferry be the choice of the Republican state convention, ought to and doubtless would be sufficient cause to insure Mr. Ferry's nomination at an early, if not the first, ballot, and his election by a much larger majority than would be given any other candidate now in the field .- Sturgis

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BUCHANAN, MICH.

A Business Man to Begin the Century.

The latest instance in which a business man of exceptional standing and prominence has made a late entry into politics is presented by the case of D. M. Ferry. His methods are unconventional and reveal a directness and frankness that are lacking in the methods of the ordinary politician, but seem to be none the less nomination were never better. The leffective. The keenest observers in all the factions of the part now concede that his nomination for governor can only be prevented by developments of a most unlooked for description.

> A stalwart believer in Republican principals, Mr. Ferry has for years been one of the strong men in the Republican party in Michigan: Helithis is the first visit he has made to has been a sustaining member of the party organization in generous financial measure but had no personal identification with politics prior to years ago. Mr. Crandall says he ex-1896 when, during his absence from the state, he was elected to the chairmanship of the state central committee, his discharge of the duties of that position contributing to a victory of notable and striking propor-

men Mr. Ferry is a marked man bý reason of the exceptional brilliancy of his career. Exactly 50 years ago this summer he was a struggling and fatherless farm lad employed at a lad's wages in central New York. At the present date his resources are scarcely exceeded by those of any other resident of Michigan. The point in this statement lies in the fact that not a dollar of Mr. Ferry's possession has been made in any speculative enterprise. His fortune is due wholly to the exercise of farseeing judgement in legitimate enterprises subject to the competition of the business world.

That sentiment among the voters that is reaching out for better govforded during recent years has resulted in manifestations of especial interest in Mr. Ferry's candidacy.

A careful, effective economical good reasons, the one feet that Pin-administration is what Mr. Ferry's nomination will assure. The popular.

conviction on this point and the wide area in the state through which his name is most favorably known renders him the strongest candidate the Republicans could present this year for the suffrages of the people at the

The twentieth century list of Mich- terns out of date. igan governors will be headed by the name of D. M. Ferry.-Marshall Statesman.

PERSONAL.

Attorney A. C. Roe was in Niles Tuesday.

Mr. E. C. Dana of Niles was in town yesterday.

Miss Ella Hahn spent Sunday with relatives in Niles.

Mr. Roy Clarke of Pipestone was in town Saturday.

Line Inspector Jas. Hatch was over from Niles, Monday.

Mrs. A. A. Amsden visited Mrs. J

H. Godfrey last week. Mr. J. M. Caulfield of South Bend

was in town Tuesday. Mr. W. S. Martin of Berrien Springs

wes in town Saturday. Mr. J. E. Barnes of Benton Harbon

pent Memorial Day in town.

Deputy Sheriff J. C. Wenger was n Benton Harbor, Monday.

Mr. Will Worlds, of South Haven, s visiting relatives in town.

Mr. John Weisgerber of Jackson is visiting relatives in town. Mr. Merritt Osborn spent severa

days in town with his mother. 'Allen Spooner of Dowagiac spent

Sunday with Buchanan friends. Messrs Herbert Batchelor and Frank

Saunders were in Niles last Friday.

Mrs. Joseph Burch entertained her niece from Dowagiac over Sunday.

Mrs. Ira Boyer started, Wednesday, to join her husband in Prescott, Ariz. The Misses Samson entertained their

cousin, Mrs Kimbell of Niles last

Mr. and Mrs Guy Osborn of Elkhart spent Decoration Day in town with

elatives. Mrs. Geo. Southerton of Battle

Creek is visiting her mother Mrs. A. Woodbridge. Mr. E. L. Page of Vicksburg, Mich.

Page last Thursday. Drs. L.W. and L.V. Platt of Marion,

Ind. were the guests of Dr. Claude Roe, Monday afternoon. Messrs Joseph Wachs of Mishawaka and J. W. Morris of Elkhart visited

Mr. John Morris this week. Dr. C. B. Roe went to Galien this afternoon and will sing a solo at the

School Commencement this evening. Misses Kittie Wells, Bernice Best Thursa Barmore, Bersl Wynn and Bernice Mead were Niles visitors last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bliss and son who have been visiting relatives in town returned to their home in Chicago, Monday.

Mrs. C. A. Jacobson and son who have been visiting her sister Mrs., D. H. Bower, left on Sunday for their home in Newburgh, N. Y.

Mr. A. W. Noyes, Travelling Passenger Agent of the Chicago & Great Western Railway, was in town Friday, the guest of Mr. John Morris. Mr. Noves expects to have his family spend the summer at Clear Lake.

Mr. G. B. Crandell of Cassopolis was in town Monday. Mr. Crandall was an old resident of Buchanan and Buchanan in forty years. Mr. Crandall talks entertainingly about early and his relatives are noted for heavy days in Buchanan, having worked for Mr. A. Carlisle's father over forty | He is six feet in height and weighs 175 pects to come oftener now he has found the way.

The M. C. R. R. Co. will run special excursion train from Jackson to Chicago on Saturday, June 2nd passing Buchanan at 10:34 o'clock a. m. and arriving at Chicago at 1:10 Even among successful business o'clock p. m. Tickets will be valid to return from Chicago on any regular train leaving Chicago up to and including train No. 6, Monday, June 4, at 6:45 o'clock a. m. Fare for the round trip \$1.25 from Buch-A. F. Peacock,

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His Opinion. "What are you doing, Jimmie?" "Reading th' dictionary through." "How do you like it?"

"Oh, some o' th' words is good, but others hain't much sense in 'em."-Judge.

Quite Likely. Brown-"What would you do if some one should leave you a hundred thousand dollars?" Jones-"I suppose I'd begin to realize how little a hundred thousand really is."—Truth.

A letter recently came to a Georgia ly." rural postoffice with the following address: "To my son William, if he's keepin Good Company; if he ain't. Please Return, as There's \$2 in it."

Some people have faith in odd numbers—and the favorite is number one

JEWELRY AT THE MINT. People Deposit It to be Melted and Turned into Legal Tender.

Shortly after the holiday season the mint is overburdened with deposits of gold jewelry for melting, brought by persons unable to keep the valuable trinkets or jewelers disposing of pat-

From 1873 down to last year the amount of money paid out by the government for old gold and plate annually has increased steadily. The highwater mark was reached in 1891, when the government paid out for plate and jewelry \$4,035,710. In 1873 the amount was \$774,218, and it reached the million mark in 1880, the two-million mark in 1886, and the three-million mark in 1889. Except for the year 1891, when it went to four millions, it was between three and four million dollars until last year, when it fell to \$2,810,-284. The Philadelphia mint melts nine-tenths of the plate and jewelry presented to the government. Payment is generally made in gold when the jewelry is of that metal.

Ziegler Jones, of the weighing department of the mint, said that the principal metal received was gold, as the mint did not recoin silver, but simply refined it 999-1000ths fine. "There are," he said, "many people who deposit jewelry at the mint which is very valuable, but out of style. Many of them are stirred up in the matter by reading of robberies and realize that the keeping of old jewelry is a temptation for servants and sneak thieves. Only this morning a poor Russian left a heavy gold watch to be melted. It was given him for bravery in his native army. The net amount turned over to the astonished foreigner was

"By far the greatest amount of metal is sent to the mint from jewelers, dentists and assayers. As a rule, we do not accept a deposit which will net in the essay under \$100. The hard times have a very great influence on the amount of jewelry received from private individuals."-Philadelphia Times.

ONE HORSE'S APPETITE.

The Old Fellow Possessed a Phenomenal Capacity.

"An old horse with an inordinate appetite is one of the curiosities I found on a recent trip to Eastern Kentucky," said Col. Andrew Yates, the other day. "This ancient animal was once ridden by a mail rider over in West Virginia and had to go in a jog from daylight till after dusk each day, except Sunday. But after long service 'old Bawley' was traded off to a farmer living over on the Kentucky side of the mountains, and he recently pensioned the animal, putting 'Bawley' on the pasture and letting him have all he was the guest of his sister Miss Sophia craved morning and evening at feeding time. An ordinary meal for 'Bawley' is two racks of hay, thirty ears of corn. a two-gallon bucket of bran, a gallon of oats and all the stale bread and meat in the house. 'Bawley' is as fond of meat and bread as of hay and corn; and, in fact, will eat almost anything, not drawing the line at fruit or sweet things. The four-legged gourmand once broke in the hog pen and emptied a large trough of slop which had just been poured in for the porkers. His owner said he once heard the old horse whining in pain, and went out and dosed 'Bawley', his imprudence in devouring a bucket of new-made jam, having superinduced serious illness, but the horse was ready to eat the following morning as usual." -Louisville Post.

Some Long Beards.

Perhaps the best-known beard in the United States is that of ex-Senator Peffer, of Kansas, which was said to measure three feet long, but there are many which exceed that in size. The museums frequently contain men five feet and over whose beards sweep the floor when they stand up, but perhaps the longest of all is that of Legrand Larow, of Larow, Mo., which is said to exceed any other in the world. It is seven feet in length, and has measured 7½ feet. Mr. Larow was born in Tompkins county, New York, in 1852, beards, but not extraordinary length. pounds. When standing with his beard down it extends two feet upon the floor. He has not shaved for over twenty years. He wears his beard braided and wound around his body, or else wrapped and lodged inside his vest.-Boston Transcript.

Poor Tommy.

"Why, Mrs. Jamesby!" exclaimed a neighbor across the backyard fence. "Do you beat your own carpets?" "Yes," replied Mrs. Jamesby.

don't mind it. It's good exercise." "I should think you'd have Tommy do it."

"Poor Tommy!" rejoined the good woman, resuming ther exercise. "He a. m., arriving at 7:50 a. m.; and will belongs (whack!) to a gymnatic class | leave South Bend at 8:10 a. m., arrivdown town, and (whack!) he's so tired when he comes home in the afternoon (whack!) that I haven't the heart to ask him (whack!) to take told of any work like this." (Whack! whack!)-Youth's Companion.

To Be Considered With Care. "Say, Maud," sald Mamie, "did you see Mrs. Jinkles new vase?"

"Yes. , Isn't it perfectly horrid?" "I don't know yet. I haven't found out whether it is modern and perfectly horrid, or antique and perfectly love-

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THURSDAY, MAY 31, 1900.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

All "copy" for change of advertiscnents must be in our office by Wednesday of each week to ensure the change

The City Bakery has an adv. that "takes the bun." Read it.

Yee Wah has an adv. of his laundry work in this week's REBORD. Read it. Churchill & Var Every have an adv. that ou should read.

Mrs. Bertha Roe has a new adv. this

C. D. Kent is telling about the new erry crates in his adv. this week.

H. P. Binns tells of Books for Comnencement gifts in his adv. this week.

A. Jones & Co. are advertising graduating presents. Read their adv. J. C. Ellsworth has a change of adv.

LOCAL NOTES

Mr. Fred Ashby has rented the Searles cottage on Second street, just

Mr. W. E. Greer, of Plymouth, Ind., has accepted a position with Mr. W. W. Waterman.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutton have moved and are now pleasantly located in

Mrs. Bertha Roe has just received her new oven, and is busily engaged in setting it up in her new room.

Mr. Will C. Porter's solo rendered at the M. E. Church Sunday was

much appreciated by his hearers. Teachers' examinations for Berrien

county will be held at St. Joseph on June 21 and 22 at the Court House. Mr. O. P. Woodworth has been

confined to his home for the week past with an attack of appendicitis. Mr. R. A. Swain of Niles is finish-

ing his studies in telegraphy and learning railroad work of Mrs. J. H.

A much needed improvement House and Lot, one of the very the shape of a cement side walk is being put down in front of the post

Mr. Wm. Southerton and family will be devoted to C. W. B. M. work. moved this week to Battle Creek. Mrs. Southerton's father, Mr. Andrews started on Tuesday morning to drive through.

The M. B.H. & C. Railway Co. will change their time card. June 3d. Sunday trains will be put on and will be run about the same last season.

A fine board walk has been laid in front of the Christian Church, a fence put up, and the grounds laid out for some fine plants and a grass plot in front of the building.

Mr. and Mrs. Waler Boone have make their future home. Mr. Boone | Banner-Register. has been at Jackson for sometime past. Mrs. Boone starts today.

Mr. Elton Sheldon returned from New Buffalo, Friday evening with a badly sprained ankle. He was working with the extra gang on the M. C. R. R. at the time of the accident.

Photographer H. E. Bradley is making extensive alterations and repairs to his gallery, putting in a fine new sky light, painting, papering and otherwise fixing up in fine shape.

Mr. Will C. Porter has a fine sample wagon fitted up with the Buchanan Ball Bearing pneumatic bicycle wheels, which he uses in driving to and from the Axle Works.

Mr. Geo. Searles is tearing away the dangerous portions of the old house corner Oak street and Second street. He has not decided whether he will repair the balance of the

Mr. and Mrs. Harry O. Perrott are the proud parents of a fine girl baby. The young lady arrived, Tuesday Sunday by Rev. Jas. Provan was afternoon, and weighed about twelve pounds. Mother and daughter are doing nicely.

. The W. C. T. U. meeting dated, June 1st has been postponed till June S and will be held at the home of Mrs. Eli Eghert. The program will be appropriate for the observance of Flower Mission Day.

The Bethany class of the Methodist Sunday School enjoyed a pleasant picnic at Clear Lake on Saturday. Dinner was served in great shape by members of the class. Lawn tennis, and other games passed the day in an enjoyable manner.

The A's and B's of the Presbyterian hurch will give the funniest social at Mrs. Fannie White's Friday evening June 1st, you ever heard of. It is called a Seven Cent Social. The admission is 7 cents, the seven sisters will be there, seven booths will be erected, and seven numbers on the program. Everybody invited to be present and see the seven sights.

Yesterday at the ball game, Fred, son of Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Knight received a bad fall, caused by missing a limb of a tree which he had at tempted to catch by jumping. Fortunately, however, he escaped with nothing more serious than a serious

STATE CONVENTION. To be Held, June 27.

The republican state central com mittee have decided to hold the state convention in Grand Rapids, on June 27. D. P. Markey, of Port Huron, will be temporary chairman, Dennis Alward, of Clare, was elected secretary and Homer Warren, of Detroit, treasurer of the committee.

* * * Board of Review Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll of the Village of Buchanan is completed, and that the Board of Review of said Village will meet and be in session at the Village Council Room Friday, June 1, and Saturday, June 2, 1900. The sessions of the board will begin each day at 8 o'clock a. m. and continue to 12 o'clock, noon, and begin in the after: noon of each day at 1 o'clock and continue to 6 o'clock p. m., at which time and place all persons deeming themselves aggrieved will be heard

> H. N. Mowrey, Assessor. * * *

Annual Missionary Convention.

The Annual Missionary Convention of the Second District will be held at the Christian Church, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. The first session will be held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, and will consist of reports and preliminary addresses. The evening session will be devoted to addresses by Alex Mc-Millan and Mead E. Dutt. Tuesday's and greatly damaged. Mr. Russell, morning session will be devoted to they declare, is overseeing the work. The afternoon session will be given restraining the defendants from conup to a general conference of mission-tinuing work on the ditch and circuit ary secretaries of the district, after which the balance of the afternoon injunction. Wednesday's morning session will be Caulfield as agent of Mr. Perry, at devoted to Sunday School, and the Buchanan, Tuesday, and considerable afternoon and evening to Christian speculation is indulged in over the

Roy Clark, candidate for county clerk, in order to keep in touch with the political heart throbs has also put a phone at his farm home. Mr. Clark says his reason for so doing is to have the best of connection between his office at the county seat and his farm work. The 'elephone at Berrien Springs under the new and latest systems is working admirably and the citizens of the old county seat are moved to Jackson, where they will especially jubilant.—Benton Harbor

Buchanan Market.

The following quotations are furnshed the RECORD by the Niagara Mills, Bainton Bros. proprietors: Wheat 69c

Banquet Postponed.

Owing to the inability to secure a building with proper seating capacity for the proposed banquet of the Berrien County Republican- Club has been indefinitely postponed. later date will no doubt be selected.

Memorial Day.

The observance of Memorial Day under the auspices of Perrott Post G. A. R. yesterday was the most successful held in years. The day was perfect and a large number both of the members of the Post and the school children were in the line. The program as printed last week was carried out, Mr. Worthington's address at the cemetery being excellent. The sermon at the Presbyterian Church on greatly enjoyed by the veterans-

* * * · Base Ball.

Last Saturday an exciting game of hall was played between Brown's Pets and Kissinger's Indians at the Axle Works. The Indians proved an easy mark for the Pets, the score standing

The Axle Works team played a return game with the High School yesterday afternoon. The weather was fine and a good attendance witnessed an excellent game. The score was as

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 Total. Axle Works, 013302004 13. High School, 320000000 5. Base Hits. Axle Works 14; High School 5. Batteries J. Hanover and Herb. Han-

over; Righ School, Fuller and Butts. Time

The Buchanan High School base ball team went to Niles Thursday and played the Niles High School team. The score was close, being 15 to 12 in favor of Niles.

The Buchanan High School Base Ball team will play the St. Joseph High School team at the Buchanan grounds next Saturday, June 2nd,

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BUCHANAN TOWNSHIP. Mixed up in the Berrien Springs Dam Controversy.

Buchanan township has become identified with the Berrien Springs dam mixup. Gazley's mill about 6 miles north of town is the scene of controversy, an interesting struggle for this property being waged by F. M. Gray of Niles representing the Chapin interests on one side and N V. Perry of Joliet, Ills. and J. M. Caulfield of South Bend representing the anti-Chapin interests.

On Monday an injunction was issued against F. M. Gray restraining him from meddling with the Gazley mill dam north of Buchanan. Tuesday the tables were turned and second injunction has been served on Mr. Gray's opponents, N. V. Perry and John M. Caulfield.

Mr. Gray and Fred G. Hall, by Valentine & Ellsworth, have commenced suit against Messrs. Perry and Caulfield and John Russell. The plaintiffs claim the ownership of the Gazley mill property and allege that the defendants are constructing a ditch so that these lands will be overflowed papers and reports of committees. The plaintiffs asked the injunction commissioner St. Clair granted the

The injunction was served on Mr. outcome of the case.

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Republican County Convention.

A Republican county convention will be held at the city of Niles on Tuesday, June 12, 1900, at 11 o'clock a.m. for the purpose of selecting 21 delegates to the Republican state nominating convention yet to be called; 21 delegates to the congressional nominating convention at Benton Harbor, June 14, 1900, and 32 delegates to the senatorial nominating convention yet to be called. The following is the number of delegates to which each township and ward is entitled:

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" 3 w. 7. Pipestone, " 4 w. 6. Three Oaks, Watervliet 1 pct. 10. Weesaw,

Total. 144. 158. A. N. WOODRUFF, E. S. Kelley, Chairman, Secretary.

* * * Letters unclaimed remaining in P. O. at Buchanan, Mich., for week ending, May 22, 1900, Mr. Isaac Geirkns

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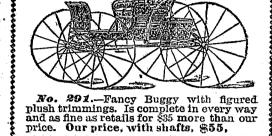
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HAWAII'S DREAD PLAGUE DISCUSSED BY A HAWAIIAN.

Island Authorities Hope, But Are Not Sure, That They Have It Under Con trol at Last-Life in the Colony-Regarding Infectiousness.

Hawaiian authorities sincerely believe that they have fought leprosy to a standstill. They base this belief on the fact that few or no lepers under middle age are now discovered. The young leper is only occasionally found. A few years ago it was not so. When the plan of segregating the sufferers from their kind and sending them to the colony on Molokai to live was put into operation, the discovery of young victims was comparatively common. Now, if no more youthful cases are found it is perfectly obvious that the complete stamping out of the disease will be only a question of time. It is, of course, unnecessary to state that no person in Hawaii cherishes any hope more earnestly than the hope that the spread of the disease has at last been definitely stopped.

The leper colony contained 1,111 persons on a certain date not long ago, and the population thereof is gradually though very slowly increasing. The number of persons known to be leprous in the colony is not increasing, however, but the reverse, the decrease by death more than offsetting the increase by newly discovered cases. The increase of population comes from the births. An attempt was made some years ago to prevent the marriage of lepers. It was not successful, however, and many children have been born of these marriages. Whether they will surely be lepers is not yet settled. Many of them are now apparently as healthy as any one. The boys and girls are kept separate, are educated and well cared for. The dread of leprosy felt by these young people is very marked, as a matter of course. They aid the authorities in the work of fighting it to the extent of their ability by keeping entirely apart from those known to be tainted. This is rendered quite easy by the fact that the quarters of the youngsters are several miles from the homes of the adult sufferers. The colony, you must understand, covers a territory at least ten or eleven miles long and half as many wide, or more at one point.

The leper colony, by the way, is a little world of itself. The colonists are much like other human beings. They engage in various occupations and have a social life of their own. They even publish newspapers. There was a time when the lepers were allowed to have certain small amounts of money in their possession. This has been stopped, however, because it was found that they would gamble it away, and all the money in the colony speedily found its way into the pockets of a

Everything possible is done to make the life of the children in the colony as bearable as may be. Every now and again an appeal is published in the newspapers for the raising of money to buy them something which they lack, and such an appeal never fails of its object. The boys have two bands, and their instruments and the uniforms which they wear were sent to them as the result of private subscriptions in Honolulu, and the pleasure to the young girls in the colony has been especially looked after in many ways.

It is not easy for strange newspaper men to visit the colony. In fact, no one can obtain a permit to do so unless he is vouched for as a person who will not write in too "yellow" a vein concerning what he sees there.

"The statement that leprosy is not contagious," said a lifelong resident, "has been made so many times that it is hardly necessary to repeat it. The contention that it is not infectious, -made by some who should be able to speak with authority, is false and misleading. Hawaiians, who ought to

have some notion of the facts, if any one has, are unanimous in the belief that it is infectious. Furthermore, although they think it not likely to be contradicted by persons of correct life, yet even that is not impossible.

The table linen, too, is always displaced at these January "white sales." For the last two years it has been carnations and broken grasses for borders, oak leaves and acorns and a sort of zigzag chain lightning pattern, but now we find four leafed clovers with clover blossoms, polka dots large and small and half moons with a small flower of some sort scattered among the moons. The prettiest of them all was one satiny design of moss rose buds with trailing vine of the same as border. The napkins, three dozen, are always produced in miniature in the same design in three sizes. One can always obtain a tray cloth and doilies off the same if one wishes-and has money enough. Isn't it funny when you look at it? You see a pile of beautiful, clean, white linen which the storekeeper is willing to give you in exchange for some dirty, ill-smelling, old, greeny brown rags.

The Doomed Elephant.

Alfred Sharpe contributes to Blackwood a very interesting little plea for the preservation of the African elephant, which is being ruthlessly slaughtered for its ivory, and is now in danger of extinction. The reason is not far to seek. The African native throughout the continent, since the introduction of firearms, urged on by the high value of ivory in European markets, has slaughtered elephants wherever he could find them, regardless of size or of sex, and so long as ivory of all descriptions is a valuable article elephants will continue to be indiscriminately killed. It would not do, as some have suggested, to try to destroy the trade in ivory, because it is almost the only export of Central Africa, but—

"If all the powers and states helding territory in Africa would agree to strictly prohibit the export of tusks under a certain weight, say fourteen pounds (or portions of such tusks) and would faithfully carry out such agreement, all small ivory would become valueless to the owners. The African does not like to waste his powder; he would soon cease slaughtering the small and undersized elephants. Not many cow tusks exceed twelve pounds in weight, and one result of this prohibition would be that in the course of time, as soon as the news had spread throughout tropical Africa that small tusks were no longer of any value, neither cow elephants nor under-sized beasts would be shot for their ivory. It might be expedient even to go a step further—to make it a criminal offense to be in possession of tusks under fourteen pounds in weight."

This sounds very well in theory, but for a country which cannot prevent the destruction and probable extinction of our rarer birds at home it is probably In the nature of a counsel of perfection. It is unfortunate that up to the present it has not been found possible to catch and tame African elephants and to have them of practical use, as is done with the Indian species. They would probably not be more difficult to tame, but conditions in which they live make it almost impracticable to secure them. They roam over vast tracts and are so harrassed by hunters that they never remain in one locality more than a few hours, and a day later are, perhaps, twenty miles away.

Says He Saw a Top Spin 71 Minutes.

"I see that a couple of Northern scientists are wrangling over the invention of a top that spins for an hour without stopping," said a New Orleans engineer, talking about mechanical curios. "No detailed description of the device has even been printed, but I can assure both claimants that it is far from a novelty.

"Oven ten years ago, to the best of my recollection, a German watchmaker, who was then living here, made a top which I myself have several times seen spin for more than an hour. His

name was William Freund, and I believe he is now at Dallas, Tex. He was a sort of all-round mechanical genius and used to occupy his leisure by making quaint automatic toys, which he generally gave away. The long-distance top consisted of a metal sphere, about the size of a football, surmounted by two thin; wide disks, which, to the best of my recollection, were made of tin, with a strip of lead around the edge. Freund called the thing the 'Saturn top," because these disks made it look something like the familiar pictures of that planet. At the bottom of the sphere was a short pin with a sharp point, on which the apparatus revolved, and on top was a peg for winding the string which gave it its impetus. No other mechanism was visible. Freund spun the toy in a small saucer the two or duck. Why, I fairly bowed him out of three times I saw it in motion. He the store, and after he had gone I held it erect by a handle which rested | carefully placed the envelope in my in a cavity at the end of the peg, gave | cash drawer and locked it up Then I the string a quick jerk and away it went. It whirled around so smoothly young man to come back, and when and with such a total absence of any- | he failed to show up I took the envelthing like wobble that it was hard to ope out and ripped it open, not with discern that it was really moving. any idea in my head that anything was it appeared to be standing perfectly wrong, but simply because I was imstill. The longest time that I saw it patient with the man for being so inspin was 1 hour and 11 minutes, but | considerate after I had done him a faon other occasions, it beat that record slightly."

Cultivate the Orchard. It has been shown at many ex-

periment stations that an orchard that it cultivated will grow more than the it did hit me it came like a ton of orchard not cultivated. All fruit | brick. 'Oh, you gosh durned fool,' I growers know, or should know, that any kind of fruit or vegetables must be cultivated to bring the best results. There are times, it is true, when an orchard should not be cultivated, e. g., when a pear or other orchard is affected by the blight, then it should be sown down to grass to keep it from making too rapid growth.

The Illinois Experiment Station made experiments to find the superiority of cultivation over grass. They found that with Ben-Davis apple trees the diameter of the trunks, one foot above the surface of the soil, was about twice as great in the case of the cultivated plat as in the case of that in the grass. In California, apricot trees during one season in the cultivated fields made a wood growth of over three feet, while those in the uncultivated field made a growth of not

three inches, on the experiment farm. Cultivation makes a great change in the yield of fruit. If a man don't believe it let him leave his corn field untended, and he will soon be convinced. And if the soil be examined. where a field has been cultivated it will be found to contain a greater amount of moisture than where the field has not been cultivated. C. C. B.

Sheep Ticks.

The sheep tick does its evil work under cover, hiding in the fleece and quietly sucking the life blood of its victim, who may suffer seriously without the knowledge of the shepherd | river bank. There she would squat, It takes refuge, after the shearing, On throw a few gourds full of dirt into the the lambs, in whose closer wool it hides, and fixes its proboscis or sucker in the skin of its victim. It lives on | She was very skillful and would keep a the blood which it is constantly drawing from the veins. Its voracity is: enormous, and a few of them will easily stop the growth of a lamb, and unless checked will soon kill it. Many a lamb is supposed to be suffering from. the common pale skin, thought to be due to the anemia or bloodless condition consequent on the effects of the throat worms, but in reality a result of mere loss of blood resulting from the constant sucking of it by the ticks, which hide themselves from sight in the fleece. It is only when the heat overcomes them that these pests loosen their hold on the skin in which they have imbedded their snarp claws and their probessis or sucker and appear on the outside of the fleece, where they may be seen sometimes by scores when the shepherd may not have suspected the presence of a single one.

The ticks are really flies but wi out wings. They belong to the family known as hippoboscidae, so called because they live in the woods, and the most conspicuous family of them infest horses and mules as well, and one of the class which infest cattle.

4 4 4 Pepto Quiuine Tablets cure a cold. NEW TO THE GRCCER.

A Swindle With a Ten-dollar Bill Practised

by a Fluent Young Man. The grocer sat on a high stool, his elbows on the counter and his face buried in his hands. The Brooklyn man came in to get a quarter's worth

of eggs. "Hello," he said, "what's the matter now?"

"I'm thinking," said the grocer, that the man who said that all the fools are not dead knew precisely what

he was talking about." "How could you think otherwise?" remarked the Brooklyn man, with true Brooklyn humor, "with all the customers you have?"

"Hold on," said the grocer, "this is no joke. Let me tell you about it. A little while ago I was sitting here doing nothing in particular, when in rushed a very pleasant looking young man. He had a lot of bills in his hand, and he wanted to know if I could let him have a ten-dollar bill for small bills. He said that he wanted to send \$10 away in a letter, and didn't like to put small bills in an envelope. Well, I'm a pretty goodnatured sort of a man and I told him that I would be very glad to oblige him. So, while I went into the drawer to get the bill, he counted out \$10 so that I could hear him, and then fished out an envelope into which he placed the bill that I gave him. Then he started out of the store. He didn't seem in a great hurry, and so when, in counting over the money that he had given me, I found that there was only \$9. I didn't have any suspicions of intentional wrong-doing on his part, but credited the matter to a

very natural mistake. Well, I called him back, and he was very apologetic; said it was a curlous mistake for him, and a few other things that I don't remember. As a matter of fact he talked so fast and so smoothly that half of what he said escaped me in my admiration for his cratorical powers. While he was talking he was fishing around in his pockets for an odd dollar. Apparently he couldn't find one, for he finally said:

'Well, I guess I'll have to give you your bill back until I can get that oth er dollar." Then he looked at the envelope in his hand and continued: 'Gee! that's too bad. I've gone and sealed that envelope up and it's addressed and stamped and your ten-dollar bill is inside. I'll tell you what we might do, though, he went on, after a moment's thought. "You give me my nine small bills, and I'll go out and get the other bill. In the mean time you hold on to this envelope and when come back I'll give you the entire \$10 and we won't have to open up my letter at all.

"Well, I swear I couldn't see any harm in this arrangement, and I said 'yes,' without a moment's hesitation... What makes me so darn mad now is that I was excessively polite to the waited for fully half an hour for the vor. Well, there was a neatly folded piece of paper in the envelope and on it was written in a neat hand: 'I'll be back when the robins nest again.'

"Say, even then it was a full minute before the truth dawned on me. When murmured; and then I came around on this stool and sat down to think. I was still thinking when you came in, and I'll start in again when you go

"Up in Reubenville, where I lived before I came to Brooklyn," said the Brooklyn man, "we used to call that

"Oh, you did, eh," said the grocer, well, I don't know what they call it in Brooklyn, but it's a good game and when I go broke in the grocery business I'm going to try it on some guy myself," and the grocer went back to his thoughts, while his friend walked out.

Easy Life in Nicaragua.

"When I was in the Olancao district, in Nicaragua, last month," said a visitor who is largely interesting in mining in Central America, "I had an opportunity of seeing how the lazy natives tap nature's till when they need some small change.

"Near our camp by the river was a hut occupied by a typical Honduranian family, consisting of husband and wife, grandfather and grandmother, and a dozen or so assorted children. The

only one of the crowd who did anything except rest and smoke was the wife. At intervals of perhaps a week she would satly out with the family tinpan, erstwhile used for cooking, and proceed to an old placer digging on the pan, fill it with water and begin the usual circular motion of gold washing. little sheet of dirty water spraying

over the edge like a miniature cataract. When the water was exhausted a few spoonfuls of sand would be left in the bottom of the pan, and, spreading it out thin, with a bit of stick, she would go over it grain for grain, looking for 'color.' Whenever she saw a speck of gold, she moistened the stick on her tongue and picked up the particle by adhersion. Each bit of the precious metal was stored away in a quill, plugged with clay at the ends, and I have known her to take out as much as a quarter of an ounce in the course of one day. Usually her limit was about \$2, and when she got that she stopped. Then the head of the house would arise languidly and start for the nearest store tweive miles away. Sometimes he would trade the whole amount for whiskey, but as a rule he back tobacco, salt, metal or calico.

"There are kundred of native familles who live in exactly that manner in Olancho. Sometimes the woman will be lucky enough to strike a rich poetet, that will yield a dollar or more a pan, but they never dream of washing it out at offce and getting a stake. It G.H. ROSS, simply means that they can secure their usual amount with less work."

HEART'S SUNSHINE.

Oh, if only those who love us Would but tell us while we live, And not wait until life's journey Ended is, before they give The smile we hungered after, Tender words we longed to hear, Which we listened for, but vainly, For many a weary year.

There is much of pain and sorrow All must bear, and bear alone, Yet how helpful is the sunshine Of a cheery look and tone! How it brightens up life's pathway, And dispels the shadows grim, And restores our shattered idols, Which we built in days now dim.

Then bestow your sunshine freely! Let it shine from out your eyes, Let it breathe in heartfelt pressures, Let it breathe in heartfelt sighs, Let it cheer the fainting spirit Of some brother in distress Let it thrill our jarring voices With a note of tenderness.

For in serving fellow mortals We best serve the Father, too, And in lightening their burdens Ours grow light and fade, from view. And a sympathetic nature That vibrates to others' needs

Is a bit of God's own sunshine Quickening to noble deeds. -Anne B. Wheeler, in Boston Transcript.

The Orchard.

Dry manure in the soil about trees is often injurious rather than helpful. Usually the roots do not come near the surface, and if the manure is plowed under so as to be near them it makes the subsoil dry, unless enough water penetrates to the roots to begin rotting it. It is only thoroughly wet manure which can help trees.

A fruit plant with roots exposed to wind and sun will die as soon as a fish out of water. A plant is a huge finder and a hard drinker. Every little rootlet is a constant sucker, severely taxing even the best prepared soil for its sustenance, while in that which is poorly prepared it literally starves to death. It is almost human in its appreciation of care and neglect.

Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hearn given that the association Notice is measur given that the association heretofore existing between Frank P. Graves and Le Roy A. Wilson in the ractice of law has by mutual consent been disolved. The business of the firm of Graves & Wilson will be continued by Mr. Graves at the offices now occupied by the firm in the Center Block and Mr. Wilson will open his offices to-day in rooms five and six Center Block for he general practice of law, and will occupy a suite of offices in the new Tomelier building as soon as that building is completed. BOON as that building is completed.
BEANK P. GRAVES,

Dated, Benton Harbor, May 14th, 1900.

First publication April 12, 1900. Mortgage Sale.

WHEREAS, A certain mortgage bearing date the 10th day of March, 1899, made by Nelson G Kennedy and Sarah J. Kennedy his wife, both of Benton Harbor, Berrien County, Michigan, to George Boyle, of Buchanan, in said County and State; said mortgage being recorded in the Regis-ter's office for the founty of Berrien in said Sets. ter's office for the County of Berrien in said State on the 10th day of March, 1899 in liber 79 of Moctgages on page 386, and,
Whereas, Default has been made in the pav-

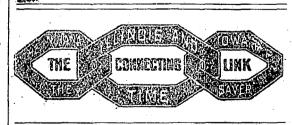
ment of the annual interest on said mortgage, and said payment has remained unpaid and in arrears for the space of thirty days, for which default said mortgage hereby exercises his option, granted by said mortgage, and declares the principal sum of said mortgage, and all arrearages of interest thereon, to be now due and payable, and, Whereas, There is now claimed to be due, on said mortgage, including principal and interest, the sum of one thousand one hundred and thirly dollars and fourteen cents (\$1,130.14) and no suit or preceeding at law having been taken to recover said sum or any part thereof; now, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that by vitue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, a d of the statutes of the State of Michi-

gan, the undersigned will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on Tuesday, the 10th day of July, 1900 at the front door of Court House in the City of St. Joseph in said County, (that being the place wherein the Circuit Court for the County of Berrien is held,) the premises described in said mortgage to satisfy said indebtedness, costs and expenses of sale, and attorney fee provided for expenses of sale, and attorney fee provided for by law, and also any sums that shall be paid at or before said sale by the undersigned for taxes and i surance or otherwise to protect his interest in the premises described in said mortgage, as: the following described real estate in Berrien County, Michigan, to-wit:

Beginning forty-five and forty-six hundredths (45 46-1.0) rods east from the north-west corner of Section thirty-six (36 Town seven (7. south, Range eighteen (18) west, being at north-east corner of lot sometime owned by K. C. Gillen,

ner of lot sometime owned by K. C. Gillem, thence east along road to north-west corner of S. W. Redden's farm thirty-five and afty-four hundredths (35 54-100) rods, south along Redden's line to north line of road being about nine (9) chains, thence west on north line of road to east line of lot formerly owned by E. C. Gillem, thence north on east line of Gillem lot to place of begining, containing six (6) acres of land more or

Dated April 12th, 1900, GEORGE BOYLE, A. A. WORTHINGTON, Mortgagee. Attorney for Mortgagee. Last publication July 5, 1900.



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Commencing Sunday, April 15 and con-

tinuing until further notice, the steamer CITY OF LOUISVILLE

will make daily trips between Benton Harbor. St. Joseph and Chicago on the following schedule:

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Terre Haute & Logansport Ry. Co. TIME TABLE. In effect Nov. 26, 1899. Trains leave

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

EFFECTIVE SUNDAY, OCT. 22, 1899, AT 12:05 O'CLOCK A, M.

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First publication May 3, 1900. Foreclosure Sale.

D EFAULT having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage dated the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1895, executed by Jak obine Blodgett, widow, and Charles F. Blodgett, Alando Blodgett, Lizzie Blodgett, Barbara Blodgett, Henry Blodgett, Minnie D. Blodgett, William G. Blodgett, will krank Blodgett, being at law of G. Blodgett, and Krank Blodgett, being at law of Gracken, Louise Susan, Jake Blodgett, William G. Blodgett, and Frank Blodgett, heirs at law of Henry Blodgett, late of the village of Buchanan county of Berrien, State of Michigan, to Geo. H. Black, of the same place, which mortgage was durally recorded in the office of the register of deedsol said-county of Berrien, in Liber 66 of Mortgages on page 419, on the 10th day of December, A.D. 1895 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due on the date of this notice the sum of thirteen hundred effects the same of thirteen hundred of the same of the county of the same of the same of the county of the same of

fifty-two dollars and slxty-seven cents (\$1352.67), to which is to be added the further sum of twenty-five dollars as an attorney fee stipulated for in said mortgage; and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured by the said mortgage, or any part there-

THEREFORE by virtue of the power of sale contained in said morigage, and of the statute in such case made and provided.

Notice is hereby given, that on the sist day of July, A. D. 1900, at one o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage, the premises therein described will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the city of St. Joseph in said county of Berrien, said premises being situated in the township of Buchanan, county of Berrien, State of Michigan, and described as follows:—The north half of the north-east quarter of section sixteen (16) in town seven (7) south range eighteen (18) west.

Dated May 3rd, 1900. ALISON C. ROE, GEORGE H: BLACK, · Atty. for Mortgagee. Mortgagee,

Last Publication July 26, 1900.

His own ideas and weighty thoughts So fill his little mind, In others no good trait he sees, To his own faults he's blind.

So great is his own self esteem, So mighty is his worth, He thinks all things would cease to move.

If he'd step off the earth.

He sees much that he'd criticise, And much that makes him frown, Not only this, he has the gall, To "call his betters down."

These swell-head people we all know, Can to themselves give thanks, If some fine morning they awake And find they're only cranks.

HUSBAND'S JEALOUSY

She was only eighteen when Gilbert Amydon married her-a bright-eyed little thing, with hair like gold, and a complexion like the pink-and-white of a conch snell.

"Gil, you're a fool!" said his plainspoken uncle, who had money to leave. and comported 1 meelf in a proportionately uncivil manner. "You're like all the rest of the world—infatuated by a pretty race."

· "I confess, dear Gilbert, I am surprised at your choice, said his elderly maiden sister, "after having to!d you that Sylvia Simmerton was inclined to look favorably upon your attentions-why, Sylvia has three hundred a year of her own."

"I'm really afraid, Gilbert," said his mother, "that Florence is rather young and inexperienced."

"She'll grow older, mother," said the bridegroom cheerily; "and there's plenty of experience to be had in this world, if one only lives long enough." And Gilbert Amydon and his pretty little wife were as happy as the day

was long. Florence cried a little when her husband was obliged to go away on Important business connected with the firm in which he was a partner. They

had been married only a few months. "I wish I were going with you, Cilbert," said she; and Gilbert Amydon laughed and patted her rose-leaf cheek.

"Why, what should I do with a little scohyr of a creature like you?" said he. "How would you endure traveling all night and running about all ay? No, no; you must stay at home and keep house till I come back."

So Gilbert Amydon went away. He had not been gone many weeks before allong and acrid letter from his maider sister. Drusilla, infused a bitter element into the current of his re-

! "Florence is very well." wrote Miss Drusilla, who, although by no means either fat or fair, was forty at least, "and apparently very happy. She had friends to tea last night. Of course, I was not invited, although most inopportunely I called in, about the Dorcas Sewing Club, just as they were sitting down to tea. The Misses Myrtle were there, with their cousin, Major Darrock is very handsome"—these words were underscored with two vicious dashes of the pen-"and, judging from their conversation, Florence and he were old friends before she met you. I dare say it is all right-indeed, Fiorence told me that when she invited the three Myrtle girls she didn't know that Major Darrock had just arrived on a visit to them. But, nevertheless, 1 hardly believe it is well to re-ignite the askes of an old flirtation on the altar of an absent husband's hearthstone. However, as I said before, Florence is very young, and can hardly be expected to comprehend these things."

I Gilbert Amydon felt a sharp sting of latent jealousy go through his heart as he read his sister's words, but presently he broke into a smile, and tore up Miss Drusilla's letter unceremoniously into cigar-lighters.

They would shut her up in a nunnery if they had their way, said he to himself. "Poor, dear little girl! she

must have some amusement." But Uncle Crawley's next letter was more vaguely annoying still.

I "I suppose you have heard from your wife about the fancy masquerade ball," said he. "The young folks are all wild about it. Your wife is to go as Rowena to Major Darrock's Ivanhoe. The costumes are to cost no end of money, I am told. When I was a young man people didn't squander their incomes in that sort of way. But I suppose if you are willing, it's not my business to object."

Gilbert Amydon knit his brows and bit his lip, as he read the words that his Uncle Crawley had penned with such malicious pleasure. This was quite a different affair from the tea party to which Drusilla Amydon had taken exception. And for the first time in his life Gilbert felt in his heart a strong, surging tide of anger toward the beautiful young wife whom he had promised at the altar to love and

"If she is really going to this ball," he said to himself, "I don't know what the consequences will be. She knows I hate bal-masques, and she knows, too, that she has no business to go with that major fellow when I am away. Drusilla was right-she is too young for a wife. I should have thought twice before I gave up into her hands such unbounded power to sting and torture me. At all events, I went stay I see to be made a fool of. Pll go buck home, and judge for myself whether the is losing an nor common sense and discretion.

He glanced at his watch. "If I start at once," he thought, "I can be at Dedlington on the evening of the ball. And I'll do it!"

A CONTRACTOR OF THE PROPERTY O

What a long, dreary ride that wasmidnight joltings through endless stretches of woods and meadow-lands and tunnels of echoing rock-days when sleep and waking seemed oddly jumbled together! And the one pervading idea that filled his brain was Florence, robed in paie blue silk with her golden hair dressed as in an old picture he had once seen of the beautiful Saxon Princess Rowena. And all the time his heart was as heavy as lead within him.

Florence, whom he had loved and trusted-Florence, who had grown into his heart as the clinging ivy makes its way into the crevices of the granite rock-Florence, whose pure innocence and singleness of nature he had worshipped-what would life be worth to him if she should prove untrue? Not that he feared any such misery-no, he knew Florence too well for that—but a plum with the bloom brushed off was no plum for him, he had told himself, with a hot, fevered anger throbbing through his brain; of what value were the smiles whose sweetness was lavished liberally on all

over his eyes, Gilbert Amydon felt like one who was already bereaved.

The house was dark as he ascended the steps and opened the door with his latchkey.

"Gone!" he said to himself, with a bitter smile. "Gone! Well, I knew it. What else could I have expected? She is no longer my sweet, home-loving Florence, but-Rowena, the Saxon Princess!"

With these thoughts in his mind, he strode up the passage, and opened the drawing-room door. To his surprise, it was neither dark nor deserted. A cheerful fire burned in the grate—the shaded lamp threw its circlet of light on the red-covered centre-table-and there, all alone, sat Florence, her cheek resting on her hand, her soft eyes fixed intently on something in

her lap—his photograph! It was the prettiest little tableau in the world. Amydon stood for a second, scarcely willing to disturb it.

"Florence!"

"O, Gilbert, Gilbert!"

And with a low, sobbing cry of joy she sprang to his breast.

beside her, passing his hand fondly lows: over her golden hair.

"To the fancy ball? I never thought of going, Gilbert. I knew you did not like balls; and, besides, where would be the pleasure of going, with you

"They wrote to me that you were going as Rowena, the Saxon Princess," said Amydon, half ashamed of the words he uttered.

"O, I know!" said Florence, laughing. "Fanny Myrtle did want me to go. She was to be Rebecca, the Jewess, you know, and Major Darrock, her cousin, was to be Ivanhoe; and she thought it would be a nice party. She even ordered a costume for me, but I told her all along I shouldn't go; so Clara Myrtle is wearing it to-night."

"While you are sitting here all alone, and studying my photograph?" he interrogated fondly.

"I-I'm afraid I was crying a little," confessed Florence, "for I was so lonely, and I wanted to see you so much."

"My own darling little wife!" This was the last of Gilbert Amydon's brief madness of jealousy. Drusilla's spite and Uncle Crawley's quiet malice had all fallen short of their

And Florence reigns undisputed queen at last over her husband's heart.

Holland and Her Colonies,

It is not the flercest nations that have been the greatest successes at colonizing and getting rich out of gentle toil. Next to England, little plegmatic Holland has the most valuable colonies in the world. She still holds Java, containing 25,000,000 people. and although the natives are Malays they are very loyal. She also has other rich possessions in the east, the island of Sumatra being four times as large as Cuba, and the island of Celebes being larger than all New England, to say nothing of her six islands in the West Indies and her possessions than the spirit of autocracy, and avoidnothing in return to compensate.

" __ind Mother" Sermon.

The Monday, Steve, who had been at church the day before, thought he would have a church of his own, says Olive Plants. He got his four sisters to be the congregation. He stood on discover anything like intelligence in a stool and spoke very loud. This is my eyes, except with a microscope. part of the sermon that he preached:

"This is to be 'mind mother' sermon. There are two ways in which you ought to mind everything she says: "Mind her the very first time she

speaks. When mother says, 'Mary, please bring me some coal or water. or 'run to the store,' don't answer, 'In just a minute, mother.' Little folks' minutes are a great deal longer than the ones the clock ticks off. When you and act 'no.' Saying 'Yes,' in a minute, is not obeying, but doing 'yes' is.

you have to drop a book, or whine because you can't go and play. You he should fall in love. To my queswouldn't own a dog that minded you tions I have never received a satisfacwith his ears laid back, growling and snapping. A girl ought to mind ; great deal better than a dog."

A NEW AMUSEMENT.

The Game is Entitled "A Penny for Your Thoughts.



Penny for Your Thoughts" is a kind amuse ment a pretty Southern woman. It any number of

An attractive experiment with the game was recently tried by a charming hostess during the afternoon

hours, from 3 until seven. Previous to the arrival of the guests the tallys should be made ready. The model taken from the entertainment quoted above is in form of a leaflet, which is made of water colored paper, the outside decoration is a clover leaf, perhaps fatal results. and "a penny for your thoughts" in and each one numbered until twentythree is reached:

1, a messenger; 2, mode of ancient punishment; 3, means of inflicting; 4 a piece of armor; 5, a devoted young man; 6, a South American fruit; 7, a place of worship; 8, portion of a hill; 9, spring flowers; 10, three weapons; And as he rode along, with folded 111, the first American settlers; 12, emarms and traveling cap drawn sullenly | blem of victory; 13, an animal; 14, two | blended into a writhing mass. The only sides of a vote; 15, emblem of royalty; 16, one way of expressing matrimony; 17, youth and old age; 18, part of a river; 19, something found in a school: 20, part of a stove; 21, plenty of assurance; 22, the cry of victory; 23, implements of writing.

While firmly tied to the top of the page is a small lead pencil, and a penny, each one fastened on the end of a blue and red ribbon.

When the tallys have been distributed the hostess makes the announcement that the correct answer to each question is found somewhere in the penny and should be written in the space allowed. A given time is set in which all answers must be written When it expires the bell is rung and each contestant must write his or her name at the foot of the tally and then surrender to the hostess. The entire number are then redistributed, and as the hostess reads the list of correct answers each individual corrects the tally he holds, while marking upon it how many answers are right. The tallys are again corrected and given up to the hostess, who finds the one entitled to first and second prizes.

Questions may be answered according to the wit and cleverness of the "So you haven't gone to the fancy individual, and those given above serve ball, after ail," said he, as he sat nown | to suggest the list of answers as fol-

> 1, sent; 2, stripes, 3, lashes; shield; 5, bow; 6, date; 7, temple; 8 brow; 9, tulips; 10, three acorns; 11, Indians; 12, wreath; 13, hair (hare); 14, eyes and nose; 15, crown, 16, united; 17, 18-99; 18, mouth; 19, pupils; 20, lid; 21, cheek; 22, iron; 23, quills. This game can be for as many couples as desired, boys and girls acting as partners. It is better to have a number of tables, so that guests can group themselves when thinking up their answers. The prize may be any trifle in silver, a book or souvenir of any sort.—Mrs. Oliver Bell Bunce.

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Life's Good Morning.

Life! We've been long together, AThrough pleasant and through cloudy weather; Iis hard to part when friends are

Perhaps 'twill cost a sigh, a tear; Then steal away, give little warn-

Choose thine own time; Say not good night, but in some

brighter clime Bid me good morning. -Anna Letitia Barbauld. **&***********

A Homely Woman's Confessions. Perhans no woman was ever better reconciled to positive ugliness in her own person than the Duchess of Orleans, the mother of the Regent d'Orleans, who governed France during the minority of Louis XV. Thus she writes of her own appearance and manners:-

"From my earliest years I was aware how ordinary my appearance was, and did not like that people should look at me attentively. I never paid any attention to dress, because diamonds and dress were sure to attract attention. On great days my husband used to make me rouge, wisch I did greatly against my will. One day I made the Countess Soissons laugh heartily. She asked me why I never turned my head when I passed a mirror-everybody else did. I anin South America. The good-natured swered, Because I have too much self-Netherlands, like the British, have love to bear the sight of my own homeheld on to their profitable territory by liness.' I must have been very homely keeping the spirit of trade alive rather | in my youth. I had no sort of features with little, twitching eyes, a short, ing the levy of murderous taxes, with stub nose, and long, thick lips. The whole of my physiognomy was far from attractive.

"My face was large, with fat cheeks, and my figure was short and stumpy; in short. I was a very homely sort of person. Except for the goodness of my disposition, no one would have endured me. It was impossible to Perhaps there was not on the face of the earth such another pair of ugly hands as mine. The King often told me so, and set me laughing about it; for as I was quite sure of being very ugly, I made up my mind to be always the first to laugh at it. This succeeded very well, though I must confess it furnished me with a good stock of materials for laughter.

"One thing that always surprised say 'yes' with your lips, say 'yes' with in love with me. I was notoriously your hands and feet. Don't say 'yes' your hands and feet. Don't say 'yes' the most homely woman in the French court, and yet I was only nineteen when I was married. I often asked "Mind cheerfully. Don't scowl when my husband whether my looks did not repel him, and what he saw in me that tory answer, but it seems to me that other qualities, in lack of beauty, caused his attraction."

FILIPINO SNAKE DANCE.

Each Native Holds Several Reptiles and Then Lets Them Escape.

"There are some things in which the Filipinos resemble the American Indian disagreeably," says C. F. Todd of which found its St. Louis. Mr. Todd spent a number way into small of years in the Philippine Islands, recoteries through turning to this country just before the the eleverness of outbreak of the war.

"I was exploring a portion of the Sulu group in search of a purchasable can be played by | tract of teak, when my native guide invited me to see a snake dance at moonrise. We made our way through a tangled jungle till we came suddenly upon a group of forty natives squatted on the ground, perfectly motionless, as though carved out of marble. My guide had previously warned me not to speak or make a noise, as it would break the spell and incur the wrath of the medicine men, with serious and

For many minutes there was no good script of red and gold. Inside are sound, then from behind a tree darted the following questions in gold letters, a hideous naked figure carrying in each hand a writhing serpent. It danced into the centre of the crowd, and others began to come out of the semi-dara. ness until there were twenty nude savages, each with from one to five twisting snakes of all sizes and kinds, and as they bent forward and backward in contortions, snakes and men seemed sound was the angry hiss of the

"The ceremony lasted for full half an hour, then, though no word had been spoken, but by some preconcerted signal, each performer cast his snake to the ground and allowed it to escape. I was paralyzed with herror when I saw a huge reptile wriggling toward me, but it passed into the juncle. My guide afterward told me that the coremony is performed twice a year, and the snakes are always allowed to escape. In the recollection of the oldest native, neither performer nor spectator had ever been bitten by the scrpents at the celebration."

About Mosquitoes.

Mosquitoes, it is to be presumed, exist for some useful service, but what It is known only to etomologists. To the majority of people there is no information regarding them so welcome as the fact that they are gradually being exterminated by the advance of civilization. This being so, it should be additionally interesting to those who live in districts where mosquitoes abound to know how their departure can be expedited. Permanganate of potash, says a medical paper, can be used against them with deadly effect Minute parts of the crystal are suffic ient for the purpose. The same author ity informs us that only two and a half hours are required for a mosquite to develop from its first stage, a speciresembling cholera bacteria, to its active and venomous maturity.

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And never tenderer hand than hers Unknits the brow of ailing; Her garments to the sick man's ear

Have music in their t ailing. Her presence lends its warmth and health To all who come before it, If woman lost us Eden, such

As she alone restore it. -John G. Whittier. A loquacious friend is often worse

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Please remember the exercises for the closing days of school. For particulars see the announcement in last weeks issue of this paper.

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Monday morning Hany Couse and Stephen Scott gave very interesting and instructive talks in the chapel, inviting the pupils to join them in Docoration Day Exercises.

Senior and Junior examinations will be finished this week.

9th and 10th grade examination take place next week.

EIGHTH GRADE.

Commissioner Jennings kindly sent us some coral for our museum.

We are grateful to Prof. Avery for the invitation to join the High School in morning exercises Monday.

We are sorry to lose Fern Souther ton who has moved to Battle Creek. Fred Tourje and Charlie Marble have prepared the chart for the class standings for June.

The calla lily and the lily of the valley have been drawn this week. Flavia Lough's work was the best. SEVENTH GRADE.

The work in all studies this week is review:

Crimson and cream have been chosen for class colors.

SIXTH GRADE.

We enjoyed Monday morning's exercises in the High School very much. "Ooward and Upward" has been

chosen as class motto.

Charlie Cooper brought for our inspection some interesting relics of the field of Gettysburg.

THIRD GRADE.

Myrtle Blodgett, Mabel Clevenger, Mabel Montgomery, Earl Powers, Earl Waterman, Mattie Royer, Rosa Hershenow, Eva Simson, and Harry Cox made good drawings of the buttercup last week.

The story of "The Vision of Sir Launfal" was read Friday.

Topics for this week are stories and poems for May, and Decoration Day. SECOND GRADE.

For the month closing May 25,1900: Enrollment, 30; Per cent of attendance, 97; Tardy, 1, Visitors, 5.

For the remaining days of the term the time given to opening exercises will be used by the pupils, the good readers being chosen to read selections of their own choosing. Thus far "Grimes Fairy Tales" seems to be the most popular.

Our examinations will be taken this week.

FIRST GRADE.

All classes are reviewing preparatory for examination.

Some very neat number lessons were handed in by pupils of "A" class last week.

Members of the 2nd street school will have a picnic on the Niles hill June 8. Children will each take a basket lunch.

Every line in a newspaper costs something. If it is for an individual it should be paid for. If the grocer were asked to contribute groceries to one abundantly able to pay for them he would refuse. The proprietor of a newspaper may pay for the free advertising if the beneficiary does not and it is one of the hardest things to be learned by many that a newspaper has space in its columns to rent. To give away for anything less than living rates would be certainly as fatal as for a landlord to furnish house rent free.—Ex.

* * * Old Settlers Picnic.

The following is the program fo the Old Settlers Picnic to be held at Berrien Springs next Wednesday, June 6:

Called to order at 10:30 a. m. Berrien Center Quartette Prayer

Reading Minutes of last meeting Report of the Treasurer Appointment of Committees

Adjournment for Dinner

AFTERNOON SESSION. Called to order at 1:30 p m

Music Rev. J. J. Minemier Prayer,

Address of Welcome Walter Thomas Mills A. N. Woodruff, Pres. Assn

Erastus Murphy **Obituaries** Music Address, Hon. J. J. Woodman, of Paw Paw Short speeches by ex-Presidents and others

Report of Committee on Nominations. Closing remarks by President and adjourn

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CORRESPONDENCE

Benton Harbor. School closed last Friday.

The members of the police force have new uniforms.

The high school graduates this

year numbered seventeen. Two new railroads are in sight for

our city, one of them pretty certain, The M. B. H. &. C. Co. will begin

running Sunday trains next Sunday. Ricaby, the St. Joseph jeweler, has made an assignment.

The Michigan Press Association will meet here sometime in July.

A new bakery has been opened in the Yore block by Will Cantrell and Lewis Young.

The Street Railway Co. is laying a double track across the highway bridge. The brick chimney at the pumping

station has been lengthened 15 feet, making it 75 feet high.

observe the sun's eclipse, Monday.

Rev. J. W. Taylor, pastor of the Christian church, has been engaged to preach Sunday mornings only till Oct. 1st.

Rumor has it that Ex-governor Taylor of Kentucky is quietly planning to spend the summer at some resort on the St. Joseph river.

Rev. Frank Gunsaulus of Chicago gave a most eloquent address at the commencement exercises in the opera house Friday evening.

The St. Joseph Gretna Green has opened for the season, Clerk Needham issued 12 marriage licenses to Chicago parties, Saturday and Sun-

The Pipestone Street paving is going ou rapidly. The contractors expect to finish in about 12 days.

Rev W. I. Coggshall is now grandpa on account of the arrival of a boy at the home of his son who is stationed at the observatory at Flagstaff, Arizona.

the Athletic Meet at Ann Arbor last | F. Marion Crawford, the great novel-Friday and Saturday and competed ist. with 26 schools of Michigan and Ohio, winning sixth place in the list.

trade made a compact with the Conlatter is to establish a plant in the on all the railroads running into Chi Courtright factory on Fifth St. 1mmediately. The city agrees to pay telephone, telegraph or special mes-\$15 a year for five years for each man senger. Only matinee Saturday. employed up to a hundred. Skilled workmen commanding about \$2.50 per day, will be employed. Twenty tons of iron will be melted daily and the output will be boilers, radiators, registers and other metal articles.

* * * THREE OAKS.

School closes, Friday.

Wm. Mell is planting 100 acres to

Our teachers and pupils will have a picnic at Lake Michigan on Friday. Orrin Conradt and wife, of Wisconsin, formerly of this place, have been

visiting friends and relatives here, for the past week. Work has begun on the new addi-

tion to the power house. Mrs. O. L. Wright and sister, Miss

Grace Davis visited friends in Laporte last week.

Work is progressing rapidly on M. G. McGawn's new house. When completed it will be a modern house in every respect.

*** * *** DAYTON.

Mr. Michael Glassner who resides three miles south of Dayton, died Wednesday afternoon at 6 o, clock after a very brief illuess of erysipelas and blood poisoning. He was 45 years of age and leaves a wife and adopted child.

A Final Appeal for Straving India. The cargo of corn, which Americans were asked to send to starving India, is now well on its way, in the steamship Quito, which sailed, May 10th. The two hundred thousand bushels will go through the hands of American missionaries, directly to the starving. But what shall be done for the people before the corn reaches them the last of June, and after the corn is eaten? We must keep them alive by cabling money for immediate relief, and for food after the corn is consumed. We must not save them for a few weeks and then let them die. Are there not 5,000 people in this happy country who will go among their friends and each raise \$20 to apply to farms.) complete the work so well begun? Perhaps you helped raise the corn.

Will you not be one of the 5,000 to help raise the money too, and thus aid in carrying the dying people through to the end of the famine late in September, and in completing this, the greatest international charity movement of all time. Scores of millions are suffering, and hundreds of thousands are in daily peril of dying. There is yet time for you to save some of them. Less than three dollars will now save and keep a man to the end of the famine: Will you not send a postal card to-day saying that you will try to raise \$20?

If you fail, it will be in a good cause. You cannot fail in so holy an understanding. Many have heard the pitiful cry from India, and will be glad to give if you ask them to, even if they have already given Do. not wait to the money, but send us word you will undertake to do it. Send names or money to me at Springfield, Illinois, or to the Christian Herald, Bible House, New York. R. G. Hobbs.

> * * * LAST TWO WEEKS

It was too rainy and cloudy to Of Viola Allen in "The Christian" at Powers' Theatre, Chicago. Special Excursions.

> The large audiences of the past two weeks at Powers' Theatre bear unmistakable witness to the immense popularity Miss Viola Allen has achieved in her great play "The Christian." Never before has a star been so successfully launched and attained such great prominence in so short a time, a fact which not only reflects great credit on Miss Allen herself, but also on her astute managers. Liebler & Co., who provided bank, a new \$115,000 armory, a theater, her with such a splendid vehicle as Hall Caine's great dramatized novel.

Theatre, Chicago, but also the last that Miss Allen will ever be seen in her inimitable impersonation of the character of Glory Quayle, for at the close of the present run in Chicago which also marks the end of her season, Miss Allen will give up "The Christian," appearing next season in its determination to resign because Benton Harbor was represented at a new play being written for her by

To give the many anxious the opportunity to see "The Christian" with Last Friday evening the board of its original cast, living in the nearby towns, a number of excursions have verse Radiator Co., by which the been arranged for the last two weeks cago. Tickets may be reserved by

> HARRY ASKINS, Powers' Theatre.

* * * The Census Enumerator.

The U.S. census enumerators will soon be calling at your homes after information. It will be well to be well to be prepared for him. Among the questions to be answered are the menia. following,

- 1, Surname, Christian name, initial. 2, Residence, street, number of

- he head of family. 4. Color or race.
- 5. Sex,
- 6. Age at last birthday.
- 7. Day, month and year when born. 8. Are you single, married, widow. widower, or divorced?
- 9. Number of years married? 10. How many children?
- 11. Number of children living?
- 12. Sex of these children? 13. Where were you born? If in the
- U. S. give state or territory; if of foreign birth, give name of country only. 14. Where was your father born?
- Your mother? (Same conditions as the foregoing.)
- 15. If of foreign birth, when did you come to the United States? 16. How many years have you re-
- sided in the United States? 17. Have you been naturalized?
- How many years since you become a 18. What is your occupation, trade or profession? (This question applies
- to persons ten years of age, or over.) 19. How many months during the year are you employed?
- 20. How many months have you ttended school?
- 21. Can you read?
- 22. Can you write?
- 23. Give the main facts concerning your education.
- 24. Do you own the house in which 25. Do you rent the house in which
- 26. If you own the house, is it free or mortgaged? (The same questions

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Bad Fire in Apalachicola.

Apalachicola, Fla., May 27.—The entire business portion of the city was burned today, including six business blocks, two hotels, three drug stores, a Grady's big general store, all the steamboat wharves, custom house, four saloons, and sixty other structures. Not On Monday, May 28th, she will a store was left. Little of the contents commence not only the last two weeks of the burned buildings was saved. The of her present engagement at Powers' fire started on the river front. The loss is \$500,000; the insurance is unknown.

Norway to Buy Artillery.

Christiania, May 27.-The Storthing unanimously has voted credit to the amount of 1,000,000 kroner for new quick-firing field guns. It has also voted 500,000 kroner for the first installment for fortifications at Christiansand. The ministry has announced the Prince Regent has refused sanction the tonnage tax bill.

Steer Leaves Havoc in Wake Chicago, May 26.-A maddened steer ran amuck at noon yesterday in the Stock-Yards district, creating a panic in which men, women, and children ran frantically into stores and houses out of harm's way. Before the animal was captured it had demolished the front of a butcher shop, tore an iron fence to pieces, and destroyed the interior of a barn. Four persons were

Sultan Offers a Bribe.

Frankfort-on-the-Main, May 26.-The Frankfort Zeitung's correspondent of Constantinople says that the Sultan has offered Ismail Kemil Bey, now a refugee in Athens, \$1,500 monthly provided he refrains from politics. The Porte has forbidden the sale of Piepert's new map of Turkey, because one of the provinces is called Ar-

Lightning Is Fatal.

Chicago, May 28.—While returning to their residences with candy they had bought Sunday afternoon, Lucy 3, Relationship of each member to Holden, 13 years old was instantly killed and her sister Irene, 10 years old, was burned about the right side and shoulders. She fell unconscious beside her dead sister.

> After his father, George Lennox, had been rendered unconscious by lightning which struck the barn and started a fire, Willie Lennox, 10 years old, ran a half mile and secured assistance in time to save his father from being burned to death.

Farmer Killed in Tie Mill. Alpena, Mich., May 26.-Frank Cramer, a farmer aged 36 years, was killed in Besser's tie mill. Cramer stepped in to see the machinery work, and stood thirty feet from the saw. A tie that failed to be delivered to the carrier was caught by the circular saw and thrown back. It struck Cramer on the head. He lived but two hours. He leaves a widow and was insured in the K. O. T. M. for \$2,000.

A good true story is told of a San Francisco woman and a doctor with a conscience. The doctor performed a successful operation for a rich woman, and when asked for his bill, presented one for \$50. The lady smiled and said, "Do you consider that a reasonable charge, considering my circumstan-

A Conscientious Doctor.

ces?" The doctor replied: "That is my charge for that operation; your circumstances have nothing to do with it." The lady drew a check for \$500, and presented it to him. He handed it back, saying: "I cannot accept this. My charge for that operation is \$50." "Very well," the lady replied. "Keep the check, and put the balance to my credit." Some months after, she received a lengthy itemized bill, upon which were entered charges for treatment of various kinds, rendered to all sorts of odds and ends of humanity, male and female, black and white, who had been mended at her expense. She was so delighted at it that she immediately placed another check for \$500 to her credit on the same terms. and it is now being earned in the lars. Dr. H. A. MUMAW. Secretary.

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