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Board of Supervisors.

#### April Session.

TUESDAY, APRIL 22D, 1902. Special session of the Board of Supervisors commenced and held at the Court House in the Village of Charle-

reix, Apr. 22. A. D. 1902. Board called to order by Clerk. Roll called and the following Supervisors present:

escult:

Bay-George Long.
Boyne Valley-Frank L. Stewart,
Chandler-Frank Pearson,
Charleotx-John Ward,
Evangeline-George W. Bailey.
Eveline-D. S. Payton,
Hayes-William Gray,
Hudson-George Crakes.
Marion-J. H. Adams.
Melrose-J. Hulford,
Norwood-Henry Wagner.
Peaine-W. D. Gallagher,
St. James-W. J. Gallagher,
St. James-W. J. Gallagher,
South Arm -William Harrington,
Wilson-Richard Lewis.

On motion D. S. Payton William Harrington act as temporary chairman. Carried.

On motion D. S. Payton Chair appoint two tellers-carried.

Chair appointed W. L. Gallagher and George Long tellers, who were duly sworn to act as such.

Board proceeded to elect Chairman. Total number of votes cast, 14. of which George S. Crakes received 14 and was declared duly elected.

On motion Board took a recess of 15 minutes.

The Chair appointed the following standing committees for the year 1902: EQUALIZATION—Wm. Harrington, John Ward, Frank Pearson, Frank Stewart, George Long.

CLAIMS - D. S. Payton, George W. Bailey Josiah Hufford, TO SETTLE WITH COUNTY TREASURES—Richard Lewis, Henry Wagner, Wm. Gray.

To SETTLE WITH SUPTS, OF POOR-Wm. J. Gallagher, James Adams, Wm. D. Gallagher, Ways and Means-John Ward, Richard Lewis, Frank Pearson.

RESECTED AND CHARGED BACK TAXES—Wm. J. Gallagher, Wm. Gray, Josiah Hufford.

APPORTIONMENT -- Wm. Harrington. Hufford, Henry Wagner.

On motion Jno. Ward Board adjourn until 8:00 o'clock to-morrow morning

PRINTING-Geo. W. Bailey, Wm. Harrington Jno. Ward.

Chairman

Board met pursuant to adjournment Roll called, quorum present. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

tendents of Poor be authorized to put in dock where road running on section line between sections 10 and 15 intersects waters of South Arm of Pine Lake at a cost not to exceed \$50.00carried.

On motion D. S. Payton, petition of citizens of Boyne Valley for Fish Ladder be referred to committee on Roads, Bridges and Dams--carried.

adjournmentil 4:00 p. m.--carried. GEO. S. CRAKES,

Clerk.

Board met pursuant to adjournment

Roll called, quorum present.
Your committee on Ronds, Bridges and Dams would report as follows:
To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Charlevoix County:
We recommend that the petition of the citzens of Boyne Valley for fish ladders or schutes, one at Mears' dam and one at Hankey Milling Co.'s will be grafted.
We also recommend that the petition of the citzens of Charlevoix praying for % expense of operating the Draw Bridge across Pine River be paid by the County.
J. H. ADAMS, Chairman.
W. D. GALLAGHER,
FRANK STEWART.

On motion report, of committee was accepted and adopted.

On motion Geo. W. Bailey, petition of citizens of Boyne Valley for fish schutes be granted—carried.

On motion Jno. Ward, prayer of the petitioners of the township of Charlevoix for \( \frac{1}{2} \) expense of operating bridge be paid by county be granted—carried.

D. S. Judd, J. B. Mook, F. L. Stewart.

We the Indersigned, respectfully represent unto the Honorable Board of Supervise, is of the County of Charlevoix that the Lowiship of Charlevoix has recently erected a new bridge over Plue River at a cost of \$2,000,00 and that the expense of running said bridge in connection with the cost of building it, is a burden upon the Township of Charlevoix and we respectfully petition the Honorable Board of Supervisors that the County of Charlevoix and we concentrate the superse of operating and running said bridge. Signed predictors H. L. MAMI

GEO. S. CRAKES.

DARWIN F. MEECH, Clerk.

APRIL 23D, A. D. 1902

On motion D. S. Payton Superin

On motion Geo. Bailey, Committee report on all petitions at 8:00 o'clock to-morrow morning-carried. On motion Wm. Harrington Board

DARWIN F. MEECH,

4:00 P. M. APRIL 23, 1905.

Roll called, quorum present.

Bayne Falls, Apr. 23, 1009

We the undersigned free holders of Boyne Vallow township respectfully petition the Boyne of Supervisors of Charlevois Co, that a fish schute be constructed and placed in Mears dam and also one at Hankey Milling Co.'s mill. Signed—Jolin Gaister, John Swain, D. E. Wheeler, L. A. Moon, H. H. Eaton, W. R. Vhet Guy, L. Laraway, C. H. Johnson, Win, J. Gagel D. S. Judd, J. D. Mook, F. L. Stowart.

On motion Richard Lewis Board adjourn until 2:00 p. m. to-morrow—car GEO, S. CRAKES. ried.

DARWIN F. MEECH. Chairman

APRIL 24, 1902.

Board met pursuant to adjournment Roll called, quorum present.

On motion D. S. Payton, Geo. W Bailey be excused until 10:00 a. m. to-morrow-carried.

On motion Henry Wagner, Board adjourn until 4:00 p. m. to-morrow carried. GEO. S. GRAKES

DARWIN F. MEECH, Chairman. Clerk.

ARRIL 25, A. D. 1902. Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Roll called, quorum present. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved the fire demon, its latest previous

oillding a dock for Poor Farm-carried, town. About 1:30 o'clock Friday

at Poor Farm—carried. On motion Wm. Harrington, the Chair appoint a committee of three to look over Court House and report repairs necessary—carried.

The Chair appointed the following committee-Richard Lewis, W. J. Gallagher, Wm. Harrington.

lagher, Wm. Harrington.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors:—
Your committee on Claims would respectfully submit the following as their partial report recommending the allowance of the several amounts as given below, and that the Clerk be authorized to draw orders for the same:
Boyne Claiz-n, printing and stationery. \$ 9.15
L. D. Bartholomew, Indw. for Ct. House. 10.02
W. M. Welch & Co. sup'l's to A. W. Chew 18.00
A. B. Brink, care of prisoners. 104.02
Eiston Hotel, board of jury, Mrs, Clara Brink, care affects of the same of the sam

tial report of the committee on Claims be accepted and adopted—carried. On motion John Ward, Board adjourn until 9:00 a. m. to-morrow-carried.

GEO. S. CRAKES, DARWIN F. MEECH, Chairman

APRIL 26, A. D., 1902.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Roll called, quorum present, Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. Report of committee to inspect jail:

Report of committee to inspect jail:
To the Honorable Board of Supervisors.
Charlevolx County:
Gentlemen—Your committee appointed to
inspect the County Jail and Court House
would respectfully report as follows:
We recommend that a new kitchen be orected and the old one taken away, the new
building to be 12x18 tt., 12 ft. high with reof
covered with sheet from. We also reccomend
that a new door stop by made at the Jail entrance and all the other steps to the different offices be repaired. All of which is repectfully submitted.

RICHARD LEWIS

ted. RICHARD LEWIS, WM. J. GALLAGHER. WM. HARRINGTON, Committee

On motion Richard Lewis report of committee was adopted and Sheriff authorized to make repairs in accord

[Continued on 4th page.]

ANXIOUS MOMENTS.

Some of the most anxious hours of a mother's life are those when the little ones of the household have the croup. There is no other medicine so effective in this terrible malady as Foley's Honey and Tar. It is a household favorite for throat and lung troubles, and as it contains no opiates or other poisons, it can be safely given.

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NOTICE.

If your hens don't lay or are troubled with vermin I will sell you a Poultry Food and Vermin Killer. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. MAX SCHEFERLS, South Arm.

#### Commercial House in Ruins

Loss Is \$7.500.

East Jordan seems to be pursued by On motion Wm. Harrington Board the Commercial House, one of the reconsider their motion relative to largest and oldest frame buildings in

On motion Geo. W. Bailey, Board morning the upper story on the rear rescind their motion to build a dock part, directly over the bar room was discovered to be in a mass of flames and it was with difficulty that some of the guests sleeping on the second and third floors were aroused and got to places of safety. Cut off from the stairway by the flames and smoke seval made their escape through the windows and luckily there was no loss of life and no one was seriously injured.

A general alarm was turned in from all the available whistles which roused the sleeping populace and a most efficient volunteer fire company was soon battling with the flames contesting every inch of the progress of the fire through the doomed building. Five streams of water were poured into the fire-from every side and in less than an hour they had the flames under control and in another hour the fire was practically extinguished with a considerable portion of the charred and blackened walls still standing, and leaving the buildings closely adjoining on either side, practically unlamaged.

the inserior of the hotel was so rapid that but little of the fixtures and contents could be saved. Landlord Meech carried \$3,000 insurance on the building and contents but this will not half cover the value of the property ty destroyed.

The spread of the flames through

Al. Townsend, one of the boarders at the hotel lost his watch, rifle and some other effects.

Boosinger Bros. occupy the brick veneer building adjoining on the south and as there was great danger of this being destroyed also their large stock of general merchandise was removed to a place of safety. They have been at work all day Friday returning and re-arranging their goods which were damaged to the extent of several hundred dollars.

The Knights of Pythias occupy the hall above Boosinger Bros,' and their lodge furniture was more or less in-

jured in removal. The work of the volunteer was certainly excellent and contributed greatly in controlling the blaze but we need an organized volunteer Hose Co. equipped and drilled in reaching fire quickly and in two work of extinguishing it. The Village should also have a hose house, a place centrally located and fitted up to house the Village firefighting apparatus, which has cost several hundred dollars and is now very indifferently-cared for. Of course it will cost something but there never was a good thing of which the same was not true and we think it would be a matter of economy to erect a good substantial hose house and if this is done there will be no difficulty in organizing a very effective company of fire fighters.

A LESSER EVIL.

A doctor who had recently come to town placed his shingle outside the door. It read

A. QUACK, DR.

A gentleman who was passing b saw the sign and entering the doctor's office said, "Man alive look at that sign! Put in your name in full, Alexander or whatever it may be. Don't

you see how it reads now? "Oh yes! I know," replied the M. D.

but I don't like to change it." "Why not?" said the stranger. "It looks mighty bad as it; is. What is your name?"

"ADAM QUACK!"

So to get patients he keeps a box o Prides on tap all the time.

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XI.

# Grade Headwear

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in headware for . Men, Women, Boys and Girls.

They are going to wear Fascinators and Toques because they are so very handy, will stand the stormy weather and are eminently comfortable (the all important thing for us to think about from now on). They are mad in a variety of pretty-colors and shapes, new stitches and yarns. The prices range from 25c. to \$1.75 according to the kind and the

In Men's Caps we are the sole agents for the Detroit Cap Co.'s celebrated Caps. These Caps have acquired a national reputation as the very best for Fit, for Quality and for Style. You cannot be told in words what you can see and what you can get for 50c, in a cap. They actually look more like 75c. or \$1.00 than 50c. caps. If you want a Cap that will hold its shape, is made upon honor, is strictly up to date, take this kind of a cap. You will not know what real, genuine comfort there is in a Cap until you wear one of the "Detroit." Then you will wonder how you ever got along without a Detroit Cap. All the New York leading shapes with the swell new trimmings that you only get in a Detroit. Sole agents.

Our Motto:"Quality First of All."

at sunrise pray: "Now, Lord, Thy day Guide Thou my craft amidst the gathermy thanks; grant strength; a out my sins; wash out my sins:

My feet must stumble if I walk alone;
Lonely my heart till beating by Thine
own;

My will is weakness till it rest in Thine.
Cut off, I wither, thirsting for the Vine;
My deeds are dry leaves on a sapless
tree tree My life is lifeless till it live in Thee!" At sunset this: "Now, Lord, Thy day-

light fades:

"I thank Thee that Thou steerest my frail' barque; O faithful Pilot, o'er these waters dark; The waves have bared their threatening

waves have bared their threatening fangs of white,
'Peace be still!' Thou speakest.
Now comes night; But

I drop mine anchor in the silent sea; Through the long watches I am safe with Thee!"

-Frederic Lawrence Knowles.

#### IMPROVIDENCE A SIN

There is a difference between im providence and the care-free life which Jesus desires for His followers. The two are at opposite ends of the pole. The man who plans anxiously for the morrow, fretting and groan ing over his lesses before they hit him, is not a happy man, but he ranks higher than the shiftless fellow who lives for the day, and trusts to luck for the future. Mr. Micawber is not the sort of saint cur Lord had in mind in the sermon on the Mount. It is the mark of the savage and the criminal that they gorge to-day and starve to-morrow. The divine care-lessness of Jesus includes wisdom and thoughtfulness, but it adds to them trust in God, and the pre-eminence of higher things. The sordid smallness of worry is eliminated when the Kingdom of God is made the primary aim in life, and when righteousness and joy and peace in the Holy Spirit are felt to be more than meat and drink The acid that corrodes our peace in helpless fretting is neutralized when we trust to the Father in heaven.



Editor-in-Chief of The Epworth Herald.

#### BLESSING OF DISCIPLINE

The Rev. Samuel Chadwick throws new light on the uses of Satan in this world by the following anecdote: "I have seen a blacksmith stand on one side of his anvil, while the striker with his sledge hammer stood on the The blacksmith would turn the iron over and over, and touch it here and there with his little hammer, and the heavy blows of the striker would mold and shape it to his will. But I could never see the object of the little hammer until one day I that with his small hammer he direct- | cipline

ed the blows of the striker, touching the iron to show where the blow was to fall. God uses the devil to hammer the saints into shape, and makes him sweat to perfect the saints for glory. Instead of murmuring and complaining at our trials and temptations we should thank God for them, for they are the necessary means for our per-Many a humble Christian man in factory or workshop has a hard time in receiving the blows and knocks of evil companions. But let asked the blacksmith, and he told me such remember the purpose of the dis-

#### THE HIGHER HEROISM

There is a yet harder and higher heroism to live well in the quiet routime of life; to fill a little space because God wills it: to go on cheerfully with a petty round of little duties, little vocations; to accept unmurmuringly a low position; to smile for the joys of others when the heart is aching: to banish all ambition, all pride, and all restlessness in a single regard to our Saviours work. To do

this for a lifetime is a greater effort, and ne who does this is a greater hero than he who for one hour storms a breach, or for one day rushes onward undaunted in the flaming front of shot and shell. His works will follow him. He may not be a hero to the world; is one of God's heroes; and, though the builders of Nineveh and Babylon be forgotten and unknown, his memory shall live and be blessed. —Canon Farrar.

#### GOD'S PURPOSE OF LIFE

The will of God respecting us is that we shall live by each other's happiness in life, not by each other's misery or death. A child may have to die for its parents, but the purpose of heaven is that it should rather live for them-that, not by its sacrifice, but by its strength, its joy, its force of being, it shall be to them a renewal or strength, and as an arrow in the

I hand of a giant. So it is in all other right relations. Men help each other by their joy, not by their sorrow. They are not intended to slay themselves for each other, but to strengthen themselves for each other .-- John

An industrious gardener is a slave to the weed.

#### THE VIRTUE OF PRAYER

gredient of thy prayers. We thank God for what He is to us; for the benents which He confers, and the blessings with which He visits us. But we praise Him for what He is in Himself for His glorious excellences and perfections, independently of their

Let praise—I say not merely thanks—bearing on the welfare of the crea-giving, but praise—always form an inture. And it shall often happen that when thy heart is numb and torpid and yields not to the action of prayer, it shall begin to thaw, and at last burst, like springs under the breath of spring from their icy prison. with the warmth and genial exercise of praise. - E. M. Goulburn.

#### HER DUTY WELL DONE

A suggestive story is that of a poor woman, who by reason of need was kept from many a service for her Mas--which she thought He might require of her hands; and she was dying. She was saying to daughter who stood near the bed that she regretted by the ministry of those hands!

her fruitless life; she was wishing that she might have more to show the Master when she met Him face to face. "Mother," sobbed the daughter, "show Him your fingers." No, she was not to be saved by the work of her hands, but she was to be blessed

#### THE DUTY AT HAND

What God may hereafter require of | possible preparation for what he may you, you must not give yourself the least trouble about. Everything he gives you to do, you must do as well as ever you can, and that is the best for what came next.-Macdonald.

want you to do next. If people would but do what they have to do, they would always find themselves read-

It is always easy to confound our

Set no standard for others-they

All God's providences are but His;

may live nearer to the light they have

touches of the strings of the great in-

opinions with the divine purposes.

received than you do.

strument of the world.

#### FROM THE RAM'S HORN

Nothing is ever settled until settled right.

Great works are but small ones greatly done. A genuine revival means a trimming

of personal lamps. God gives no man a contract to en-

large the narrow road. If Christ is the power of a life He

that obtained from the knees.

will also be its product.

Often the best view of heaven is

God is the spring of our best activity and fullest energy; God is the haven of deep and untroubled rest .-Ram's Horn.

Author 'of "Mysterious Mr. Howard," " Dark Stranger," "Charlie Aliendale's Dauble." Btc.

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The Klondyke Gold Myslery.

By JOHN R. MUSICK,

CHAPTER XIII .-- (Continued.)

"Information about what?" "Bout the youth as has slipped an eccentric and started to take in d' bills last winter."

In a moment Ethel was on her feet, her pretty face all glowing with interest and cried:

'Do you mean Paul—Paul Miller?"

"That's the chap whose name I was flirtin" with."

"What of him-what of him?" ask ed Clarence, eagerly.
"Well, we don't know; old Glum

thought as how may be you better come down and interview them mummies an see what ye can git out o' 'em.'

'You say they are at Ralston's shanty?"

"Yes." "Why didn't they come here?" "Well, ye see, they're a little off their feed. Their peddles are bent an' their feet don't track-all from goin' over d' rocks and snow until d' skin's worn off."

Ethel seized her own and her husband's cap, saying:

"Let us hasten to Glum's shanty." 'As you say, my dear. Come, we will go at once and learn all we can." They closed up their house, and. accompanied by Dick and Gid, frastenaway toward the shanty of old

Glum Ralston. They reached the lower part of the camp, which had grown to quite ... a village of shanties. Great fires were blazing in pits. These were fires built to thaw the ground so the miners

could dig it up and wash it. A small knot of people were gathered in front of Glum Ralston's shanty, talking in strange whispers, nodding and gesticulating in a manner which indicated that some matter great moment was under discus-

sion. Clarence and Ethel passed through the throng and entered the shanty. Here a sight met their gaze calculated to awaken their profoundest sympathy. Four dark-skinned young men whose once robust frames had been worn away to skeletons were reclining on piles of skins, filling their empty stomachs with food placed before them.

Where are you from?" Clarence

"From the island of Metlakahtla," one answered.

"Have you come direct from there?" "No.

"Where have you been?"

"We were lost in the woods for a long time and almost perished from cold and hunger. We wanted to wait until spring, but he did not. He had been detained for so many months that he would wait no longer. He said months and years were rolling over his head since he had seen her

or written to her." "Of whom are you speaking?"

"He called himself Crack-lash." 'Paul-Paul: It is Paul!" cried Ethel, clapping her hands in delight. "Hush dear: let us be sure," whis-

nered Clarence, then turned to further interrogate the stranger. "What kind of a young man this Crack-lash?'

"Like you, only darker; that's all." "Well, how did he reach your

island?" "Come on an ice boat?"

"Ice boat?"

"Yes-great mountain of ice. He was on ice.'

"He surely means an iceberg," said Clarence, fixing his eyes on Glum Raiston. head and said:

"There sin't no doubt of it. He means an iceberg.

"If he does, then this man he calls Crack-lash is none other than Cracklash Paul."

"You're correct, mate," Glum Rals ton answered, with a nod of his head.

The Indian then took another sip or two of the soup and told how on The way they had captured one of the men who had robbed him. They had crossed a mountain range and were making their way toward the Yukon, when they were all four drawn off on a moose trail

On their return they were unable to find neither the prisoner Crack-Jash nor the mysterious captain, who had years before been on their island, but had been abducted by two of his own sailors, one of whom they had captured, and Crack-lash recognized him as one of the robbers. story, and took a long time to tell it. Paul's fate, was unknown, but the chances were he was a prisoner or

dead in the forest. "Do you believe this story, Glum?". Clarence asked.

Every word o' it is the gospel truth," he answered.

"What are you going to do?" "I am going to look for him. I'll find him dead or alive. If dead, I'll bury him; if alive, I'll bring him home.

Clarence arose, and, taking the hand of the blunt old miner, said:

"Glum, I'll go with you." "And her," cried Glum, nodding toward his wife.

"Oh, never mind me; never mind me," the wife quickly answered. "I can get along very well alone. I want him to go and try to find poor Paul, if

such a thing is possible. Till go; I'll do it," he declared. Clarence Berry then proceeded to

interrogate the Metlakahtlans, and drew from them the story in detail, Next day, in company with Ralston, he set out to find the men lost in the forest.

It had been nearly three years since Theodore Lackland had seen Paul Miller, and no wonder he failed to rec ognize him. Such a change had suffering and hardship marked on him that he more nearly resembled some ferocious animal than a human being. When he uttered a cry and pronounc ed Lackland's name that individual asked:

"Who are you? But he had heard that voice and knew the man. It was Paul Miller transformed into a wild man. Paul glared ferociously at the men whom he had first welcomed as friends. "Don't come don't approach me!"

"I understand your devilish, malicious designs upon me, and I will shoot you dead if you come too close." "I have come to find you, my dear friend. The dog courier bore the message to us that you were perishing in the woods, and we set out to find

he hissed, his eyes flashing with fire.

you.' Paul grew weak and dizzy, and, sit-

ting down on the snow, gasped:
"I didn't know it would fall into your hands, or I would have perished in the woods before I sent it.'

Lackland gave Cummins a wink and continued to hold the attention of Paul, while his hireling slipped behind him to attack him from the rear.

"You misapprehend us. Paul." con tinued Lackland. "We don't intend any harm to you. You are sick; you are almost\_perishing, but we want to save you."

"I don't want to be saved by such as you. Go on, I say, and I will make my way to Dawson City alone."

Cummins at this moment seized him from behind. Paul made a desperate struggle to free himself, but famine suffering and toil had overcome him completely, and he soon lay breath less on the snow.

"I am sent by Miss Laura Kean, who is in Juneau, waiting for you, to conduct you to her.'

"It's a lie! Oh, my heavens, I know it is a lie, and I am unable to resist. The name of the woman he loved pronounced by the lips he hated most seemed to have filled him with rage and he struggled like a madman to break away from his captors. more came to the assistance of Cummins, and they threw him upon the snow with such force that when they lifted his body his head fell back. Paul was insensible. The blood was trickling from a wound in his forehead, and dyeing the virgin snow

Thunder, I'm afraid he is dead! Lackland declared.

They carried him down the moun tain side for a mile, where there was a grove of pines, and, calling a halt built a fire. He then sent for a sled to take the wounded man back to

"Cummins," said Lackland, "now comes the finest scheming we have ever done."
"What is it?"

"We must keep them separate." "Who?"

"The wounded man and the girl, also want to separate the old woman from the young woman, and I think have hit upon a scheme that will be sure to win. This fellow will need a nurse, and I will coax the old woman to stay with him."

The sled was brought and Paul, who had recovered, but was delirious, was placed on it. He had every symptom of brain fever. Lackland began to speculate on the chances of his recov ery, and decided they were slim.

They conducted him to a place or the lake two miles above the present camp and set his men to work building a hut for the wounded man.

After seeing the sufferer comfortable in the rude shanty constructed for him, and setting some Indians to cutting wood to supply him, Lackland went to the camp where Laura had

Then with a face deeply furrowed with auxisty he waited on Miss Kate

Willis and said: "My good woman, I came to ask a favor of you."

Kate gave him a doubting glance

and said in a snappish manner:
"What is it?" "I almost hesitate, for the request

is a serious one. We found a poor, wandering Klondyker on the moun bereft of his reason and táinside, nearly dying. He needs the tender care of some kind-hearted woman to nurse him back to life."

"Where is he?" she asked, her manner at once changing. "He is at the grove a mile or two

back on this trail. "Why didn't ye bring him here?" "Because he is too weak to bring

Besides, we have built shanty and made him as comfortable as possible. So skillfully did he manage it that

Laura was detained in the camp and Kate Willis sent flying back in her dog sled. As evening came Laura declared her intention to go to her female companion, but the rascally Esquimau, who had been posted what to do, could not catch the dogs to harness them to the sled.

She found herself alone in the camp with those strange men, and her soul was filled with dread.

But morning brought Kate back. Her heart was filled with sympathy for the unfortunate young man.
"I will go with Kate," declared

"No, no, child, the shanty ain't big mough; besides, I don't want ye to be worryin' yerself. Stay here. He'll be better soon, for I see a sign in his favor. The turnin' point is 'bout reached."

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She was easily persuaded to wait she called on the another day before sick man. Laura little dreamed that the unconscious stranger whom her companion was nursing was the one her fond, loving heart longed Thus, in blissful ignorance of the peril of her Paul, she waited for the train to move on. She had not long to wait. Next morning, long before it was light, she was awakened by the noise of Esquimau teamsters and

yelping dogs and cracking whips. She hurriedly dressed and gazed out into the starless night. She saw angry clouds gather about the mountain peaks, and the air was full of flakes. "Sled ready," the Esquimau chatter-

She made haste to get ready to take her place on it. All was bustle and confusion. Laura looked in vain for the face of some one she knew. For the first time in her life the face of Lackland would have been welcome. "Where is he? Where is Lack-

land?" she asked. "Um, boss gone," the Esquimau answered.

"Where is she? Where is Kate? I do not want to go without her; I will not go alone," cried Laura, begining to fear treachery.

"Holt!" shouted the Esquimau, and crack went his whip, and the dogs

bounded forward like the wind. "Stop! Hold!" she shricked, but her voice was lost on the raging wind, and she went soaring away into the

night and beating snow. Meanwhile Paul lay on his hard pallet of skins asleep, with his faithful nurse at his side, her eyes on the face sufferer. He was sleeping peacefully. The fever had almost abated, and his brow was less flushed.

The woman held the lamp closer to his face and muttered. "He is getting better."

> CHAPTER XIV. Kate for Harmony.

Morning dawned amid a raging snowstorm, but thanks to the logs and frozen mud with which the little cabin had been daubed, the patient was

Kate brought some warm broth and gave him a few spoonfus, and he whispered:

'Where am I?"

"I don't know. Somewhere in that everlastin' cold, snowin' country called Alaska; but I couldn't give ye the metes and bounds if I was to try."

"Who are you?" he whispered. "I'm Kate Willis, the woman that washes for a living at Seattle. on my way to Klondyke to start a

"Who are you with?" "Well, there's a hull passel in our crowd, but I don't know many o' Ye'd better be quiet, an' when yer

better ye kin git acquainted 'em.'' Paul acquiesced in her plan by simply nodding his head and closing his eyes, and she resumed her work. When he awoke there was a marked change in his manner, and he was regaining his strength. She brought him, some more broth, and, after he

had taken a few spoonfuls, he said: "Did you say you came from Seat-

tle?"

"Yes." "Who brought me here?"

"It was the boss of the train that's goin' to the Klondyke. I reckon he'll be here after awhile an' then ye can see him yourself. I don't think ye ought to talk too much.'

"Yes—I ought not. They struck me on the head."

shut his eyes and tried to sleep and she went to the door of the little cabin. All was clear. She saw one of the Indians loitering near and called to him and ordered him to go to the next camp and ascertain what had detained—the dog sled.

-(To be continued.) AN. IRISH "WITCH DOCTOR!

Strange Story of Superstition That Is Vouched For.

At Ballygore police court, County Galway, Ireland, a few days ago, a "witch doctor" was charged with having obtained money by false pretenses. The accused was a small farmer in the district and the prosecuter another farmer named Moore, who had been ill. The accused met Moore and told

him if he earried out his instructions he would be as sound as a rock. As a first installment he demanded about 12 shillings from Moore to get through the preliminaries and when he came to the real "cure" he said it would be necessary to have gold, silver and copper coins. The sick man provided a sovereign, a 2-shilling piece and a penny. The witch doctor then stripped him, wound him up in a sheet and placed him sitting in a chair in which were two red-hot bricks. The patient underwent terrible agony, but he bore it patiently, while the witch doctor went on his knees and uttered some unintelligible prayers. After the burning the "doctor" put the coins senarately into the sick man's mouth, refusing to allow him to touch them with his hand. Then he buried the coins and told Moore he was cured, but warned him against looking for the coins, saying that if any one dug the place up they would very likely instead find a couple of "dharkdiels"
—insects credited by the ignorant and superstitious with the powers of evil. The police subsequently dug up the ground where the coins were supposed to have been buried but none was found there. The prisoner was held

Discomforts of Submarines.

Men going down in the new submarines for the first two or three times become almost stupefied by the strong fumes of the gasoline used in propelling the vessels.

TROUBLE BEGINS. Trouble begins with the first back

ache. sudden twinges of pain, sharp stitches,

slow, exhaustive aches Most backache pains are kidney pains.

The kidneys fall to perform the duties nature intends them to do and warning of trouble comes through the back.

Neglect the kidney warning, grave complications will surely follow. Urinary disorders, Dia Bright's Disease, are the downward steps of neglected kidneys.

Doan's Kidney Pills cure every kidney and bladder sickness and the cure lasts. Read this proof of it:

Mrs. Adam Guntle, residing at 701 South Plum St., Crawfordsville, Ind., says: "I made a public statement in 1897, saying that Doan's Kidney Pills had cured a member of our family after he had suffered for years with a weak back and kidney troubles. He took three boxes of this remedy and was completely cured. Now three years have elapsed since I made this statement and I am only too pleased to reindorse it. I have also used Doan's Kidney Pills myself, obtaining the best results. I have recommanded this remedy to my friends and neighbors as one which can always be'de-

pended upón." A FREE TRIAL of this great Kidney medicine which cured Mrs. Guntle will be mailed on application to any part of the United States. Ad-Buffalo, Foster-Milburn Co., N. Y. For sale by all druggists, price

Imagine This in Chicago. A Roxborough shopkeeper has complained to the water department that the goldfish in his show window have died since that section of the city has been supplied with filtered water, and he jumped to the conclusion that the fish had been poisoned by the clear fluid. In truth, they had simply starved to death, since the water had been so effectually purged of impurities that it was practically sterile. As the purified water gradually finds it way into different sections of the city the aquarium pets must be fed or they will perish. This is a less serious matter than le'ting the people themselves perish from using water filled with death dealing germs.

Connaught Popular With Americans By the frequency with which the Duke of Connaught has been entertained by Americans in England of late one is led to suppose that the king's brother is developing a marked partiality toward American ideas. The duke and duchess have promised to visit Mrs. Adair at her beautiful-Irish home at Glenveagh, Loch Erne, Mrs. Adair is the daughter of Gen. Wadsworth of Geneseo, N. Y.

Instant Relief from Rheumatism and

Neuraigia.

Here is a case: Mr. T. Shepherd of Whitburn, Sunderland, Ohio, says: "My wife suffered severely from rheumatism, and neura.gia. She could not get one moment's rest and was nearly crazed with pain. Obtained instant relief and a permanent cure by using the contents of one bottle of St. Jacobs Oil. There is no other remedy in the world that will do this. The instantaneous effect which St. Jacobs Oil produces is a part of its half a century St. Jacobs Oil is sold in 28 cts, and 50 cts, sizes by all druggists. The words "Acts like Magic," "Conquers Pain," which have been used in connection with St. Jacobs Oil for more than 50 years are wonderfully and truly descriptive-

Good Move of Y. M. C. A. The Young Men's Christian Association of the Bowery, New York, has leased a farm of 130 acres in Jersey The farm is intended to serve as a temperary home for men who are awaiting employment They are not expected to remain longer than two weeks. While they e working on the health extensive employment machinery of the Y. M. C. A. is working in their interests.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, SS.

LUCAS COUNTY,

Frank J. Cheney makes onth that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Caturrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Chre.

the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Caturrh that counts be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY. Swern to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December. A. D. 1886. [SEAL.] Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free of the System. Send for testimonials, for Sold by Drugists, fisc. Hall'; Family Pills are the best.

If God puts you in a dark place it may be a compliment to the light that is in you.—Ram's Horn.

Do Your Feet Ache and Burn? Shake into your shoes, Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It makes tight or New Shoes feel Easy. Cures Corns. Bunions, Swedlen. Hot and Sweating Feet. At all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 23c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

The human fly is apt to mistake, adhesion to, for possession of, the fly-paper of mammon.

Scald head is an eczema of the scalp—very svere sometimes, but it can be cured. Doan's Onthenet, quick and permanent in its results. At any drug store, 50 cents.

It is easier to be eloquent over the faults, others than to be pehitent over our

"A dose in time saves lives." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup; nature's remain for coughs, colds, pulmonary diseases of Cary-sort.

After men pass fifty, they take great pleasure in calling each other "boys."

Nothing half so fine as Mrs. Austin's Pancake flour. Ask your grocer for it.

Treland's vice-chancellor, the Rt. Hon. Hedges Eyre Chatterton, aged 83 years, has just got married,

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Tust down the way is yesterday—There sunshine always beams;
To-day we close our eyes and see
Our yesterday in dreams;
To-day we hear the long-dead song,
And now we understand
Its cadence, and know why it made
Our yesterday all grand.

A little way to yesterday—
To-day may have its fears,
Yet yesterday it filled with smiles.

To-morrow has its tears—o-day—to-morrow—What of them, To-day—to-morrow—What of ther When we can find the way That leads us to the golden land— The land of yesterday?

It is not far to yesterday,
With glamour of the rose;
With haunting echo of the song
That thrilled us to the close.
To-morrow and to-day will lose
Their darkness and their gloom,
And each will soon be yesterday,
With melody and bloom.
—W. D. Nesbit, in Baltimore American;

## FOR LOVE OF A TOMBOY.

A Love Story. By JOHN FORD.

friends as long as the former could remember. In casting mental glances back across those years of affection and close union between them I often wondered what had prompted their intimacy, in the daid, rather matter-of-fact man of thirty at the time when fute threw the two friends into the constant society of Monica and Maudie Finlay, the colonel's orphimed frieces. Blount, however, was a captain and Cousins merey a llautenant. He was extremely stand the greater chance of winning boyish for his age, seldom taking any-her, and Cousins knews it," said anthing seriously. The whole world seemed to be to him "one huge joke." The whole world he bimself expressed it, but it was his hearty laughter, his mischievous pranks and his good-natured temperament that; endeared him to all his fellow officers. But first and foremost in the young man's heart stood Maurice Blount. This affection was fully returned, and they were known as the "Inseparables."

Of course it was almost a foregone conclusion that the arrival of Monica and Maudie on the scene was bound to make a difference to one or other of the two officers, although they had hitherto been known to declare that ucither intended to marry, and that each found all he could desire in the close comradeship of the other. But it was more than unfortunate that they should simultaneously lose their hearts over the younger of the sisters. Maudie. Monica was, if anything, lovelier than Maudie, her gray eyes were full of a winsome wistfulness that won the hearts of every one of us, always excepting those of the "Inseparables." was apparently to be in their af-Lairs of the beart as in all things-Cousins followed in his senior's footsteps, laying his hand and fortune at the feet of Maudie Finlay.

It was a puzzle how they came pass over the sweeter, gentler, elder sister, to fail victims to the hoisterons, rather tomboyish charms of the younger

Maudic only tossed her head at them, delighting in their devotion, which was clearly of the faithful-dog-fetchand-carry order, merely because it gratified her vanity, she having pre-viously been well informed that neither Captain Blount nor Lieutenant Cousins had ever been known to fall in love before.

I was on sick leave at the time this with somewhat exaggerated details. when I rejoined, and the edd part of the business appeared to be that both of the cavalry, nor the rumbing of

The elder man had been heard rebuking the younger for his foolishness in allowing bimself to be played with by the heartless coquette, and the younger man had been seen persuading Buount not to go near the fascinating Maudie on various occasions. It was mysterious, to say the least,

At dances they yied with each other in obtaining the greatest number from the younger Miss Finlay. At pienies they outdid each other to the best of their abilities in carrying tempting dishes to Miss Mandie, in seeing after her comfort in every possible way. Kellher of them entered for the "Thread and Needle Race" at the sports because Maudie could not be partner to them both.

And all this while Monies was practically left to herself, not that the entire regiment behaved as idiotically as the "Inseparables," but because Monica, quite early in the game, gave the others to understand she did not require their attentions. The fellows chaffed me, saying it was only on account of my age that she tolerated my presence so graefously, that no one would think if she was seen about with

a man old enough to be her father. About the time that we received our marching orders I noticed that Monica had become rather paler than usual, naturally I wondered at it and whether our move to Egypt had anything to do with it. Then one day I saw Blount. looking at her; Monlea's face was half turned from him, and the view he had of it was perfect, I felt sure. I knew her profile so well and could fancy any man's heart being stirred by its beauty; for all that I was puzzled by the look in Blount's eyes and his lips were set in a hard straight line across Lis teeth. Then, for one brief mo-ment Monles lifted her sad gray eyes to his, and he sighed. The next-she was gone, and Reggie Cousins slipped uis arm through that of his friend, pulling him round with a jerk, and they both laughed. The laugh I thought a nervous one.

Soon after that we sailed. The campaign of 189— was the first

EGGIE COUSINS and Mau- | seen, and I was interested in him and rice Blount had been close his impressions more than in those of our fellow officers. He was wildly excited on the voyage out, and by con trast his very excitement appeared to make the captain's manner more staid, recoved and unobtrusive. They were nat however, quite so much together

tinst place. Blount was some five as they had been formelly, and it nat-years older than Cousins, being a urally became the subject of comment. "Blownt is jealous, I believe," said

> "More likely Cousins has been bitten by the green-eyed monster. If they are both in love with Maudie Einlay I should say that the captain would

Already we spoke of the love affair of the "Inseparables" with an "if."

Cousins, like every subaltern leaving home and England for the first time, had his ambhions, dreamed his dreams — in all of which "Heroes," "Medals," "Victoria Crosses" and premotion figured largely in a delightful jumble, and all in confection with himself. And who has not dreamed those dreams on the voyage out? Who has not looked back on those dreams with a weary smile of resignation, acknowledging, reluctantly enough, that things are not what they seemed-on the voyage home?

As I had expected the campaign was not of very long duration, neither was it of deadly peril or full of the trials and sufferings so many expedi-tions are entirely made up of. There was the usual amount of trouble, work and endurance to put up with, the fatiguing marches being the most active part of it, and I felt almost sorry for our juniors who had expected so much -most sorry, not knowing what was to come, for young Cousins.

Our wounded were few, our dead fewer; the most terrible part being that many fell victims to a dread disease, losing their lives, if not in actual conflict with the enemy, nevertheless

while obeying the call of duty. However, it is of one battle I wish to write, no other event having any bearing on my story.

It was a Saturday, the 19th of Sep tember, and we were roused from sleep at 3 a. m. We had lain down on the sand and among the halfa grass too thed and worn out to think of enemics other than human, of vipers, scorpions and such like. Four o'clock found us creeping along in the dark. It was en sick leave at the time this is happening, but I heard it all, the somewhat exaggerated details, was in store for us. We discerned horse butteries awoke the apparently sleeping Dervish camp.

> The reason was soon forthcoming. Wad Bishara had taken his men to dead of night.

We were unopposed.

No rest was given us, no break in the long march; our orders were to advance two miles further, and then we faced Hafir. It was nearly 7 o'clock before-we-opened fire on the Dervishes, but it was not till later in the day, till the lead came splashing at regular intervals into the water to our right, ratiling like hall against the gunboats, and builets came flying through the air, that I chanced to come upon the "Inseparables." I saw them standing side by side, their faces turned to the enemy. Suddenly, as I looked, young Cousins sprang forward and threw his senior on the ground with the force which he hurled himself upon him, and then-the most tragic event of the day-Reggie Cousins rolled over mortally wounded at our, feet!

Quick as lighting I turned. Just in the nick of time. .

The Dervish soldier who had crept

unaware upon us, half hidden in the long grass, had turned his weapon

But I was before him.

I take a sort of grim satisfaction in chronicling the event in those few words. Had I stayed a moment longer nothing could have prevented me from cutting the dead body of Cous-

ins' murderer to a thousand pieces. With Blount's help I got the young fellow to the rear, and, once in safety, stooped to see what could be done for The Captain knelt with his face him. buried in both his hands, down which the blood was trickling. He had received a wound as we lifted the boy to carry him away. I did not realize

how bad and serious a one it was, Cousins opened his eyes and his lips

"You are hurt," he said, looking at his chum. "I-I wanted-to save-your life. Have-1-failed?"

His voice was terribly weak. Blount was sobbing in a heart-broactive service young Cousins had ever ken fashion.

"Steady yourself, old man," I whispered, "and speak to him."

"It-was Maudie." Cousins continued. "I-I fancled Monica was-much the best-and-you-would love ber-like I did-and I tried-to help you by-oh, you know-but you wouldn't takethe best-always left the best-fer

"Oh, Reggie, Reggie, don't!" Cousins' eyes fixed themselves on

"It's all up," he said. "Tell-Maurice-not-to-be-long."

With a great sob of unutterable misery Blount fell across the body of his

\* \* \* \* Every spare moment I had I spent dying words seemed to haunt us for nights after, for we knew Maurice was obeying his chum's last request.

But from the fips of the eaptain a very little while before the end-I learned the answer to the riddle that had puzzled us for so long.

It was only a wonderful piece of had loved Monica in the depths of his heart and each had tried to leave her -peerless as they knew her to be-for the other.

"We blinded each other so completely to the true state of affairs," Blount said with a said smile, "that I think if immediately in any manner that he said with a said smile, "that I think if immediately in any manner that he said with a said smile, "that I think if immediately in any manner that he said with a said smile, "that I think if immediately in any manner that he said with a said smile, "that I think if immediately in any manner that he said with a said smile, "that I think if immediately in any manner that he said with a said smile, "that I think if immediately in any manner that he said with a said smile, "that I think if immediately in any manner that he said with a said smile, "that I think if immediately in any manner that he said with a said smile, "that I think if immediately in any manner that he said with a said smile, "that I think if immediately in any manner that he said with a said smile, "that I think if immediately in any manner that he said with a said smile, "that I think if immediately in any manner that he said with a said smile, "that I think if immediately in any manner that he said with a said smile, "that I think if immediately in any manner that he said with a said smile, "that I think if immediately in any manner that he said with a s we had gone home we should both pleases, and I nereby promise that I have asked Monica to marry us, believing the other to be really in love with Maudie."

Then one day I found myself telling of the tragedy of Hafir to Monica, and I told her of the love of the "Insepara-

Maudie was engaged to be married to the rector of the place. "It will not burt you to know it?" I

I was anxious, for she wore so strangely sad a look.

"It never hults a woman to know she has been loved," she said, "even though it comes too late."

I knew then she had loved as well. But which of the two, to this day, no one knows .- News.

#### The Manners of Society.

New Yorker who has just returned from a fortnight's stay at Newport thinks that he has discovered a new tendency in the manners of ciety. He found that the old fashioned, sceptical and rather supercilicus way of talking had quite gone out or the mode.

"It is most refreshing to observe the undisguised enthusiasm and amiability that has come to be the fashion in sodety there," he said on his return, "and there is never a word of criticism or disapproval heard from any source about any person. In the language of the dwellers at Newport, all the women are perfectly beautiful or charming while the men are most attractive and handsome. All the parties are perfeetly delightful, nobody is ever bored and the most unremitting good humor and charity are exercised continuous-Any person who happens to speak unpleasantly or critically of another is heard in chilling silence or compelled to defend his opinions in heated argument.

"What all this geniality and love fortheir fellow men may mean among the people of society nowadays, nobody can tell unless the new manner is so distinctly the mode that nobody dares to talk as he or she may feel. Of course, nobody believes that these remarks and admirations are really genuine. There is merely a new style which is luckily a little pleasanter in its results than its predecessor. Carping, fault finding and criticism are not likely to be heard soon in society and to be bored now is also hopelessly out of date. These qualities are distinctly vieux jeu; enthusiasm and loving kindness just now are very much in style."-New York Sun.

#### Curious Royal Customs.

In the domains of royalty, says the London Tattler, the rigid observance of ancient customs is not altogether without its humorous aspect. In the Spanish court it is the custom on the birth of a royal infant to place the offspring of royalty upon a silver tray and thus tender the child to its father, who exclaims, "It is a Prince," or Princess, as the case may be. Russia the Czar, when going out for a drive, must on no account permit any one to know beforehand what road he intends to take; as the drive progresses the driver is directed where to go. In both the Russian and Austrian courts no dish must be placed a second time at the royal table, even though it had not been touched the first time it was served. Our own court is freer than any other from such customs, which are usually retained at the sacrifice of common sense. The sound common sense which is as characteristic of King Edward as it was of his mother has always been opposed 'to antiquated ceremonials at court.

Rockefeller Dislikes Automobiles. John D. Rockefeller dislikes automobiles, and, with a view of preventing them from trespassing on his vast do main, called Boxwood, at Pocantico Hills, he has erected signs on his property ordering automobile owners to keep off his land. The signs bear these words: "Automobiles are not al-lowed on these grounds." Mr. Rockefeller has fifty miles of private driveways on his estate, many of which cover sevpentine trails and run along steep smbankments. Several times the millionnire's horses were frightened by the machines, and this made him decide to shut out automobile owners from his lands. Watchmen are employed to enforce the rules,

LOVELY WOMEN OF EUROPE.

Every Nation Has its Peculiar Type of Beauty.

Every nation has its peculiar type of feminine beauty. The American woman, whom Americans think is the loveliest of them all, would play an kiconspicuous part in a beauty show at Constantinople, in Algiers or in Vienna, where the facial features, dress, manners, customs and styles are vastly at variance with the Gib-

son girl or her cousins.

The Egyptian woman still clings to a blousy dress, patterned something on the order of the Chinese pantaloon. The march of civilization kas had no effect upon the women of by Bloume's bedside after that. But Egypt. But it costs more to dress one life was despaired of for him, and of its beauties for a year than it rehe did not care to stay. Reggie's quires to keep an American woman clothed for twice that period.

This Landlord Hates Dogs.

There is a curious clause in a lease, which a gentleman in Paris was asked to sign recently: "I hereby agree not to bring any dog into the apartments which I am about to occupy and not to self-sacrifice on both their parts. Each permit any dog to remain there. Furthermore, I authorize any person who may at any time find a dog in my apartments or in the garden or court yard or on the stairs leading to the apartments or on the steps at the front entrance to make away with him will never take legal action on account of the disappearance of any such dog."

"It is rather surprising," says a French paper, "that this landlord, who has such a horror of dogs, does not append to this clause another one, as follows: 'Be it understood that children come under the same category as

Medicine for "Working People."

'Ohio produced one of the wittiest physicians this country ever knew, said Congressman Shattuck recently 'He lived at a small place near Cleve land, and was greatly liked. His prac-tice was large, and sometimes people would tell him that they called him in more for the fun that was in it than the medicine. His wit was fully equal to his skill. It was hard to say which did his patients the most good, and as he always gave his best of both at the same time, they probably helped each other. Just as it happened when one of his patients revolted at a monstrous dose of physic and said: 'Why doctor, you can't mean such a dose as this for a gentleman?' 'Oh, no.' said the doctor, 'it's for working people.' "

A Cure for Rheumatism.

Bridgeport, Wash., Oct. 20th.—Rheumatism-and kidney trouble seem to be the prevailing ailments in this terand particularly in Douglas county.

A remarkable and plainly sure cure has, however, recently been introduced.

It is called Dodd's Kidney Pills and although but a short time on the market, it has already worked many wonderful cures.

One of the most striking of these is that of Mr. John Higgins, who for a long time suffered with rheumatism and kidney trouble. The pains of these diseases had combined to make his life very miserable indeed, and he could get nothing to do him any good till he heard of this new remedy. tells his experience with it in these words:

"Dodd's Kidney Pills have more for my rheumatism and kidney trouble than anything else I have ever used. There is more virtue in them than in any other medicine and I will always highly recommend them to all of my friends."

A Grand Duke's Costume.

By all accounts Grand Duke Boris was a spectacular feature of the in Newport the day tended that function. The rather kaleidoscopic costume of his royal higness included a suit in large gray plaids, a lemon-colored shirt, and silver gray tie; tan shoes, a white and tan belt, fastened by a showy gold buckle, and a white straw hat trimmed with light blue. A jeweled snake, curled in three glittering coils, formed his ring, and the much written about bracelet was in evidence whenever he gesticulated with his left

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No one would ever be bothered with constipation if every one knew how naturally and quickly Burdock Blood Bitters regulates the stomach and bowels.

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For children teething, softens the gums, reduces in-flammat'un, allays pain, cures wind coile. 25c a bottle.

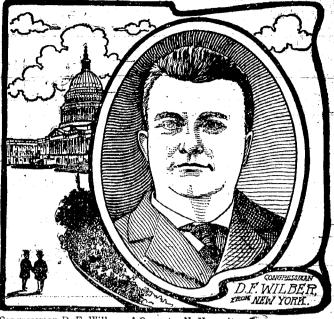
What a great amount of foolishness is clothed in the guise of "entertaining!" Cures croup, sore throat, pulmonary trou-les.—Monarch over pain of any sort. Dr. 'homas' Eclectric Oil.

Investigation proves that you can fool most people a dozen times, anyway.

: No trouble to get breakfast quick if you have Mrs. Austin's Paneake flour. A woman does not care how warm her dress really is, if it looks cool,

[To The Pe-ru-na Medicine Co., of Columbus, O.]

"Pe-ru-na is All You Claim For It."



Congressman D. F. Wilber, of Oneonta, N. Y., writes:

The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio: Gentlemen—"Persuaded by a friend I have tried your remedy and I have almost fully recovered after the use of a few bottles. I am fully convinced that Peruna is all you claim for it, and cheerfully recommend your medicine to all who are afflicted with catarrhal trouble."—David F. Wilber.

Fe-ru-na a Preventive and Cure for Colds. Mr. C. F. Given, Sussex, N. B., Vice President of "The Pastime Boating

Club," writes:
"Whenever the cold weather sets in I have for years past been very sure to catch a severe cold which was hard to throw off, and which would leave aftereffects on my constitution the most of the winter.

'Last winter I was advised to try "Last winter I was advised to try Peruna, and within five days the cold was broken up, and in five days more I was a well man. I recommended it to several of my friends and all speak the highest praise for it. There is nothing like Peruna for catarrhal afflictions. It is well nigh infallible as a cure, and I gladly endorse it."—C. F. Given. A Prominent Singer Saved From Loss sof

Mr. Julian Weisslitz, 175 Seneca street, Buffalo, N. Y., is corresponding secretary of The Sangerlust, of New York; is the leading second bass of the Sangerlust, the largest German singing society of New York and also the oldest.

In 1899 The Sangerlust celebrated its fiftieth anniversary with a large cele-bration in New York City. The follow-

ing is his testimony:

"About two years ago I caught a severe cold while traveling and which settled into catarrh of the bronchial tubes, and so affected my voice that I was obliged to cancel my engagements. In distress I was advised to try Peruna, and although I was never used a patent

and although I had never used a patent medicine before, I sent for a bottle. "Words but illy describe my surprise to find that within a few days I was greatly relieved, and within three weeks I was entirely recovered. I am never without it now, and take an occasional dose when I feel run down."-Julian Weisslitz

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DOWNS' ELIXIR "I have used Downs' Elixir 10 years and always found it all you represented it to be for breaking up colds."
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If your stomach will stand it, the best hing to eat is gooseberry pie.

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Capital Stock, \$2,000,000. Shares. \$100 each. Sold at Par.

Only Professed Stock offered for sale. W. L. Dauglas rotains all Common Stock. W. L. Usugias foliafin all Lommon Stock.
The Prefered Stock of the W. L. Doughas shoe Company pays better than Savines Banks or Government Bonds. Every dollar of stock offered the public has bothind it more than a dollar's worth of actival assets. W. L. Doughas continues to own one, but of the business, and of the connern.

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# You Do Well

to READ what we place before you this week.

Plain Facts about Seasonable Merchandise.

## Ladies Attention:

Coats, Jackets, Capes, Skirts, \$4.00 to \$20.00. Children's and Misses' Coats, \$2.50 to \$10.00. Men's Overcoats, \$5.00 and up.

Boys' Reefers and Overcoats \$2.50 and up. Men's, Women's and Children's Underwear-no cheap unworthy stuff but reliable goods that will keep the blood warm, 25c, 35c, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and up.

# Special Values

A broken lot of Women's and Children's Underwear 1/3 to 1/2 their former prices.

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Outing Flannel, 5 cts., 8 cts., 10 cts., and 121/2 cts. Bleached and Unbleached Cotton Flannel 5c to 12 1/2 c Cotton Cloth (good value) 5c the yard.

Batting, 5e, 10e and up.

 $\Lambda$  god print, 5c. 500 yds. Dark Dress Goods, 40c, 45c and 50c value,

Choice, 29c. Our Remnants of Dress Goods and Outing Flannel The School Comissioners' are winners because of PRICE. We put about 150 on sale Saturday about 1/2 their value.

Ladies' Rain Coats 1/2 price.

Misses' and Children's Shoes, \$1.75 value, \$1.25 \$1.40 value, \$1.00 to close out. Other Bargains in

#### GLOVES AND MITTENS

We have an overstock of some lines—Children's sizes 10c, 15c, 25c. Ladies' 25c, 35c, 40c and 50c. -

#### **NEW SKIRTS**

A few new Walking Skirts, latest type, see them.

# Jarpet

Will soon end.

Remnants of Ingrain, Brussels Remnants,

25 cts. to 30 ets. each.

All remaining Ingrain Carpets, 1

\$1.00 each. 50 cts. per yard.

All remaining Brussels and Axminster Carpets, \$1.50 quality, 95 cts. per yard.

This Sale will close Nov. 5th.

**FURS!** 

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Our sale on these goods will close Wednesday November 5th

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CAPITAL, \$20,000.00 SURPLUS, \$809.94.

Money to Loan on Short Time. Deposits of \$1.00 and appeared received and interest allowed if loft on deposit three

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Entered at the postoffice at East Jordan



THE ELECTION TUESDAY.

The election Tuesday was very quiet here, little interest being taken and it was with great difficulty that even a third of the ordinary vote was gotten out and in the rest of the county barely one-half the vote was polled.

There being no opposition to the Republican county ticket their election was unanimous.

Robert W. Paddock was elected as the first member of the legislature from the Charlevoix district by a ma-

jority of 650. Orlando C. Moffatt, of Traverse City received 4,000 majority for State Senator from this district.

Congressman Darragh was re-elected by 10,000 majority.

The Republicans elected 204 congressmen giving them a good working majority in the next Congress. Michigan contributes eleven of the num-

Gov. Bliss and the entire Republican State ticket were elected with 40,000 votes to spare. Republican majorities in other states were as follows:-Pennsylvania, \$300,000; Ohio, 100,000; New York, 12.000; Wisconsin. 35,000; Iowa, 75,000; Mass., 20,000; New Hampshire, 10,000; Conn., 10,000; Ind., 30,000; Kan., 40,000; Wash., 20,000; Minh., 30,000; 11linois, 53,000: New Jersey, 12,000.

HE COULD HARDLY GET UP. P. H. Duffy, of Ashley, Ill., writes, This is to certify that I have taken two bottles of Foley's Kidney Curo and it has helped me more than any other medicine. I tried many advertised remedies but none of them gave me any relief. My druggist recommend ed Fofey's Kidney Cure and it has cured me. Before commencing its use I was in such a shape that I could hardly get up when once down.

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Column.

ABEL W. CHEW, Commissioner.

We wish the teachers to take time to teach the children something about

the authors of the day. For this month Eugene Field would make an interesting study. His birth.

Where educated? First poem. His death.

He was the Hans Christian Anderson of America in verse, translating the fancies and experiences of childhood in a way that made his rhymes welcome to thousands of homes and won the hearts of parents everywhere. He had hosts of friends in Chicagohis home from 1883 until his deathamong whom were Dr. Gunloulus, Dr. Bristol, James Whitcomb Riley, Bill Nye and many others, who with him formed the "Saints and Sinners" club in a room in McClurg's publishing house.

He was a wide reader, and a fervent lover of "Horace." Much of his work is naturally ephemeral but much also is lasting and famous.

Use selections from his writings, for supplemental reading.
"The coming of the Prince."

"The first Christmas Tree,"

"Margaret, a Pearl,"

'Little Boy Blue,"
"Wynken, Blynken and Nod," and many others could be made ente taining and useful to the children.

Foley's Honey and Tar always stops the cough and heals the lungs. Re-

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months or longer.

Private Deposit Boxes to Rent at \$2.00 per year.

#### SUPERVISORS PROCEEDINGS.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors Charlevolx County.

Contlement—Your committee on Claims would further report the following claims and recommend the allowance of the same and that the Clerk be authorized to draw orders for the same:

Vil. of Hoyne City, reb'se on smallpox \$1691.22
Twp. of Evangeline "diphthefix 488.13
Vil. of East Jordan "smallpox 259.77
Geo. S. Crakes "smallpox 259.77
Twp. of Royne Valley " "76.85
Twp. of Wilson. 42.46
A. A. Swinton, examination of insane 5.0
A. A. Swinton, treatment Mrs. Coates 12.60

Or motion D. S. Payton, the further eport of committee on Claims be actepted and adopted—carried.

The following claims of Supervisors

On motion D. S. Payton, bills be al owed as read-carried.

On motion Henry Wagner, Board adjourn without day.

GEO, S. CRAKES, DARWIN F. MEECH,

A POLICEMAN'S TESTIMONY, J. N. Patterson, night policeman of Nashua, Ia., writes, "Last winter T had a cold on my lungs and tried at least a half dozen advertised cough medicines and had treatment from two physicians without getting any benefit. A friend recommended Foley's Honey and Tar and two-thirds ef bottle cured me. I consider it the greatest cough and lung medicine in the world.

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The Least of the Lot. Mother-And so your friend Clara is soon to be married?

Daughter (just returned from a long absence)—Yes. Doesn't it seem strange? I hadn't heard a word about it until I called to see her this morning. She showed me her trousseau. It's perfect ly lovely, just from Paris, and she has the handsomest ring I ever saw, and she showed me the house she is to live in and the furniture she has selected and the horses and carriages she is to have. She showed me everything except the man she is going to marry. I suppose she forgot about him.-London Answers.

Lake Colors, Some lakes are distinctly blue, others present various shades of green, so that in some cases they are distinguishable from their level, grass covered banks, and a few are almost black. The Lake of Geneva is azure hued, the Lake of Constance and the Lake of Lucerne are green, and the called indigo. The Lake of Brienz is greenish yellow, and its neighbor, Lake Thun, is blue - London Speciator

\*\*Merkative of Education.

"Education," said the impassioned

rator, "begins at home." "That's where you're off," said the calm spectator. "It begins in the kindergarten, is continued in the boarding school, football field, Paris, London and Wall street and ends in either Sing Sing or Newfort."-Life.

for a great many years, and al-though I am past eighty years of age, yet I here not a gray hair in my head."

Geo. Yellott, Towson, Md.

We mean all that rich dark color your hair used to have. If it's gray now no matter; for Ayer's Hair Vigor always restores color to gray hair. Sometimes it makes the hair grow very heavy and long; and it stops falling of the hair, too.

If your druggist cannot supply you send us one dollar and we will express you a bottle. Be sure and give the name of your marget any press office. Address

Ohl what shall I get to eat?

can be answered by going to GAGE & CO'S. They have

FOR BREAKEAST

Cream of Wheat, Quaker Rolled Oats, Cera Nut Flattes. Malia Vita, Grape Nuts. Shredded Whole Wheat,

FOR LUNCHEON

Long Island Wafers, Unceda Biscuit, "Unceda Ginger Wafers, Cheese Straws, Graham Crackers, &c.

FOR ALL THE TIME

A Fresh and Complete stock of Groceries. Our Valley City Mocha & Java and Porto Rican Coffees are giving good satisfaction. We are han ilingithe choicest Butter put up in small + gal. crocks and made by the best butter makers in this section-every counce guaranteed to be sweet. We can take care of your orders.

Cream of Wheat and Iron Duke flour always on hand

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One door North of Lakeside Hotel.

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And their complete line is on display in our store -beautiful patterns in all the latest weaves for Fall and Winter wear, and their guarantee to fit with every order.

Call and look over the LARGE ASSORTMENT.

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Boosinger Bros.

now have their complete line of Heating

30 Styles and Sizes

Present a fine appearance.

All Prices from \$2,25 to \$17,50.

A complete line of

Fall and Winter Hardware at

W. A. Loveday & Co's.

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the happy pair.

O. S. Kendail, who has been in charge

years, has thrown up his situation and

Frank Cook, of this place, and Miss

week. Here's our congratulations to

\$20,000.00

To loan at reasonable rates on Farm

A. B. NICHOLAS

Wrinkles are smoothed away by its

Warne's Pharmacy.,

healing touch. Brain tired and de-

pressed people will find a cure in

As it would be impossible to see and

personally thank each one who ren-

dered us the invaluable assistance

take this opportunity to express our

sincere gratitude to each and every

Thos, Hoy and Guy Lavalley are in

the toils charged with having held up

and robbed Ben Petos, a drunken In-

dian. They were brought before Jas-

tice Clement for examination and Hoy

was remanded to jail until the next

term of the Circuit Court. Lavalley

furnished \$1,000 bail to appear for trial

The following East Jordan hunters

went to Boyne Falls Monday evening

to take the G. R. & I. train for the

north:-Messrs, Wm. Renard, Wesley Harris, Jno. Boosinger, Geo. Glenn,

gentle deer in the forests of the

As had been surmised by many of

his friends, when Clyde Hipp returned

known here and have the best wishes

W. A. Herren of Finch, Ark., writes

I wish to report that Foley's Kidney

Cure has cured a terrible case of kid-

ney and bladder trouble that two doc-

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Misses McLeese and Campbell and

Mr. I. M. Devoe were the only ones

held in Petoskey last Friday and Sat-

levolx schools is president; School

Commissioner Baker, of Cheboygan,

vice president; Supt. Frank W. Howe,

of Mancelona, secretary and treasurer.

it was voted to hold the next meeting

of the Association at that place.

quahmanon river country.

of a large circle of friends.

tors had given me up.

at the same term.

FRED E. BOOSINGER.

Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cts.

and Village property. Enquire of

moved off the farm this week.

Regular Council meeting next Mon- | A. Churchill has purchased the W.

D

George Martin is building a veranda around the east and south sides of of the county farm for the past two his house.

There will be preaching service at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning, Rev. L. S. Matthews occupying Hilda Larson, of Mancelona, were marthe pulpit. ried at that place Wednesday of last

The Charlevoix Chapter of the O. E. S, is expected up this evening to visit the East Jordan Eastern Star lodge and the ladies are preparing for a large time.

WHY PAY HOUSE RENT? House and lot for sale extremely 12-14 Office over Bank of East Jordan. cheap for cash: Good water. Locat ed on Bowen's Addition. Call even-JAMES J. PLUMB.

#### To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tab lets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

The steamer Gordon has changed during the fire Thursday night, we her time schedule and now makes but one trip daily, leaving Charlevoix at 9:00 a.m. Arrive at East Jordan 10:30 and returning leave East Jordan at 3:30 p. m.

The Detroit & Charlevoix train brought in upwards of forty excursionists from Deward and other points along their line to attend Porter J. White's production of "Faust" at Lovedav Opera House.

Daniel Kitson was badly shaken up and bruised Monday evening. He was driving home from town when his team became frightened and ran away throwing him out of the wagon and the wheels passing over him.

It is said that every bride has many H. W. Dicken, Chas. Gotham, Chas. friends, but in a few years they dwin- Hudson, Wm. Gotham, Horace Hipp dle down to one. That's Rocky Moun- and Ira Bartlett. The will hunt the Makes and keeps her well. 35 cents.

#### Warne's Pharmacy.

There is no use in talking, smoking Pride is certainly one of the most needed luxuries there is-in fact it from his trip south last Saturday evmight be called a necessity. I have ening he was accompanied by Mrs. heard people say that those who don't Hipp. The happy event occurred Thursday at Gagetown, when Mr. smoke in this world will certainly smoke in the next. Of course I will Hipp and Miss Anna Lenhart were never knyw, but take timely warning. united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents. Both parties are well

Albert Kyle, a laborer who was en:ployed loading sugar beets at Supernaw Bros.' warehouse was seriously injured last Friday afternoon. He was working at the top of a "gondola" car which was nearly loaded, when his foot slipped and he fell to the ground, striking on his shoulder and breaking his collar bone.

Something ought to be done to make the strip between the swing bridge and the cement walk in front of Capt. Jepson's building at least passable for of our corps of teachers who were in pedestrians. During the heavy rains attendance at the meeting of the the past week, the greater portion of North Traverse Teachers' Association the distance has been covered with mud three to six inches deep. This urday. One hundred and twenty-five is one of the main thoroughfares of teachers were present and a permanent the Village and must be used by all organization. Supt. Tice of the Charwho cross the bridge and in its present condition it is a disgrace to the community.

A big haul by highwaymen, substi- It was a very enthusiastic and profittutes and others who steal the good able meeting and the teachers are delightful food and a natural name and fame of Rocky Mountain highly pleased with the reception giv-Tea made famous by Madison Medi- en them at Petoskey, so much so that and for all who need flesh and

Warne's Pharmacy.

#### ROYALTY SMOKES.

Emperor William appreciates the charms of tobacco both in pipe and as cigar. The Imperial pipe is a huge cancern. The big China bowl of the usual German type being attached to a long and ponderous stem. Over the top of the bowl is a cap in the form of a golden crown, while the gilded stem cears a metal eagle. The capacity of this pipe is two ounces so for ordinary occasions the Kaiser prefers a cigar, He patronizes the same Havana merchant as King Edward but his taste is much more modestly satisfied. The German Emperor likes a small cigar of mild flavor which is priced at 29c.

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The very worst cigars are favored by the Emperor Francis Joseph. These are the green cigars of Trieste which are so rank that they are fitted with a stem to enable them to be smoked, yet the ruler of Austria-Hungary will have no other and smokes them incessently. The King of Italy favors cigarettes of Egyptian tobacco, while the Sultan commands the finest Turkish. My gracious! Supposing they should run across a Pride, why they would smoke themselves blind.

The date of the next attraction at Loveday Opera House will be announced next week. The company is Marks Bros. No. 1 Co.-the best repertoire company now touring Michigan.

Tom Marks, the proprietor, manager end comedian of this company, is conceeded by both press and public to be the funniest and most popular entainer in the repertoire business and his genial personality and artistic work has so firmly endeared him to the goers of this country that his company's appearance each season is most eagerly looked forward to and wel-

This season Mr. Marks has been particularly fortunate in securing players and has surrounded himself with a supporting company of unusual excellence.

He has also left the beaten paths of frm. repertoire organizations and is presenting original plays of a superior order or merit. Another pleasing feature of his entertainments is the introduction of polite vandeville, which entirely eliminates those tiresome waits between acts.

PHYSICIANS PRESCRIBE IT. Many broad minded physicians prescribe Foley's Honey and Tar, as they have never found so safe and reliable a remedy for throat and lung troubles as this great medicine.

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#### List of Advertised Letters.

Unclaimed letters for the week endng Nov. 3:--

Bower, John, Ferris, S. E., Morise, Miss Frances, Vouditt, MissaMary, E. N. CLINK, P. M.



Don't forget the old man with the fish on his back.

For nearly thirty years he has been traveling around the aggregation. F. H. Yost, the Michi-world, and is still traveling, and coach, played tackle on a Lafaybringing health and comfort wherever he goes.

he so much needs. To all weak and sickly

children he gives rich and strengthening food. To thin and pale persons

he gives new firm flesh and rich red blood. Children who first saw the old man with the fish are now

grown up and have children

of their own. He stands for Scott's Emulsion of pure cod liver oil—a tonic for children, for old folks

strength. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 9-415 Pearl Street, New York. BOO, and \$1,00; all druggists.

#### Personal and the second section of the second Personal Mention.

Correcterences con appear W. S. Johnson, of Milwaukee was in town Monday.

Harry Nicholls, of Charlevolx, was

in town Monday. R. L. Lorraine was in Charlevoix on business Wednesday...

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Crossman returned from Chicago Tuesday evening. Register of Deeds Kenyon was up from Charlevoix to cast his pallot

Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Price visited Frank Wangeman and family at Boyne

Falls Sunday. A. J. Etcher made a trip to Ells worth Sunday, spending the day with friends there

Wm. Kenny has accepted a position as driver on the East Jordan Lumber Co.'s delivery wagon.

Archie Cameron, the Torch Lake lumberman, was a guest at the Commercial House Monday evening.

Dr. F. A. Foster was in Charlevoix Wednesday in attendance at a meeting of the Board of Pension Examin-

A. F. Youngs, the Charlevoix insurance agent was one of the guests at the ill fated Commercial House Thursday night.

Mrs. H. W. Dicken and little Dick went to Petoskey Tuesday to spend a few days with her parents, Col. and Mrs. Dickinson.

W. A. Morrisey, though not entirely recovered from the injuries received in the runaway accident, is able to be down at the store and attending to business again this week.

Mrs. W. H. Marshall and son have returned from Manistee where Mr. Marshall has been employed during the past summer. Mr. Marshall has now accepted a position as traveling salesman for a saw manufacturing

#### SOUTH ARM.

Mrs. L. S. Thompson is very sick with nervous prostration.

Mary Thompson is out of school on school on account of sickness.

Archie Bala came up from Charle voix Monday to visit his mother.

Mrs. Olin Smith, of Afton, called on her father, H. C. Scofield last Friday. Hannah Stochr is home from Boyne Falls where she has been for a few weeks.

Jesse Wilson has moved his family from the Kidder dwelling to Churchill's house on Bush's Addition.

Mr. Lou. Johnson and wife have so far recovered from their recent severe illness that they took the train last week for a few days' sojourn with friends in Frederic.

Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs and colds; reliable, tried\_and tested safe and sure.
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There are several reasons why the University of Michigan team, declared by not a few experts to be as good as any in the nountry, is a powerful organization. In the first place the material is an assortment of heavy and fast men and with a judicious sprinkling of comparatively light and fast men. The team also has a capable coach and a capable captain. The trainer is Keene Fitzpatrick, who showed his worth in the east in 1897 when he trained the Yale team. He had that team in such good condition down Princeton's supposed invincible ette eleven that defeated the University of Pennsylvania. He has had remarkable success as coach, mostly lr To the consumptive he the west, and it is said has never brings the strength and flesh coached a loser. The captain of the team, Weeks, plays quarter-back and being a good field teneral, has more use for his head work than he would in another position .- New York Sun.

> There is no cough medicine so pop ular as Foley's Honey and Tar. contains no oplates or po's us and never falls to curé.

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G. R. Catton will deliver his lecture The Philosophy of Fun" at the High School assembly room to-night under the auspices of the High School. An admission fee of 10 cents will be charged and the proceeds used to purchase reference books for the High School library. Mr. Catton is a torceful and eloquent speaker and we know he will delight his hearers. If possible you should attend this lecture.

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# Sale of Men's Winter Underwear

By buying your Underwear at Wiesman's you not only have the advantage of choice from the largest and most complete stock in the city but you can save money on every

Men's Tan Shirts and Drawers worth 40 cts. for 25 cts. Men's Blue half wool do\_ 75 cts. for 48 cts. Men's all wool fleece lined do 75 cts. for 48 cts. Men's Grey, Blue, Tan and Scarlet wool Shirts and Drawers made of best Australian wool worth \$1.50

for \$1.00 a garment.

Loveday Block, East Jordan.

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# JEWELERY

THE BEST LINE IN CHARLEVOIX CO.

I am receiving new goods every day—elegant up to date articles—and am better prepared than ever before to supply the wants of my many customers-Watches, Diamonds, Cut, Glass Novelties, Silverware, Flatware, etc.

FRANK MARTINEK.



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needs to be filled with care and pure Drugs. He expects it when he prescribes

Prescription Department

has become famous to the people of East Jordan on account of the quality of the Drugs used, the accuracy of the compounding and the promptness in filling. When the doctor prescribes bring it here to. be filled. Of course you know we keep a large stock of Proprietary Medicines and Toilet Articles.

WARNE'S PHARMACY

# C. H. MADDAUGH,

## that that for one think helped Yale to Alive and doing Business!

More accidents occur in runaways than in all the railroad tavels and the number injured is all out of proportion considering the

Be sure you have a good Neckyoke, Whiffletree and Evener before you start or call on

J. W. Coates.

The Carriage and Wagon maker of East Jordan,

who will sell you Second Growth Hickory goods at no more than you pay for common ones and you will be safe. We are sole agents for the Flint Bnggies and P. & O. Agricultural Implements. See our Beet Cultivator.

Us your Job Printing. We will do it right.

R. L. LORRAINE, Publisher.

AST JORDAN, . MICHIGAN

A green Christmas would be wel ed this year.

Hawaii has absorbed the American lea. Her treasurer has skipped.

Possibly we could trade off our coal trike for a South American revolu-

It is not unlikely that the north pole ill have to wait a few days for that

It easy enough to be popular. Just announce that you have \$20 that you

If our returning arctic explorers will ndly cut out the lecture sequel all vill be forgiven.

"Would You for Five Million?" is the name of one of the new plays. Is it necessary to ask?

How many people did you meet yesterday who didn't say something about the coal strike?

It would take a most forgiving person to heap coals on anybody's

head at present prices. Duke Boris's brother Cyril is coming to this country. These are happy days for the chorus ladies.

Perhaps the America cup will be aced for in aero-yachts if Sir Thomas likes his trip across the channel.

Grand Duke Boris denies that he drank from a Chicago kiri's slipper. Perhaps it was her rubber he used.

The hemp cure for consumption has been discovered at Manila. If properly applied hemps will cure anything

The Chinese Boxers are being led by a weman. The old empress dowager must be out leading a strenuous

Count Boni de Castellane has just bought a chateau in France. The Gould roads have been making money

Prince Henry of Prussia is desirous of coming to the United States again. but this time he wants to shoot a lion, not to be one.

The university students who painted a freshman with iodine must have a peculiar idea of what constitutes real, good fun.

It's a mean and local jealousy that induces the New York courts to dis-credit the justly celebrated Chicago

Polish giant named Jabinski is . said to be 7 feet high. He seems to be entitled to the persimmons. Longest Pole, you know.

The married woman in Buffalo, aged 101, who says that she has never been angry would probably say also that she never told a lie.

The captain general of Catalonia and the editor of a Madrid newspaper fought a duel, but they chose firearms, so neither was hurt.

The Boston physician who says that the recent cold summer has been "painfully healthy" apparently speaks with a good deal of feeling.

apparent than ever that it's a wise millionaire who knows who will be his widow.

It is pitiful to think of the grief that will overwhelm May Yohe and her Put if it really turns out at this late day that they are not legally

A Connecticut octogenarian is said to have contracted his twelfth matrimonial engagement. This would evidently appear to be his especially steady habit.

It is natural that the Indiana woman who made angel food for a man should have won him for a husband. There is an implied compliment in giving a man angel food that is almost

A traveling salesman from Chicago caught aftre in hed in a St. Louis hotel the other night, presumably spontaneous combustion, as he swore he hadn't been smoking and had not lighted a match.

St. Paul girl elerks have intersworn that they will not be pop-corned, kissed, hugged or wedded by any but men holding labor union cards. Now Cupid is in for the funniest time of his long and eventful life.

Policeman arrested a man for no other reason than that he was pounding himself on the head with a rock. Looks like unwarranted interference with a citizen's pursuit of happiness, in defiance of the constitution

Behold what a great fire a little matter kindleth. The Greeks and Latins are at war over the question of sweeping the church steps in Jerusalem, and a French ambassador has just been deprived of his office for permitting his wife to wear her hat at a fashionable breakfast.

# ARLEVOIX COUNTY HERALD LONG CAREER OF CRIME CLOSING IN SING SING A list made up by us at random from newspaper accounts, and without any thought of completeness, of

Exploits of Luther Shear Have Earned for Him the Title of the Greatest Criminal of His Time-Of an Aristocratic Family.

century, is one that reads like a romance. Natural shrewdness and business ability, coupled with a pleasing and almost irresistible personality, were the main factors of his success as a criminal. His talents were directed into a crooked channel at an early age, and it is expected that he will die in Sing Sing without suffering any compunctions of conscience for the widespread misery and ruin that his criminal propensities wrought. In brief, the following is a history of the life of Luther Shear:



Escaped from Prison 1864.

Sentenced to be hanged..........1864

Reprieved on gallows and escaped Stole a carlead of mules in Texas.1867 Pardoned by Hayes ......1877 Newspaper proprietor .........1877 Convict, Sing Sing, five years.. 1883 Successful merchant at Atlanta.

General Manager Building and Loan Company, Syracuse..... 1896 Convict, West Virginia Peniten

tiary, 18 months......1901 Convict. Sing Sing, four years....1302 Wasted honest and dishonest money, chiefly the latter .... \$\$50,000

Luther Shear was born in Albany, N. Y., and in 1853 located in New York city on East Fourteenth streets. His father organized the first news com-pany in the United States. The Shears also ran the first special newspape train in this country, and they specd-lly rose in wealth and social standing.

The youth was taught by tutors and went to the then aristocratic academy of W. H. Reid, at Newburg, N. Y., in 4853. In 1859 he went to the Theological College of Amherst and subrequently to Dartmouth, but on the breaking out of the civil war he returned home and put aside the idea of the church for that of arms and enlisted with the Night N. Y. S. N. G. for three months. He re-culisted for the war in the Eighth regiment

He took part in the cavalry duel be The case of Henry M. Bennett, the Pittsburg millionaire, makes it more and Averill at Kelly's Ford, and was wounded in three places-the head, groin and ankle-and was mustered out. This event practically ended Sheaf's honorable career. Upon the claim made by his family that the wound on the head made him insane he escaped the gallows, to which he had been condemned for the murder of two guards while he was in prison awaiting trial for desertion from the

His sentence of death was commuted to ten years' imprisonment, but an unsuspected visitor brought him money and files, and releasing himself



Escaped from Mexicans 1866.

from his chain by night, he cut a tunnel leading down four feet, then an incline sixteen feet under the wall, and then upward seven feet. It was winter time, and to cut the frozen earth he fastened candles to his wash basin and melted the crust over him. Ther he shoved his pillow out of the hole, so that any watchful guard-might shoot at it, and, finding it unobserved, followed himself. He had taken his outside clothing off, and found that his underwear was a mass of wet mud

The life story of Luther Shear, who from the earth and snow melted by his by far is the greatest criminal of the furnace. He dressed himself in the snow, walked to the station and boarded a train for Philadelphia, arriving there in safety.

From that time until 1877, when he went to Haves for a pardon. Shear was a fugitive figing as he firmly believed from the gallows.

His next field of operations was in the West, where he continued his criminal career.

On the eve of detection Shear moved to Texas. On the way he met Gen. Carter Young, who had recently been mustered out of the service, and had begun that career which spread his name so widely in the Southwest. They pooled their cash, bought a schooner, arms and ammunition, recruited a crew of adventurers, and sailed from Patre Island, Brazos, up the Rio Grande, having in view no less than the capture and loot of Mata-

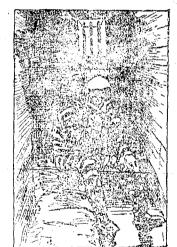
Those were troublens times on that frontier, and the last days of Maximilian. That the dashing berserkers failed ignominiously is a matter of history often retold. Shear escaped. crossing the river with no other possessions than a pair of dungaree breeches and a fiannel shirt.

After three years of respectability

in the East he went West and made the first special issue of a daily paper devoted to great industries, starting with the railroad edition of Wilbur Story's Chicago Times. It was of 20 pages, a monster sheet for those days and it whipped into line the whole railroad system of the Northwest at morning."
\$1 a line. This field was soon occupled, and he then created the office now common to all newspapers, of a circulation manager.

Shear and a partner named Benson went to Mexico, the latter represent- plied: ing himself as Marcus Mayer, the representative of Abbey, Grau & Schofield, in the management of Adelina Patti, and epened up a subscription for a season of grand opera. They cleared up over \$40,000 in gold.

On the eve of discovery they hired a special train, and escaped to the United States. Benson, who is known under aliases, went to London, negotiated a big bank swindle, which barely failed of súccess, was arrested in New York, fought the Mexican extra-New York, fought the Mexican extra-dition unavailingly and jumped off the Father Jones', then stationed in New gallery of the Ludlow street jail, thus



The End in 1902,

Lilling himself. On his share of the profits of this foray Shear nursed his olib tarium.

He was sent to the Albany penitentiary in 1892 for a check passed in Elmira and being reconvicted sent to Auburn. Then he went to Syracuse, where he worked for a building and lean association, whose unsavory career and end are so well known. new company which he organized to cover the misdeeds of the old one paid 57 per cent of its actual income to promote. Its finish was in sight from the first, and Shear was, course, arrested. For some reason there was no trial, but he was taken to Washington on a charge of forgery, and was sent to Mound City peni-tentiary for eighteen months. Now he is in Sing Sing, sentenced for forgery and embezzlement, and he cannot outlive his term.

#### Church Theatricals.

The vicar of Gorleston, England, Rev. F. A. Phillips, is proposing to start a parish theater, with the vicar for manager and the parishioners for performers. All kinds of plays are to be introduced, but for the church's seasons-Advent, Christmas and Lent -he proposes reviving, as far as possible, the old miracle and mystery plays and moralities of the middle agos. Mr. Phillips is a member of the C. B. S., wears mass vestments, and burns incense.

#### Divorce in the Family.

A curious instance of the spread of divorce, as viewed in a single family, is related by the Independence Belge. A few days ago, at Brussels, proceedings were begun in a case in which a wife sought divorce, which has since been granted. During the evidence it transpired that the divorced woman had had two sisters already divorced, their father is a divorced husband, and they have a brother whose case is of her phosphorated corn.

THE RAGE FOR RISKS.

Long Record of Lives Lost in Daring Exercises. .

the number of persons who have lost their lives through their passion for risk, the love of hazard, during past few months, makes a total of several hundred. This includes some forty-five persons who have lost their lives in automobiles, seventeen who have "missed" their footing in balloon exhibitions, nine who have been ushered out of existence by means of the bicycle and its allied contrivances, two who have climbed steenles for the last time, three bridge jumpers, seventeen Alpine climbers, five long-distance swimmers, seven who have been blotted out of existence in efforts to break athletic records, and scores of others who have gone to a better, and it may be hoped, a safer land by various other agencies or methods designed ostensibly to promote the joys of this present life. If to this list we should add the 300 other mountain climbers who, it is said, have lost their lives in the Alps during the past ten years, the total sacrifice of human life to the rare for risk would indeed assume formidable proportions.-Leslie's Weekly.

HIS RIGHT TO RECOGNITION.

New York Saloon Keeper's Idea of a "Rating."

An east side Teutonic saloon keeper having saved more money than he cared to allow in his till over night, decided to deposit it in a bank. Strolling down Broadway, he inquired for a "goot bank," and was directed to the Chemical National. He asked the

bank usher: "Is Mr. President at home?" The usher replied that the president was in his office. Very well, you youst tole him that Mr. Yogcup Schmitt wants to put a hundred dollars every night in his bank and take it oudt in the

After a long wait the attendant re turned and informed Mr. Jacob Smith that the president could not take his money, as he was not rated by Dun or Bradstreet. The excited German re-

"Dun or Bradstreet! Why, I won been raided twice by Parkhurst!"-New York Times.

Authority Needed.

When Father Jones, president of the Augustinian College at Havana, was recently in Philadelphia the attendance on the conference of members of his order, he told a story of a reformed burglar who, after much persuasion, induced his long-time pal, York city, had been the recipient of the first burglar's confession, and was picked to listeneto the second's. The priest was interested in the two fellows because of the sincerity of the first; and, when the pair called, he took the second into his own room and left the evangelist in the hallway. After listening half an hour to the new penitent's story of a victous life, the Paulist remembered something left undone with regard to a marriage to be celebrated that evening, and, interrupting the burdar, bastened from the room. After waiting ten minutes, the fellow put his head turough the door and called:

"Bill! "What is it?" responded the first convert.

Where did he go?" "Don't know," answered Bill, "What

difference does it make? "Well," replied the half-confessed wretch. "I was afraid he might have stepped out to call a policeman.

ministry of the Australian federation is a wit. In the course of a recent public speech he exclaimed: "I am public speech he exclaimed; an Irishman, and a pessimistic Irish that city, and on his release taken to man is as great a curiesity as a poetic oyster or a benevolent tiger." same time he was not "an optimistic ostrich, that sticks his head in the sand while the wind plays fantastic tricks with its tail." In the opinion of Mr. Shields Australians are nationally and individually an extravagant people. He proved it with an anec-When the present buge govdate. ernment house in Melbourne was be ing planned the architect consulted the premier of the period as to the size of the ballroom. "Do you know anything about ballrooms in other parts of the world?' queried the premier. "I only know the one in Buckingham palace," was the reply."Then build our ballroom a third bigger than the one in Buckingham palace," said the premier. It was done as the lordly premier commanded, and so Melbourne came to possess the biggest ballroom in the world.

All About a Corn.

A lady who was grievously torment ed with a corn, was advised by one of her friends to anoint it with phosphorus, which she did; she forgot, however, to tell her husband, before retiring at night. It had just struck twelve when the husband awoke, and he was startled at seeing something sparkle at the foot of the hed. had never heard of a firefly in the locality, nor did he remember seeing such a terrible looking object as he beheld at that moment. Reaching carefully out of bed for one of his slippers, he raised it high in the air, and brought it down with great force on the mysterious light. There was a shrick, followed by an avalanche of bedclothes. The lady has not got rid

# EXPLORERS WORKING OUT THE STORY OF THE WORLD

Long-Hidden Secrets of the Famous Mesopotamy ian Valley, Among Others, to Be Laid Bare-Recent Discoveries Made in Asia Minor.

century nears its end it sees a mighty effort being made in all fields to work The story of the world-ethno-

logically, archeologically, Paleontologically and geograph ically. There is hardly a spot on the earth's sur-face from New Zealand to the Poles that is not being made the subject of energetic exploration. The town of Oran in Algeria re-

cently celebrated a little occasion. It was the one-thousandeth anniversary of its existence. Part of the ceremonies consisted in a session of a geographical congress. At that congress a man, burned almost black, arose and told in a dry, matter-of-fact, scientific way of a little jaunt of al-

most two thousand miles that he had just finished. His trip had been through middle Morocco, which never before had been visited by a European, and which, the inhabiting Berbers had sworn, never should be so visited. This man, whose name is



Ruins of Nimrod's Palaces.

Count R. de Bordon de Segonzac, de cided differently. So he worked his way as near the unknown land as he could, and then, obtaining disguises, he wandered as an Arab. Despite his excellent knowledge of the manners, speech and customs of the Moroccans and the inhabitants of the Atlas moun tains, he feared that they might penetrate his disguise if they became inquisitive as to his business. So he took advantage of the fact that Mohammedans believe that insane persons are under the especial care of Allah, and pretended to be insane. This assured him of respect and good treatment everywhere, and, although he had many narrow escapes, he managed to play his role to the end and made his way back to civilization with his valuable head still on his

In Asia Minor the imperial German Archeological institute has paid for excavations on the site of the famous old temple of Gordium, and enough finds have been made to prove that the workers are digging out an ancient settlement that was great and

flourishing 1.500 years before Christ.

Other excavations in the peninsula of Miletus, on the Aegean sca, have produced results so tempting that private German capital has been furnished, with which the great part of the peninsula has been purchased out-William Shields, a member of the right to assure successful prosecution of the work. The territory thu quired comprises the site of the great Necropolis and the Sacred Way leading to the famous Temple of Apollo of Didyma, the greatest holy place of Asia Minor in its day.

This purchase, it is said now, will make a far more wonderful place to visit than even Pompeii, for when the excavations are completed a perfect dream city will have been unearthed. The entire hill in front of the city, crowned by the famous theater, be longs to the excavators, also the an-



Ghost Palace of Amra.

marked with two colossal marble lions and with a port city with halls in it more than three hundred feet long. In the wonderful Mesopotamian val

ley, the scene of the most intensely interesting history of all mankind there has been digging in many places. Places that were held against all study and even entry by the pow erful, unbeaten Bedouin tribes, who successfully defied exploration party after party in the past twenty years have yielded at last to the railroad ensineer. The valleys of the Euphra tes and the Tigris are being crossed and recrossed by Americans and Ger-

(Special Correspondence.) As the second year of the twentieth | mans with surveyors' rods and theodolites. Their steel-measuring tapes gleam on the tawny sands where once the queen of Sheba trod. They are laying out the route of the Bagdad railroad where once the Assyrians "came down like the wolf on the fold." Engineering troops have been climb-

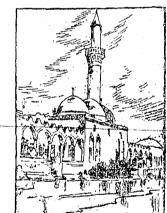
ing around and delving in the ruins of Urfa on a branch of the Eupherates —old Ur, the city of Nimrod, the Hunter, son of Ham, first ruler of Shinar. The engineers have been planning a railroad station on the very site, perhaps, of the place where he used to entertain the great hunters of the Babylonian kingdom that he is said in old eastern tales to have founded. Prosaic mathematicians have been drawing up long statistics on the

stone tables that remain intact on the rocks in front of Urfa, and that still are pointed out as the tables at which Nimrod himself used to sit to drink his wine and tell, no doubt, of his narrow escapes and the big game that he had killed. When the steel rais are laid they

may lead over those very stone benches and tables. They will pass by the holy Lake of Abraham, with its sacred fish. By its banks, according to the local Mohammedan tradition of to-day, Abraham the Patriarch designed to sacrifice his son, Jacob.

Austria has shown remarkable enthusiasm about exploration in Arabia. Besides Dr. Hein's expedition, the Vienna Academy fitted out the expedition of a philologist, the Rev. Dr. Alois Musil, and the painter, Hans Mielich, to explore the land of Edom, in northwestern Arabia. In their first trip they discovered the famous, but, until then, never seen ghost palace of Amra, which the Arab caravans had made known to Europeans generations ago by their marvelous tales. According to them, it was beautiful and deadly. Its walls were decorated by magnificent paintings that were guarded by the Djinns and other evil spirits of the desert. No man ever had approached it and lived, according to the tradition. The Viennese expedition found it, thanks to the friendship of an Arab chief, who turned out to be quite the Arab of romance-lionhearted, handsome, loyal and the soul of hospitality and truthfulness,

The emperor of Germany is busy with a unique project that will be of value to the historical as well as the military world. Some time ago he dispatched Col. Janke and the Captains Von Bismarck, Von Plessen and Von Marees to Asia Minor to make



Holy Lake in Urfa.

lern Mosque in Backgr topographical and photographical studies and to draw up complete charts of the famous battlefields of Alexander the Great Especially good charts and pictures have been obtained of the field of the Issus, where Alexander conquered Darius 2235 years ago, and the battle of the Cranikos, where he beat the Persians a year before that.

Even the stolid and not easily impressed or curious Turks have joined the explorers. In Yemen, which is a part of Arabia, where their rule really is more than nominal, so that they can dig without danger of being swooped on by obnoxious desert kings. the Turks have come on the tracks of no less a personage than the Queen of Sheba, the delightful lady of fashhave unearthed fine marble tablets, ion who visited Solomon. The Turks uncommonly well preserved, with vast amount of inscription dating back so far that the excavators are encouraged to hope that some of them really will prove to be edicts of the famous queen perself

The French explorer. De Morgan, who has been excavating in Susiana, in Persia, has found not one buried city, but half a dozen of them, one on top of the other. The conquerors as they succeeded each other there had the amiable habit of destroying everything and building their own city, according to their own tastes, on the ruins. So it happens that, as the De Morgan expedition excavated it uncarthed one city below the other Gradually the entire lost history Persia was laid bare. The Dominical Father, Sheil, who accompanies This party, discovered a stone column that is covered with cuneiform writings. He has deciphered enough aleady to know that these writings represent laws and statutes that were promulgated in Persia one thousand years before Christ was born.

#### COL. CODY ("BUFFALO BILL") REPORTED SERIOUSLY ILL



Col. William F. Cody ('Buffalo when, as a guide for Albert Sidney Bill"), who is reported seriousy ill in Johnston's army, he won laurels South Dakota, has been for thirty against the "Dog Soldier" Indians. years the most famous army scout, He served in the civil war with the guide and plainsman of the west, and Kansas Jayhawkers, and subsequently is to-day one of the best known charhas been employed as scout and guide acters in the country. He was born in Iowa about sixty-eight years ago, for the army in the various Indian wars. He went on the stage in 1868, and at the age of ten was on the plains of western Kansas. His first Indian fight was at the age of 11, civilized world.

#### RICH MISSOURIAN IN TROUBLE.

#### Col. Edward Butler Is Accused of At-

tempted Jury Bribing. Col. Edward Butler, the politician and millionaire of St. Louis, on trial



Col. Butler.

at Columbia, Mo., for attempted jury bribing, has been a conspicuous figure in the affairs of St. Louis for a genera tion. He began life as a blacksmith in a small way, added shop after shop, secured contracts for shoeing the street railway horses in the old days, and by easy steps became the representative of the railways before the municipal assembly and the legislature. His son, James J., represented the first district in Congress for Colonel Butler has nev held public office.

#### FRIEND OF STRIKING MINERS.

#### "Mother" Jones Is Idolized by Anthracite Coal Workers.

A prominent figure in the coal miners' troubles of the past few months is "Mother" Jones, the earnest friend of the striking operatives. Her work for the miners is of a purely philan-thropic nature, and her influence among them is second only to that of President Mitchell. A fluent and forceful speaker, Mrs. Jones has done



much for the miners' cause by her vivid portrayal of the wrongs which they have suffered.

#### and since then has exhibited his-"Wild West Show" throughout the

Best Value for Your Money. There is no article of virtual necessity which costs a man so little as his newspaper. In fact, it is a marvel of modern cheapness, and when he buys a good one there is no investment from which he receives anything like a proportionate return in the vast variety of its contents. In size, too, it is constantly increasing from year to be a bad failure? How much will you white paper now costs fully 20 per pay?"
cent more than it did when the present era of good times began has become a matter of more than ordinary business significance to American publishers in almost every department of journalism.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

## NEW EXPEDITION TO GO NORTH.

Naval Man to Lead Party in Dash for the Pole.

William Ziegler has announced his determination to equip another expelition to search for the north pole. He has intimated that neither Baldwin nor Peary will lead in this new attempt, but that the leader will be a naval man. Anthony Fiala, the photographer of the Baldwin expedition, who has just returned from Tromsoe, says that Mr. Ziegler thinks the work and expense of reaching the pole now more than half accomplished, with the



cache of 40,000 pounds of provisions already so far north, and that another attempt should be successful.

urnshed a "turn" would have been envied by many a week. performer on the music hall boards,

Shah an Expert Marksman.

exhibition of marksmanship, for the without it." shah is an expert shot with both rifle "Yes," replied the jeweler, quickly, and pistol. He never misses, and can "but if I loaned you one you might successfully perform all manner of get lost with it." trick shots. On one occasion a copper coin was thrown into the air and he his own wit that he loaned his cusshot a hole through its center, while tomer a good watch.-New York at another time he snuffed a candle Times. at a hundred paces.

#### Why the Fist Flew.

The late Prof. Virchow was one of the guests of Victoria University when Lord Lister received an honorary degree. The large audience which ass, and money sharks, and country witnessed the ceremony was astonished to see Lord Lister stop suddenly in the address which he was delivering and shake his fist stercely at Prof. Vir. monkey-faced dudes, and society apes, chow. Lord Lister, who is no orator, and old hen reformers, and gawkies, had his speech written out on a number of sheets of paper, and Virchow, Tammany tigers, and owl cars, and ber of sheets of paper, and Virchow, before the meeting, had expressed a Standard Oil hogs, and doves of peace, great desire to see the manuscript and and dogs of war, an had taken the opportunity to throw the papers into hopeless confusion.

#### WHAT MADE TY VALUABLE

Explanation Made by Portu-

guese "Antiquarian."

John C. Groom, captain of the First City troop, while in Porto Rico during the war with Spain, undertook to purchase some relics of historic interest that should serve as souvenirs of the campaign when he returned home. He ran across a shrewd Portuguese who had been doing a thriving business as an "antiquarian" with other members of the troop; and bargaining at once began. The fellow's assurance was developed beyond anything Capt. Groom had ever before encountered; and there was placed on display a fine array of jewelry, weapons, manuscripts and odd articles of attire that were patently "fakes." Groom shook his head and was turning away when the "antiquarian" recalled him with an assertion that he had a pistol which was originally the property of Christopher Columbus. He added that it had been in the keeping of a Peruvian relative for many years; and Capt. Groom asked to see it. He was shown a revolver of modern pattern, dingy and rust-encrusted, with the hammer snapped as though in the processes of 'antiquitating.''

"You rogue!" exclaimed the Philadelphian, amused but irritated at having been called back. "Revolvers were not made in Columbus' day!"

'Si, senor-I know! I know!" explained the Portuguese. "And that, gracious senor, is what makes this so rare!"-Philadelphia Ledger.

#### WANTED THE MARKET RATE

Prospective Bankrupt Sought Information Before His Failure.

According to Mr. John Claffin, president of the H. B. Claffin company, his father, the founder of the house, made a strong effort to maintain personal relations with his customers. He always encouraged buyers to come to him for a friendly talk, and as far as possible he advised them concerning the matters in hand.

One day a customer called, and as he entered the private office Mr. Claflin looked up from his desk and called: "Hello, how are you feeling to-

day?"
"I'm feeling fine, Mr. Claffin; I never was better."

"And how is the business?" "Oh, that's different, Mr. Claffin. I

think I must have a failure."
"What! A failure? How is that?

Haven't you made money?" "I used to, Mr. Claffin, but not now; business is bad, very bad, Mr. Claffin,

and I think I must fail."
"Well, now, I'm sorry. But will it

about. How much are they paying now, Mr. Claffin?"

#### Stepping Westward. are you stepping westward?"-

-'Twould be a wildish destiny, Two mo be a winds destiny.

If we, who thus together roam

In a strange land, and far from home,
Were in this place the guests of Chance;
Yet who would stop, or fear to advance,
Though home or shelter he had none,
With such a sky to lead him on?

The dewy ground was dark and cold;
Behind, all gloomy to behold;
And stepping westward seemed to be
A kind of heavenly destiny;
I liked the greeting; 'twas a sound
Of something without place or bound;
And seemed to give me spiritual right
To travel through that region bright.

The voice was soft, and she who spake The voice was soft, and she who spake, Was walking by her native lake; The salutation had to me The very sound of courtesy; Its power was felt; and while my eye Was fixed upon the glowing sky. The echo of the voice unwrought A human sweetness with the thought of traveling through the world that lay Before me in my endless way.

#### Better Than the Genuine.

The plutocratic father finds his daughter in tears. 'How now?" he asks. "Are you not

happy with the noble count to whom you were married with great eclat and

"Oh, papa!" weeps the beauteous heiress, flinging herself into his arms and breaking two cigars and the crystal of his watch. "Oh, pana! It is terrible! I discover that he is a bogus There, there," scothes the father.

with a smile of relief. "That's all right. It won't cost near so much to keep him and, besides, he will not be above going to work."

#### Pleased With His Own Wit.

H. M. C. Vedder, vice president of the Account, Audit and Assurance company, took out his watch the other day and found that the mainspring The shah of Persia, who one even was broken. He went into the nearng during his recent stay in London est jeweler's, who was a stranger to paid a visit to the empire, could have him, and was told that he would have himself which to leave the timepiece for about a

"I wish you would loan me one to the could have given an astonishing carry, said Mr. Vedder, "for I am lost

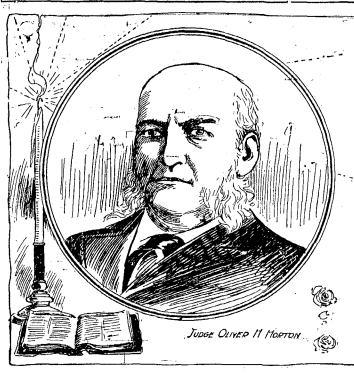
The jeweler was so pleased with

#### How He Saw It. Uncle Si (agriculturist)-I've hearn the New York zon is great.

Uncle Jo (countryside joker)—Wal, I guess! They've got the unmitigated suckers, and Chicago lobsters, and Wall street bulls, and stock exchange bears, and peacocks ex fashion, and

Uncle Silas-Say, Jo, I want a gallon the ice has been broken in the state of that same dider.-Life. office.

#### METHODIST LAYMEN CHOOSE JUDGE HORTON FOR HEAD



Judge Oliver H. Horton, elected | though a Republican in pólitics has president of the Laymen's Association been the candidate of both parties in the three elections with which he connected with the Rock River conference of the Methodist church, has been on the circuit bench of Cook has been honored. Judge Horton is an alumnus of the Union School of county, Illinois, since 1887, and for the .Law, member of a number of social past four years has occupied a seat organizations, and is deeply interested on the appelate rench. He began his in mission and other works of the official career as corporation counsel of Chicago, under Mayor Roche, and

HE WOULD HANG OPERATORS.

Mayor Hurley of Salem, Mass., Ex-

plained Plan to End Strike.

Mayor Hurley's talk at Salem.

Mayor Hurley.

that the mine owners ought to be

hanged, has caused much comment in

that city, of which he is the chief ex-

ecutive. The mass meeting had been

called to collect funds for the anthra-

cite miners. In soliciting subscriptions Mayor Hurley said: "I know of

only one way to help this matter, and

that is to hang those people who are the cause of it. I do not mean to kill

them, but just/to 'yank' them up and

let them drop two or three times, and

Their Odd Protest.

The waiters of Trieste, Austria, have gone on a strike in order to force

their employers to abolish the custom

of "tipping." In the old country the

giving of tips to waiters and others is

universal, and virtually compulsory.

The result is the employers give their

servants small wages or no wages, or

even make them pay a bonus for the

privilege of working-on the expecta-

tion that patrons will make up the deficiency by liberal tips. The tipping

system thus is of little and uncertain

benefit to the waiters, and they in-

sist upon being paid regular wages.

the custom being changed, as it is too

WOMAN FILLS STATE OFFICE.

Miss J. N. Bishop, First of Her Sex

on Public Board in Alabama.

recently appointed a member of the

state examining board of school

teachers to fill a vacancy, is the first

woman to fill a state office in Ala-

much surprise as gratification. It is

known that State Superintendent Gun-

nels is favorably disposed toward the

idea of promoting women to county

superintendents and a departure in

Miss J. N. Bishop.

Her appointment caused as

Miss J. Nicholene Bishop, who was

There is no ikelihood, however,

deeply rooted.

bama.

gaess they would cry quits."

#### Methodist church. The selection has met with general approval.

M. Schwab, is the nabob of Loretto, a little Pennsylvania village on the crest of the Alleghany mountains. He is-Mass., when he told a mass meeting the richest resident, its only retired merchant. Several years before his son had managed to creep very far up the ladder in Braddock, Schwab, by means of a livery business and a farm, got together a comfortable sum

for use in his declining years. He is now 65 years old, but his six feet ôf spare body remains as straight as an arrow, and not a gray hair shows in his black hair and beard. The mother is the opposite of her husband. She is typically German. Her figure is short and stout, her face round and full, and her complexion and hair fair. She is exceedingly affable. The villagers say that "Charlie takes after his mother in everything except his nose," wheh is prominent, "like his

Father of Steel Magnate.

John Schwab, the father of Charles

#### TO DEAL WITH PHILIPPINES.

father's."

General Smith Will Serve on the Isand Commission.

Gen. James F. Smith of California who has been appointed a member of the Philippine commission to succeed Bernard Moses, who is to retire Jan 1, is at present associate justice of the supreme court of the Philippine Islands. He was formerly collector of customs for the islands, in which position he showed marked ability. fore the war Gen. Smith was a lawyer



Gen. James F. Smith. of San Francisco, and under Cleve

land's administration was deputy collector of the port of San Francisco. He is a prominent Roman Catholic layman and accompanied Gov. Taft to

#### Temperance Experiment.

In the little town of Thorley, England, the duke of Bedford has established a model public house. It is a large, airy, attractive building, a regular workingman's club. Beer is not prohibited, but only a very quality is sold. Instead of being leased it is put in the hands of a manager at a fixed salary with certain commissions. He receives ahandsome commission on everything he sells except beer; so that it is to his interest to induce his customers when they require stimulants to take food and mineral waters instead of

#### Governmental Economy. The Gaulois of Paris tells a story relating to the recent visit, of the

Duke de Sexto, who was sent by King Alfonso of Spain to bear the insignia of the Golden Fleece to President Loubet. It states that the ambassador extraordinary was "considerably astonished" to be called upon to pay 600 francs for the hire of carriages which coneveyed him and his suite to and from the Elysee. The Gaulois added that this was the usual practhat line may be expected now that tice when embassies were received, and that it "blushed to make it pub-



#### The Grass Thrips.

Bulletin 83 of the Maine Static consists of a scientific and technic description of the grass thrips (and phothrips striata Osborn). As th bulletin is not of general interest onl a limited edition was printed and will be sent only on application.

The grass thrips is a minute in sect, from one twenty-fifth to one-six teenth of an inch in length, usually living in some part of the grass plant from which it sucks the juice. In the early summer its work is confined chiefly to June grass, but later in the season timothy and other grasses are attacked also. The dead grass tops seen along the highway and in the edges of the field are often due to this cause. If the top of a plant thus affected be gently pulled, the stalk usually parts above the upper joint and the part which was covered by the sheath is found withered and shrunken.

As the thrips feeds by sucking the juices of the plants, contact poisons, as kerosene emulsion or whale cil soap are the only ones which are of use in combating it. When only a small area is infested, one of the insecticides just mentioned or even a liberal application of water will prove successful in controlling the pest. When a large area is infested the application of an insecticide is not feasible on account of the expense of materials and application. In such a case the burning of the dead stalks after the ground has frozen in the fall so as to secure a close burn without injuring the roots of the grass, may prove successful. With badly run out fields, which are the ones most likely to be hadly infested, the best remedy is deep plowing in the fall or in the early spring before the grass has started. If this is followed by thorough cultivation none of the insects will be able to make their way to the surface of the ground.

#### Egyptian Clover.

Trifolium alexandrinum. This is an annual clover recently introduced from Egypt. It is helieved that it will do well in the southern states, but



#### EGYPTIAN CLOVER it will require more experimentation to show just what its value is and just where it will grow to best advantage.

One Kind of Farming in Mississippi.

Bulletin 76, Mississippi station: The present system of farming in Mississippi fails to make profitable ise of all the land on the farm. It permits the most excessive washing of surface soils, and in consequence the cultivated area becomes less productive each year, while the gullies and washes get wider and deeper and more numerous. Grass is not wanted and is either treated with indifference or as an enemy. The money received for the cotton crop is spent for supplies, for work stock and for feed because not enough of these things are grown on the farm to supply the demand. The present system will not permit of paying good wages labor, and labor that is poorly paid is generally unsatisfactory.

The growing of live stock on the farm has an important bearing on its productiveness and increases very greatly the opportunities for using all parts of it profitably. By furnishing a means for disposing of the crops grown, live stock encourages diversification and makes it easy to practice rotation without "losing the use of the land when it is occupied by re-storative crops." Under the present system one dollar per acre for the entire area is very good rent for the average farm. A few will rent for a little more, while many will not rent for so much. This condition, apparently, is largely due to the fact that no returns whatever are gotten from large areas, while the average pro-ductiveness of other large areas is too small for any profit.

World's Cereal Crops for 1902. The Hungarian minister of agriculture issued on September 4 his annual estimate of the grain crops of the world. The figures are approxi-

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lixamples Found in the Parks and Open Squares of Paris. There is no better place to study French trugality films, in the parks and open squares of Paris. Go to one of the secondhand fairs held on the outer boulevards. What in other countries would be cast aside as useless is here exposed for sale, having been carefully sorted over by ragpickers, whose sole support is the rubbish which you see broken china, bits of glass, pieces of stone, old nails, old pots and pans, old shoes, old combs and brushes. Does a woman need a cup? Has she broken a saucer? For 2 cents she can replace them. Is her lock broken, her key lost? Behold a thousand from which to choose. The poor students may find their books, mothers their children's shoes, says Donohoe's

Each house in Paris is provided by the city with a large box. Into this the servants throw all that is not needed by the family, whether of food or ret ment. Every morning the chiffoniers or ragpickers are privileged to search through these boxes before the contents are carted by the city to distant fields, where the refuse is employed in ertilizing the soil. From the homes of the wealthy the poor receive many articles of real value. Fifty thousand ragpickers, say the statistics, realize \$10,000 daily from their pickings.

English of Long Ago.

The king's English has changed as kings have come and gone, says the and, looking me to the heart out of St. James Gazetic. Here is a passage from the record of a crowning of long ago: "The Cardinall, as Archebishoppe of Caunterbure, showing the king to the people at the iiij parties of the said pulpitt, shall say in this wise, 'Sirs, I here present Henry (true) and rightful, and undoubted enheritour by the lawes of God and man to the coronne and rotall dignite of England, with all things thereunto ennexed and apperteyning, electe, chosen and required by all three estats of the same land to tak yppon him the said coroune and rotall dignite, whereupon ye shall vnderstand that this date is prefixed and appoynted by all the piers of this land for the conseerasion, envuccion and coronacion of the said most excellent Prince Henry; will ye, sirs, at this tyme geve your willes and essentes to the same conse-cracion, envuccion and coronacion? Whereupon the peple shall saie, with a greate voice, 'Ye, Ye. So be hit. King Henry! King Henry!"

Chinese Duplicity.
A south sea islander said of his race, "As soon as we open our mouths a lie is born." The Chinese acknowledge ithout shame the same of themselves. It may be true among western nations that "the affairs of life hinge upon.confidence," but in the east, and especially in China, they hinge upon suspicion. There are few Chinese who attach any importance to keeping an engagement. Most of them are like the man who, being accused of having broken his promise, replied that it was of no consequence, as he could make another just as good. The Chinese say that one should never refuse a request in an abrupt manner; on the contrary, he should grant it in form, although with no intention to do so in substance. "Put him off till tomorrow and then until another tomorrow. Thus you comfort his heart," they say.

Soon Tired of His Books. The 7,000 volumes of chronicles and

travels from which Gibbon distilled the Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire" were purchased by Beckford after the writer's death. "I bought it." said the author of "Vathek," "to have something to read when I passed through Lausanne." There were few rarities in the collection, but most of the authors were in the best obtainable editions and in perfect conditionhe fastidious Gibbon was incapable of behaving disrespectfully to a book. For six weeks Beckford reveled in his purchase and read himself nearly blind. He soon tired of his books, however, and presented the whole collection to a German physician named Schell. The recipient showed his appreciation of the treasure by promptly selling it.

Right and Left Cigars.

It is not always because a cigar is badly made that the wrapper curls up and works off, says the Tobacco Worker. It is often because a right handed man is smoking a left handed cigar. A 'left handed cigar" is one rolled by the maker's left hand, for all cigar makers must be ambidextrous. A piece of tobacco for the wrapper is cut on the bias and is rolled from left to right on the filler. The other piece for reasons of economy is then used and must be rolled the opposite way by the operator's other hand. Hence a smoker who holds a cigar in his right hand, sometimes twisting it about, rubs the wrapper the wrong way and loosens it.

A Youthful Estimate. "Now." said the Sünday school teacher in her most winning tones, "which little boy can tell me about the still small voice that is within us?"

"Please'm," said the freekled boy at the end of the seat, "my uncle has one."

"He has?" "Yes'm; he's a ventriloquist!" Bal timore American.

Definite Direction.

A waiter who had been an old marine watched as long as he could bear It while his master tried to draw the stuffing through the side of a bird, "Farther aft, sir!" he ventured in an embarrassing whisper; "farther aft!"

Success in the practical affairs of life depends upon temperament more thanupon talent, for decision, courage, industry, and perseyerance are tempera-

MEN WHO DELIVER MAIL. Heart Transdien That Line the Route of Letter Carolers.

"Tell you a story? Why, yes, I might tell a good many stories if that was in my line." The letter carrier blew a nearly, wreath of smoke upward and flecked the dead ash from his cigur, says the Denver News. Let me see. There's an old lidy on my route down in Alabania who sits knitting the livelong day, by, the front room, window, Every morning and afternoon when I whistle at the door of her next door neighbor she lays down her knitting and peers with a tired, eager face out of that window until I go by. She's got a boy somewhere out west. He doesn't, write to her twice a year, yet twice each day the whole year through she sits there, with that anxious look, waiting, waiting, waiting, I feel a twitch at my own heart overy time I pass by and see the look of expectancy fade into disappointment. Sometimes I'd give \$50 to be able to stop and give her five lines from that good for noth ing boy of hers for whom she's eating out her heart,"

"That reminds me," said a younger

man who heard the letter carrier's story, "of a pretty baby on my scatte in a Louisiana city. She's a dainty tot about four or maybe five years old. She has blue gray eyes like a wood violet that look a fellow straight to the heart. Some little girls can do that after they are older. This tot's mamma died six months ago, and for a month afterward she used to come tripping down the walk to meet me with a little white note in her hand, these big trusting eyes, she would say, 'Mr. Postman, won't you please take this letter to my mamma in heaven? I used to take the dainty missive from the wee pink hand. I couldn't tell her how far away her mamma was. One day she came without a letter and there was pain in the great, sweet eyes. 'Mr. Postman, baby wants a letter from mamma. Please, Mr. Postman, tell my mamma me wants some letters too,' And, boys, every day for a week I had to pass that baby with the pain in the gray blue eyes and I wondered the angels did not find some way somehow to make her baby heart understand."

#### FRUITS AND FLOWERS.

Water in which mignonette has been placed should be changed often, since it quickly becomes foul.

The best use to make of old bones is to break them up and bury them near the roots of fruit trees, and grapevines.

By sowing nitrate of soda in small quantities in showery weather under trees a most beautiful verdure will be

It is not a good plan to fill an old orchard with young trees. The soil is too much exhausted by the growth of the former occupants. Geraniums bloom most satisfactorily

when grown in comparatively smallpots and soil which is termed rich, but not rank with excessive manure. Stir, spade, rake and pulverize soil

thoroughly before planting or sowing. The importance of this work cannot be overestimated if you desire fine blos-Geraniums that have been used for

summer bloomers will not flower again until the late spring months. Plants for winter blooming should be grown especially for this purpose.

Care of Pupples.

Pupples after wearing will keep strong and healthy and will grow fast if fed only on fresh buttermilk and corn bread, with soup instead of the buttermilk twice a week, till they are five or six months old. Do not feed them sweet milk. Keep the pupples where they can get plenty of exercise, Do not crowd them. Arrange their kennels so that they can go in and out of their sleeping quarters. If fed in the same vessels, some dogs get more than their share of food and lose their manners also. Fasten a number of chains where they eat at such distances that no one can reach the other: then feed in individual pans. Give little medicine and plenty of exercise. and you will then have strong, healthy dogs. An hour's run every day in the year in the fields and woods, weather permitting, is essential to good health.

Get a True Focus.

happiness and misery, is a destroyer of objectionable tricks. happiness and success. A man who goes about with a funereal face, thinking "hard times," fearing "dull scasons," disaster, panic and failure wherever his interests center, is never a happy man; rarely a successful one. Pessimism is a destructive force in men's lives, just as optimism is a constructive agency.—Success.

Immune. "My" exclaimed the old ledy who ington Star. was taking her first trolley ride. "I should think it would be mighty dangerous workin' on these cars all the time. Ain't you 'feared of the 'lectrici-

ty strikin' you?"
"No'm," he replied as he took her nickel and neglected to ring it up on the register. "You see, I'm not a good conductor."—Philadelphia Press.

Got Even the Tramp's Money, Harmless Hank-Wot's wrong, pal? Youse as witte as a ghost. And w'ere did youse git dat book?

Luckless Harry-Don't ast me! All I remember is stoppin' at a house where a book agent lives an' askin' fer a couple o' matches.-Chicago News.

The Misery of It The man who is looking for trouble can find trouble without trouble.—Philadelphia Record. \_\_\_

VIRGINIA SWALLOWWORT.

its Beautiful Blossoms Are Pitfalls For Bees and Bugs. Honey bees and insects and bugs of

ess degree and pitfalls and often death in the beautiful blossoms of the milkweed, otherwise known as the Virginia swallowwort. If these flowers are examined any sunny day, one will be pretty sure to find them decorated with a miscellancous assortment of strugging or dead insects with their legs fast in the sits of the peculiar blossoms. The policy of this common plant instead of being a powder, as in the case of most plants, consists of sticky, wirxen masses hidden within the blos som. When a visiting insect thrusts proboscis or leg into the opening of such a flower, some of these masses stick to it, and the natural course is for the insect to flav off to another flower and fertilize this with the adhering poilen. All insects, however, are not strong enough to extricate their legs from the sticky places, and then ensues the slow torture of hanging there until death of a helping hand releases them from mis-ery. Besides being beautiful, it could be quite a useful plant if we cared to develop its virtues. Thus its milky juice contains caoutehoue. Brown sugar has been made from the flowers, The silky lairs of the seeds are serviceable in the manufacture of textile fabrics, as cotton is, and a fiber of good quality for repensating may be extracted from the stalk.

The Landon Silly Season.

"Always] at the beginning of Aurust," says Sydney Prooks, "the editor of each Lossion daily easts about for a subject that will fetch the great British public and fill the correspondence column, such a's 'Is Marriage a Failure? 'The Deeny of Domesticity, Euglish Versus American Women, 'Why Don't Young Men Marry?' 'Should Women Work?' or 'Are We Improvident? A member of the na per's staff will write a letter to the editor opening the ball. Another member will reply to him. Instantly from Clapham and Brixton and throbbing provincial households, there sets in a steady stream of letters-all genuine and argumentative and for the most part quite appallingly earnest. It is a most curious phenomenon, such, I suppose, as no other country can show. For thousands of men and women these finnual discussions would seem to be their one chance of really opening their hearts and minds to world, and a very strange spectacle they make when opened, the minds especially. No one who really wanted to study England could ignore these debates. They throw more than a kttle light on the English character and the average English intelligence."

The polite Chinaman will always refer to himself in deprecatory terms. This trait of Chinese etiquette is aptly expressed in one of their own tales, in which a visitor is represented as calling in his best clothes and scated in the reception room awaiting the arrival of his host. A rat that had been prying in a jar of oil on a rafter above, frightened at the intrusion of the caller, ran'away and in so doing upset the oil jar, which feil on the visitor, saturating his elegant robes with oil. Just as the face of the guest was purple with rage the here entered, when the proper salutations were performed. after which the guest proceeded to explain the situation, "As I entered your honerable apartment and scated self under your honorable beam I inadvertently terrified your honorable rat, which fled and upset your honorable oil jar upon my insignificant person, which is the reason of my contemptible appearance in your honora ble presence.

Unjustly Punished. A friend of mine returning to camp after a day's shooting, says a writer in Navy and Army, suddenly came in sight of a big she bear with two cubs following in single file proceeding along a ridge, the forms of the three being sharply silhouetted against the sky. It was a very long shot, but he determined to try it, so drew a bead on the old she bear and fired. The re sult was curious. The procession stopped, the she bear scratched herself hastily, then turned around and regarding the cub immediately behind with grave disapproval boxed ears soundly and then went trundling A habit of looking at things from a on along the ridge, evidently under distorted angle, of focusing the vision the impression that her frollesome offon things that depress and suggest un- spring had been up to some unusually

Satirical. "Did you know," said the young man who tried to pose as a handy volume of information, "that there was a time when it was considered a crime for a man to kiss his wife on Sunday?"

"Indeed!" rejoined Miss Cayenne And now there are a number of instances in which it would probably be looked on more as a penance."-Wash

The Stopover No Trouble. . Hennepeck-Do our tickets allow us to step över?

Mrs. Hennepeck-You can stop over anywhere you like. The trouble will all come when you get on the next train to continue the trip with the same old ticket.-Los Angeles Herald.

Rector-Remember, my young friend, there are things in life better than Young Friend-Yes: I know that, but it takes money to buy them,

The Jail.

"Lam going to visit the juil, There is a man I want to see there?" "Is one all? I know about forty whom I should like to see there."-Indianapolis News.

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