Our Public Schools.

Interesting Letter from Supt. H. H. Fuller.

TO THE PATRONS OF OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS:

While it may be unwise to count too much on the future, next year promises to be the banner year to date in the history of our schools. I wish to speak especially of the new memhers of the faculty. One of the new High School teachers is the best Albion Collège has to offer, a brilliant of the public. If a man jumps into a student, a leader in Y. W. C.A. and well, the newspaper records his action. other work which helps young people If he commits suicide, the newspaper to develop the social side in the right makes a record. If he builds a new manner, a graduate of the conservatory of music, a specialist in history and English, in fact school boards are seldom able to secure teachers who combine so many desirable qualities, engaging with our board the young lady has been tendered a position in one of our largest high schools at a salary \$100 in advance of what she is to receive at East Jordan but she. prefers to stand by her contract with

Our High School principal who will have charge of the English and the High School U.S. History combines with desirable personal qualities second to none, rare brilliancy as a student. The University this year graduates none better. This teacher has had many other chances to secure a fine position since we secured her continues of seciety. It is recording tract but our board by getting an ing the things of interest to the pubearly start was able to get her name lic, and it is done without any more to contract.

the best. The least experience of any years. I regard our 7th and 8th grade ed a raise of \$10.00 per month in the taught four and one five years in every case with more than ordinary success. All have had normal training and all tions in larger schools at a better salour board was able to get the best.

It may not be wise to be as personal as this article may appear, in a newspaper column, but it seems to me the public has a right to know how-their money is being spent. It is my ambition to make our school system second to none and with your cooperation I am sure it can be done. A "long pull and a strong pull"Dogether will accomplish this very desirable result.

Without reflecting in the least on where teachers have resigned to fill the place with the best we could secure. In every case care has been exe clared to secure teachers who compersonal qualities which will enable them to exercise on the young people the best kind of influence. In this respect the faculty for next year will be unusually strong:

I am more than anxious to have each parent fully appreciate the good things in store for our young people next year. All teachers being good, each will vie with the others in securing the best record. All the old teachers who remain we know will do excellent work. They are known to be good by their past.

H. H. FULLER.

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## K.O.T.M.M. Resolutions.

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Therefore, be it resolved that we drape the Charter of our. Tent which our Brother has lived up to, and keep it draped sixty days.

Be it further resolved, that the Tent does-deeply and sincerely sympathize with the wife and family of the deceased brother, and that we shall ever endeavor to keep fresh in our minds that portion of our obligation, which binds us to protect the widows and orphans.

Be it further resolved, that these solutions be spread upon the records of our tent and also a copy of the same sent to the family of the deceased.

Wm. F. Bashaw, C. H. Whittington,

It's A Rocord.

Real Mission of Your Newspaper Made Plain to All Readers.

A great many people do not seem to know the real functions of a newspaper. A real newspaper is simply the recording secretary of the doings building, the newspaper puts it down. If a man takes a new wife the newspaper puts it in the minutes with minute details as to the bride's dress and the flowers and so on. If a man is arrested for burglary the newspaper tells the story. If he is fined for getting drunk the newspaper makes a minute of the event. When a child is born the newspaper sets it down. If a factory is started, the newspaper is a representative of the public on hand to give it a welcome and enter it up on the minutes of the day. If five aldermen sell out the city and hold a feast in an underground saloon after ward, the newspaper, 'with impartial attention to the facts, records the story. The newspaper has no feeling in the matter whatever. It is keeping feeling either for or against the par-In the grades also we are to have ticipants than the average man would have against the butcher who furis 24 weeks, ranging from that to 10 nishes his meat or the baker who furnishes his bread. Some people think teacher for next year one of the that the newspaper editor has h per-strongest in the state: She was offer-sonal feeling against people, or it wouldn't write up their foolish escaschool where she has taught for the pades. This is the greatest, possible last six years but our board had se- mistake. The newspaper is like a her promise. Another -has judge on the bench, who hands out even handed, justice without any feeling in the matter, except a feeling of sorrow that people should get into but one have diplomas, showing that trouble. The newspaper simply rethe course has been completed, cords the things that happen of public In every case but one or two these interest and if they do not look well in print the fault is who make them happen, and not with ary but having secured early contracts the newspaper, which only writes them-down after they happen .- Adrian Telegram ..

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The Leveling Crowd.

But quite apart from one's private feeling, there is also the undoubted fact which meets one on every side, that people in the company of others are almost invariably less interesting, less individual, less tolerant, more conventional, more tiresome, less sincere, less unaffected than when they are alone; they are less themselves, in fact. The serious, quiet, suggestive person, who is delightful when he is by himself, when he talks easily and simply of all that is in his mind, becomes feebly jocular, mildly cynical, given to anecdote, given to reminiscence, in company. The bluff man becomes rude, the laughing philosopher becomes a screeching plafitudinarian, the weeping philosopher becomes a gloomy poseur, the shy man becomes silent or, still worse, voluble, the talker becomes a chatterer, the sympathetic man becomes unctuous. It is he natural result of an audience, says A. C. Benson, in Atlantic. In a tete-atete one has only one person to think of; but when the listeners are multiplied, one feels obliged conscientiously to try and hit the taste, not of the individual, but of the type; and the type is always duller, and generally lower, than the individual. And in any case prudence warns one to abstain from any originality and not to commit oneself.

### Medical Inspection of Schools.

The cordial bearing and the loving care of children will always be woman's supreme work. Our darkest sociological prophets to the contrary notwithstanding, she will never emancipate herself from those tender duties. Not very long ago the home prepared the children for schools. Now, in the somersault of conditions, the school stands in loco parentis to the children. With the children of the very poor and illiterate this is peculiarly the fact. The training, the care, the instruction, the play, which cannot be had in the home, the public school supplies. The strong manhood and efficient womanhood so vital to our material security depend to-day, declares Herbert D. Ward, in Woman's Home Companion, upon the quality of oversight in the school rather than upon direction and solicitude in the home. Hotel and flat life, the tenement house and congestion in our cities, the public school system and curfew law—these illustrate the decadence of the home. Our women must rush to the rescue. The first requisite of a balanced mind will always be a healthy body. . ..... New York city now employs 150 physicians, who visit each public school once a day, shortly after nine o'clock, to examine those children set aside by the teachers as requiring attention.

In an article in Scribner's Magazine on "Americanisms,"— Henry Cabot Lodge will bring joy to many readers by his remarks on the word "guess," whose use in the sense of think or suppose is so derided by British critics. Mr. Lodge quotes Chaucer. Shakespeare, Gray, Coleridge, Wordsworth and Carlyle as using the word in this sense, and says: "Seriously peaking, the word 'guess' is a good ild English word, and the American sage is both excellent and correct, as well as far truer to the tradition and spirit of the language than the British substitutes of 'fancy,' 'fmagine,' or 'expect,' which last is grotesquely wrong because it can properly apply only to With this aind him eyen the fastidious one anxous to display culture need not lanent when his tongue slips and he ays "I guess" instead of "I fawncy."

John Burroughs, who lives near to nature's heart in a picturesque home in the Esopus hills, overlooking the joble Hudson, has been interviewed n the subject of "nature fakers" and hows that many of the writers on the abits of birds and animals are rank umbugs and know little about the ubjects regarding which they profess speak with authority. In many natters regarding outdoor life he is horoughly in accord with President consevelt, of whom he says: "The resident is as competent in natural istory as he is in politics. He knows ir wild life like a book, and whatver he says on the subject you can ke without discount." That, says roy Times, comes straight from a an who never conceals his own opinns, and whose love for the simple d naturali life cannot be exceeded.

A New York woman has been awarddamages in the sum of six cents cause a dentist kissed her while was fitting false teeth into her outh. It should never be necessary that dentist to take anything for weak stomach.

Hen. Baden Powell, who won such tinction in the Boer war, is a deindant of Capt. John Smith, and he ve just given Louth (England) gram-

# CHARLEVOIX COUNTY HERALD MICHIGAN **EVENTS NOTED**

THE TAX COMMISSION'S WORK TO KEEP IT BUSY FOR MANY WEEKS.

UNJUST TAXATION CRIES

Midland Farmer's Fifteen Sons Help Him in Farming—Family of Thirty Children Blessed His Home

### The Tax Problem.

The tax commission is finding considerable work outlined for it by citi-zens and corporations complaining of unequal valuations fixed by assessing

Secretary Wells H. Brown will go to investigate plaint of a large power company that its assessment is unreasonable and excessive. He will also visit Rapid City, where it is claimed much prophas been left off the assessment. One complaint from a tannery company at Cheboygan calls into question nearly an the assessments in the township of Inverness.

The Detroit United Rallway has filed objections to its assessment in Ypsilanti, and the Benton Harbor & South Bend Railway Co. complains of an excessive assessment in all the townships through which the road runs. Another electric company that seeks to obtain a lower assessment is the Grand Rapids, Grand Haven Muskegon Electric Railway Co.

## No Race Suicide.

Probably the largest family in Midland county, and probably the great-est number of living children of any man in Michigan, may be claimed by a man named Methner. Thirty chil-dren have been born to him by his. two wives, the first having six, and his present spouse being the mother of 24. She is 45 years old, and Methner. is 63 years of age. With his 200-acre farm. Mr. Methner is able to employ his boys to advantage, 15 of them at present assisting him with his farm work. Methner traveled to Lansing on May 31 to tell velt about his family, but the secret service men blooked upon him with suspicion, and kept him gutside the

### Made Deaf and Dumb.

David Buckeloo, son of Henry Buckby lightning, will probably be left deaf and dumb. He recovered consciousness. eighteen hours after being struck down Physicians say there is every indication that he will not be able to near or speak again.

The forest fires which raged north and west of Alpena for three days destroying the lumber camps of Albert Lough and threatening the club house of the Turtle Lake club, have been extinguished by heavy rains.

## Pastor's Wife Is Dead.

Mrs. D. C. Fleming, wife of one of Charlotte's pastors, died Saturday under peculiar circumstances. Mrs. Fleming was taken ill at the supper table and doctors thought she was suffering for the same of the same suffering from ptomaine poisoning from eating ice cream, but as others from eating ice cream, but as others were not taken sick the doctors on further investigation pronounced her death due to a ruptured blood vessel. Rev. Fleming has held pastorates at Lakeview, Petoskey, Vassar, Freeport and other Michigan towns. Five children surviva. children survive.

# Saw Son Killed.

Saw Son Killed.

Abraham Verlee, aged 8 years, son of Peter Verlee, of Vreeland, a few miles southeast of Grand Rapids, ran in front of a Grand Rapids & Holland interurban car late Thursday afternoon, and was instantly killed.

The little fellow was playing ball, and his father sat on the porch of their home watching him. He saw

and his father sat on the porch of their home, watching him. He saw their home, watching him. He saw the car bearing down on his child, but was speechless with horror and could nothing, seemingly being riveted to the spot. \*

# Sparrow Bounties.

apiece, to offset the effect of the reaplece, to onset the effect of the repeal of the state sparrow bounty law. The local bounty system has been invogue for six months and the total expense up to date has been \$920, representing a reduction of over. 46,000

# Burned to Death.

Miss Sina Richards, of Saulte Ste. Marie, was running a sewing machiner at night when a lamp fell to the floor. She tried to extinguish the flames by sitting on the lamp, but her clothing took fire and she ran into the street, covered with flames. A neighbor rushed to the rescue, throwing his coat around her when she fell to the ground. She was taken to the hospital, where she died in great agony.

# Howland Convicted.

Frank Howland, who shot Charles' B. Carroll, of Marcellus, in his wife's om in Laporte, Ind., has been found guilty of intent to murder, and must serve a term of two to 21 years. Car-roll has three bullets in his body and physicians say he cannot survive one rear. Judge Dodge instructed the jury hat the "unwritten law" should not be considered. Howland's parents are prominent Grand Rapids people

Alpena board of review has raised personal values about \$6.000,000 and W. A. Comstock and F. W. Glichrist have each been boosted \$100,000.

Whole Mr. and Mrs. Fred Polley were fishing in Pigeon river their 3year-old son crawled out of the buggy and fell into the creek and was

Geo. W. Smith fainted on the street in Battle Creek and was taken to po-lice headquarters and washed up, and sent to his boarding house. There he collapsed again and he died from exachool a bust of the famous plo-haustion after being taken to Nichola'

## LOVE LOST. Mart Aged 74 Sues Youth of 45 for NEWS FROM HOME Allenating Wife's Affection.

Peter Esterie, aged 74, charges Charles E. Karchner, aged 45, with the alternation of the affections of his wife, who is 73, years of age. He demand \$10,000 damages. The parties reside

According to the court records Es According to the court recognized at year ago gave Karchner a deed to his property in Lowell on his agreeing to pay a mortgage of \$250 and give the Esterles a home for the rest of their lives. Esterle avers that after a short time Karchner induced his aged wife to consent to sending him to the poorhouse while she was to be given a home by Karchner. Esterie told his story to Presecutor

Brown, of Grand Rapids, who ordered Karchner to return the deed and Karchner was given a mortgage for \$250 to cover the amount he had paid. At the first opportunity Karchner foreclosed and the property was being sold at auction from the city hall steps when the papers alleging allena tion were served on Karchner. He stopped the sale and it was adjourned for two weeks. The Esterles have lived together for 43 years.

## MILLIONS.

The State Expenditures Grow to Large Proportions.

The total expenditures of the pres he total expenditures of the legislature will amount to the state of the legislature will according to ent legislature will amount tically \$9,500,000, according Morrice acting chairman of the ways and means committee of the house. The previous legislature made up a budget of \$7,300,000. Necessary in crease of expenditures to maintain the crease of the state o state institutions and keep up with the growth of the state, are ascribed

the growth of the state, are ascribed as the reason for the increase of \$2,200,000 in expenditures over that necessary two years ago.

The so-called general budget, which provides for the expenses of the state departments, will amount to approximately \$2,500,000, according to the estimates new before the ways and means committee. Two years ago that mately \$2,500,000, account and estimates new before the ways and means committee. Two years ago that budget was complete at \$4,125,000 and Gov. Warner is of the opinion that the same amount should problem that the same amount should problem that the war.

The prosecution called as the next witness Hull McClaughrey, the assistant of nostmaster at San Francisco, who

as was asked by the university's friends, and which would have netted that institution about \$800,000.

## Prisoner Skipped.

Sheriff A. L. Briggs, of Monroe county, appealed to local officials for assistance in recapturing Spencer Brookfield, alias William Ash, a pris-oner who escaped about 11 o'clock Thursday morning in Detroit, while being taken to the penitentiary at

Briggs and his prisoner came to Briggs and his prisoner came to Detroit on an electric car and were to leave on the first Jackson car. His hands were manacled and his light overcoat had been thrown over his arms to cover the cuffs. He had stepped upon the platform of the car, the sherin just ahead of him, when he suddenly turned and jumped to the suddenly turned and jumped to the ground and ran. The officer followed the fleeing man from the car and gave chase, but was unable to overtake him.

The missing prisoner is described as 30 years old, wearing a black coat, light trousers, brown derby hat, patent leather shoes and how glasses.

# A Deposition.

Representative Wand has signified his willingness to make a statement to Prosecutor Robison, of Detroit concerning the death of Edith Pres

Mr. Ward is still too weak, physic ally, to undergo the fatigue of a rail-road trip and it is thought that matters can be arranged so that Mr Rob. ison will take the legislator's depo-sition in Lansing or in Bancroft, Mr. Ward's home.

# Unknown Dead.

An unknown man was found dead in Sunday afternoo-funty laudanum bot-Edwardsburg Sunda There was an empty le beside him, which indicated sui-Last fall the board of supervisors cide. There was no clue to his identiwas about 65 years of age

# Lost His Cash.

Grieving over the loss of \$266, the axpense up to date has been \$220, representing a reduction of over 46,000 aged \$4 years, has wandered away in the sparrow population of the country. close preximity of the home to Reed's lake, it is feared the aged man may have drowned himself. Preparations are; being made to drag the lake.

# STATE NEWS BRIEFS.

On special request of Congressman Diekema, the acting secretary of war has issued an order asking Gen. Mc-Kenzie to give Congressman Diekema' the flood report of the federal hoard of engineers. Grand Rapids is to have the benefit of the government engin eer's suggestions, but the report can not be made public.

Tra F. Clark, of Boston, Mass, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Charlotte Webster, nged-82 years, of Deerfield. He is 79 Years old, hale, and hearty and has just returned from Denver, Col., where he attended, as a delegate, avanual of the Sors of the Asset a reunion of the Sons of the American Revolution. There are only 14 Sons of the American Revolution in the United States

Forest fires are burning quite badly a few miles from Republic. There are many isolated farmhouses in that vicinity and there is danger of their being wiped out.

Since January 1 four prominent Coldwater ministers have resigned First, Rev. Herbert Sowerby, for 11 years rector of St. Mark's church;

ORCHARD'S STORY ON THE STAND NOW BEING VERI-FIED BY OTHERS.

# DEFENSE CAN'T STOP IT.

The Attack on the Bradley Home and an Incriminating Registered Letter With Details,

### Following Orchard.

With the cross examination of Harry Orchard completed, the state is new ready to go ahead and furnish all the details it has to corroborate Or-chard's story. This testimony will take two weeks, it is said, and the defense will require about four weeks.

L. B. Guibbinii, the San Francisco groceryman who introduced Harry Orchard, then known as "Barry," to the servants in the Bradley household, was the first witness, Guibbinni describedat the front door leading to the Bradley apartments in Washington street. The whole front of the house was blown out. Guibbinni said he saw Or-chard at his store the day the ex-

plosion occurred.

The defense renewed its tactics by moving to strike out the witness as not connecting Haywood with the of-fense charged. The motion was overruled

Attorney Darrow, on cross-examina-tion, devoted himself to learning the conditions under which the witness was brought to Boise to testify. Guib-binni said the detectives came to him and told him he had to come to Boise and there was no use "trying to dodge

withes Hull McClaughrey, the assistant postmaster at San Francisco, who big schools of the state were reported out. The committee recommended that there be given the university approximately \$650,287 in the form of a 3-8 mill tax instead of the 1-2 mill tax.

Today the appropriation bills for the an postmaster at San Francisco, who was interrogated as to the registered letter. Orchard said he received from Pettibone while in San Francisco. Or chard said he was going by the name of "John Dempsey" at the time and the propriative pettibone weak-the name of "John Dempsey" at the time and the propriative pettibone weak-the name of "John Dempsey" at the time and the propriative pettibone weak-the name of "John Dempsey" at the page of in transmitting the letter, which con-

tained \$100.

Mr. McClaughrey produced the regis try records of the San Francisco of-fice which show the receipt of the let-ter in question on August 13, 1904. The envelope was postmarked Denver-August 10, 1904;

The records showing the delivery of the letter from "J." Wolff" to "John Dempsey" were admitted in evidence by Judge Wood over the protest of the attorneys for the defense, who objected on the ground that there was nothing to connect the defendant Hav-

The only question put to McClaughrey on the cross-examination had to do with who requested his presence in Boise. The witness said the Pink ertons first came to him about the

matter. Following McClaughrey came Frank Isaacs, registry clerk in the San Francisco postoffice, who further identified the records introduced in evidence. On cross examination Isaacs said he was subpensed by a Pinker, 4on

"That's all," said Darrow, of the defense.

"Hold on," called Senator Borah, who was conducting the examination for the state.

"Did the fact that you were sum-moned by a Pinkerton change the postoffice records in any way.

"No, sir," laughed the witness.
The next step in tracing the letter was the introduction of Miss Pearl result.
Moore, of the Denver postoffice. She identified an entry which she wrote in the "received registry book" which showed the receipt of a letter from "J Wolff," 1725 Stout street, Denver, addressed to "J. Dempsey, San Francis-

Mr. Pettibone.," replied the witness.

# Russian Duma Shut Off.

Emperor Nicholas affixed his signature Saturday to an imperial ukase abolishing the present duma and or dering that the elections of members to its successor, which is to meet November 14, be held under the new election law which provides against the "submergence of the educated classes by the uneducated masses."

This act constitutes "withing com-

This act constitutes a virtual coup d'etat and overrides the specific provisions of the fundamental laws of the realm, solemnly proclaimed by his majesty on the eve-of the convocation of the first duma, which declare that the election law could never be changed without the consent of parlia-

This breach of the constitution is justified by the great law of necessity, the advisers of the emperor holding it impossible, under present cond tions, to secure a parliament capable of co-operating harmoniously with the crown to rescue Russia from anarchy and revolution.

Noble Barton, aged 15, son of a prominent Linden farmer, fell off a cart and broke his neck. He got up walked 12 rods and then fell dead.

Secretary Wilson has directed Chief Chemist Wiley to exploit the dangers of drinking tainted milk in an effort to create public sentiment which will compet reform. The agricultural department says that practically every city in Michigan gets impure milk.

Additional rutal route No. 3 will be established at Saylord, Ottawa Co., on years rector of St. Mark's church; next, Rev. M. A. Graybiel, pastor of the First Baptist church; third, Rev. Willis E. Gelston, pastor of the Pres. byterian, and now Dr. F. A. Chapman, pastor of the Methodist church. This with the recent death of Dr. William Wilson, takes from the church rolls in five months for popular ministers.

# DID THEIR DUTY.

How Eleven Midshipmen and Men Met Death.

Colonel Oast, and his assistants made an inspection of the Minnesota's. launch which was sunk with the midshipmen and crew a week ago. After a careful examination, it was found that the launch, while bound from the Jamestown exposition grounds to the battleship Connecticut, at Anchor off Old Point, had run into a steel\_hawser, such as are used in towing gigantic car floats used by the railroads.

It was found that the brass prow of the launch showed signs of having struck the hawser! The latter then, no doubt, passed under the keel of the tiny craft. When the cable struck that part of the boat it came in contact with the condenser pipes. They were torn away, and the shock threw the launch over on its star-board side. The tiny craft then was hurled to the bottom of Hampton Roads and became the tomb of its eleven occupants.

Part of the hull of the launch was crushed in by the impact with the cable, but the steamboat inspectors and the members of the naval board of inquiry expressed the unanimous the result of the bomb Orchard placed of inquiry expressed the manimous at the front door leading to the Brad- opinion that the ill-fated vessel was not struck by a barge or tug, but had collided with the cable between the

tug and car float.

The developments established the fact that the men charged with the navigation of the launch were at their posts and did their duty when the fatal\_collision occurred.

## Needs One Billion.

The privilege of borrowing in the next few years the enormous sum of \$1,000,000,000 in the French money market through government encour agement, is the quid pro quo that-France gave to Japan in the negotiations for the recently signed Franco-Japanese entente relative to the far east, according to high authority

It is stated that Japan will need fully that much, partly to refinance her high-priced war loans and partly for industrial and commercial development, and that she was very glad to guarantee France's rights in Indo-China in consideration of the loan. She does not need France's help in the chard said he was going by the name far east, but she does need the money of "John Dempses" at the time and France, on the other hand is de-Peltibone used the name of "J. Wolff" lighted with the bargain, for she has always feared Japanese interference in her eastern possessions.

## An Earthquake Theory.

A dispatch from Montgomery City. Mo., says: Dr. Thomas Jefferson Jackson See, astronomer of the United States naval observatory at Mare Island, Cal., now in that city, visiting his old boyhood home, says he has discovered the one common cause of earthquakes—the leakage of the ocean bottom, which gives rise to steam beneath the earth's crust.

He also points out that the chief

danger of the agitations is along the

sea coast.
"It seems to be clearly proved," said-Dr. See, "that the earth is not contracting, but that the effects of cooling of the globe are insensible. The earth may be slightly expanding. San Francisco is not likely to have another earthquake in 100 years"

# Who Believes It?

John D. Rockefeller and William Rockefeller, the venerable brothers who have made millions of money out of cil while working in harmony, have at last probably reached the parting of the ways. At least they have had of the ways. At least the many as a sharp quarrel and no longer speak as they pass by Both are determined men. Whether their row will rend

Standard Oil remains to be seen. John D. is conservative, stubborn. When he decides on a policy he pursues if to a finish. William is an artful dodger. Of late he has been try-ing to impress some of his business policies on John, who has refused to listen, and the family flare up is the

# Fell 250 Feet.

Three freight cars broke from a Grand Trunk train of 14 cars Saturday in the middle of the lower steel arch bridge and plunged into the Niof Genesee county created a fund by, although both the label on the for the payment of bounties for spar bottle and the label in his hat bore row heads on the Basis of 2 cents the names of Benton Harbor firms. He Stout street at that time?" asked Sen upper and lower decks of the bridge to a considerable extent

When the cars struck the water they were not badly damaged, but the current of the rapids carried them to the whirlpool, where they were broken to pieces. A brakeman had a narrow escape.

# The Deadly Fourth.

The state department of health has issued to all local boards of health a statement showing that 44 deaths have occurred in Michigan in celebrating Independence day in four years. Attention is called to the extreme danger to children in handling fireworks and assistance is asked in enforcing the law against the sale of fireworks and firearms to minors. Local officers are asked to pass ordinances and to post the statements of the health of-ficer as to the cause and the dangers of tetanus.

# Those Two Cent Fares.

Attorney General Thompson has filed an injunction suit against four of the principal railroads in Nebraska to compel them to maintain the two nt fare and enti-pass enactments

now operative, and to put into effect the commodity freight rate on July 9. The railroads named as defendants are the Union Pacific, the Burlington, Rock Island and Missouri Pacific.

Ernest S. Benson, general auditor of Isthmian canal affairs and of the Panama railroad and steamship line, has resigned, as he does not care to take up his permanent residence on the Isthmus, as required by the government.

Mrs. Sarah L. E. Read was awarded-\$101,789, the largest verdict for damages ever given in the supreme court of the judicial district of New York, for the loss of her husband, who was killed by a New York Central & Hudson River railroad train at the Van Cortland Park crossing three 70971 959.

### The Knights Templer Michigan ... Grand Commandery.

Knights Templar, closed its annual conclave in Saginaw Thursday, selecting Grand Rapids as next place of meeting and electing the following officers: Grand commander, Charles A. Warren, Detroit; very eminent deputy grand commander, Hutson B. Coleman, Kalamazoo; grand generalis Howard T. Taylor, Adrian; grand cap tain general, Charles G. Graham, Ithaca; grand senior warden, George T. Campbell, Owosso; grand junior warden, Charles A. Lippincott, Flint; grand prelate, William H. Kessler, Detroit; grand treasurer, Charles H. Pomeroy, Saginaw; grand recorder, Henry L. Authony, Sturgle; grand sword bearer, Charles Hiscock, Ann sword bearer, Charles Hiscock, Ann Arbor, grand standard bearer, Gordon R. Campbell, Calumer, grand warder, George L. Harvey, Port Huron; grand captain of the guards, John Fry, De-troit

## Must Leave Town.

A campaign has been started to break up the "Home of Spontaneous Love" run at Wellesley, Mass., by Frederick Reed, former master of the Boston Latin school. Not only are the authorities of Wellesley aroused, but the staid residents have determined to run the community out of town.

Reed has run the colony for two years. His wife, who strongly believes in his principles, has helped him. There are abs diely no restrictions in the life at "the Home of Spontaneous Love." Reed maintains that "destiny" controls everything. While the marriage contract is not decried, it is not essential, he says.

### Wants Both.

Plans to raise a fund of \$150,000 to seure for Chicago two national political conventions next year will be laid at once by a joint executive committee representing both Republicans and Democrats. At a conference in which the special committees from the Hamilton club, the Iroquois club, the city council and representatives of the Chicago Commercial association participated, reports were made that Chicago has a good chance of land-ing the big meetings, if a half of sufficient seating capacity can be guaranteed.

## THE MARKETS.

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Detroit—The cattle trade was duit, and dry-fed stuff was scarce and 100 15c lower. The receipts were made uplargely of grass cattle and the prices on them were from 25c to 50c per hundred lower than they were a week ago, and at the close even more. Good grades of milch cows brought stoady prices, but common were doff and draggy and it had to be a good one to bring over \$45. Extra dry-fed steers and helfers, \$5 2505 50; steers and helfers, \$5 2505 50; steers and helfers, \$1000 to 1,200, \$4 7067 51; grass steers and helfers that are fat, \$00 to 1,000, \$4 5005 25; grass steers and helfers that are fat, \$00 to 1,000, \$4 50 52; grass steers and helfers that are fat, \$00 to 1,000, \$404 25; grass steers and helfers that are fat, \$00 to 1,000, \$404 25; grass steers and helfers that are fat, \$00 to 700, \$3 25@3 75; choice fat cows, \$402 52; good fat cows, \$3.75; conners, \$4.602; choice heavy bulls, \$4.64 35; fair to good bologna bulls, \$4.64 35; fair to good bologna bulls, \$3.50@4; choice stockers, \$00 to 1,000, \$4.64 75; fair feeding steers, \$00 to 1,000, \$4.64 75; fair feeding steers, \$00 to 1000, \$3.50@4; choice stockers, 500 to 700, \$3.50@4; cho

mon. \$3.64. How of the choice went to speculators at \$6. Hange of prices: Light to good butchers, \$5.95.6; pigs, \$5.45. light yorkers, \$6.95; roughs, \$5.25; stags, one-third off.

\$5 25; stags, one-third off.

East Buffalo.—Export steers, \$6@
6.25; few at \$6.35; best 1,000 to 1100—
10 do, \$5.25@5.75; best fat cows, \$4.25
@5: fair to good, \$3.50@4; trimmers, \$2.25@2.50; best fat helfers, \$5.25@
5.50; fiedliums to good, \$4.25@4.50; best feeders, \$4.25@4.50; vearlings, \$4.25@3.25; export bulls, \$4.50@5.25; bologna-bulls, \$3.75; tommon stock steers, \$3@3.25; export bulls, \$4.50@5.25; bologna-bulls, \$3.55@4; stock bulls, \$2.50@3.50; fresh cows steady; good to extra, \$40@50; medliums to good, \$33.3048; common, \$20@23.

Hogs—Market 5.@10c. loves \*\*

# Grain, Etc.

Grütn, Eic.

Detroit—Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, 334c; July 5,000 bu at 924c, 3,000 bn at 924c, 3,000 bn at 924c, 10,000 bn at 914c, 2,000 bn at 914c, 10,000 bu at 914c, 5,000 bu at 914c, 10,000 bu at 914c, 5,000 bu at 924c, 5,000 bu at 924c, 5,000 bu at 934c, 10,000 bu at 934c; September 20,000 bu at 944c, 20,000 bu at 944c, 35,000 bu at 944c, 20,000 bu at 944c, 20,000 bu at 944c, 20,000 bu at 944c, 20,000 bu at 954c; 10,000 bu at 956c; 10,000 bu at 95c; 10,000 bu at 956c; 10,000 bu at 95c; 10,000 bu at 9

at 55c. 3 at .04c; No. 3 white, 2 cars at 55c.
Oats—Cash No. 3 white, 1 car at 474c; September, 3614c bid.
Ryc—Cash No. 2. 87c.
Beans—Cash and Jure, \$1 74; July, 1 car at \$1.76.
Cloverseed—Prime spot. \$9; October, 200—hers at \$7 75. prime alsike, \$7 50.
Timothy seed—Prime spot. 20 bags at \$2.15.

# AMUSEMENTS IN DETROIT

Week Ending June 22, 1907. YCEUM—Prices always 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c, 25c, Matinees & Wednessay, and Saturday. "Her Own Way."

Henry Schermann, aged 7, of Saginaw, was struck in the head with a baseball and after being about as usual for several days suddenly died.

News came from Lincoln, Neb., that George Shaffer, well known at the Soo, had taken his life by inhaling illuminating gas, following a quarrel with his wife. She had left him and replect her specific and the state of the s gone to her parents at Superior.

Forest fires are destroying much valuable timber in the vicinity of Headquarters' camp, about 12 miles sout of Boyne City, and men to the lumber mills have been called to lebt the famor,

s<u>pok</u>e.

your discretion?"

her anxiety.

At last, at a signal from Madame de Varnier, he was admitted to the room.

The presence of Madame de Varnier

startled him. For the first time she

me, a woman, and at this hour of the

night in a gentleman's apartment. Is

not that a reason that you exercise

tion and distraction. She made her

appeal dramatically, her hands clasped

It was cleverly done, her pertuba-

"Madam is mistaken if she thinks I

"If it were possible I would

am not discreet," protested the little

shield madam. But he stands without.

in the hall, this stubborn Englishman.

Madam can save her reputation only

by retreating to the bedroom. Have

. It was time for me to beat a hasty

retreat. But my curiosity still held

"Have I not told you." fiercely in-

terrupted Dr. Starva, "that it is not

his Excellency who is here with

no fear, I shall not betray madam."

"My dear man, be discreet. Behold

CHAPTER XIII.-Continued. To all purposes, I was a caged prisoner. The risk I had run to spy on them would be to no purpose unless I could surprise them at their night's

paged at my impotence. Then I thought of the window. Perhaps there was a balcony.

There was no blind at the window but' wooden shutters that fastened with a catch. I pushed open the French windows. Yes, there was the balcony, and to my joy I saw that it extended the length of the suite.

And now a new difficulty stared me in the face. At any moment they might enter the bents m, and when I had gained the balcony, outside the salon, would shutters prevent my seeing within?

As to the first risk I must take it The door had jammed before; it would jam again. The norse made in opening it would give me some warn-

I gained the balcony; there were shutters, but I could see readily tarough the interstices.

It was the apartment we had first entered; and it bore unmistakable signs of having been minutely sacked. A large empire desk had been pried open. Papers had been abstracted from the drawers and pigeonholes; they lay about in confusion. -In more than one place the carpet had been torn up at the edges.

As I peered cautiously within Dr. Starva was lowering the Venetian blind of another window. Evidently they were searching the room with the knowledge that an article of value was hidden there.

I heard Madame de Varnier cry out excitedly. A packet, concealed ween the slats of a Venetian blind, had fallen to the floor.

Without a doubt it was for packet of papers that they had been searching. Madame de Varnier tore the envelope in feverish haste. She scanned the contents of the papers with intense eagerness, Dr. Starva looking over her shoulder. As they read, their faces expressed disappointment and chagrin. Dr. Starva questioned Madame de Varnier repeatedly. She put aside his fierce inquiries with impatience.

And now I made a second discovery I thought I understood the meaning of this extraordinary plot in coming to the hotel at Vitznau. I had guessed long since that I bore a sufficiently striking resemblance to Sir Mortimer Brett to deceive at least the first casual glance. Otherwise, why the amazement of the Bretts and Madame de Varnier in first seeing me? How else could I explain the events of the They had drugged me, or attempted to do so, that I might be oblivious to inconvenient inquiries or greetings. The hat and cleak of Sir Mortimer, which Dr. Starva had procured in some manner, were unusual enough in character to be readily rec ognized by the servants of the hotel Sir Mortimer was known to be ill, and my condition would arouse no sus picion.

All the facts as I swiftly reviewed them fitted neatly. The inference was unmistakable:

This was the suite of Sir Mortimer Brett. They had come for the packet of papers they were now reading. The presence of Sir Mortimer Brett with sion to his rooms.

And now that they had found the Had I served my purpose? Was the

invitation to Madame de Varnier's chateau a ruse clayerly planned simply to bring me to this flotel as Sig Mortimer?

In that case I must be alert that they did not, slip through my hands, leaving me here in Sir Mortimer's rooms to explain my predicament on the morrow as first I might.

Or was this the prejude to other ad

ventures even more exciting? the game only just begun?

Still I watched them intently, while these perplexing questions demanded an answer. They had finished the pa-pers now. Dr. Starva was scated in süllen gloom; Madame de Varnie slided to and fro in angry indecision.

A loud knock on the door opening into the hall startled me almost as much as themselves. Madame de Var nier thrust the papers into the boson of her dress; then, while Dr. Starva a a sign from her answered the summons, she hastily restored the room to outward signs of order

What is it? Who is there?" Starva demanded in an agitated voice.

"It is Henri, the conclerge," replied the intruder.

"To-morrow, to-morrow."

But there is an English gentleman who says that he must see his Excel dency.'

It would be difficult to say whether this startling request alarmed them more than it did myself. I listened breathless. Da Starva's presence of mind seemed to have quite deserted him. He drew a revolver from his

should be believed as readily later as are moments when he is delirious. To now. In the meantime chance might favor me; and my ruse be not wholly

CHAPTER XIV.

The King's Messenger.

A minute passed and the bedroom door was again opened. Madame de Varnier and Dr. Starva conversed in hurried whispers, the electric light shining full on my face. I moved about restlessly, but did not open my eyes. Presently the woman seated herself at my bedside. Dr. Starva left the room, the door being slightly ajar. I could not resist the temptation to

half open my eves. Madame de Var-nier was praying fervently, regarding with passionate adoration a jeweled cross held before her eyes. A peremptory knock at the door of the drawingroom opening on the corridor put an abrupt end to these devotions, which seemed to me so incongruous. clasped her hands; she listened, rigid with anxiety. It may be imagined that I myself listened, scarcely less anx-

ous. It was the conclerge again. "Here is the Englishman's card. He says he is a king's messenger. He brings important dispatches. He insists that were his Excellency at the point of death he must none the less place these dispatches in his hands tonight."

"But as his Excellency's physician I forbid it," replied Dr. Starva, with de-

'And," entreated the woman gliding to the door, "can you not make him understand how disagreeable it would be for me to be surprised in these rooms, and that it would annoy Sir Mortimer beyond measure?"

"It is useless, madam. Have I not madam? It is a Mr. Hadddn, and told him that embarrassing circum-madam is his nurse and Lam his stances make it impossible that his



"Your Excellency!" He Said Gently. "Your Excellency!"

physician. Tell this stubborn English- Excellency be officially recognized toman that, imbecile

cannot help using my eves."

Use them yourself if you will," des-

"It is impossible to deceive him."

parsisted the conclerge. All lay he until he has seen his Excellency. If the door is not opened in five minutes A quarter of an hour ago he was smoking in the garden below. He has seen the light shining through the shutters of his Excellency's anartment He knows that it is the apartment of his Excellency."

"You can tell him that you have placed Mr. Haddon in these rooms for the night only," persuaded Dr. Starva, producing his pocketbook.

"No, monsieur," replied the con-cierge sorrowfully, his eyes on the notes held toward him, "it is impossi-He will tell the manager and shalf lose my place."

"Go to this Englishman," intercupted Madame de Varnier; "demand his business. Say that his Excellency in III, very III. There have been dags the first susmess. Say that his particular was the same numbness of will that he has not slept. His physician had paralyzed me on the Stralegs his neck he produced two envelopes. and his nurse have grave fears for his Pass. Heaven grant that the conse life if he is aroused. To awaken himis perhaps to bring on again a crisis of the nerves. But as soon as he awakes we will summon the English-

"I go," the servant assented reluct-

"But it will be useless." antly. I dared not await the result of his rrand. I returned deliberately to my ped, deliberately, so that I might not ose my breath. I was in a terrible predicament. To rescue myself from Sir Mortuner Brett. "Sir Mortuner to the transfer of the tr without an instant's delay. The him to be disturbed. I have brought knowledge that I certainly should not bim here to Vitznau, hoping that the pocket. Midame de Varnier made a be believed made me histate. No; I old—surroundings may induce him to contemptuous sign expressive of his had gone too far to betreat now. If sleep. It is a nervous disorder that

night?"

va angrily.

"As only the stubborn English can rectely replied Starva. But at least insist. He is ourside the door at this con need not tell this Englishman the moment. He has sent me to you, not to ask permission, but to announce his coming. He refuses to go away

he will call the manager of the hotel.' 'His name?'

"I am giving you his card." "Captain Reginald Forbes," read Madame de Varnier. "Well, we will admit this Captain Forbes.

I listened to this dialogue with a trepidation that deprived me of power to think or act. That fatal indecision which, on certainly one occasion, had already brought its tragic penalty again seized me. The crisis impending might leave in its wake consequences too grave to be-thought ofmight leave me a man disgraced and liable to the extreme penalty of the law. And yet I lay still, in a nightmare of indecision and inaction. quences now be not as disastrous! --

I heard the click of a revolver. Then Captain Forbes was admitted to the salon.

"Where is Sir Mortimer Brett?" he demanded harshly. "I must see him without further delay. May I ask who you are, sir?'

"The physician of his Excellency," replied Starva, bowing. He was no longer attempting to deny that I was folly. He thrust it into his coat again; my strait proved absolutely desperate has prostrated Sir Mortimer. He has expostulations to the con- and a confession was inevitable, I suffered terribly from insomnia. There

bring him sleep it was necessary to give him an opiate, you understand If he is awakened he may be sane o

he may deny his very identity." "Which is his room?" Cantain Forbes, I forbid it. It is

impossible. I warn you— Madame de Varnier opened the door

of the bedroom quietly. "If the gentleman insists on awak ing Sir Mortimer we are powerless," she said gently. "But at least let him not be excited more than necessary

"I shall endeavor to follow your instructions, madam," said Forbes stiffly

He strade to my bedside. I could imagine with what breathless anxiety the adventurers watched him. Was he sufficiently intimate with Sir Mortimer Brett to denounce me instantly as an impostor?

Your Excellency!" he said gently Your Excellency!

The immediate danger of discovery was past. At least he had not de tected the deception so far. He called me again; he shook my shoulder respectfully. · I opened my eyes.

'What is it?" I demanded, bewildered. I am horrified to day when I think of the facility that was mine in playing this game of intrigue. I looked languidly from Captain Forbes to Madame de Varnier, who had resumed her seat at the bedside. The question was addressed to her.

She took my hand. "This is Captain Forbes, a king's messenger. He has brought you dispatches of impor-

'Ah. wes." I said wearily, and looked at him with dull eyes.

"I am sorry to arouse you, sir." Contempt for the man struggled with respect for his office. "But my orders at the Foreign Office were to give you these papers at the earliest possible moment. The business is urgent. May I suggest that you read them at once? . My eyes unconsciously turned Madame de Varnier for guidance. She stroked my hand gently. "Do you not see that he is in no

condition to be disturbed to-night?"

she asked indignantly.

For the first time Captain Forbes nesitated. He placed one sunburned hand on his breast as if to guard jealously the dispatches he bore. That he should hesitate, at all seemed to me incredible. But Captain Forbes seemed a fair example of that type of Englishman who performs his duty with the stubbornness and obstinacy of a fool as well as a hero. Chance often determines which of the two characters he shall assume. It is true he had not the remotest suspicion that I was not Sir Mortimer. But surely he must see that I was in the power of these adventurers.

All my fears reached a climax, when, looking steadily at me a moment, he turned to the others: "L must speak to Sir Mortimer

I saw Starva grasp the revolver concealed beneath his coat. Madame de Varnier silenced the profests on this lips with a meaning glance. She realuzed the uselessness of further resist

?You will not excite him more than necessary," she entreated anxiously. And you must not be surprised to find his mind still confused as a result of the opiate given him." "I shall spare him as far as possi-

ble," Forbes replied with some sternness. Drawing himself erect, his arms folded, he waited until the door had closed behind them.

My first impulse was to put an end to this farce. But again I hesitated. They were listening outside that door: every suspicion was alert; the slight; est cause would fan the suspicion to

And then, what? I should have made myself ridiculous to no purpose i had sone far in my reckless venture -too far to risk all by attempting to warn Captain Forbes at this crucial moment. His brain worked too slowly -he was too deficient in imagination -too much lacking in subtlety and finesse. I refused-recklessly, if you will; but deliberately-to risk the success of my scheme by drumming into the dull brain of Captain Forbes the true state of affairs. It would have taken him a good quarter of an hour to grasp merely the facts. At that time he would understand just enough of them to be stubbornly convinced that I was equally involved with the other two, but he would think my nerve had failed me and that I was attempting to purchase my own freedom from punishment at the expense of the others. And certainly they would drag me down with them, if for 'no other' purpose than revenge No; this was not the hour for confidences; Captain Forbes was not the man to be made a confidant at such an hour.

He looked down at me with cold respect.: Outwardly I met his steady look with something of fortitude and composure, but beneath the clothes my two hands were clenched rigid.

He weighed them in his hand a mo-ment; then he placed the bulkier of the two in its silk case. The other he held toward me:

The Foreign Office, sir, has intrust ed to me two dispatches. My orders are to place them in your hands at the earliest opportunity. But one of these dispatches I know to be of great importance. I shall therefore keep it for the present, unless you demand it."

"No, no," I muttered hoarsely, "I cannot receive it now.

"Then to-morrow, sir, I shall hope to find you in better health. Then I shall give you the second dispatch. This one t teave with you now, and may I suggest that you read it at your earliest convenience?" OTO WE CONTINUED

TARIFF IS NULLIFIED

DISTANCE NO LONGER AN ELE MENT OF PROTECTION.

American Railroads Systematically Favor Foreign Producers by Delivering Goods to interior Points Cheaper Than Our Own Domestic Manufacturers Can Ship Them.

Washington, June 4 - An oppor

tunity is presented, through the medium of a case pending before the interstate commerce commission, for another test of the question whether, under the interstate commerce law, exporters of commodities from for eigh countries shall have an advan r domestic producers on rates transportation from seaboard points to the interior of the United States Attention has been called to the fact that under a decision by the United States supreme court, made some years ago, such advantage has been given foreign producers. are intimations that the interstate commerce commission, as at present constituted, hot only disagrees with the former supreme court decision, but also entertains the belief that abundant opportunity is spresented in the existing law for protecting the interests of American producers, or, it that shall be impossible, to have the question differently decided if it shall again be presented to that court of

A question is again before the commission whether products sent into he United States from a foreign country shall be entitled to a lowe through transportation rate from the oreign port of shipment through to an inland point of destination in this country than is granted American producers or consumers for a much shorter distance of carriage wholly within the United States. This case is brought by manufacturers of plate glass in Pittsburg. They allege that instances which they cite plate glass obtains a rate of transportation from Antwerp through to Cincinnati or Chicago, a distance of more than 5,000 miles, of 32 cents per 100 pounds. vhereas a rate is charged from Pittsburg to Cincinnati, a distance of only 313 miles, of 26 cents per 100 pounds. A rate of 32 cents per 100 pounds is also made from Antwerp to points further into the interior of the United States, and also through Gulf ports to Chicago from Antwerp of 32 cents per 100 pounds, whereas the rate from Pittsburg to Chicago is 30 cents per 100 pounds.

The question raised in this case by the American producers is whether they may be discriminated against by such rates on foreign plate glass laid down in the American markets.

As an economic question, it was brought out in this hearing that the plate glass industry of the United States originated in 1869, whereas it had been in existence in Europe for more than 200 years. Thirty years ago American plate glass production amounted to about 500,000 square feet. whereas the importations of at that time aggregated 5,800; 009 square feet annually. This gave an annual consumption at that time of a little more than 6,000,000 square feet of plate glass in the Unit-ed States. At this time the consumption of plate glass amounts to more than 21,000,000 square feet annually In 1876, the price per square foot of plate glass averaged about \$2.50. Today the average is from 30 to 35 cents. he reduction in price has been in arge part brought about by the development of the domestic plate glass ndustry. It was also shown that the cost of production of plate glass in this country is three-fold greater than it is in Europe.

Reciprocity with South America. The sound principle in reciprocity is that we shall offer a free market for things we do not product in equal to a free market in lands which have prod-ucts different from ours; and southern America supplies the necessary condi-tions for this—Philadelphia North Amer-

Is not that precisely what we are now giving them? Can the North American name a single article which we do not ourselves produce that is not already on the free list? Our imports from all South America in 1906 amounted to \$140,422,876. Of this sum coffee and crude rubber made up fully three-quarters. We levy no tariff on either coffee or crude rubber. What, then, is to be the basis of reciprocity lickers with the South American republics? There is, practically, no basis, unless it be the willingness of those countries to give our exports a préference in return for our free admission of their coffee and rubber. We could, of course, establish a basis by placing a tariff on those non-competi tive products; but that would violate cardinal principle of protection Protection tariffs competitive articles only. It would seem that South America is, provided with the necessary conditions for sound reciprocity but is not disposed to supply those conditions.

Investigation by Workingmen. British workingmen have always een assured by free trade orators hat they were much better off than

heir German brethren, who were rep esented as being doomed by the pro ective tariff to live on black bread and horseflesh. Finally a deputation of workingmen was sent to investigate They have returned and reported that under the tariff the German workmen are more prosperous and contented than ever before in the history of that country. The black bread is admitted, but it is brown instead of black, and it sults the German taste better than white breed.—Minneapolis Journal. 7.0

CHANCE TO SETTLE QUESTION.

Free Trade Platform This Year Would Shed Light on 1902.

After 12 years of unexampled prosperity under the Dingley law, w emphasizes in its schedules the policy of protection, a platform which should declare protection not only unlawful, but a share, would "make mighty in-teresting reading," and give us a text for a stirring campaign.

And then the result might afford an inswer to a question which has long engaged the politicians. What influence secured the Democratic triumph in 1892? Who killed Cock Robin that year? "I," said the free trader. "I did it with my little deliverance against protection," "Groven," said the ardent Clevelandite,—"Mr. Cleveland did it with the fored of his personality. He was the platform." "The Home-stead strike," said the disgusted Republicans. "But for that Gen. Harrison would have had a walkover." so the contention has continued

to this day, and still continues.

Now, if it was the tariff plank in the Democratic platform which did the work then, why not ask history to repeat itself? Why not next year again. challenge protection to another battle to the death? The protectionists would ask nothing better. They would rush to take up such a challenge and then we should all enjoy the campaign frugely. The tariff would make a love ly issue, and especially in the light of what happened to the Democratic party after it carried the country in 1892 on a free trade platform. Wash. ington Star.

THE ORIGINAL BRAIN STORM.



Hard to Wreck.

Now that the railroad have had time to sit down and think it ver, they seem to agree that the country is to be congratulated upon the existence of conditions which pre-vented the recent flurry in Wall street from traveling far outside strictly speculative belt. Melicille Ingalls, chairman of the board of di rectors of the Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis railroad, is quoted as say ing on the twenty-second of March:

It is true, of course, that the coun try is going through a form of crisi which may turn out all right, or which may prove hurtful. But one thing should strike one forcibly, while stocks have shrunk billions you have heard of no failures or business catas trophes, have you? That would seen to indicate solidity and a substantia prosperity which will be hard

Under normal conditions Mr. Ingall s a strenuous friend of "tariff re form." But circumstances alter case We don't believe the gentleman wa thinking much about ripping up th tariff during those two Black Fr days" in which stock values tumbling down at the rate of hur dreds of millions a day. About tha time, we venture to guess. Mr. Ingall was mighty glad that tariff agitatio and the dread of tariff changes did no occur in the tendency-toward, a d structive panic, and that tariff stabi ity and business solidity produced substantial prosperity that was har wreck.

Some Other Tariff.

We are told by the Boston Adve tiser that the Republican party is Massachusetts is "led by Republican who are as strong protectionists any stand-pat leader at Washingto but who are not so possessed of fetish that they must consider it por ically as a crime to alter's tariff which has outlived its best period of usefu ness.

What tariff is it that "has outlive its best period of usefulness?" .If thought that the Advertiser could any possibility mean the Dingley to ing itself to be by far the greate prosperity producer among all tariffs known to history, we sho greatly doubt that sort of stand-p ism. If must be that the Advertis some other tariff:-

" Well Said.

"Everyone who favors recipros or the lowering of any particular de is headed in the direction which le to free trade."

That is the truth. It was not a p tectionist who said it, though ev well grounded protectionist knows to be true. It was said by Harvey Shepard, who presided at the ann dinner of the American Free Tr league in Boston on the 30th of month. Boston was the best possi place to say it in. In no part of country are there so many pers who, without knowing it, are hea in the direction of free trade. That Mr. Shepard, for saying the r thing at the right time and in right place.

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# More P. O. Red Tape Postoffices Required to

# Give Detailed Information.

More work is in store for the emoyes of the local postoffice in conection withe the recent order of the ostofice department requiring the eighing of all outgoing mail by

The order will be in force from July to December 31. Each class of mail ill have to be tweighed separately in e following manner: Letters, posta! irds, second class matter mailed to gular subscribers outside the county cond class matter mailed as samples utside the county, second class matr mailed by publishers within the unty, newspapers. etc. fourth clasatter, merchandise, flowers, Christas presents, penalty matter, official ill, such as advices or money orders juipment, sacks, pouches, locks, etc. According to the order it requires nat a regord be kept of the weights of e outgoing mail and also of the umber of pieces in each class and ub-class. A record of the revanues

# IBERAL PREMIUES FOR FRUIT

EXHIBITS.
The Michigan State Agricultural scety Detroit, has recognized the op-prunities and advantages of the ower section of Michigan for the pro-uction of fruits and general farm ops, and is desirous of stimulating d encouraging producers in this di-tion. To this end the society's centive committee has made prosion for the following special prizes r grain and vegetable exhibits outde of the regular premiums offered: For the largest, and best emploit of rains and vegetables from Arenac, gemaw, Alcona, Iosco, Alpena, resque 1ste. Cheboygan, Emmet, harlevoix, Grand Travis, Locianau, atrim, Benzie, Manistee, Lake, Osirim, Benzie, Manistee, Lane,
ia, Clare, Gladwin and Mason couns, \$60, \$50, \$40 and \$30.

For the best exhibit as above of ains and vegetables from any other unty in the lower peninsula collect-by individual or society, but one emium paid to one county, \$50, \$40.

For the best exhibit of fruit to be own at the State Fair by an indi-dual or society from either the coun-Cheboygan, Presque Isle, Alna, Mentmoreney, Otsego, Grawford, coda, Alcona. Iosco, Ogemaw, Ros-mmon, Arenac, Gladwin and Clare, one premium to be paid to any county \$50, \$40, \$30, \$20, \$15. For the best exhibit as above from ther the countles of Emmett, Charles

IX. Antrim. Leelangu, Benzie, Grandaverse- Halkaska, Manistee, Wexte, Missaukee, Oscoola, Lake and ason, but one premium to be paid to ch county, \$50, \$40, \$30, \$20.

For the best exhibit of fruit from y sother county in the state than ose mentioned above, west of the tridian line, number of varieties d quality to be considered, but one emium to be awarded to any one inty, \$50, \$40, \$30, \$20. For the best exhibit of fruit from

one county other than those men-led above and east of the meridian e, \$30, \$40, \$30, **\$**20. .

eight Charges on Fair Exhibits. armers, fruit growers, dairymen, stock raisers who contemplate ibiting at the State Fair this sum will be interested in knowing exrrangements have bee le with the railroad officials for GREEKS.

Every railroad entering of making inections with other roads running o Detroit will transport livestock property on the following condi-

The freight must be receipted for entirely at owner's risk, and in se of livestock the usual contract

st be executed. harges from point of shipment to te Fair must be paid at full tariff.

ight bill, within 10 days after close fair, together with certificate significate, together with certificate significates are by secretary of the fair, that aries tendered for return shipment thouseld, exhibits which paid full iff rages one way, they will (with pexception of horses as noted before the returned free over the same tess, at owner's risk to the original warder at the original point of which varder at the original point of ship-

the event of change of ownership, tariff rates will be collected for

pment to Detroit) will be assessed, would cost considerable more than half tariff rates, and will be reled free to original point, by roads
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14) on the same conditions as othivestock, but this privilege is condeto the state of Michigan only,
will not apply to horses originatfrom beyond the confines of the

e Grand Trunk has established a innent station int the grounds of "State Fair," and all shipments "State Fair," and an an an anabilition should be billed for this

Fine Attractions.

to bring their lunches with them.

The Agricultural college will pre-

A demonstration in handling bees will be given each day in the apary exhibit. This part of the State Fair exhibits is constantly growing year by

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Every week evening and Wed nesday and Saturday afternoons.

Program changes Monday Wednesday and Friday.

Depend on Something Good at

# Electric Theatre.

The "Glade," the Midway Plassance of the State Fair will be enlarged this year and will contain the greatest number of clean, refined, and instructive entertainments ever seen in Michigan. A fine list of shows has been arranged for and attractions may be seen ranging from the "deep sea" divers to the smallest man in the

Among the entertainments that have been provided for young an old will be: Trained animals, a real Gipsy camp where the fortune telling seer can be consulted, the razzle daz-zle merry-go-round, both steam and electric, a zoo and many others. The fair offices in charge of the "Glade" will revoke the permit of any attraction that does not come up to the high standard of moral tone that they

The bureau of information at the State Fair will be located near the main entrance this year. This bureau will furnish visitors the names, location and rates of many excellent hoarding and rooming houses in Detroit, as well as to direct them to ho-tels and restaurants. It is the wish of the fair officials that out of town visito's feel free to consult this bu-reau for information of any kind, which will be promptly and gladly furnish

The beautiful stained glass window in the Michigan building showing a life size figure of Father Marquette is one of the most beautiful and ar-tistic examples of stained glass work ever seen in Michigan. It is just at the turn in the stairway of the build-ing and can be seen on the way to the art exhibit.

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in exquisite complexion and elegant jewels. An opportunity for every woman to obtain both, for a limited

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Excellent provision has been made at the State Fair for dining halls and lunch booths right near the main STROEDEL BROS. buildings, where the many thousands may sand ample facilities for luncheof. Two large and arry dining halls provided by the society will be operated by experienced parties who have leased the buildings. Several

graphs. Prices and terms to suit all purchasers. religious orders will methalm restaurants, so it will be on the whole inconvenient and unnecessary for visitors

Fuguiture Going outside for Furniture is a thing of the past. EMPEY BROS are aiming to make prices right.

reference and interesting exhibit showing the different methods of packing apples and pears. This demonstration will prove helpful and instructive to many Michigan farmers and fruit grovers. she takes Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Her complexion is line. She is round, plump and handsome; in fact she is young again. 35 cents, Tea or

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We also offer at very low price, some nice carpet Samples that are beautiful Come in and examine these bargains.

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Ladies' Summer Coats

And to move them quick only S You can't afford to miss this

YOURS FOR GOOD GOODS

# Briefs of the Week

Toledo.

d the Rougers at Bart Justian. Take all your Butter and Erre to Mr. and Mrs. Ira D. Bart. Boysingers, left, a daughter Friday morning.

TO RENT:-Good Farm of 100 acres, on shares. Inquire of E. N. Cijnk.

The new Pere Marquette summer schedule goes into effect tomorrow-

County Surveyor Robinson was here this week doing some work for the Village.

Several from here took in the County Teacher's Examination at Charleyoix this week.

The new launch of George Spencer's is completed and ready for the engine. Ypsilanti. It's & beauty.

ring offered in a vote contest by the Electric Theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Steffes returned Thursday evening.

W. L. French and family are moving into their handsome her residence, corner Esterly and Third streets.

The Sixteenth Convention of Charlevoix Co. W. C. T. U. will be held at Charlevolk next Tuesday and Wednesday.

Among the marriage licenses issued at Charlevoix this week was one to Peter Anderson and Christina Anderson, both of Ironton

Lucinda M. wife of John Purdy, died early Friday, morning. Deceased was born Dec. 20th, 1868, and leaves five and are guests of their daughter, Mrs. children, two of whom are infant John Boosinger. They brought Mar twins, to mourn the loss of a mother. guerite Boosinger home with them.

" E. B. Gill was over from Central Lake Saturday.

Miss Laverne Crossman, home from U. of M. studies.

G. A. Lisk spent Sunday in the southern part of the state.

Don't forget that East Jordan wil have a big celebration the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Haight and Miss Emma Zoulek spent Sunday at

Miss Florence Barrett returned first of the week from her studies at Charlevoix visitors over Sunday.

Miss Grace Barret has completed Miss Hazel Cummings won the gold her studies at Charlevolx and is at present assisting at the Electric

The many friends of Mrs. C. A from their visit with Detroit friends Huison are glad to learn that she is recovering from her long seige of

> Stephen Sheehev of Grand Rapids is guest of his brother, Marshal Sheehey and family.

Dtta and Ruth, daughters of Rev and Mrs. Bretts, left. Wednesday for Peotone, Ill., where they will spend the summer with an uncle.

A French dressmaker asserts that paper dresses, will soon be in Yogue. Main st. Then we can expect to see peek-a-boo -waist paper on the market

Mr. and Mrs. McRae of Mt. Pleas

# Saving Pointers.

The money you spend and the money you earn varies somewhat.

The money you save increases your income, if deposited with us in a savings account, Small sums count. System brings results. Save something regularly from your earnings. The start is important.

One dollar will start a savings accout for you.

# State Bank of East Sordan W

CAPITAL, \$29,000.00.

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## The Augusta Herald marvels that the apparent order of the months is January, May, March June, February, netted the boys a tidy sum to replen

April. The calandar is guilty of disorderly conduct, that's all. Services will be held at the Metho pecially good, dist church next Sunday as usual, the

pastor taking for his subject in the morning "The Eat and Drink Folks," and in the evening "Home, its Lights and Shadows." The East Jordan Union of the Am-

erican Society of Equity will give a box and ice cream social next Tues day evening June 25 at Wm. Bennett's and a cordial invitation is extended to other local Unions and farmersalso the people of East Jorban.

church next Sunday morning and JAMES HOWEY, Sec. evening at 10:30 and 7:30, Sunday School at 11:45. The Y. P. S.C. E during the summer months will have only a half hour praise service instead of an hour and it will begin (take note) at 7 standard.

Elida M., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aldrich Townsend, died Wednesday aged 48 years. Deceased had long heen a sufferer from consumption. Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at the home, conducted by Rev. John Bretts, and interment made in the East Jordan cemetery.

Mrs. B.A. Dole and Mrs. M. B Palmiter will give a towel shower for benefit of the Buelah Home Farm Bo's, Wednesday June 26th, at Palmiter's Photograph studio Any who are so disposed may also furnish a cake of soap. This invitation is extended to everyone, both farm and

The Detroit & Charlevolx Railroad will change time Sunday, June 30th, and put on their usual summer schedule. A passenger train will leave East Jordan at 9:30 a.m. connecting with the G. R. & I: for all points north and south at Alba, and at Frederic with the Michigan Central Railroad trains in both directions. Returning train work he is doing and has been doing attempting this particular brand of wheat, and as much to the agre as will reach East Jordan at 4:25 p. m. many years for friendless and helpless deviktry in Charlevolk, and the sen-uny other neighborhood. Don't spread will arrive at East Jordan at 11:45 a. m. and leave at 2:20 p. m.

When looking for a Rocking Chair COLLABORATION HOLLING TON

The Firemen's Benefit given in the Electric Theatre Thursday evening ish their treasury with. A fine pro fam was given, the films being es-

A pleasant surprise birthday party was given Edd Gill last Saturday evenand the table was loaded with a bountiful supper. Mr. Gill was pre- him. This is the second attempt that sented with a beautiful Morris rocker.

NOTICE-East Jordan Union of the American Society of Equity will meet next Thursday evening at the school Usual services in the Presbyterian new members. All farmers invited.

> Mr. and Mrs. Madison and Miss Ainslie of Charlevoix, Frank Kenyon of East Jordan, Henry Richardi of dan were visitors in this city Sunday. the ride from Charlevoix in Mr. Kenin the launch that evening.

The claims and work for the Beulah Home for friendless boys were presented to a large congregation in the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning by Mr. Swift, the managing the eventing (when both churches from Buffalo to answer a charge of united) in a most persuastive and deep- forgery, was Monday arraigned in Jusly interesting way. He was assisted who regited and sang in both English Swift's presentation still more effecyoung assistant entertained a large

and miserable surroundinge.

Mil Kinds of Flour and Groceries at

Miss Frances Malpass is a Traverse lity risitor. Alabatine color cards free, at

TROBEL BROS. Miss Edith Labadie was a Bellaire

visitor Tuesday. Clayton Shapton home from M A. C. studies.

Horace Dolbbe of Ypsilanti is an East Jordan visitor.

Miss Bessie Greenwood was a Man celoná visitor this week. • Don't forget the social at Wm. Ben-

nett's Tuesday evening. Miss Flora Haire returned from he

studies at Bay City, Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Loveday wer

Mrs Lou Hipman of Bellaire was a visitor here fore part of the week. Mrs. F.J. Porter returned Tuesday rom a three weeks visit with relatives in lowa.

Mrs. M. H. Robertson and son Frost left-Tuesday for an extended visit in Detroit and Ohio.

Col. G. W. Dickenson of Petoskey was guest of his daughter, Mrs. H. W Dicken, latter part of last week.

Lou Krogen and family feft for Stillwater, Minn., Friday, morning where he has a position in a store. We make a specialty of Floor and

Hardwood Finishing, Charles Barret, Painter and Paperhanger, North John Porter and Robert MacFar-

ane returned from U. of Mr. studies last week. The latter left for Ontario Wednesday. Mrs. Arthur Hill returned from

Bellaire. Wednesday, where she was called by the death of her father, Arthur Watkins. School girls kiss each other into

grippe and fever Dr. Drake says. . It. really dangerous for a girl to be kissed by anybody but a man,

A party was given at the home of Eber Burdick and wife last Friday evening in bonor of Miss Marte Flood of Hart, who is guest of friends here.

Miss Leila Clink, who has been spending the winter with her brother, A. D. at Roseburg, Oregon, returned home last week much improved in health.

"Angels don't wear whiskers and

oants or at least we never saw any that did" comments the Nashville American. Has our esteemed contemporary ever seen any that didn'ts East Jordan members of all local unions and others who want to learn of the American Society of Equity are equested to meet at the Rogers school house Thursday, June 27, at 8:30 o'clock for the purpose of extending the organization. We have no secrets therefore everybody come. Ours is a society for the upbuilding of home There is no conflict between this so ciety and the local business men or should not be .- S. M. Richardson, Pres.

Last week at Bellaire Judge Mayne igned the complaint, rassault with intent to commit the crime of mur der" against August Shocke, the man who made an attempt on the Judge's life May 21, and whose ankle was The house was filled with guests broken in the molee which followed attempt of Sheriff Kettle to arrest has been made on Judge Mayne's life, the other one occuring a number of years ago, when the Judge was prosecuting attorney of this county.

Governor Hughes of New York, where are urged to be there, and bring in has been included among the list of good results expected from possible Republican candidates for the presidency next year, by reason of the record he has made in desirable directions in his own state, has just vetoed a two cent fare railroad bill. He calls attention to the fact that Bellaire and E. W. Clink of East Jor- they now have a commission in that state which has power to regulate Boyne City Journal. They enjoyed railroad rates, and he further declares that in his opinion the exact deteryon's new launch and were met at mination of railroad rates is not a Boyne City with rigs and shown the proper subject of legislation. Whether city. They returned to Charlevoix it is or not from a judicial point of view will be known when the courts have thought, it over and have had their say. In any eyent Michigan had no commission with authority in railroad rate directions.

Charlevolx, Courier:-William Durdirector, and in the M. E. church in kin, who was brought here last week tice Collins court, waived examination by Enrique Ortogosa, a young Cuban and was bound over to the circuit court. He was at once taken before and Cuban very effectively. Parabu- Judge Mayne, where he plead guilty lon Pictures in the evening made Mr. to the charge and Tuesday morning ras sentenced to Ionia for not les tive. On Monday evening he with his than one year or more than fourteen, and was taken at once to the train by number of children in the M. E. Sheriff Mewain enroute for his place manner that, your neighbors, will adchurch, Mr. Switt invites the public of confinement. The promptness mire you. Help those who need help to visit the Home at Boyne. City and with which this case was disposed of See that your neighborhood improves see with their own eyes the spiendid should operate to deter others from and raises as good fruit, as good A freight train carrying passengers boys in giving them a change-1400 tence will give Mr. Durkin a year in your efforts over the world; devote lats have passed through his hands, which to make up his mind to be all of whom without a single excep- straight, if he is real good, and it not neighborhood is everything to you. tion have been redeemed from victous he wont be apt to bother the public Assist in making it pleasant, progresfor a somewhat longer period.

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We have the goods. -- C. H. WHITTINGTON Everyone makes the mistake of imagining that others enjoy hearing

Happy is the spirit that makes two lays of sunshine grow where only one grew before.

A South Dakota man advertises for wife that is dump. It were superfluous to add that he is a widower.

Probably amateur entertainers make their programmes so long in the hope of getting their audience used to

The American people never displayed their capacity, for self-government until they began to refrain from mobbing the umpire.

It may be noticed that the weather tas been getting warmer ever since Uncle Shelby Cullom complained that' Harriman was raising hell.

The Japanese are still clambring for an apology from Mayor Schmitz. The poor fellow is just now busy apologizing to his own countrymen.

EMPEY BROS. are about closing deal to furnish a beautiful home af complete, within a few miles of another thriving town. Let them Come,

Crockery-a new lot just opened up. You can buy one piece or a set.

E. A. LEWIS Spring house cleaning is not complete unless your. Furniture-Pleture. Frames-are made new. Chas Bar-RET. Painter and Decorator. East Jordan.

In our Vegetable and Fruit department we have everything the market has to offer. New Potatoes and Strawberries are the latest additions. -E. A. LEWIS.

Because her husband drinks so nuch she cannot stand his breath a Milwaukee woman has applied for divorce. Which will doubtless take, his breath away.

The Baltimore American, in speaking of the president's announcement that the best crop of all, is the crop of children, says "he overlooks the sweet girl graduate, the June bride and the Delaware peaches-when the frost does not kill them." Frost may at times effect the sweet girl graduate out we never heard of a bride being kifled by one.

Completion of legislation through which probate judges in Michigan will hereafter have exclusive juris in the matter of violators of the law under sixteen years of age, will be pleasing to all the peple of Michigan who are interested in the possible restrictions in the direction of caring for and guarding young offenders from iment are realized further legislation In the same direction can be expected at the next session of the legislature.

Farmers and others who have been in doubt; as to the present status of road law affairs are informed that the old law is yet in existence and will be until ninety days after the legislature adjourns. The fact should also be noted that the new law does not provide a highway fund or make any determination as to the amount of such fund except to limit it. The township meeting will have all power in the matter of raising funds up to the point of providing for levies in cash of fifty cents on each one hundred dollars valuation for each of two funds. the road repair fund and the highway improvement fund:

Do you feel like doing "something" for the world? Let your work be for the benefit of your neighborhood. Assist in making your neighborhood a better place in which to live. Assist in keeping the boys straight: in making good men of them. Assist in keeping down disorder, gossip and scandal. Conduct yourself in such a them to your neighberhood. Your sive, intelligent and agramble.

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300 Men's Felt Hats in all the latest styles and colors. Hats that are actually worth from \$1.50 to \$3.00. Do not miss this chance. They will go at

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## Speaks. Before the Delegates to the National Editorial Association-Touches Upon Important National Questions.

the National Editorial association at the exposition here:

It is of course a mere truism to say that the content body of our countrymen yield as extensive an influence as those who write for the fally press and for the periodicals. It is also a truism to say that such power implies the grayest responsibility, and the man exercising it should hold himself accountable, and should be held by others accountable, precisely as if he octupied any other position of public trust. I do not intend to dwell upon your duties to-day, save that I shall permit myself to point out one matter where it seems to me that theraced of our people is vital. It is essential that the man in public life and the man who writes in the public press shall both of them if they are really good servants of the people, be prompt to assall wrong-doing and wickedness, there are two conditions to be fuffilled, because if unfulfilled, harm and not good will-result. In the first place, be sure of your facts and avoid everything like hysteria or exaggeration; for to assall more are two conditions to be fuffilled, because if unfulfilled, harm and not good will-result. In the first place, be sure of your facts and avoid everything like hysteria or exaggeration; for to assall more maker; and where the small home maker could not utilize the land, it was provided that the government of truth. In the second place, be sure of your facts and avoid everything like hysteria or exaggeration; for to assall more maker; and where the small home maker could not utilize the land, it was provided that the government of the individual with—when you are dealing. There are good and bad men—h every walk of life, and their being good of pad does not depend upon whether they have or do not have large bank accounts. Yet doing and wickedness; But in thus assail arong-doing and wickedness, but in thus assailing wrongdoing and wickedness, there are two conditions to be fulfilled, because it unfulfilled, harm and not good will-result. In the first place, be sure of your facts and avoid everything like, hysteria or exaggeration; for to assail a decent man for something of which he is innocent is to give aid, and comfort to every scoundrel; while indulgence in hysterical exaggeration, serves to weaken, not strengthen, the statement of truth. In the second place, be sure that you base your judgment on conduct and not, on the social or economic position of the individual with—whem you are dealing. There are good and bad men, in every walk of life, and their being good or bad does not depend upon whether they have or do not have large bank accounts. Yet this elemental fact, this fact which we all accept as self-evident, when we think each of us of the people whom he himself knows in his business and social relations, is often completely ignored by relations, is often completely ignored by certain public men and certain public writers. The men who thus ignore it and who attack—wickedness only when writers. The men who thus ignore it and who attack—wickedness only when found in a particular class are always unsafe, and are sometimes very dangerous, leaders. Distrust equally the man who is never able to discover any vices of rich men to attack and the man who confines himself to attacking the sins and shortcomings of rich men. It is a sure sign of moral and mental dishonesty in any man if in his public assaults upon infiguity he is never able to see any iniquity save that of a particular class; and this whether he is able only to see any iniquity save that of a particular class; and this whether he is able only to see the crimes of arrogance and oppossion in the rich or the crimes of envy and violence in the poor.

So much for what I have to say to you in your capacity of moders and guides of public thought. In addition I want to speak to your on two great movements in our public life which I feel must necessarily occupy no inconsiderable part of the time of our public men in the near future. One of these is the question of, in certain ways, resinging our system of taxation so as to make it hear most heavily on those most capable of supporting the strain. The other is the question of utilizing the natural resources of the nation in the way that will be of most benefit to the nation as a whole.

Need of Foresight.

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In utilizing and conserving the natural resources of the nation the one characteristic more essential than any other is foresight. Unfortunately, foresight is not because the characteristic of a young and teristic more essential than any other is foresight. Unfortunately, foresight is not usually characteristic of a young and rigorous people, and it is obviously not a marked characteristic of us in the United States. Yet assuredly it should be the growing nation with a future which takes the long look ahead; and no other pation is growing—so-rapidly as ours or has a future so full of promise. No other nation enjoys so wonderful a measure of present prosperity which can of right present prosperity which can of right be treated as an earnest of future suc-cess; and for no other are the rewards of foresight so great, so certain, and so of foresight so great, so certain, and so easily foretold. Yet hitherto as a nation we have tended to live with an eye single reckless waste and destruction of much of our matural wealth.

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get our people to look abead, to exercise to get our people to look abead, to exercise forcesight, and to substitute a planned and orderly development of our resources in the place of a haphmzard striving for immediate profit. The effort has been made through several agencies.

In 1902 the reclamation service began to develop the larger opportunities of the western half of our country for irrigation. The work includes all the states from the great plains through the Rocky mountains to the Pacific slope. It has been conducted with the clear and definite purpose of using the valueble water resources of the public land—for the greatest good for the greatest number in the long run; in other words, for the purpose of putting upon the land permanent home makers, who will use and develop it for themselves and for their children, and children's children. There has been apposition of course, to this has been opposition, of course, to this work of the realamation service; for we work of the realamation service; for we have been obliged, to antagonize certain men whose interest it was to expect for their own temporary personal profit natural resources which ought to be developed through use, so as to be conserved for the people as a whole. But there will be no halt in the week of preserving the waters which head in the Rocky mountain region so as to make them of most use to the people as a whole; for the policy is essential to our national welcare.

# Operations of Land Laws.

The public lands of the United States should be utilized in similar fashion. Our present public land laws were passed when there was a vast surplus of vacant apublic land. The chief desire was to secure settlers thereon, and comparatives ly slight attention was paid as to exactly how the lands wore disposed of in detail. In consequence, lax execution of the laws became the rule both in the land office and in the public mind, and land office and in the public mind. the laws became the rule both in the land office and in the public mind, and land frauds were common and little noted. This was especially true when a system originally designed for the fertile and well-watered regions of the middle west was applied to the dryer regions of the great plants and to the mountains and the Pacific coast. In these regions the cystem lent itself to fraud, and much lent agreed out of the heads of the government. sed out of the hands of the gov-

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dent to create national forests in the public domain. These forests reserves redent to create national forests in the public domain. These forests reserves remained for a long time in charge of the general land office, which had no men properly trained in forestry. But another department, that of agriculture, possessed the trained men. In other words, the government foresters without forests. Waste of effort and wastered forests inevitably followed. Finally the situation was ended in 1905 by the creation of the United States forest service, which has stopped the waste, conserved the resources of the national forests, and made them useful; so that our forests are now being managed on a coherent plan, and in a way that, augurs well for the future.

The mineral fuels of the eastern United States have already passed into the hands of large private owners, and those of the west are rapidly following. This

hands of large private owners, and those of the west are rapidly following. This should not be, for such mineral resources belong in a peculiar degree to the whole people. Under private control there is much waste from the shortsighted methods of working, and the complete utilization is often sacrificed or a greater immediate profit. The mineral fuels under our present conditions are as essential to our prosperity as the forests will always be. The difference is that the supply-is definitely limited, for coal does not grow and trees do. It is obvious that the mineral fuels should, be conserved, not wasted, and that enough of them should remain in the hands of the government to protect the people the government to protect the people against unjust or extortionate prices so far as that can still be done. What has far as that can still be done. What has been accomplished in the regulation of the great oil fields of the Indian terri-tory offers a striking example of the the great oil fields of the Indian territory offers a striking example of the good results of such a policy. Last summer, accordingly, I withdraw most of the coal-bearing public lands temporarily from disposal, and asked for the legislation necessary to protect the public interest by the congervation of the mineral fuels; that is, for the power in keep the fee in the government and to lease the coal, oil, and gas rights under proper regulation. No such legislation was passed, but I still hope that we shall ultimately get it.

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Preserve Mineral Resources.

In addition to treating aright for the benefit of the whole people the forests and the mineral beds, we should simi-larly try to preserve for the benefit of all the people the great stretches of pub-lic domain, some three hundred million acres in all, which are unit for cultiva-tion by present methods and valuable which we take so great and just a pride; and—to waste and destroy our naturativesources means to indermine this material basis. During the last five years efforts have been made in several new directions, in the government service to get our people to look shead, to exercise farsistic and to substitute a planned and farsistic typical to substitute a planned and and the farsistic typical to substitute a planned and and the farsistic typical to substitute a planned and the farsistic typical to substitute and to substitute and to substitute and to substitute and the sub In other words, the range is not so much used as wasted by abuse, and as an incident conflict and bloodshed frequently arise, between opposing users. With the rapid settling of the west the range is more and more overgrazed. Moreover, much of it can not be used to advantage unless it is senoed, for fencing is the only way by which to keep in check the absented owners of nomac clocks which roam hither and thither, utterly destroying the pasturage and leaving a waste behind, so that their presence is compatible with the presence of home makers.

Prevention of Frauds. For several years we have been doing everything in our power to prevent fraud upon the public land. What can be done under the present laws is now being done through the joint action of the interior department and the department of justice. But fully to accomplish the prevention of fraud there is need of further legislation and expressions. further legislation and especially of a sufficient appropriation to permit the de-partment of the interior to examine certain classes of entries on the ground before they pass into private owner-ship. The appropriation asked for least ship. The appropriation asked for last winter, if granted, would have nut, an end to the squandering, of the public domain, while it would have prevented any need of causing hardship to individual settlers by holding up their claims. However, the appropriation was not given us, and in consequence it is not possible to secure, as I would like to secure, the natural resources of the public land from fraud, waste and encroachment. ship.

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So much for what we are trying to do in ullizing our public lands for the public; in securing the use of the water, the forage, the coal and the timber for the public. In all four movements my quief adviser, and the man first to suggest to me the courses which have actually proved so beneficial, was Mr. Gifford Pinchot, the chief of the national forest service. Mr. Pinchot also suggested to me a movement supplementary to all of these impovements; and which will itself lead the way in the general movement which he represents and with which he is actively identified, for the conservation of all our natural resources. This was the appointment of the land.

The inability of the railroads of the United States to meet the demands upon them has drawn public attention forcibly to the use of our waterways for trasportation. But it is obvious that this is only one of their many uness, and that a planned and orderly development is impossible except by taking into account all the services they are capable of rendering. It was they are capable of rendering. It was upon this ground that the inland waterways commission was recently appointed. Their duty is to propose a comprehensive plan for the improvement and utilization of those great waterways which are the great potential highways of the country. Their duty is also to bring together the points of view of all users of streams, and to submit a general plan for the wast natural resources of the waterways of the United States. Clearly it is impossible for the waterways commission to accomplish its great task without considering the relation of streams to the conservation and use of all other natural resources, and I have asked that it do so. Here, then, for the first time, the orderly developement and planned conservative use of all our natural resources is presented as a single problem. One by one the individual tasks in this great problem have already been undertaken. One by one in practical fashion the methods of dealing with them were worked out. National irrigation has proved itself a success by its actual working. Again, actual experience has shown that the national forests will fulfill the larger purpose for which they were created. All who have thoughtfully studied this subject have come to see that the solution of the public lands question lies with the home maker, with the settler who lives on lits land and that government control of the mineral fuels and the public grazing lands is necessary and inevitable. Each of these conclusions represented a movement of vast importance which would confer large benefits upon the nation, but which stood by itself. They are connected together, into one creat fundathey are capable of rendering. It was upon this ground that the inland waof vast importance which would confer-large benefits upon the nation, but which stood by itself. They are con-nected together into one great funda-mental problem—that of the con-servation of all our natural resources. Upon the wise solution of this much of our future obviously depends. Even such questions as the regulation of ratiway rates and the control of cor-borations are in reality subsidiary to the primal problem of the preservation. In the interests of the whole people of the resources that nature has given us. If we fall to solve this problem, no skill in solving the others will in the end avail us very greatly.

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Now as to the matter of taxation, Most great civilized countries have an income tax and an inheritance tax. In my lidgment both should be particled to ur system of federal taxation. I speak, diffidently about the income tax because one scheme-for an income tax was declared unconstitutional by the supreme court by a five to four vote; and in addition it is a difficult tax to administer in its practical workings, and great care would have to be exercised to see that it was not evaded by the very man whom it is most desirable to have taxed, for if so evaded it would of course be worse than no tax at all, as the least desirable of all taxes is the tax which bears heavily taxes is the tax which bears heavily upon the honest as compared with the dishonest man. Nevertheless, a graduunionest man. Nevertheless, a gradu-ated income tax of the proper type would be a desirable peramnent fea-ture-of federal taxation, and I still hope that one may be devised which the supreme court will declare constitu-tional.

Inheritance Tax Inhegitance Tax:

In my judgment, however, the inheritance tax is both a far better method of taxation, and far more important for the purpose I have in view—the purpose of having the swollen fortunes of the country bear in proportion to their size a constantly increasing burden of taxation. These fortunes exist solely been see of the protection given the owners by the public. They are a constant source of care and anxiety to the public and it is eminently just that they should be forced to pay heavily for the protection given them. It is of course, elementary that the nation has the absolute right to decide as is, of course, elementary that the nation has the absolute right to decide as to the terms upon which any man shall receive a bequest or devise from another. We have repeatedly placed such laws on our own statute books, and they have repeatedly been declared constitutional by the courts. I believe that the tax should contain, the progressive principle. Whatever any individual receives, whether by gift, bequest, or devise, in life or in death, dividual receives, whether by gift, bequest, or devise, in life of in death, should, after a certain amount is reached, be increasingly burdened; and the rate of taxation should be increased in proportion to the remoterness of blood of the man receiving from the man giving or devising. The principle of this progressive taxation of inheritance has not only been authoriatively recognized by the legislation of congress, but it is now unequivocally adopted in the leading civilized nations of the world—in, for inthon of congress, but it is now unequivocally adopted in the leading clyilized nations of the world—in, for instance, Great Britain, France and Germany. Switzerland led off with the
imposition of high progressive rates.
Great Britain was the first of the great
nations to follow suit, and within the
last few years both France and Geramny have adopted the principle. In
Great Britain, all estates worth \$5,000
or less are practically exempt from
death duties, while the increase is
such that when an estate exceeds
\$5,000,000 in value and passes to a distant kinsman or stranger in blood the
government receives nearly 18 per
cent. In France, under, the progressive
system, so much of an inheritance as
exceeds \$15,000,000 pays over 20 per
cent. to the state if it passes to a distant relative, and five per cent. If it
passes to a direct heir. In Germany
very small inheritance are exempt, but
the tax is so sharply progressive that
an inheritance not by agricultural or
forest lands which exceeds \$250,000.
If it goes to distant relatives, is
taxed at the rate of about 25 per cent.
The German law is of special interest,
because it makes the inharitance tax
an importal measure, while allotting
to the inheritance taxes in addition
to those imposed by the imperial goveernment. In the United States the national government has more than once
imposed inheritance taxes in addition
to those imposed by the states, and
in the last instance about oneentity with the national covernment. n the last instance about one-half of the states levied such taxes concurthe states levied such taxes concurrently with the national government, making a combined maximum rate, in some cases as high as 25 per cent; and, as matter of fact, several states adopted inheritance tax laws for the first time while the national law was still in force and unrepealed. The French law has one feature which is to be heartly commended. The progressive principle is so applied that each higher rate is imposed only on the ex-

apply only to the amount above a ver-

GOOD IDEA FOR MATCHES.

Double, Enders Popular Among Smokers in Mexico.

"Mexico may be behind us in some things, but she has us lashed to the wheel when it comes to making matches," said a man fust in from the land of the Montezumas as he handed out a wax lucifer with a head on each

end.
"I saw nothing but double ended matches while I was away, and I can tell you that they save one's record with the Recording Angel. If you digmatch the chances are that-you are sure of a light, because if one end goes out the other is left. These old time matches, just revived, that splutter brilliant sparks may be all right when it comes to pleasing the baby but the fellow who puts on the market a double ended match will find a ready demand."

PURIFIED LIFE INSURANCE.

Benefits from New Law, Which Remains Substantially Unchanged.

Through the influence of Gov. Hughes, the New York Legislature decided to make no radical changes in the new insurance law. It was pointed out by Gov. Hughes that the New York law has already accomplished widespread reforms, with proportionate benefits to policyholders, and that it should be given a thorough trial before any amendments were seriously considered. It is estimated that the cost of the mismanagement of the past did not average more than 20 cents to each policyholder, while the benefits to present and future policyholders will amount to many times more and be cumulative besides. The speed craze of the big companies and the excessive cost of securing new business old managements. Under the new regime the cost of new business has already been greatly reduced, along with other economies.

The showing made by the Equitable Life Assurance Society in its report for 1906 was a strong argument against meddling with the new law. In the Equitable alone there was a saving of over \$2,000,000 in expenses, besides an increase in the income from the Society's assets amounting to as much more. The ratios of the Equitable's total expenses to its total income was 19.42% in 1904, 17.38% in 1905, and only 14.48% in 1906. The dividends paid to Equitable policyholders in 1906 amounted to \$7,289,734, which was an increase of more than 9% over 1905.

While the Equitable made a better towing than any other big company, all reported radical economies and under such conditions the Legislature wisely decided to leave the law substantially as it stands.

# FAILED IN SMALL THINGS.

Congressman Evidently Was No Hero to His Wife.

There is a certain congressman who, whatever authority he may hold in the councils of state, is of comparatively minor importance in his own kindly intimated that his wife is "the whole thing" in their establishment.

Representative and Mrs. Blank had been to Baltimore one afternoon. When they left the train at Washing, ton, on their return, Mrs. Blank discovered that her umbrella, which had been intrusted to the care of her husband, was missing.
"Where's my umbrella?" she de-

manded.

"I'm afraid I've forgotten it, my dear," meekly answered the congress-"It must still be in the train." "In the train!" snorted the lady.
"And to think that the affairs of the "And to think that the affairs of the around the station telling that renation are intrusted to a man who mark to all the uniforms in sight, doesn't know enough to take care of a and the train shed was certainly a real woman's umbrella!"-Success Maga-

Not Partial to Nursing.

Not long ago a young Irishman was seeking work in western Illinois, and among those to whom he applied was a farmer near Cairo.

The farmer was attracted by the Celt's frank, cheery manner, while he was not in need of help, he asked, after a pause:

"Can you cradle?"
"Cradle!" repeated the Irishman. 'Sure, I can! But, sir," he added, persuasively, "couldn't ye give me a job out-of-dures?"—Harper's Weekly.

WENT TO'TEA

-And It Wound Her Bobbin-

Tea drinking frequently affects people as badly as coffee. A lady in Salisbury, Md., says that she was compelled to abandon the use of coffee a good many years ago, because it threatened to ruin her health and that she went over to tea drinking; but finally, she had dyspepsia so had that she had lost twenty-five pounds and no food seemed to agree with her.

She further says: "As this time I was induced to take up the famous food drink, Postum, and was so much pleased with the results that I have never been without it since. I commenced to improve at once, regained my twenty-five pounds of flesh and

sive principle is so applied that each higher rate is imposed only on the excess above the amount subject to the next lower rate. This plain is peculiarly adapted to the working out of the theory of using the inheritance tax for the purpose of limiting the size of inheritable fortunes, sind the progressive increase in the rates, according to this mode, may be carried to its logical conclusion in a maximum rate of nearly 100 per cent, for the amount in excess of a specified sum, without being conficatory as to the rest of the inheritance; for each increase in rate would apply only to the amount above a secwent some beyond my usual weight. "I know Postum to be good, pure, and healthful, and there never was an article, and never will be I believe that does so surely take the place of coffee, as Postum Food Coffee. The beauty of it all is that it is satisfying. If I could not sing its praises too loud." body Read "The Road to Wellville" in page, pight

HE HELD THE TRAIN But How or Why He

Could Not Explain

One of the limited trains was all of half an hour late in leaving Washington for its warm weatherward run to the south one night last week, and some of the second splitters in the lowers had begun to make remarks about the people who wouldn't keep their cows at home, before there was any getaway racket from the choochoo. But it's a wonder the train left at all. There was a great man at the station that night, and the train was held for him, though he didn't take it,

after all. This was the way of it,
On that particular evening a local newspaper man who hadn't traveled much since the I. C. C. got the legislative hypodermic, went down to the station to meet his home-bound snouse who'd been doing some family visit-ing up near Smokeville, Her train was due at 6:19, but his watch was dizzy, and he landed at the main gate an easy half hour ahead of time.

'Leave me hurdle the barrier," he suggested mildly to the blue back of the fat gateman. "My wife is coming home, and I want to wait by the parallels and give her the grand clutch as soon as she alights from Mrs. Pullman's little wagon."

"Nope," replied the fat gateman without furning around. "It's against the rules."

"But," suggested the newspaper man not so mildly. "I've got a notion I'm going out there, and—"

But he didn't have time to finish, for the gateman fixed his face for real crushing look and swung around. A second later that gate man's best friends wouldn't have known him. He got red in the face, then white, then red again, lifted-his Hd, bowed and swung the gate open so fast its hinges smoked, remarking, with a sickly grin: "You will have your little joke, sir."

The newspaper man drifted through in a hazy dream effect, and began walking up and down the platform, wondering whether he wouldn't better go back and hand the fat gateman one on the nose for his real fresh, funny actions. But he noticed that the gateman had called some-more uniforms to his side, and that bunch had their heads together, thinking in whispers and looking in his direction.

The newspaper man began to get worried. He looked himself over, discovered that he was wearing his shoes, that he hadn't forgotten his shirt, and that there were no signs hanging around his person. And he had just about decided to register a diagnosis of congenital lunacy against the crowd when one owobbled toward him. one of the uniforms

"Is there anything I can do for you?" he inquired.

The newspaper man, pretty well convinced that somebody was trying to get gay with him, scowled ferociously. "Not a thing," he replied, grouchily, whereupon the official said: "Thank you, sir," and went away look. ing as happy as a Boston broker on a copper holiday.

About a minute later a portly ber son in uniform steamed up, nodded respectfully and touched his hat.

"No, 6 is pretty nearly on time, sir," he remarked.

"Telephone that up to the office," said the newspaper man, shortly. "It's worth an extra edition any day."

And at that particular moment he began to feel light in the head. For the effect of that little pleasantry of the station master was something fearful to behold. He curled up and laughed and uncurled and laughed some more. And after he was all through laughing he went twotting

hilarious place for awhile. But five minutes later the uniformed person steamed back, looking pes-

tered in the head, and did another lowly approach. "Beg pardon, sir," he said, "but

when I saw you come in I wired down, and there's a drawing-room on six being saved for you.' "That's mighty thoughtful,".

plied the newspaper man, and the person did another departure, purring as contentedly as a Maltese cat.

Then No. 6 steamed in, and for the next 20 or 25 minutes the newspaper man got dippier every second. Every attache of the station had their lamps glued on him all the time, and he began to feel as prominent as J. Diggum Rockefeller and John Alexander Dowle rolled into one. But the air was full of tension. Seventeen people in uniform stood around looking as if they'd like to suggest something if they dared, and finally one of them drifted up looking trembly about the chin, and gave a preliminary cough:

"Beg pardon, sir; excuse me for mentioning it, and I'm sorry to disturb you," he said at length, "but we've held No. 6.20 minutes for you, and if you could come now, sir, we-

"I guess I won't go to-night," said the newspaper man, suppressing with difficulty a wild desire to hit some one with a baggage truck, and the man inuniform, after opening and closing his mouth half a dozen times in the manner of a dying shad, managed to pull the get-away signal, and the limited-pulled out. Then the newspaper man met his wife and went home, studying the initials in his cord case wondering if he'd better see a doctor in the morning. And ever since he's been wondering and pestering and and wohderfully nourishing. I feel as trying to figure out whether every-if I could not sing its praises too loud." body at the station was crazy that AT A WAYSIDE HOSTELRY.

Darky Servitor Most Obliging Under the Circumstances.

A traveling man slobped recently at a-little country hamlet some miles from a Texas city to sell a mind ant a bill of goods. There was only one! hotel in the place, and this had an unsavory reputation. He had only one night to stay, however, so he concluded to make the best of a bad bargnin.

He went to his room early, and, feeling the need of some hot water to remove the stains of his journey. cast his eye about the wall for an electric button, which, of course, was conspicuous by its absence.

He happened to think that he had seen a negro porter below, and, sticking his head out of the door, he yelled

"Hey, you black rascal, come up

"Yas'r, yas'r, I's comin'," was the quick response, and a moment later he old darkey appeared before the drummer, bowing obsequiously, cap in hand.

"I want some hot water, and I want to quick," said the drummer.
"I's pow'ful sorry, poss, pow'ful sorry,", replied the fiegro, his voice trembling 4. We ain't got no hot watah, but kin hot yuh some"

HE ALSO WAS A COLLECTOR.

Cleveland Artist Came Back with a Counter Proposition.

A local newspaper artist got a let-ter one day from a man over in Indiana who said he was making a collection of sketches, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer. "I have drawings from well known newspaper artists in near ly every state in the union." the Indiana man wrote, "but I have none from Ohio. I have seen some of your work and I think it is good. If you will send me some little sketch for my collection I shall have it framed."

The artist noticed from the letterhead that the Indiana man was connected with a bank in one of the small towns in the state of literature: That gare him a hunch, and he wrote back as follows:

"I am making a collection of ten dollar bills. I haven't secured specimens from every state in the union, but I have several tens and a fewtwenties, and I am particularly anxious to have a ten dollar bill from Indiana. I notice that you are employed in a place where ten dollar bills are kept, and if you send me one for my collection I shall be glad to have it framed."

BLACK, ITCHING SPOTS ON FACE.

Physician Called It Eczema in Worst Form-Patient Despaired of Cure-Cuticura Remedies Cured Her.

"About four years ago I was afflicted with black splotches all over my face and a few covering my body, which produced a severe itching irritation, and which caused me a great deal of suffering, to such an extent that I was forced to call in two of the leading physicians of thorough examination of the dreaded complaint they announced it to be skin eczema in the worst form. Their treatment did me no good. Finally I became despondent and decided to discontinue their services. My husband purchased a single set of the Cuticura Remedies, which entirely stopped the breaking out. I continued the use of the Cuticura Remedies for six months, and after that every splotch was entirely gone. I have not felt a symptom of the eczema since, which was three years ago. Mrs. Lizzie E. Sledge, 540 Jones Ave., Selma, Ala., Oct. 28, 1905."

Campaign Against Rats. The French admiralty is preparing

a campaign against the rats which swarm in seaport towns and undoubt-Ily enread the infection of devastating diseases in their passage from one country to another on boardship. It is announced that it will soon be compulsory for every vessel entering a Franch harbor from certain other ports to have all its rats ex-

On the Honeymoon.

"So you were well pleased with the train on which you took your wedding trip?" said the bosom friend. Was it an accommodation train?" The young man's face beamed with delight.

"I should say it was an accommoda-tion train," he confided. "Why, the porter put the light out every time we reached a tunnel."

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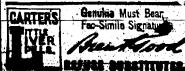
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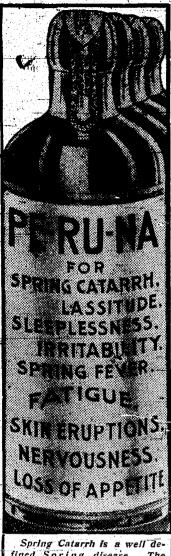
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# POOR DEAR CHARLES

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Dearest Mamfe: Although it breaks my heart, I must tell you that Charles and I have parted. I shall never get over it. I look forward to misery only; to a future of endless wee and bitter memories. They say that love is a part of Man's life and the whole

and fully digested this letter, and were it not for the fact that your hair is mostly someone else's, it would stiffen and stand straight up, woir, write Read, mark, learn and observe the est friend. moral thereof. See how I joke; and all the while my poor woman's heart is dead. Ah, Mamie, never put your innocent faith in Man. I know there is not much danger of your falling in the trap, but accidents will happen you know, and fore-warned is forearmed.

Charles has left be because I am TOO FAT. He says that superfluous flesh disgusts him. He admits that he really did love me when I was young and slender, but for the last few years his nerves have been on the rack at the painful sight of the slow, sure departure of the gazellelike grace that was mine.

You know I had the smallest waist of any girl in Frisco. Everyone thought I was the most Burne-Jonesque person this side of the Rockies, I was willowy, lithe, spirituelle. Alas! I can say that no Actually, I have to tie my corset strings to the bedpost and then run with all my might, if I want to have any waist at all. It is appalling. I am so sorry for Charles. He has such an artistic temperament, you know, and Oh, Mamie, it was a comfort to have a husband with an artistic temperament. They don't grow on every bush.

It hurt him to leave me, but he knew he would be very ill if he had to stand it any longer, as always before him rose the vision of my girlhood's lovely slimness!

Dear Charles! I shall ever be faithful to him, though we are parted. What is life, dear Mamie? Lovingly, Sylpha.

P. S.-What do you think? I found a picture of that horribly skinny actress, Mile. Berna Sarhardt, in dear Charles' room! This is the finishing touch to my overwrought feelings.

(Scattered throughout this letter were various blotches, supposedly tear-drops.) · 624 -

San Francisco, Cal., July 1, 1906. My Darling Mame; Of course you have heard about dear Uncle Willie. It was so sweet of him to die and leave me all his fortune. You are thinking there is no one else to whom he could leave it, but then he might have settled it on some poky college or town hall. Relatives sometimes have a pleasant little way of surprising one. Take that sarcastically if you wish. At any rate, he doted on town halls, and as for me, I am duly thankful for all small favors. I am wearing mourning for him. I think

I ought to, don't you? And then, it makes one look so much slimmer. Now do you know what I am going to do with that money?" I am going to get slender! Yes, even if I have to be moided into a cast. I shall be thin again if I die in the attempt. Charles

shall be regained at any cost. Good-by, dear Mamie-I-go to put flowers on Uncle V Yours forever, .... on Uncle Willie's Sylpha,

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Tucson, Ariz., July 18, 1906. Dearest Mamie: At last I have found a doctor for my case. A love of a doctor, too, He looks something like dear Charles, only nicer; and he has no artistic temperament. I don't suppose any doctor has. He says fat is just so much more sweetness on some people.

He weighed me to day, and I tipped the scales at 280 pounds. Think of it -and me with my name!

It is awfully het here. The perspira-tion runs in streamlets down my face as I write (there are evidences of the truth of this statement here and there on the paper) but Dr. Pihlbochs says that heat is the best fat reducer in the world. I guess it is. I can hear myself sizzle.

You say Charles has failed. Isn't that too bad? But then, painting is such an uncertain business, even if it is gentlemanly. And so he is going into potato-raising, or something of the sort. Is this really true? Poor, dear Charles! It will go hard with him.. Would that I were there to comfort him in his hour of tribulation. Yet he would not have it so. Ever my money could not overcome his

repugnance for fat.

The doctor says I shall regain my former beauty in a very short time now. He is the loveliest man!

Sylpha Lovingly. P. S.-I have bought the darlingest diamond, tiara. The doctor says I look like a queen with it on my head.

IV.

Tucson, Ariz., Nov. 3, 1906.

Sweetest Mamie: I send you a pin of Mexican filigree work, and a picture of Alonzo-that's the doctor. He actually don't know what to do. I am between two fires. Whenever was a leon is found on one of its pages.

maid in such a plight as I? should thank God that you are im-mune from the wiles of Man. The beautiful woman is not always the happiest; Mamie. Yours is the right to happiness. Would that I were in your shoes

I have a 22-inch waist now! Alonzo says that he will not rest in his timeof Woman's. It is sor says that he will not rest in his tire—You are shocked. That is only less pursuit until I clasp an 18-inch natural: but wait until you have read belt around me—not that he minds

stoutness, though. Do you think he really loyes me? Dear me, I am so flurried. Au revoir, write to me at once, my sweet

Sylpha . Have you seen Charles?

San Francisco, Cal., March 26, 1907. My Dear Mamie: The 18-inch waist is mine also a new wedding ring. Now what do you think of that? I wish, though, that you were not quite so touchy. I never have intimated that you were ugly and unable to rope in a man. I make it a point not to hurt people's feelings, no matter what I think. Alonzo says I am the most adorable—(here the writer stops. About an hour later the letter is resumed )

What do you suppose? Just as I was in the middle of this letter, up comes a card announcing Birdie Fly-fether, our old schoolmate, you know I went downstairs and we raked over everybody's reputation. This, though, is not the thing. Just as she was leaving, who should I come face to face with but Charles de Puyster-Browne! Birdle scented trouble and hurried off. He nearly prostrated himself at my feet, and I think his eyes were full of real tears of pleas-He said his soul had been hungry for me ever since dear Uncle Willie's death; that I had no sooner left him than he regretted his rash act, and had spent all this time in spite of poverty, in trying to find me.
Onge he actually had to ride a brake-Wasn't that dreadful? beam. he must have suffered! And all for me! - Brake-beams are so inartistic. He went in raptures over my slender ness, and said he was ready to take me back as his own little fairy.

"Sylpha-angel-nymph, come back couldn't help wondering if they ached from hanging to bear from hanging to brake-beams.

"I would just love to," I said, ten-derly and reminiscently, at the same time backing away, "but I have already given my heart and hand—and fortune to that famous Reducer of Superfluous Flesh, Dr. Pihlbochs, the Trimmer of Obesity!"

I think he fainted as I swept from the room, for there was sickening crash, then sirence. Later I heard the bollboy running with ice-water. I hear Alonzo's dear footstep. Adieu.

Sylpha, (Clipping from the Punktown Periodical.)

"Our noted brother and fellowworker, Charlie P. Brown, has the honor of sending to the editor, the largest potato of the season. is catching on quick. Hurray for you, Charles!

# IN LOVELY PHOENIX PARK.

The Scene of the Murders Is Remembered-Though Not Kept Green.

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On one plat when we were there a detail of his majesty's red coats were practicing target shooting. Yonder came three dragoons back from a cross-country run. The vice-regal lodge, plain and white, looked, in spite of the vastness of the green grounds about it, hot and uninviting in the glare of the August sun.

In sight of the house, but a long way from it, is the spot where Cavendish and Burke were musdered some years ago. In vain do the gardeners try to keep grass above it. fast as a bit grows it is taken up and carried off by relic hunters.

Scores of deer were roaming about, so tame that they frequently came close to our car. One big stretch of rolling land was crossed and recrossed with what looked in the distance like ditches. They are troughs, our driver told us, into which at morning and night water is pumped for the deer. which come there by the hundred to drink.

Book, Once Napoleon's, Found-Students at Berkeley university browsing through the shelves of the university library discovered an old work on algebra, on the flyleaf of which was written: "This book belonged to Napoleon Bonaparte." On the inside of the cover were the words: 'This was one of the volumes that formed Bonaparte's library at St. Helena.' On the next page were words: "Bonaparte's Morary, the Islande de St. Helene." These notes are supposed to have been written by proposed to me last night, and I owners of the book, which was printed 95 years ago. The seal of Napo

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SYMPATHY FOR THE FISH.

Upton Sincial's Amazing Parable on Charlty of the Rich. I Upton Sinclair, in an address before

body of Chicago Socialists, said of The average charity, the charity of he rich, seems rather futile to me

The rich oppress the poor enormously, then they help them slightly. It is like the young lady angler. "'Why,' said a man to this young

lady, 'do you always carry a bottle of liniment with you on your fishing excursions?' She sighed.

"'I am sorry,' she said plaintively, for the poor little-fish. And so, when I take one off the hook, I always rub its cut mouth with some liniment."

The Lie According to Mr. Dooley. "A-lie may be as simple as th thruth. Th' fact iv th' matter is that th' rale thruth is niver simple. What we call thruth, an pass around fr'm hand to hand is on'v a kind iv a currency that we use fir convenience. There are a good many counterfeiters an' a let iv th' counterfeits mus' be in circulation. I haven't anny question that I take in manny iv thimover me intellectool bar ivry day, an' pass out not a few. Some iv th' counterfeits has as much precious metal in thim as th' rale goods, on'y they bear th' governmint stamp."-From Dissertations by Mr. Dooley.

### Text Somewhat Apropos

The Rev. J. B. Hammill, the eloquent preacher of the Hanson Place Methodist Episcopal church, Brooklyn, was preaching at Sayville, L. I., from the text "Look well to your foundations." After repeating the text he leaned heavily on the pulpit desk, which gave way and plunged over the altar rail, nearly hitting the laymen in the front seat and scattering the Bible and the preacher's notes among the holders of the pews. The aged preacher barely escaped a tumble over the altar with the heavy desk.

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## Would Take What They Had.

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"Then give me a bit of red tape," was the sarcastic retort The string was supplied.

W. N. U., DETROIT, NO. 25, 1907.

# WORKING WOMEN,



Women for the most part spend their lives at home, and it is these women who are willing and ambitious that their homes shall be kept neat and pretty, their children well dressed and tidy, who do their own cooking,

sweeping, dusting and often washing, ironing and sewing for the entire family, who call for our sympathy.

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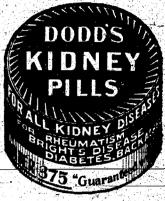
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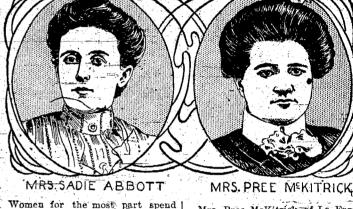
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### STATE FAIR RACES.

Since the first day of spring the Detroit, has been harrowed and then carefully gone over with drags until it promises to be in perfect condition when the racing program for 1907 opens up on August 29. Horsemen from all over the state unite in praising the course and predict that many a trotter and paeer will circle the oval in sensational time during the coming summer.

Among the trainers who have been working out their stables at the fair grounds this spring are Fred Tall-madge, Jeff Cunningham, Lacy Mcmage, Jeff Chimhenam, Lacy Mc-Laughlin, the Lewis brothers, Charley Culver and other well-known handlers of the harness horse. They have been speeding their charges daily and from the time made, the track record will be placed at a low mark before the fair of 1907 passes into history.

"We will be only too pleased to encourage breeders by granting them the privilege of working their horses ever the fair track, and will do every thing in our power to aid them," remarked President Postal recently.

The attitude of the fair officials has been to encourage Michigan breeders and to this end they establish comfortable quarters for the horsemen this The program for the meeting to be held during this year's fair has also been arranged with a view to giving Michigan animals an opportunity to compete with the best in their respective classes, while liberal purses have been hung up for competition be-tween state bred animals.

tween state ored animals.

Among the horses that have been trained over the fair track this spring age: 6. M. Jersey's Gertie W., 2:16; Jeff Cunningham's Requisition, 2:12½; Gale, 2:10½; Idol Star from the Lewis-string, Aleck S. with aneighth to his credit in 16 seconds; L. De Liels Belings a promising even De Lisle's Delmas, a promising green colt by Coinage out of Pilot Medium,

and a mare of Charley Culver's that has been making fast time.

Horses worked out in the south have always had a great advantage over Michigan Trainers owing to their. early preparation, but many trainers say that with the encouragement given Michigan breeders by the State the past. In the early spring the trainers at the fair grounds were hampered by unsettled weather, but with suppling the fast track rapidly round-

As showing what Michigan horses are capable of the remarkable career of Gale, chronicled by many as Michigan's greatest trotter reads like fiction. When first brought out the Gale horse was marked as "no account" by many experienced horsemen, but Mrs. Nettle Kell Moore had unbounded Nettre Keil Moore had unbounded faith in the animal, and her confidence was more than justified when Gale went through the short ship circuit and cleaned up \$5,000. He has been changed to pace this year, his natural gail, and by the way he has been working out at the fair track, promises to be faster than ever.

Eugene Fifield, superintendent of the speed department at the State Fair, is one of the best known harness horse enthusiasts in the west. When he arranges a racing program, every horseman knows that he will have an opportunity of entering practically every horse in his stable and with the assurance that he will receive considerate treatment.

\$10,200 that will be given out in purses during the six days racing at the fair this year has been divided as follows: Troming classes, 2:35, \$500; 2:30, \$500; 2:12, \$500; 2:15, \$500; 2:12, \$500; 2:year-old stakes, \$300; 2-year-old 3-year-old, stakes, \$300; 2-year-old stakes, \$300; pacing, 2:35, \$500; 2:30, \$500; 2:26, \$500; 2:21, \$500; 2:21, \$500; 2:16, \$500; 2:13, \$500; 2:16, \$500; 2:13, \$500; 2:08, \$

Syear-old stakes, \$300.

During the past winter the stables have been enlarged, and improved, and excellent facilities provided for cooling-off and transporting feed. The transportation facilities have also been greatly improved and horsemen. will have but little trouble, shipping their stables in and out. All entries for the state Tair program must be in by August 22.

Farmers visiting the State Fals should make a special effort to see the display of corn. The products of CONTRACTOR OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTY OF T

tional, but both are important, both essential

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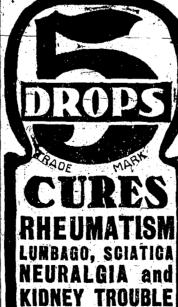
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DROBATE ORDER, State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of At a session of artid Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Charlevoix, in said jounity, on the 17th day of June. A. D. 1907; Present; Hon. John M. Harris, Judge of Probite.

In the matter of the Estate of Robert-Mackey, deceased.

Produce
In the matter of the Estate of Robert-Mackby, deceased,
Sarah Jane Mackey having filed in said-court
her perition praying that said-court adjudicate
and determine with wore at the time of his,
death the legal heirs of said-deceased and entitled to inheritz he rear estate of which said
deceased died seized.

It is ordered, That the 15th day of July,
A. D. 1907, at ten o'clock, in the forenoon, atsaid probate office he and is hereby appointoff for Thearing, said petition;
It is Further Ordered. That public notice
thereof be given by publication of a copy of
this oeder, for three successive weeks previous
to said day of hearing, in the Charlevitz
County Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

A true copy.

JOHN M. HARRIS.

Judge of Probate.

CHANCERY ORDER—State of Michigan, Pintreeath Judicing Circuit, in Chancery, Sult pending in the Circuit. In Chancery, Sult pending in the Circuit, A. D. 1807. Marguset A. Schopf, Usually of April, A. D. 1807. Marguset A. Schopf, Complainant, vs. John Jacob Schopf, Deptendint. In this caltse it tappearing from the affidavit on file, that the defendant John Jacob Schopf is not a resident of this State, and after diligent search his residence cannot be ascertained, on motion of complainants solicitor. It is ordered that the appearance, of said non-resident defendant. John Jacob Schopf, be entered herein, within five months of the date of this order; and in case of his appearance because his answer to the bill of complaint to be filed, and a cupy those of the served on the complainant sultiments within five months of the date of this order; and in case of his appearance he cause his answer to the bill of complaint to be filed, and a cupy those of to be served on the complaint and notice of order; and in default thereaf, said bill will be unless as schreesed by said non-resident defendant. And it is further ordered that within twenty days they complained the Charlevolx County Heraid, a newspaper printed, published and circufating in said county and that said publication be confined the gain, once in each week, for six—weeks in succession, or that she cause a copy of this order to be presented to his appearance.

EKEDERIOK W. MAYNE,

The above prescribed for his appearance.
EREDERICK W. MAYNE,
A. B. NICHOLAS.
Circuit Judge,
Solicitor for Complainant.

ORTGAGE SALE.—There is now due and unpaid upon a mortgage dated the 9th day of December, 1890, executed by Andrew Jonson and Sophia Jonson, his wife, to linke A. Tabor, and robrided in the register of decis office for the Compty of Charlevolx, State of Michigan on December 11th, 1890, in liber 20 of mortgages on page 30; the sum of one hundred and twenty-one, and 60-100 dollars.

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Said morigage was on the nineteenth day of
May-1894 by ordinatument. In writing, duly
assigned to Stephen P<sub>0</sub>Millard, which said as
signment was eithly-recorded-in-the-rogs, ter of
deens office for the said County of Charlevolx
on the 4th day of June. 1894, in liber 21 of
mortgages on page 233.

To sulsty said debt and costs of saic, the
premises described in said mortgage, towit;
the sauth-rast quarter (8-1-3) of the Northwest quarter (N-V+O), and the south half
(3-4) of lot One (1) all, in section twenty-eight
(28), of township thirty-three (33) morth of
range seven (1) west, containing fifty-seven and
2-100 for 2-100 acres, more or less as per U.S.
survey, in the Cenaty of Charlevolx and
State of Michigan, will be sold at public nuction at she east front door of the curb house.

Monday the 8th Day of July A.D. 1907 Monday the Oth Pagents at 10 - yelock in the formoon.

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STEPHEN P. MILLARD.

assignee of Mort gage

F. F. WETMORE, Attorney for morigagee. Business address, Hart, Mich.

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Time Schedule in effect Sunday, Sept.

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General Manager.

East Sordan & Southern R. R. TIME TABLE. (In effect Apr. 28, 1907)

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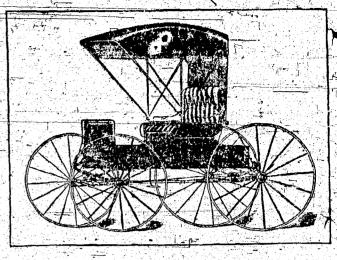
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