THE IRON PORT. ESCANABA, MICHIGAN, SATURDAY, MAY 6, 1905.

THIRTY-FIFTH YEAR

Fire Destroyed Home of J. W Dean

Early Monday Morning.

THE LOSS WAS \$1500.

The Occupants of Building Forced to

Leave in Night Robes.

Fire which is supposed to have start-

ed from a defective chimney came near

proving fatal to three persons last Mon-day morning in the building at 504 Lud-

ington street, occupied for a residence

by J. W. Dean. The three occupants were Mrs. J. W. Dean and daughter

Alice and Miss Elsie Ghoslin. They

were awakened and made their escape

just in time for the fire had gained such

headway that the stairway fell in just

after they made their exit. The fire de-

partment soon extinguished the fire and

kept it from spreading to the buildings

The loss to the building is estimated

at \$900 and Mr. Dean's loss is about

MADE FINE SHOWING

City Lighting Plants Gained \$1875.32

in Three Months.

The report for the Escanaba Munici-

pal Lighting Plants which was presented

to the council Tuesday evening shows

that the sum of \$2147.91 was gained by

tric plant amounts to \$8289.33

Expense..... 6341.03

an average monthly gain of \$715.97.

\$813.57.

on each side.

\$500.

FAMILY OUT.

FLAMES DRIVE

APPOINTMENTS **BILL PASSES HOUSE**

Appropriation Bill for Experimental Station Now Up to Senate.

Lansing, Mich., May 3rd .- The house of representatives this morning passed without a dissenting vote Representative Clark's bill providing a \$9000 ap- Mayor Named Men for City Officers propriation for the Chatham Experiment station in the Upper Peninsula. This marks the first step towards the accomplishment of a work of agricultural development for northern Michigan, which had its inception at the Lake Superior Press association meeting at Marquette in February, and which has been-vigorously and consistently worked for by the newspaper men

of the upper peninsula. The \$9000 appropriation bill will now go to the senate for approval, and the

senators have been receiving for the last two weeks hundreds of postal cards from various parts of their districts urging favorable action on Mr. Clark's bill. It ought to go through the state senate without an objection. Governor Warner will sign the bill with considerable pleasure, he having a great interest in the agricultural development of northern Michigan.

The farm at Chatham has been crippled on account of no funds and it came to a point where it had to be taken careof by the state or abandoned altogether.

NEW WHOLESALE FIRM

Brauns & Van of Green Bay Starl Branch Here with Jesse Owen as Manager.

Brauns & Van, wholesale fruit and produce dealers of Green Bay, have established a branch warehouse in this city. Jesse Owen, for ten years employed by Erickson & Bissell, has accepted a position as local manager of Pound Master from March 15 to Dec. the wholesale firm. The building at 15 \$40 per month, City Engineer \$2,000 the gas and electric plants for the months of January, February and March. The total earnings of the elec-511 Ludington street has been rented per year. and is now occupied by the firm.

HAD HOLE IN BOW

Steamer Arrived In Port in Bad Shape.

The steamer Byron Whitaker arrived in port Sunday night with a large hole Expense..... 1675.71 stove in her bow below the water line. Already there was six feet of water in the hold and the condition was serious when this port was reached. After There was spent for new constructying up at the coal dock the hole was tion such as poles, meters, wire, etc., patched up and the water pumped out.

passing Squaw and Garden islands.

WERE MADE

on Tuesday Night

NO SUPRISES

Nearly all old Officers Hold Over-Appointments not Complete.

City Attorney A. H. Ryall, Chief of Police A. Gabourie. Street Commissioner Eric Anderson, City Surveyor D. A. Brotherton, Poor Commissioner Geo.

Young, City Physician, A. F. Snyder, Health Officer Dr. O. C. Breitenback. The above are the appointments offered to the City Council by Mayor A. J. Valentine on Tuesday evening. The appointments were confirmed unanimously by the council. The list of officers contains no surprises, most of the appointees being the same as last year.

The council fixed the salaries of the various officials as follows: Mayor \$50 per year, Aldermen \$50 per year, City Attorney \$500 per year, City Clerk \$900, City Treasurer \$600 per year, City Physician \$200 per year. Health Officer \$400 per year, Chief of Police \$65 per month, Patrolmen \$60 per month, Chief of Fire Dept. \$70 per month, Chief of Fire Dept. as fire warden \$5 per month, Street Commissioner \$2.25 per day when employed. Poor Commissioner \$40 per month, Jail Keeper \$20 per month,

The list of appointments is not quite complete. There yet remains the positions of Chief of Fire Dept., patrolmen, and members board of public works to be named.

WANT SPUR BUILT

Board of Public Works Submits Plans for Track to Lighting Plant.

In order that there may be a saving It is supposed that the Whitaker of from \$500 to \$600 per year, on fuel, struck a log or heavy peice of ice while the board of public works has asked the council to take action on putting in a

CHANGE TO **TO PRESERVE FORESTS** Organization of Michigan Forestry Association Now Under Way Under the immediate leadership of Thornton A. Green, the representative business and lumbermen of Ontonagon, Mich., the numerous and active friends

of forestry are organizing the Michigan Forestry association. For years the Property Owners and Decided need for such an organization has been felt most keenly. The possibilities for action of such an organization in Michigan are unusually great. For half a century the people of the state have been deeply interested in their forest AFTER SHARP CONTEST. wealth; the wood working industry has stood next to agriculture in its impor-

tance, and for years the state of Michigan was the greatest timber producing Decision From Judge Speed Was What Turned the Tide Against district of its size in the world. For over thirty years a more conser-

been advocated by far-sighted men like Beal, Garfield and Spaulding. And today the people in town and country alike demand action with regard to forestry matters. The inadequacy of singlehanded action, especially in bringing about the much needed legislation, shaping public opinion and in securing definite, practical co-operative action has long been apparent; and the friends owners on the street signed a petition of forestry hail with delight, therefore, for asphalt made it incumbent on the the birth of this new association. council to pave with asphalt.

A meeting of the members will be called some time in June when the organization will be perfected and a defiof the meeting. Advocates of both nite plan of action outlined. Among the problems at present before the aseach faction expecting action favorable sociation are especially: to the kind of material they wanted.

Encouragement of forestry among private owners of land by a more equitable form of taxation of forest property. Better protection of forest property es pecially by a more effective execution of present laws.

These two questions apply to the small wood lot of the farmer, aggregating over seventy-five million dollars' worth of property, fully as much as to the large holdings of cutover lands and the remaining virgin forests.

Among the problems affecting immediately the interest of the state there

A clearly defined policy of the state concerning its large holdings (over six million acres) of tax-title lands.

Modification of the present methods of disposal of state lands. Extension of the forest reserve policy, ately inaugurated by the state and pat-

terned after the policy of the federal government and the states of New York and Pennsylvania.

With hardly one-half of its lands set- the bid of Nee Moran & Co. was incom-

NUMBER 20

Funds are Overdrawn The annual report of Ex-City Treasurer A. G. Crose was filed with the council Tuesday night showing that on March 4, 1905, the city's funds were overdrawn to the amount of \$16,342.47 The overdraft of the city funds proper on that date was \$6,378.26 and the overdraft against the municipal lighting plant on that date was \$9,964.21.

ASPHALT

on Asphalt.

Early in the meeting the decision of

submitted the question as to whether

material specified in the annual appro-

of Judge Speed in full is as follows:

Following was the condition of the different city funds as shown by the annual report of the treasurer on March 4: general fund on hand \$25,859.93, interest and sinking fund on hand \$5768.87. salary fund on hand \$343.99, street fund overdrawn \$8,985.26, fire overdrawn \$4,856, police overdrawn \$3692.16, water overdrawn \$561.71, sewer overdrawn \$2848.99, library overdrawn \$115.53, Stephenson avenue overdrawn \$4073.39, Maple street overdrawn \$999.78, Norris street on hand \$551.18. Tweedy street overdrawn \$124.87, Hale street on hand \$263.19, Wells avenue on hand \$2572.87. Sarah street overdrawn \$6,114.36, Oak street on hand \$252.42. Fifth street on hand \$122.20

The total amount shown to be in the different funds by the reports was \$35, -731.69 and the total amount of funds overdrawn at the time of the making of the report was \$55,731.69 and the total amount of funds overdrawn at the time of the marking of the report was \$42,-109.95, thus making the amount of city Nearly two hundred citizens gathered funds overdrawn \$6,378.26, which toat the city hall to watch the progress gether with the overdraft against the lighting plant raised the total deficiency brick and asphalt were conspicuous, to \$16,342.47.

FUNERAL WAS LARGE

Judge Speed, of Detroit, to whom was Many Friends Attended Funeral of Mrs. C. B. Mead.

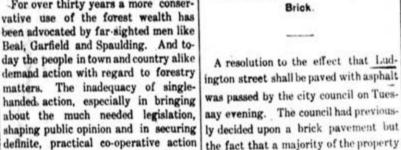
the council was bound to pave with the The funeral of Mrs. C. D. Mead, last Sunday, was one of the largest ever priation bill, was read. The decision held in the city. The funeral services were held from the home on Elmore "Common council not bound to use street and many were unable to gain material specified in appropriation ordinance but may change from brick to entrance to the house because of the macadam or asphalt. If majority of large crowd that was present.

property owners petition, the council The funeral services were conducted must pave according to petition. As-sessment roll will be valid. Explana-byterian church and the Rev. F. F. W. tory petition by mail. John J. Speed." Green of St. Stephen's Episcopal The street question was taken up in church. The members of the Eastern order by the council and a resolution Star society of which Mrs. Mead was a was first introduced by the special com- member attended in a body.

mittee on bids giving the contract to Those who acted as pall bearers were Nee, Moran & Co. Alderman Jensen C. A. Cram, John M. Millar, M. K. Bisas a member of that committee offered sel, E. C. Vought, Atty. I. C. Jennings a minority report in which he claimed and Solomon Greeahoot.



plete, there being no bid on putting in Property Owners on Hartnett Avenu



FIRE REPORT

Annual Report of Fire Chief Gives Statistics.

The annual report of the chief of the fire department James Tolan, was submitted to the common council Tuesday evening. According to the report, the fire department No. 1 responded to 72 calls during the year and department No. 2 to 63 calls.

The value of the buildings endangered by fire was \$31,040 and the value of their contents was \$26,050. The insurances on the buildings was \$12,000 and on the contents \$7,800. Losses by fire during the year amounted to \$2,762-62 for buildings and \$2,181.10 for contents of buildings damaged.

The plant of the Northwestern Cooperage & Lumber Company which was a total loss we not included by the chief in his report because he was unable to secure the data necessary.

CITY POOR BILLS

Anianted to \$399.32 During Month

of April.

The city poor bills amounted to \$399 .-32 during the month of April according yet it is only about half the sum exaded for the same purpose in April amounted to \$688.89.

MISSION WORK

Jesuit Missionaries Conducting Services at St. Patrick's Church.

A mission has been held at St. Patrick's church during the past week and will continue over tomorrow. Two Jesuit missionaries, the Rev. P. J. Mulcoury and the Rev. Thomas C. Mc-Keough, have conducted the services,

Course Changed Again.

The course of the new bay shore road was slightly changed again this week by the county board of road commissioners at the request of Dr. Wm. Mc-Callum of Gladstone through whose land the new road runs. The change con-sisted in straightening the course of the road, and the board was willing to grant the request of Mr. McCallum. Work is how progressing on the road.

Governor Warner to Speak. Governor Warner is to be invited to deliver the address at the celebration of the Fourth being arranged at Me-nominee. Plans are being made for an inhorate program, and the Herald as-arts that it is expected to entertain

STILL NO TRACE

to Find Body of Missing Man.

Detective George McCarthy and Under Sheriff F. A. Aronson made another attempt this week to locate the body of Ole Sundstrom, who dissappeared from his home in Bay de Noc township last November. A search was made through the woods near his home but no clues of his whereabouts were found.

BASE BALL

High School Team Will Meet Marquette Today.

The Escanaba High School base ball team will meet the Marquette High School team at South Park today. The game is the first of the season for the local boys and will undoubtedly prove a most interesting one as both teams are anxious to win.

Charles F. Dunbar Dead.

Charles F. Dunbar, one of the best known dredging contractors on the great lakes, died at Buffalo at the age to the report of Poor Comissioner Geo. of 66 years. Deceased was the first to Young. Although the amount is large advise a successful submarine drill. which was first used in the deepening of Port Colborne harbor. He was also of last year. Poor bills in April 1904 engaged in the work of deepening the Lime Kilns crossing, which took twelve years to complete.

Married at Duluth.

Sheldon S. Atkins and Mrs. Leah Stegrig, both formerly residents of this city, were married at Duluth last week. Mr. Atkins is employed in a large retail grocery store in that city.

Sprung a Leak

The stcamer Panama, while loading ore at No. 3 dock last week sprung a leak, and for a time was in danger of sinking. A steam pump was placed in position by the crew of the tug Tomlinson and on Saturday the Panama left for South Chicago" with a two thirds of the firm at Escanaba. cargo of ore.

Forest Fire Does Damage. Considerable damage was done on Tuesday of last week by a forest fire, four miles north of Northland. The fire started in the cut over land and

Seventy saloon keepers at the Soo have applied for licenses for the com-ing year. The common council took action on their bonds Monday night.

spur from the C. N. W. yards to the lighting plant. The spur would cost the city about \$750 but coal can be obtained in Officers Once More Make Attempts car load lots at from twenty to twentyfive cents less than it is now purchased where delivery by team is necessary. Such a spur would also enable the without the expense of hauling from the yards. In order that such a track may be laid the city must grant permission to the railway company to cross Thomas street. The matter was referred to the street committee.

FIRE IN LIVERY STABLE

Much Damage Done By Fire at Richer

Bros. Livery Barn.

Fire broke out at 3 a. m. Monday morning in Richer Bros. Livery stable and caused considerable damage to the building and contents. The stable contained eighteen horses all of which were released without injury.

All of the cutters with carriage and cab runners stored on the second floor were badly burned and damaged.

TO PUSH BLOOD BERRY GUM

Sourwine & Hartnett Considering Proposition to Form Stock Company

Sourwine' & Hartnett, have under consideration a proposition to form a stock company to push Blood Berry Gum. The gum business has become so large and its sale so extensive that the firm feels it should be separated from their other business and given more attention. The firm has from time to time received effers to sell their gum business outright but have declined them. Just now they are being urged by parties in Chicago to form a stock company and place the gum in every state in the union. If such a company is formed Sourwine & Hartnett will

Menominee Man Missing

August Rohl, of Menominee, mysteri-ously disappeared over a week ago and nothing has yet been learned as to his shore to look for another job. He has not been heard from since. His family and friends do not know what to make of his disappearance. As far as known he had no deadly enemies, and was not guarrelsome.

tled, with fully one-fourth of its lands in cutover and denuded unproductive the protection curb, and therefore illecondition, with soil and climate suited gal. Alderman Lawson in defense of to tree growth and with the best of home market for all kinds of timber. surely Michigan has before it a forest problem of first magnitude. It is an un- ed the bid of Nee Moran & Co. a legal city to obtain wood in car load lots dertaking, which if properly carried bid. The decision of City Attorney out, will result in untold good, will add Clancy was asked for. Mr. Clancy|said that in the face of Judge Speed's demillions of dollars every year to the incision he would consider any bid on come of the state and do much to maintain the high standard of Michigan as brick, an illegal bid, but that technicalan agricultural as well as manufactur- ly he thought the council could consider the bid of Nee Moran & Co. as a reguing commonwealth. lar bid.

FILBERT BOTH, State Forest Warden.

GOES TO JERSEY CITY

Henry Olmstead Temporarily Assigned to That City.

favor of the report were: Aldermen Henry Olmstead who signed, early Elliott, Jensen, McMartin and Priester. this year to pitch with the Boston Am-Those voting against the report were erican League team has been assigned Aldermen Beck, Follo, Kratze, Lawson, by the Boston management to pitch at Martin, McCarthy, Nelson, Shevalier, Smith and Tolan. The question was then on the origina

resolution offered by Alderman Lawson to award the contract for paving Ludington street with Metropolitan brick any of the young pitchers which they to the Nee & Moran company for the sum of \$98,670,94. Immediately before the vote was taken Mayor Valentine urged the members of the council to use their best judgment in voting upon the question.

EDITOR CONVICTED

Enstrom of Iron Mountain Must Serve Term.

the resolution to award the contract for In the United States district court at paving the street with brick to the Nee Marquette Wednesday afternoon, James & Moran company were: Aldermen M. Enstrom, of Iron Mountain, was adjudged guilty of the charge of send. ing obscene matter through the mails and was at once sentenced to one year in the Detroit House of Correction. Enstrom is the editor and publisher of the Monitor, a Swedish paper, having his office at Iron Mountain, and his conviction will be a shock to his wide circle of acquaintances throughout the upper peninsula and Northern Wiscon-

Gladstone Appointments. Mayor Chas. D. Mason and the mem bers of the city council at Gladstone fire started in the cut over land and burned over one or two good forties at about town 43 range 26. The camp of the Wolverine Lumber Company was also burned. Many Saloons at the Soo. Many Saloons at the Soo.

Bjorkman City Herder, Peter Lynough. Members of Water Board, W. A. Fons and J. P. Helm, President Pro tem H. E. Henke.

the action of the special committee of which he was a member, said that the best legal advice in the city had declar-

The vote was then taken on the min-

ority report submitted by Alderman

Jensen awarding the contract to the

Bannen Co. of Milwaukee and the re-

port was lost by a vote of ten to four.

The members of the council voting in

The vote was then taken and the rese-

The aldermen who voted in favor of

question be referred to a special com-

mittee who should confer with the Bar-

ber Asphalt Co. in order to obtain if

possible a longer guarantee than they

were at present offering. The amend-

ment was carried by a vote of nine to

five. Then the original question was

put to the council and was carried by a

animous vote. At the special meet-

ng held Thursday night the special com-

cates of an asphalt pavement.

Ask for Change of Plans.

A special meeting of the council was held Thursday night for the purpose of hearing objections to the plans for paying Hartnett avenue. A petition was received from a majority of the property owners on that street asking that the plans be changed to have the street car tracts moved into the center of the street and the street to be paved sixteen feet on each side of the tracts and between the rails with crushed rock covered with Flat Rock gravel

The council granted the petition and instructed the city engineer to make new plans for that street.

Controlled By Pere Marquette.

It is said, upon reliable authority. that the Ann Arbor railway and carferry system has been sold to the same parties that control the Pere Maquette system. The law prohibits a formal merger of the two roads but nevertheless they are now said to be controlled by the same capital.

The reports that were circulated some time ago regarding this transfer were evidently founded upon fact. A meeting of the directors took place on Thursday but it is not yet known what action was taken at that time. It is thought, however, that the meeting was for the purpose of deciding as to what should be done with reference to the management of the Ann Arbor line. This line, it is said, will be united with lution was lost by a vote of eight to six, and with but one vote to spare the re- the Detroit Southern so as to form one sult was especially close for the advo- line.

Life in California.

Not only does California's beauty and climate add to the pleasure of life there Kratze, Lawson, Martin, McCarthy, but living is cheap also. Fruit and Nelson and Smith. The aldermen vot- vegetables in abundance. Low rates ing against the resolution were Aldervia Rock Island System Mach 1 to May 15. A quicker trip in tourist sleeper men Beck, Elliott, Follo, Jensen, Mc-Martin, Priester, Shevalier and Tolan. than by any other line. Cost as low as A resolution introduced by Alderman the lowest-service the best. Tourist Tolan awarding the contract to the folder, with complete information, from Barber Asphalt company was then John Sebastian, Passenger Traffic Mantaken up, Alderman Jensen offered an ager, Rock Island System, Chicago. amendment to the resolution that the

Lumber Company Wins.

By a decision that has been handed down by Judge Stone, after being under consideration for nearly an entire year, the Edward Hines Lumber com pany, of Chicago, will not be forced to pay \$803.77 in taxes to Wells township, which had been levied upon lumber belonging to that company in 1903. It was claimed by the company that the lumber could not be legally levied upon mittee, which is composed of Aldermen Jensen, Lawson and Smith, asked for more time in which to make their re-port and were granted until Monday night to make a report.

hold the majority of stock. They will also insist on having the headquarters

Jersey City, N. J. with the understanding that he may be recalled to the Boston team at any time. When it was decided that the Boston American League team would not at present use

signed the first part of the year, the Columbus team made an effort to get Olmstead. Olmstead also preferred Columbus to Jersey City but the Boston management desired to have him. pitch with some eastern team where his

work could be better watched.



MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS AT HOME AND ABROAD IN CONDENSED FORM.

THE WAR IN THE FAR EAST

Progress of Hostilities Between Russia and Japan-Doings at Washington-Items of Interest from All Over the World.

RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR.

Tokio reports that the Baltic fleet has been sighted off Cape Varela, 70 miles north of Kamranh bay, and it is believed Rojestvensky is on his way to Vladivostok around Japan.

Mysterious rumors that another attempt at peace negotiations is impending are circulating in high quarters in St.-Petersburg, and the United States is directly mentioned as the intermediагу.

Some experts think the Japanese are seeking to draw Rojestvensky into a trap at Vladivostok. Oyama's regiments in Manchuria have

been recruited to their full quota. Russia has secured another \$50,000,000

loan in Germany. The Russian general staff puts the

total Muscovite loss in battle of Mukden at 89,664.

Great Britain has warned Russia that violation of Chinese neutrality will compel observance to her treaty with Japan.

Fighting in Manchuria has been resumed, Oyama having determined not to await the outcome of the naval battle. Count O'Kuma estimates the number of wounded and sick Japanese as a re-

sult of the war at 200,000 to 300,000, and the number of killed or who died of discase at 60,000.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Frank G. Bigelow, president of the First National bank of Milwaukee, confessed to embezzlement of \$1,450,000. He was arrested and is out on bonds. Chicago banks saved disaster by sending \$1,000,000. The depositors are being paid in full. The assistant cashier is a fugitive.

Frank G. Bigelow, defaulting bank president of Milwaukee, filed a petition in bankruptcy, scheduling liabilities of \$3.277,000 and assets of \$1,489,800.

It can be stated positively that Frank G. Bigelow, the defaulting ex-president of the First National bank, of Milwaukee, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

The receiver ousted Frank G. Bigelow, defaulting Milwaukee banker, from latial

Federal troops have been ordered to roard Chicago subtreasury, bullion

Rev. Charles E. Bradt, of Wichits Kan., has been tendered an appointm as field secretary of the west for the coard of foreign missions of the Presbyterian church, with headquarters at Chicago, to succeed the late Dr. Thomas Marshall, of Chicago.

Judge Kohlsaat, of the federal circuit court in Chicago, issued an order enthisers from interfering in any way with the property or employes of the Employers' Teaming company. Plans are complete for the reception

and entertainment of President Roosevelt in Chicago on May 10.

Twenty-five employes of packing firms wanted by the federal grand jury in Chicago are hiding in Canada and Europe. Mayor McClellan, of New York, vetoed bill taking from the aldermen all control over local franchises.

Ignace Paderewwski, planist, has been forced to cancel engagements because of pain from wrenching the cords of his neck.

The change in President Roosevelt's plans and shortening of his hunt is said to be due to the executive's desire to be in Washington when peace negotiations in the far east come after the expected naval engagement.

Arabian rebels took the Turkish stronghold of Sanaa. The sultan's troops are mutinous.

Americans bowed to the kaiser's will and will change the name of their chamber of commerce at Berlin.

James P. Dolliver, of Morgantown, W Va., father of Senator John P. Dolliver, of lows died at the residence of his son in Washington. He was 90 years old. Tobe Thornton, the negro who criminally assaulted Miss Margaret Dismukes a malden lady near Preston.

Webster county, 15 months ago, was hanged at Preston, Ga. The sawmill of R. J. and B. Camp, one

of the largest concerns of the kind in Florida, was burned at White Springs, Fla., with the dry kiln veneering mill, commissary and 2,000,000 feet of lumber.

R. H. York & Co., one of the oldest brokerage firms in Cleveland, O., assigned to N. H. Horr. It is stated that the liabilities will aggregate \$40,000; assets. \$10,000.

It is estimated by the experts at work upon the books of the San Francisco city tax collector's office that the alleged shortage of Edward J. Smith will

amount to a total of at least \$68,000. An attempt in Poland by a peasant band to maltreat a rich farmer and a priest led to a collision with the police and troops, in which three peasants were killed and 12 wounded.

Judge John Steel, for many years postmaster at Oberlin, O., and a director of the closed Citizens' national bank, died of organic heart trouble

Dick Craighead, the alleged murderer of Mrs. lke McKee and her seven-yearold son, who was shot in his cell in the parish jail at Homer, La., is dead from the wounds inflicted by the mob.

Fire in Milwaukee gutted the porth half of the five-story structure of the Hansen Empire Fur company, and badly damaged the stock in the piano warerooms of William Rehlfing Sons, caus-

The smoke nuisance has caused a loss of from \$12,000,000 to \$15,000,000 yearly to citizens of Chicago. George J. Gould retired from the di-

orate of the Union Pacific railroad. marking the opening of a vigorous struggle with Harrimon for control in the west.

H. H. Knowles, superintendent of agencies of the Equitable Life Assurance society, a Hyde adherent, has been discharged by President Alexander.

Ten miners were instantly crushed to death at a mine located in the northern part of Wilkesbarre, Pa. The men were being lowered into the mine, when the rope broke and the cage fell to the bottom of the shaft, a distance of 400 feet.

Mrs. Antoinette Tolla, who has been on trial at Hackensack, N. J., for the murder of Joseph Sonta at Kingsland on May 4 last, was convicted of murder in the first degree. She will be sentenced later.

Reports from many counties in Nebraska indicate that the Hessian fly is busy and many wheat fields will be devastated by the pest. Some grain men estimate that the wheat will be damaged 20 per cent. in the central section of the state.

The world's conference of the Young Men's Christian associations, which is celebrating the semi-centennial of the establishment of the international alliance of the associations, was opened in Paris, France. Over 1,000 delegates representing 20 nations were present. At Saratoga, Tex., Sam, Watson has shot and killed Mrs. Stella Hambrey, a widow of whom he was jealous, and then fired a bullet into his own brain, deata resulting instantly.

With a hammer William Koabs, s tailor, beat his wife's skull in at Grundy Center, Ia., and then attempted suicide. The woman will die. The man was crazed with morphine.

Col. Willard Glazier, author, soldier and explorer, is dead at his home in Albany, N. Y., of heart disease. He was 64 years old. In 1876 he rode from Boston to San Francisco on horseback.

The lower house of the Michigan legislature passed unanimously the Bland anti-trust bill. It declares illegal all corporations which aim at the monopoly of any business, trade avocition or profession.

Near Burneyville, I. T., Ed F. Koger, a well-known planter and ex-confederate soldier, has been shot and killed by William Burgess, a negro.

While a section gang was at work removing a large bowlder from a cut on the East Lynn railroad near Wayne. W. Va., the walls of the cut slipped down, killing two men

The tax collector of San Francisco has disappeared and his total shortage is said to be about \$200,000.

Nearly 500 delegates of the Young Woman's Christian association opened their national convention in Detroit.

Germany has notified the United States that the present trade agreement will terminate March 1, 1906. Failure to enter into a new convention, it is declared. may provoke a tariff war.

A dramatic sensation in the trial of Nan Patterson at New York fell flat when a pawnbroker failed to identify her brother-in-law, J. Morgan Smith, as darge. Five of the dead are members of the purchaser of the pistol which killed oune.

LABOR LEADERS INDICTED WOULDN'T FILL THE BILL.

Had a Wart on His Trigger Finger and Was Not the Man for the Place.

When Senator Knox was attorney gen-eral a vacancy occurred in a judicial po-sition in the far west, and a famous Penn-sylvania congressman hastened to submit the claims of a constituent, relates the Philadelphia Record. "Td be glad to help you, if you have the right kind of a man,' said Knox. "What we want is a man who has no fear, and will do his duty. He must have nerve enough to defend himself, for he may be shot at even while he's on the bench, and he must hold the respect of his community by his ability to de-fend himself." "He's just that sort-just that kind of Chicago, May 1 .- The strike extended its tentacles Saturday, violence in more sounced form prevalled in the streets of the city, and employers and union men through their boards of strategy planned relentless campaigns, while civic officials and committees representing the general public made tentative moves

"he's just that sort-just that kind of a man," broke in the congressman, eager-ly. "He will fight the whole bar, if "And besides," continued Knox, "he

And besides, continued R.Box. Be must be able to stand daily temptations. Somebody is apt to offer him \$10,000 as he steps off the car, and \$20,000 before he has dinner. That's the kind of at-mosphere he will live in, and that's the sort of men he will meet; will your man fill the bill?"

"Now'l think of it," said the congress-man, rising abruptly, "he won't fill the bill-he's got a wart on his trigger finger, unless I'm mistaken.

Merely a Mutton Carver.

Furious Hubby-1 want you to under-stand that I am the head of this table. Fiery Wife-If the belief comforts you any, indulge in it. It makes little difference to me where you sit, so long as you do as 1 want you to do.-Cincinnati Tribune.

His Quest.

"What profession do you think your non will adopt?" "That ain't the question," answered Farmer Corntassel. "We're lookin' around for some business that kin be persuaded to adopt him."--Philadelphia Press.

A Great Discovery.

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The treasury reports that there is \$2,588,992,983 in circulation. Most of it is circulating so fast, however, that few can catch it.--Washington Post.

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I are bound to be more than pleased with nal results of the past season's harvests."-

Three great paramits have again shown wonderful re-

suits on the FREE Home-stead Lands of Western Canada this year.

gers and baggage to and from railroad stations, and took in hundreds of bundle boys in the department stores. Wholesale grocers, against some of whom the strike ban already has been put in operation have decided upon a lockout. From Washington came word that

President Roosevelt will take no part in a movement looking to arbitration. and that United States troops will be held in readiness to respond to any call that may come from Gov. Deneen.

LATEST PHASE OF THE STRIKE

IN CHICAGO.

Grand Jury Finds Bills for Conspiracy

Against Twelve Men-

Strike Spreads.

looking to the restoration of peace. About 1,000 recruits joined the ranks

of the striking drivers during Saturday,

but contemplated action by large busi-

ness interests promises to force two or

three times that number out of work.

The spread of the strike further affected

the coal business, penetrated to the

wholesale grocery houses, placed a par-

tial embargo on the transfer of passen-

Mayor Dunne issued a proclamation calling attention to the danger of going near wagons containing armed men in the present state of public excitement, and announcing vigorous measures for dealing with persons carrying concealed

weapons without authority of law. Twelve indictments against labor leaders in connection with the Montgomery Ward & Co. strike were returned by the Cook county grand jury in its final report to Judge McEwen Saturday. The men indicted include the international presi-

dent of the teamsters union, the president of the Chicago Federation of Labor and officials of practically all of the local unions of teamsters. Chicago, May 1 .- Fifty shots, one

of which hit and probably fatally

wounded Charles Lidinsky, were fired

by negro drivers and guards of six

John V. Farwell & Co. wagons at Mad-

ison and Franklin streets in the big-

gest shooting affray of the strike Sat-

urday. The negroes defended them-

selves against attack by drawing re-

volvers. Another man was hurt by a

VICTIMS OF TORNADO.

Terrific Windstorm in Laredo, Tex.,

and Vicinity-Twenty-One

Lives Lost.

Laredo, Tex., via Bermuda, Tex., May

1 .- Twenty-one persons were killed and

scores injured in Laredo and New La-

redo by a tornado which tore through

this vicinity late Friday night. Rumors

of others killed in places outside La-

redo are heard. The property damage is

one family, and were employed on the

brick in the same riot.

Jules Valentine, a negro, was hanged at Donaldsonville, La. In attempting to rob the home of W. C. Hazlip, Valentine aroused Mrs. Hazlip and knocked her deft eyeball from its socket, forcing its subsequent removal.

Attorneys for Nan Patterson decided to submit no defense on the contention that the state had failed to make out any case against the defendant. A motion to dismiss the indictment was denied.

H. C. Frick, chairman of the directors committee investigating the Equitable Life Assurance society, has written a letter to the policy holders assuring them that the interest of every policy holder is absolutely safe.

George Mahen, living in St. Paul. Minn., shot his wife, Hattle, three times through the heart, killing her instantly; and then shot himself fatally.

By an explosion in a mine near Dubols, Pa., 12 men were killed and one had both legs and arms broken.

Contest proceedings have been prepared by Judge John A. Talty, defeated republican candidate for mayor of St. Louis, against Mayor Rolla Wells,

Four more bears have been killed by the president's party. All the members participated in the hunt. Dr. Lambert killed the biggest of the four and the president killed two of the animals.

A buggy containing Wendell Whittaker and a negro named Lapham was struck by a switch engine in Cairo, Ill. Both were killed.

Gen. H. H. Wright, adjutant general of Iowa under Gov. F. M. Drake, died at his home in Centerville, Ia.

Germany regards notice as having been given America of the end of the tariff agreement.

Secretary Taft has recommended to Roosevelt that Minister Bowen be recalled from Venezuela to explain the Loomis affair.

Gen. Fitzhugh Lee died in Washington from apoplexy. He was stricken while on board a train.

Weekly trade reviews report some interference with retail business by strikes but favorable conditions aside from this feature.

Dr. Brown Ayres was formally inaugurated as president of the University of Tennessee, at Knoxville, Tenn. United States Senator James B. Frazler prealded

Two boys, aged about ten years, were drowned while floating in the St. Joseph river at South Bend, Ind.

The government crop report shows that the cool weather has given farmers a setback.

Secretary Taft has written a letter howing that government ownership of

ing a combined loss estimated at \$300 000.

Three negroes-Walter Obey, Charles Jackson and Charles Miles, were hanged at Pittsburg, Pa., for the murder of Ivan Kluzon, at Leetsdale, Pa., on May 8, 1904. Former Gov. Alvin Hawkins died at

his home in Huntington, Tenn., aged 83. In 1880 Mr. Hawkins, who was a republican, was elected governor, defeating John V. Wright, but two years later was defeated by the late Senator Bate.

A gift of \$10,000,000 by Andrew Carnegie, to provide annuities for college professors who are not able to continue in active service is announced by Frank A. Vanderlip, vice president of the National City bank of New York.

Winslow A. Nowell, aged 65 years, formerly postmaster of Milwaukee, Wis., is dead of Bright's disease, after an illness extending over several months.

The Illinois house concurred in the senate joint resolution petitioning the national congres to appropriate \$3,000,-000 for the erection of a Lincoln memorial monument at Washington. The British steamer Yuen-Wo has been totally destroyed by fire at Tungchou. China. It is feared that 150 Chinese lost their lives."

Postmaster General Cortelyou is waging a vigorous war on lottery schemes throughout the country.

Dr. D. K. Pearsons, Chicago philtuhropist, has distributed \$: 35,000 among five southern colleges, and rejected several hundred applications from all parts of the country.

The population of the District of Colimbia, according to a police census just completed, is 322,572. This is an increase of 43,854 over the federal census of 1900. Admiral Dewey expects a Russian victory in the coming naval battle because of the preponderating strength of the Russian battleships.

Mr. Loomis, former minister to Venemela, issues a denial of the truth of the charges affecting his integrity.

The New York board of trade committee reports that at the present rate of increase the city will have a population of 6,750,000 in 1925.

The navy seeks enlistment of 6,000 more men.

A petition in bankruptcy was filed in New York by Louis Brandt and John Brandt, trading as L. & J. Brandt, builders and architects. The liabilities are given as \$1,118,001 and assets, \$33,345. Joseph Morris, who had just celebrated his one hundred and first birthday, is dead at his home in Bedford, near Red Bank, N. J. On his one hundredth birthday Mr. Morris acted as best man at his grandson's wedding.

By a vote of 35 to 34 the Wisconsin as the Panama railroad may be utilized to the import of which is to prevent by rethe monopoly now enjoyed by monstrance the datablishme effic Mail Steamship company. loons in residence districts

A mob broke into the jail at Homer, La., and fired a score of bullets into the body of Richard Craighead, accused of killing his sister-in-law and little son. He probably will die.

Senators are inclined to favor restoring war taxes on beer and tobacco to prevent government deficit.

Adolph Pricken, a fugitive from Philadelphia, accused of embezzling \$11,000, was arrested in Chicago.

Mrs. Jane Maynard, of Salt Lake City, who had a habit of pretending to commit suicide to scare her children into obedience, took strychnine by mistake and died.

The Salvation Army's colony of 1,045 British emigrants for Canada sailed from Liverpool with the army's flag floating at the masthead.

The Illinois legislature after a lively debate passed a bill increasing the salary of members to \$2,000.

Confederate Memorial day was observed in many southern cities, business houses being closed and veterans marching in parades.

The new city directory for St. Louis shows a population for the city of 514,290. Oscar E. Lush, a young man 24 years old, of Kewanee, Ill., was instantly killed by the accidental discharge of a shotgun. The 13-months-old daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Mich Ballesh, of Kewanee, Ill., fell into a wash boiler full of water and was drowned.

Fire on the East side of New York destroyed property valued at \$200,000. A fireman fell from a ladder and was killed.

Edward Floyd, a negro, who shot and killed George Uhring, while in the act of robbing him one night last July, was hanged at Greensburg, Pa.

Aaron S. Vall, a prominent northern Indiana prohibitionist, who owns a large sawmill north of Laporte, was fatally wounded by a large buzz saw, which cut off six ribs, plowed through his right shoulder blade and ripped open his mag. Citizens of Nashville, Tenn., will aid in erecting the new building to replace the structure recently destroyed by fire at Vanderbilt university. Over \$33,000 already has been subscribed to this end. A severe wind and hall storm passed

over southwestern Oklahoma, causing floods in the lowlands and damaging crops more or less.

Secretary Woodruff, of the National Municipal league, says voters in cities are becoming independent.

Earnings of the American Can company for the fiscal year were \$707,000

The New York state superintendent of insurance said his investigation of the Equitable Life would be thorough. The Wisconsin senate suspended Bar-ney A. Eaton until January 1, 1906. Its ction is due to britery charges

ranch of George Woodman. They were crushed to death by the falling in of the heavy walls of the adobe house which they occupied. The other victims met their fate in a like manner." The damage wrought at the Laredo

seminary is severe. Not one of the group, of magnificent buildings is uninjured. The escape from death of the teachers in the institution is considered miraculous, as the walls of some of the buildings which they occupied were completely demolished. The entire town has suffered more or less from the storm.

The storm made its appearance from the southwest in the neighborhood of Lampasas, Mex., 72 miles from this city, and it is reported that great havoc was wrought in that locality. When the storm struck the city huts occupied by the poorer classes were the first to be leveled to the ground, but later the more substantially constructed buildings were unroofed and in many cases were demolished.

MINERS / ENTOMBED.

Explosion in an Oklahoma Coal Shaft

-Thirteen Are Thought to Be Dead.

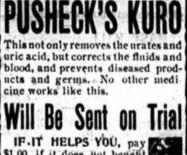
Wilburton, Okla., May 1 .-- Thirteen miners were entombed and probably killed by an explosion at 1:20 Sunday morning in the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Coal company's mine No. 19, four miles west of here. There is little prospect of their bodies being recovered for several days. The men went into the shaft at midnight. Foreman William Ray of the shift that left the mine at that hour, states that the mine was in good condition and a gas explosion was hardly probable.

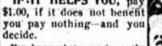
It is the universal opinion of experienced miners that all the men are dead. Foreman Steiner was killed at the bottom of the shaft. He had returned to the surface a few minutes before the explosion to look after Bud Cole, a negro belonging to the preceding shift, whose leg had been cut off by a trip. He had, according to the engineer, barely reached the bottom of the shaft when the explosion occurred.

Japs Defeated.

St. Petersburg, May 1.-Gen. Linevitch in a message to Emperor Nicholas says: "Two Russian forces on the night of April 29 simultaneously attacked the Japanese near the town of Tunghusiang, driving them from five consecutive po sitions and occupying Tunghusiang."

Lumber Mill Burned. Beaumont, Tex., May 1 .-- The plant of the Lemonville Lumber company, at Lemonville, Tex., 15 miles northeast of this city, was burned Sunday. Loss, \$60,000; partially insured.





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The light dawns. The night mourns, And the stars shiver. The moon pales. The loon walls Far down the river.

And strong in the might of perfect delight, Pearless and bold, with its wealth of gold, Stronger than sadness, Brighter than gladness, Mad with the madness Of victory won-bove night's gloom, above life's bloom, Higher and higher, like a passioned desire, To the highest height of earth's blinded sight, Rises the sun, And the battle is done.

Tet afar, unforgetting. Hid by the hill, Night awaits the day's setting, Revengeful and still, -Grace Denio Litchfield, in N. T. Independent.



WINTHROP says that Johnny must have believed, else he would never have done it, while I hold that he could not have believed, for the very same reason. What the rajah thought we have not learned, as neither of us ever spoke to him thereafter of that or of any other thing.

1 met Mr. Gunga Singh-"the rajah" by discourtesy-at Johnny's door that evening, and together we went upstairs.

"Hello, Hal!" Johnny called from the midst of a pile of bags, boxes and other impedimenta. "Good evening, rajah. 1 say, you know, it's awfully decent of you chaps to come."

"All packed?" I asked.

"Yes; that is, all 'cept this thing Kirkwood sent me, and I'm blessed if I know what to do with it. Seems to think there are Indians in New York." And Johnny held out for the rajah's inspection a serviceable looking revolver.

"I presume the so-called Indians of America are no longer to be feared," suggested Singh, conversationally, laying the revolver on the table. "Shall you be gone long, Mr. Melcklejohn?"

"I don't know, really," laughed Johnny, ruefully. "Winthrop says I've got to stay until I come back a bloated plutocrat. But he seems to forget what a -well, what a fearful duffer I am."

"Will you then not continue your studies?

"No," he answered, finally. "The vulgar truth is, Rajah, as Hal will tell you, an't afford it.

his elbow, he poured from it a few drops into an old china ash tray. "That is all it is," said he; "yet in our foolish east we believe that one may read the future in those drops—if one is worthy and will." "But how; but how?" Johnny persisted. "Just gaze fixedly upon the little pool

of black, and you will see what you will see.

"Johnny," cried I, now thoroughly indignant; "don't believe it. It's all nonense, I tell you. At best it's an illusion; you think of some person or place, and think you see them. What time does the train leave in the morning?"

"Ah, pardon me," said the Rajah, imperturbably; "but if one should see strange faces and places-what then, Mr. Halbeath? How would you account for that? Surely Mr. Melcklejohn could not think of what shall be happening three years hence."

"Johnny," I exclaimed, angrily, "you're a fool! And the Rajah's a bigger one. Hasn't he done harm enough already?"

"Ah, quite so," Singh said, very quiet-ly. "You think I am to blame for what happened. I forgot. I will go."

But Johnny would not think of that. "No, Rajah, you shan't do anything of the sort; at least, not yet. Hal, you oughtn't to have said that, you know. If the thing is nonsense, as you say, what's the sense of losing your hair over it? Anyhow, I'm going to try it. Heaven knows, my luck can't be any worse than it is now, and I'd like to think it's going to be better. Come ahead, you chaps, and I'll give you a peep into my future."

I feared to protest further lest they should think that I believed. and so, fool that I was, I sat there and allowed the thing to happen.

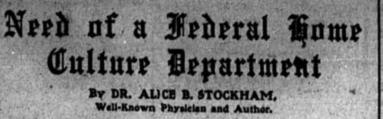
We drew up our chairs to the table and Johnny, leaning his head upon his hands. began to stare eagerly into the fateful ash tray before him.

"I don't see anything, Rajah," he said after a moment, looking up at me with a smile. "I don't see anything except a few bright spots floating about, and they're the reflection of the gas lights.'

"You may speak," Singh instructed, "but you must not permit your eyes to leave the ink-"

"Or you won't be hypnotized," I sneered. So sure did I feel that something frightful was about to happen that





HERE should be a new department established by this government. It should be known as the Home Culture department, and the business of the secretary should be to see that all women are trained in the duties of a wife and all men become acquainted with the duties of a husband. Then there would be no divorces and the race suicide question would be settled forever.

This department should be devoted to human culture. We now devote much time and much money to agriculture

and to animal culture. But this government devotes only words to human culture. What is the condition of many women who are about to become wives? They have absolutely no knowledge of the duties of wifehood. They know less about the state which they are to enter than the office boy does about the business firm for which he is working. And it is easier for them to enter the state of matrimony than it is for the office boy to get a job.

I submit that this is wrong. Women should be given best surroundings. They should be taught all about marriage. They should be taught how to make a home happy. They should be told of the responsibilities which they are assuming. They should be taught that a home atmosphere is indispensible and they should be taught how to obtain this atmosphere. They should be taught in all the arts of child culture. There should be children in this department, that child study may be had first hand.

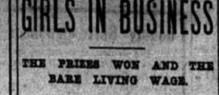
The women should be taught to understand men. And they should be taught the science of cooking and of taking care of a home.

And the same should be taught men. They should be compelled to learn what the duties of a husband are. No feature of home life should be missed in the education of a man. This education should not be left to the discretion of the men and women. It should be compulsory and should apply to the rich as well as to the poor. If the rich feel they should not like to study such questions with the masses, let them have their private schools. But do not overlook one fact, and that is that it would be necessary to have a competent man, a man with much experience, at the head of this new cabinet position.

If such a department were created and politics had no part in it race suicide and the divorce question would be settled forever. Men would know women and women would know men. Each would come to realize the kind of a partner he or she wanted and there would be no selections until the right life partner was found. And so would the divorce question be settled.

Then men and women would learn the obligations of the higher life. They would learn that to bear children is one of the high commands of life. But they would not bear so many that they could not properly provide for all. And so would the question of race suicide be settled.

Kindness as a Corrective Measure With Criminals



Likelihood of Budden Leaving to Marry Discounts Value of Girls' Labor in Business Positons-Physical Disadvantages Due to Corsets. High Heels, Etc.-Home Management Incomparably Superior to Any Business Position-Peculiar Temptations of Ill-Paid Shop Girls.

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One reason why the labor of young women is discounted in the market is that their tenure of a position is very uncertain. For example, in a wellknown township of New Jersey it has recently been stated that 16 of the teachers, all presumably young and attractive girls, are engaged to be married, and the school board must therefore look about to supply the vacancies thus created.

Nobody can fail to rejoice that mar riage is popular in the community, and

it is a sign of wholesome public morals and of growing prosperity, when young men woo young maidens, and new house holds are established. But the embarrassment and responsibility of school boards are doubled, when they must be always on the lookout for those who are to take the places of the marrying contingent.

Equally in other lines than the one al luded to, this liability to change on the part of young women is a factor in the bargain. A firm in New York congratulated itself on having in its employment a young woman of very marked ability, an ability that was almost genius, and of a trained technical knowledge surpassing that of most men in the niche she occupied, that of buying goods of a certain kind. In Europe or America this girl was valuable to them, and they raised her salary over and over. But one day she handed in her resignation. She was engaged to a man in Arizona, and he carried her off, as was perfectly right, the only shadow being that after the firm had given their late employe a beautiful wedding presend they found themselves compelled to fire two men to do what one woman had done.

Business ability is not confined to one sex. But a man is very apt to remain in a good place, and when married, he is not removed from the sphere of daily labor but has every added incentive to work hard and faithfully to support those dependent upon him.

. . Women complain, often bitterly, that there is unfair discrimination against them in the matter of remuneration. They work as many hours as men, and they do their work as well, they afstitutions is reformation and not punish-

support. He is rebuffed, snubbed, cked about more or less a rough men. He does not receive the atle consideration accorded to girls. And so he loses some of the surface refinement, or he never acquires the so-clety manner that a fastidious girl prizes. But he makes up for this by earning, if he have average qualities, good deal more than she can, and by advancing faster. If he possess solid and substantial characteristics, if he be steady, temperate and honorable, a girl can do far worse than trust herself to his love. In the association of marriage, a really refined wife will exercise over her husband an influence and power that will refine his manners and ennoble his nature.

A woman, to whom fortune has been kind, and who may, so to speak, choose among her admirers, is short-sighted, if she turn away from love, and decide on a business or professional career of her own. For the day of youth is fast speeding away, and later there will be lonesome days, when she will see her old friends happy in their homes, their sons and daughters beside them, their husbands true comrades on the road. and for her, there will be only fragments left, not life's full feast of joy.

Perhaps it is all for the best that things are as they are. Girls are obliged. by circumstances to compete in the eager strife of the early twentieth century. But the make-weights in the struggle are formidable, and one of them is the low rate at which much very hard work is estimated, the small weekly wage, the invasion in some shops and factories of fines and reductions that make it. smaller still

No one who is fair-minded can shut her eyes to the fact that the pitifully scanty remuneration occasionally offered in shops and factories, opens the door to peculiar temptations in some quarters. Half-educated, ill-trained and discouraged girls, away from home, and confronted by hard conditions, are the prey of designing and unscrupulous vampires, both men and women, who blight homsoever they touch.

Here is one inevitable and sorrowful result of the salary that is not, and is not meant to be, a living wage.

When we have said everything, we can but fall back on the old truth that honest love is the world's salvation. Though employers regret, and school boards tear their hair, it is a splendid and heartening sign of good times coming, that 16 engagements should be announced in one season, in a single small town.

FINE HOME-MADE SEAT.

This Piece of Furniture Can Be Made to Answer Double Purpose and Be Attractive in Appearance.

A very useful and ornamental seat for the fireplace or a cozy corner might be constructed from simple materials firm, and why should they be paid less as follows: Obtain any plain square than men in the same berths? Why, in. box of about 12-inch sides, a rough deal one would uo; turn it upside down, and place castors at each cor-The material chosen for its decoration should correspond with the chair coverings or curtains of the room in which it is destined to stand, or if that a not possible, then a material of a shade that will not look out of harmony with its surroundings should be selected. We will suppose that the

There followed an awkward silence, during which, I observed with anxiety, Singh turned something over in his mind. I fcared that he was considering how he could offer Johnny money. My fear was only too well founded, but I could never have guessed the manner of the offer. It was too Indian.

"Mr. Meicklejohn," he began, leaning with the tips of his fingers against the stable, in the fashion of an after dinner speaker, "Meicklejohn, I was deucedly grieved to hear that you had been plowed. I cannot comprehend how it came to be. You coached me, and passed. How could you yourself fail?

"However, be that as it may, I am blooming sorry. Now, you were of great assistance to me, and to make short a long story, I owe much to you. I would therefore desire you to accept from mea small token of my appreciation.

"This ring has some intrinsic worth. but its sentimental value is great. According to an ancient legend it brings its wearer good luck." And, drawing from his finger a ring set with a ruby of extraordinary size, he held it out to Johnny.

"But you know, Rajah." exclaimed the latter. "I can't take that. Why, it's worth a mint of money. I'm really awfully obliged, old chap, but I couldn't think of depriving you.'

"The stone!" scoffed Singh; "bah, that is nothing! It is for the charm I would bestow it.'

"Charms," I remarked, "are a bit out of date-in Edinburgh."

"Then you refuse, Mr. Melcklejohn ?" "I'm sorry, I'll have to," Johnny rcplied. "I'm afraid I don't believe in charms enough to forget the value of that stone, old chap."

"Ah, well," laughed Singh, replacing the ring upon his finger. "I suppose we are a silly, superstitious people. Very childish, I'm sure. Eh, Halbeath?" "Very," said I.

"You're not offended, Rajah, are you?" asked Johnny. "Heaven only knows I've use for all the luck I can get. I'm not funking, Hal, but I'd give £100, if I had It, to know what I'll be doing three years from now."

Sitting under your own fig tree with an heiress by your side, probably," I suggested. "But maybe the Rajah has some charm for telling the future." I fear that a showed my dislike of the Indian too plainly.

"I have, indeed-Singh smiled mirthlessly. "I have, but you will scoff as all but your wisest men do-a little trick you may know. It is the reading of the

"Never mind," I exclaimed. "We've had enough of that sort of thing for tonight.

"Aha!" laughed the Rajah; "I see you do belleve.

"But what is it?" demanded Johnny "Blamed nonsense, Johnny!" I de-ared vehemently. "Lat it alone!"

Again the Rajah smiled mirthlessly. aking a bottle of ink, which stood at

JOHNNY HAD "PROVED 1T.

I could have struck the Indian across his grinning mouth.

Johnny gazed again fixedly into the attle black pool.

"Hello!" he exclaimed, a minute later, "this is queer. "It's just like developing a negative. Here's something coming out. It's a-I say, it's a girl. And, Jove, she's a stunner, too, all right. Golden hair. J always did like golden hair, Hal. She's sitting before a fire, in a room, a dressing room, I should think. But who is she, Rajah? I never saw her before, you know. Gad, she's a beauty! Hello, here's something else coming out. It's a man. I can't see his face, but the lady seems to know him. Well, rather! Rajah, it's positively indecent to spy on their billing and cooing. Hello, what's the row now? He's-why, he's got her weeping. What the dickens! I've got it! It's her diamond necklace he's after. And she won't give it up. Good for her!

Oh, I say, you know, the blackguard!" Johnny rose from his chair, excitedly, his eys intent upon the ink before him. "Rajah!" he cried. "Rajah, this won't do! He's struck her; the beast's struck

her! There's blood! Gad! it was a knife! And he's going to escape!"

Johnny pulled at his collar and panted for breath, while beads of perspiration stood out on his forehead. "Wait! Wait!" he cried.

"Walt! I'll see his face when he turns! Oh, my God! It's-it's me!"

He dropped back into his chair and buried his face in his hands, while I sat there afraid to speak. Then before I had time to realize what he was doing he was standing again, with Kirkwood's revolver in his hand

"It's a lie!" he cried, flercely. "It's a lie, Rajah, and I'll prove it!"

There was a deafening report, and poor old Johnny had "proved it."-N. Y. Sun.

No Limit.

Smith college girls have been writing essays on "How Much Can a College Girl Live On?" The question, of course, has only an academic interest; as there is probably not a man in the world wealthy nough to spare the money to enable one of them to make the experiment .-- N. Y. Tribune.

Bombay's Population; The population of Bombay amounts to 760 persons per acre in certain areas, and in these sections the street area only occupies one-fourth of the whole. If the entire population massed in the structs for any purpose the density uld equal 3,040 persons per acre .-- N. Y. Herald.

Miss Braddon has all the manuscripts of her novels hound in red leather.

By JOHN L. WHITMAN.

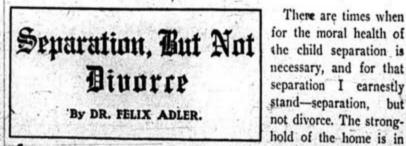
Jaller of Cook County (Ill.) Jall. strated at the Cook county jail, where less

than 15 per cent, of the men incarcerated are criminal from choice. The others are victims of evil environment rather than inherent viciousness, and consequently are easily influenced by appeals to their higher instincts.

Since the organization of the Moral Improvement society at the county jail, the membership of which is made up of inmates of the jail, the moral tone of the institution has been raised to a remarkable degree, the necessity for punishment for misbehavior has been eliminated and the lasting influence of the society for good upon its members has been demonstrated in numberless instances through records and statements of criminals released from the jail.

Crime is a disease and should be treated as such. The successful management and the betterment of the condition of the 5,000 men who are placed in the Cook county jail every year are to be attributed entirely to the policy pursued there of treating the prisoners as patients and using kindly and corrective measures as a remedy rather than punishing them. Results have more than justified this policy and have proved that the diagnosis and remedy applied are correct.

You cannot tell me that the several hundred inmates of a jail who can be trusted out of their cells to attend a meeting of their society in the chapel, with only eight or nine guards on duty in the whole building, and who will commit no act of violence or disorder, have not been benefited by the kindly treatment to which they have been subjected.



manency in marriage, and every divorce weakens that expectation.

What reasons are there why divorce should be permitted? Persons who are incompatible cannot fulfill either the higher or lower relations of marriage. Incompatibility often is only another name for stubborn, selfish egotism. In the best marriages concord is produced by each acquiring something of the other's way. Neither can influence the child without the help and influence of the other. It is not the object of marriage for either to have his or her own way, but each must change a little.

It is difficult for persons having different mental gaits to work together. Should they then seek divorce? No; I would suggest separation-separation voluntary and separation compulsory for a long or short period, but always with the idea of reunion.

Divorce should not be granted with the privilege of remarriage, for how can you remarry when the one to whom you are pledged still lives? If separation is resorted to, however, the trouble and mental vertigo passes away, and there is a chance to review and consider the past. An accident or the illness of the child may then bring the man and woman together again, for it is impossible for two persons to be interested in the same child without being drawn together by it.

deed? Candor obliges us to admit that ment of the criminal. this why is very squarely met by a little This has been demonif. If women, taking them as they come, | ner.

The key to the proper

There are times when

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not judging from the exceptions were as responsible, as steady, as certain to render smooth, equable and efficient service as men are, they would not long have so much for complaint.

Women cannot free themselves from limitations that are in a measure the hampering conditions of their physical

life. They cannot have, or at least they do not often have, the immunity from nerves and headaches and backaches that men enjoy.

Their dress is against them. The corset, that need not be an unhygienic part of dress, alas! too often squeezes in a girl's waist and diminishes her breathing capacity. A silly notion that high heels and pointed toes belong to an elegant feminine shoe, leads too many of our girls to endure agonizing tortures when standing for hours on their poor deformed feet. They sacrifice health and comfort to a false ideal; and in our stormy winters, a multitude of women workers are not warm enough, nor ade quately protected by useful wraps from

wild wind and frigid weather. Hence, their days off are taken into account. They cannot be treated precisely as men are.' Sex and Nature are against it, and theories go down before. natural law.

And it is in the order of Nature, too, that the sweetest girls, the most winning, the most capable, shall be sought in marriage. While there are thousands and tens of thousands to be fed the stress of the labor market will continue to force women into the ranks that toil. Strenuous commercial competition has forced young girls into factories and mills and offices and shops the wide world round. But not yet has it become general that the wages of a girl are as the wages of a man. When they are, it is because in a particular girl, a marked and peculiar faculty, facility of a high order, and a rare fidelity have been discovered.

Nevertheless, I, for one, rejoice when hear that in one small borough six oung women teachers are at the same time engaged to be married, and that in a larger one, 16 young men have courted as many girls and persuaded them to name the happy day. For home, and not business, is woman's true sphere.

Let nobody induce you, dear girl, to think that any work on earth can for an | who is brave or industrious enough instant compare in worth with the task of managing a home, or that any honor is so great as that of presiding at one's own hearth. Other issues dwindle in importance before this.

Our girls do not marry at so early an age as their mothers and their grand others did. They are not too easily pleased, and are sometimes repelled by suitors way would make them excellent husbands, because of some lack of polish or of veneer in the men.



A USEFUL SEAT.

room is furnished in gray green and white tapestry. Of this take a length about 14 inches wide, fold in a hem at the edge, and stitch invisibly, then arrange in stiff box-plaits, nailing firmly all round the top. Next choose a cushion about 21 inches square to project out some distance beyond the box, and cover with gray green glace silk, edging all round with silk cord to match. The cushion should be sewn to the tapestry here and thore invisibly with strong thread.

Materials required: One and oneeighth yard of glace silk 22 inches wide, one and three-fourths yard of tapestry 52 inches wide, two and onehalf yards of cord.

A Few Fashion Hints.

The girl with the small income has numerous opportunities this season of displaying her ingeauity. The fashionable modistes inrist on the pointed bodice, broad shoulders and full sleeves, but what is a poor girl to do under these deided changes? 'It is not so difficult if one stops to consider. For instance, the large "puff" at the top of the sleeve can always be added. and Fashion has decreed a combination of different materials on one gown. This fact is a boon to the girl to remodel her own garments.

To Soothe the Eyes.

If the eyes are strained and inflamed with sleeplessness or fine work apply to the lids soft linen wrung out in bolling water. Use this as hot as can be borne and relief will be felt in half an hour.

When the Feet Perspire. For perspiring feet dissolve an ounce of sulphate of sods in a pint of hot water and rub the feet over with this every A man leaves school early and is at night and morning. Dust a little boracie once obliged to begin the task of self-

FERNANDO-HIGHEST GRADE HAVANA CIGAR. SMOKE THE



tice of this company that in many instances where 16 candle power are being used, patrons paid for, 25 candle power are being used patrons having purchased the 25 candle power bulbs at local stores and put them into use without notifying or asking permission of the company. This is directly contrary to the

company's rules and as it endangers the property of the company by a possible overloading of the plant, which is at present operating to its fullest capacity the company insists that the practice be stopped, and that patrons using 25 candle power lights or larger, without permission change back to 16 candle power.

If anyone is found using the service contrary to the rules, the lights of his or her place will be the ceremony was performed by Rev. cut out entirely."

Memorial Day.

May 30 has been set apart in every northern state and in the west and northwest, either by custom or law, as the one when whom are married. Some of his chilflowers shall be strewn upon the graves of those who served their country. The day is approaching when the events of the great civil war struggle are most forcibly called to mind. In the remembrance of the soldier dead the men who fought in the Spanish-American war are not forgotten, neither those who fought in the war against Mexico. To all of its dead heroes the nation will, on Memorial Day, pay respectful tribute. When the day was first set apart the observance was confined almost wholly to the members of the Grand Army of the Republic and the women's societies auxiliary to it, and the graves decorated were those only of federal soldiers, but as the days have gone by and, the bitterness of the feeling immediately following the war has passed, the custom has gradually broadened until it has become national in its scope.

Carl Johnson is suffering from a Marais: It has come to the nobruise on the palm of his hand causes! by working with a cant-hook. The hand became so swollen that it was necessary to have it lanced. Edith Clairmont is working at the Leader. Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Frechette, of Escanaba, visited here Sunday. Henry Martin transacted business in Escanaba on Monday, Mr. Rice is drilling a well for Mrs. Geo. Deloughary at Eustis. Mr. Leclair has moved his family in to town. Crops are being put in by the farm ers in this section.

Miss Ellen Flynn is visiting with relatives at Appleton, Wis.

The Lutheran congregation expect to make some repairs to their church building. John Oberg, expects to leave with his

family on Monday for Moscow, Idaho. Miss Corinda Derouin and Mr. Albert Marenger, were married in the Bark River Catholic church Monday 'morning | naba last Friday.

Father Corcoran.

Joseph Auger, Jr., of Harris, can look back upon five generations of lineal descendants. He has attained the age of 97 years and is still as hale and hearty as any youngster of 60. He works as hard as ever and time and labor apparently have no ill effects upon him. He has 21 children, nearly all of dren have children that are married. Everything points to Mr. Auger living far beyond the century mark.

RAPID RIVER

Erwin Mathews, is down from Winters where he conducted camps this winter. Leonard Peifer, of Sturgeon Bay

shook hands with old friends here on Wednesday. The shingle mill is being put in shape for a several months run. It is expected that the mill will start about June 1.

Mike Schraw, returned from Sturgeon Bay on Thursday. A new well is being drilled near the

mill at Masonville.

canaba Thursday.

Mrs. J. E. Miller, made a trip to Es-

Atty, G. R. Empson transacted busines at Escanaba Thursday.

Tl dance given by the Astor club Friday night was a success in every way

Arthur Cassidy, of Enderlin, N. D. spent a few days here this week. H. B. Laing was an Escanaba caller Thursday.

> J. A. Stewart was the lucky business man at the Swedish Lutheran carnival Tuesda vevening. He won the gold watch for having received the most votes for being the most popular business man on the street. Mrs. James Eillott was an Escanaba

visitor Tuesday. Mrs. Ed. Regan returned from La-

crosse Monday. Mrs. Maud Labelle, of Philadelphia. is visiting with her parents here.

The Clerk's Union had a spread at the Green Block Friday evening. Bert McWilliams was an Escanaba

caller Friday evening. Charley Carlson made a trip to Esca-

Messrs. Carlson and Gallagher, of

Escanaba, were here Saturday. Fred Froberg, of Escanaba, is work

ing for P. J. Baker. Wm. Marshall has accepted a posi-

tion at Laings. The following young people attended

the Phi Alpha dancing party given in Escanaba on Friday evening of last week: The Misses Ethel Purcell, Rose Gordon, Minnie Inman, Grace" McDonough, Messrs P. J. Cannon, Theo. Praiss, Will Marble and Sidney Goldstein.

J. G ZANE JOINS FIRM

Buys Interest in Flemming Contract-

ing Company.

J. G. Zane, formerly city engineer, has purchased an interest in the Flemming Contracting company and will beconie manager of the concern. With

ming's partner, his interests were offered for sale and were purchased by

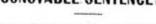
Presbyterian Church.

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Subject in the morning "Christ's Kingdom" and in the evening the subject will be "The Mission of Good Hu-

May 31. A special meeting of the board of su pervisors of Delta county, will be held at the county building in Escanaba on May 31. The official call for the meeting will be issued within a few days by County Clerk A. P. Smith, as a ma-DRS. KENNEDY & KERGAN jority of the members of the board have signed the petition asking that the K.K KAK KKK KAK KAK KAK meeting be held. CONSTABLE SENTENCED GROCERIES PROVISIONS



James Curran Must Serve Time for Assaulting John Britz

Board of Supervisors to Meet on

James Curran, constable of Maple Ridge township was sentenced to thirty days in jail by Judge Emil Glaser Wednesday morning in default of a fine of twenty-five dollars imposed because of assaulting John Britz of Lathrop. According to the story of Mr. Britz HALE AND GEORGIA. he was in the saloon of John Norman at Lathrop when Curran entered and

assaulted him without provocation. He said that Curran was angry because of some remarks he had made concerning the attempt of Curran to serve a warrant a few days before. the system.

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Circuit Court for the County of Delta, In Chancery. Florence Merrill Suit pending in the Cir-Complainant Scult Court for the County of Delta. In Chancery at the City of Escanaba ¥8. William Merrill Defendant. 127th day of February A. D. 1905.

In this cause it appearing from affidavit of file, that the defendant William Merrill is a nor resident of this state but resides in Catawba in the State of Wisconsin, On motion of C. D. Me Ewen, complainant's solicitor, it is ordered that the said defendant William Merrill, cause his appearance to be entered herein, within four months from the date of this order and in case of his appearance that he cause his answer to the complainant's bill of complaint and to b filed, and a copy thereof to be served on said complainant's solicitor, within twenty days after service on him of a copy of said bill and notice of this order; and that in default thereof, said bill be taken as confessed by suld non resident

defendant. And it further ordered, that within twenty days the said complainant cause a notice of this order to be published in the Iron Port a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said County, and that such publication be consaid County, and that such publication be con-tinued therein at least once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that she cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non resident defendant, at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for his appearance. J. W. STOXE:

Circuit Judge Q.D. MC EWEN,

Solicitor for Complainant.

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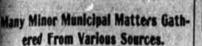
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the death of J. E. Sullivan, Mr. Flem-

Mr. Zane.



IVE CITY

ESCANABA AND VICINITY

The Iron Port Reporters' Weekly Grist of Information, Gathered in Their Daily Rounds of the City-General Notes.

Miss Maud Vassaw is visiting her ister Mrs. Frank Blake, at Powers. Mr. G. Vassaw, Sr. and daughter Miss Maggie visited at Peshtigo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. LeMay visited at Iron Mountain and Crystal Falls the fore part of the week. or it.

Large furnished rooms to rent at 518 Elmore street.

A valuable horse belonging to Richie Bros. died Tuesday as the result of breathing smoke during the fire which occurred Monday morning at their livery stable. The horse was one of the last to be taken from the burning building. Joseph Cinqmars has sold his interest in the Opera Buffet to C. W. Bowman. The firm will now be known as Bourgue & Bowman.

Dr. Roy H. Banks, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Banks, was graduated on house. Mr. Griffith is an artist, in fact Tuesday from the Chicago College of he is much more. Art in this connec-Dental Surgery.

nurse. Inquire of Mary B. Champ, P. O. Address Escanaba, Mich.

J. B. Wilkinson left Tuesday morning for Battle Creek to attend the annual state convention of the Order of Modern Woodmen. Mr. Wilkinson went as a delegate from the local lodge.

Lost-On the 25th of April, a gold, heart shaped pin of forget-me-not design. Finder return to Burns store and receive reward.

Miss Mary Buchanan, deputy county clerk, has been confined to her home by sickness this week.

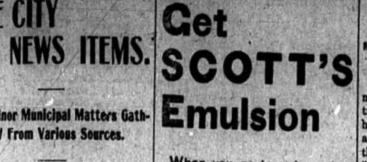
A marriage licence was issued Wednesday to Peter Nielson and Mary Peterson both of this city.

Gold crowns and bridge teeth \$5.00 each at Dr. Winn's.

tf.

Atty. A. H. Ryall, transacted business at Marquette Tuesday.

Miss Effie McGriffith who two months ago was forced by sickness to leave her position in the high school has returned to her work. Miss Agnes Fitzpatrick who took her place during her absence



When you go to a drug store ill, for the poisons which the kidneys and ask for Scott's Emulsion ought to have filtered out of the blood you know what you want; the are left in the system. man knows you ought to have more subject to kidney disease than a t. Don't be surprised, though, woman's work is never done her whole f you are offered something life is one continuous strain. But do not give way to fretting over ise. Wines, cordials, extracts, some imaginary female trouble. Give the kidneys the help they need, in Doan's to., of cod liver oil are plentiul but don't imagine you are Kidney Pills, and see how much better etting cod liver oil when you you will look and feel in a few days. For this kidney medicine will assist ke them. Every year for thirty. your kidneys to drive out of your body bars we've been increasing the poisons which make you feel deshe sales of Scott's Emulsion. pondent, irritable, nervous and languid, Vhy? Because it has always and which cause bearing down pains, backache, urinary disorders, dizziness, een better than any substitute

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John Griffith in "Macbeth."

We cheerfully call the attention of our readers to the eminent tragedian Mr. John Griffith who is to appear on in a permanent cure. I have had no re-Monday evening at Peterson's opera turn of my old trouble since taking Doan's Kidney Pills." tion would imply something that the WANTED- Position by experienced mediocre may acquire, something stud-Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, ied and practiced for effect and that sole agents for the United States.' Remember the name Doan's and take no which can reach no higher. John Grif-4 t. fith is a genius of the highest histrionic other.

order, and they are born, not made. His elocution is faultless, his gestures natural and perfect, his stage presence superb, and he possesses a most magnificent voice. In facial expression and general appearance he is even superior to the elder Booth.

ELEGTED JENSEN

Chosen as President Pro Tem. of the

Council.

Alderman Peter Jensen, was ehosen president pro tem of the common council on Tuesday evening. There were but two nominations. Alderman Jensen figures for May will make a new low and Alderman John Tolan. Mr. Tolan record. withdrew his name in favor of Mr. Jensen and the selection of Mr. Jensen was made unanimous.

TO AILING WOMEN. A Charming

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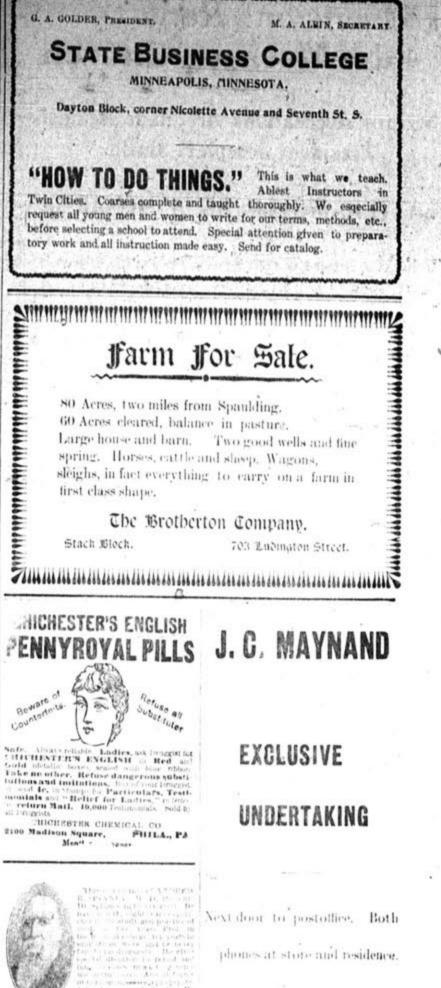
MAKING CHANGES

State Savings Bank Being Greatly Improved.

The State Savings Bank is being extensively improved. A new set of solid mahogany fixtures is being installed and a new glass front being put in, Other improvements are also under way.

Bessemer Students Won. Little Nelson and Ingrid Lugviel, representing the Bessemer high school, won first prize and places in oratory

and declamation respectively at the in-



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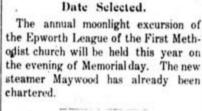
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the Epworth League of the First Methodist church will be held this year on the evening of Memorial day. The new steamer Maywood has already been

New Low Record.

According to the Iron Trade Review, there are only about 2,300,000 tons of iron ore on the Lake Erie docks. There were nearly three and a half million tons April 1. It is claimed that the

Gasman Re-elected. John Gasman, of Bark River, was reelected chairman of the county board terstate contest held at Ashland last of road commissioners at the annual Friday.



rreularg heart, etc.

Mrs. Joseph Perry, 330 Mary St., Es-

canaba, Mich., says: "I can recom-

mend Doan's Kidney Pills for they

cured me of backache after I had suf-

fered for a long time. There was a con-

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panied by a weakness and misery that

it is hard to describe. I saw Doan's

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If you have trouble with your eyes or with your glasses see G. H. Cook. A specialty made of difficult cases. Calls and examinations free. Office and residence 322 S. Campbell street. tf.

Rober M. Andrews, editor of the · · · · 1/2 day, a munp on d by due A divis, vo lare at for a few hours Thursday. They were on their way to the Soo.

Gus Johnson, section foreman on the E. & L. S. R'y. at Alfred, was in the city yesterday.

Rev. Samuel P. Todd, of Bay City, spoke Wednesday evening at the Presbyterian church in the interests of Alma college of Alma, Michigan. Mr. Todd is a graduate of that institution and is now soliciting students for that college throughout the state.

A full set of teeth for \$10.00 at Dr. Winn's.

Mr. J. S. Doherty who has been spending the winter in the South is exrected to return home today.

John Hancock, of Manistique was in the city Wednesday.

Local merchants are privileged to bid on furnishing stocks of provisions for the light house service on Lake Michigan according to advices received by Post Master M. J. Ryan, this week Bids must be in by May 19.

ASK FOR GRAVEL

Property Owners on Two Streets Want Change of Material.

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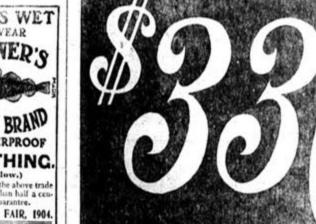
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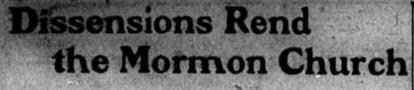
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Serious Accusations Are Made Against President Joseph F. Smith.

LATTER WOVLD BE A MONARCH

Charged That Leader Speculated with Church Funds to His Personal Benefit-Accusers Are Excommunicated.

Two Prominent Men Leading Fight to Dethrone Alleged Autocratic Ruler--His Crimes Against the Church, His Followers and the Nation.

Sait Lake City .- A monarchy within | who, while in congress, had more than a republic with Joseph F. Smith, presi- once strenuously opposed the seating of dent of the Mormon church, as the arch | Mormons in congress. He has since been ruler. Such is the condition at present appointed to the federal bench. At this in Utah, according to those who are time the Mormon church was practically waging war on the Mormon leader and | united. And although, as has been statwho are attempting to displace him ed, there had been some opposition manfrom his high seat.

has diverted the flow of tithes from the which the public were aware. coffers of the church to his own pockets; that he has commanded his followhis private purse, and that he has com- church were squarely defined. mitted other transgressions too numerous to mention.

And the authors of these accusations the temple, and until their excommunication for their disloyalty to their leader, ranked high in church affairs.

But firmly entrenched behind the walls of the tabernacle the alleged king is bid- his own private wealth. ding defiance to his enemies both within and without the state.

Origin of the Trouble.

United States senate may be said to be the beginning of the trouble. Before having absorbed it into the possessions the time arrived for the apostle of the of the crown;" with oppressing the poor

being forced into this attitude by its own

Discontent Grows

According to impartial observers, the discontent within the church is growing rapidly, and it is said this same discontent is manifesting itself in a way to hurt the president in the most sensitive place-the pocketbook. Already it is stated that the tithing is falling off heavily.

Thinking men among the Mormons mand that an accounting be made for the tithing. They object to giving up a tenth of their incomes as an "offering to

Reed Smoot, Joseph F. Smith declared under oath that he had never received a revelation. It is a cardinal principle of the Mormon faith that the head of the church is in constant receipt of communications direct from God. When he repudiated having received these mes-

self-styled representative of God on earth, are to be given credence.

sages the devout among the Mormons began to wonder if it were possible that are backing up Elder Smurthwaite's de- he could be all that he was supposed to be. Admits He Lied.

The mutterings became so general the Lord" when it is being demonstrated | and so insistent that the president of

THE MORMONS DELEVE SAITH RECEMENT REVELATIONS LIKE THE BIBLICAL PROPHETS

Utah should "mind its own business," When testifying in behalf of Senator and that the inhabitants of Utah must be forced to do the hierarchy's bidding or be crushed.

This position has aroused resentment on the part of the Gentiles, and especially those who have large invested capital and who feel that the development of the enormous material resources of the state is being handlcapped. They are determined to fight the matter out now, alded by the people

of the United States, with the intention of settling the issue once and for ever. Active Leaders in Fight.

> The active leaders in the fight typify the two elements which have joined hands. One is Thomas Kearns, a Gentile who retired from the United States senate March 4 last. The other is Frank J. Cannon, also a former member of the United States senate, a man who as a Mormon has always stood for independence of thought and of political and commercial action on the part of the members of the church.

ponents within the state. It has taken

the position that all the world outside

Opposed to these elements are the Mormons and Gentiles who are sharing with President Smith the profits of the church's present commercialism and activity in politics. The two present members of the United States senate from Utah are types. Reed Smoot, apostle and one of the financial advisers of Joseph F. Smith, was elected some time ago as the latter's political representative.

George Sutherland, a Gentile, owes his present advancement and the achievement of his ambition to his desertion of the cause of the Gentiles, to which he had made many protestations of adherence, and to his promise of political obedience to Smoot and all the interests that Smoot represents. Thus is the issue defined in Utah.

The fighting for the last few months has been made principally by Kearns and Cannon. Kearns, who is possessed of millions, has furnished the sinews of war. Cannon has been the man on the firing line.

By speech and writing this brilliant son of one of the ablest of Mormon leaders has "carried the war into Africa." He has kept the church leaders dodging and explaining, retreating and blundering, until he has stirred up within the church a commotion never before equaled. For this purpose he has an exceptional equipment. Ever since childhood he has been on the inside of the workings of the church.

Cannon's Large Following.

Canno has built up a large following among the younger and progressive Mormons, as well as among men and women outside his church. He opposed the selection of Reed Smoot, on the ground that it was wrong for the church to interfere in politics-that it would bring sorrow to the Mormon people and woe to Utah. Last fall he announced that he believed the issues within the state of supreme insportance to the residents of Utah, and he joined the newlyings to the Lord;" to buy their clothing. mouthplece. Apostle C. W. Penrose, has formed American party, which was orbeen shown by parallel statements made ganized to fight the Mormon church in

Indian Head, N. W. T., Jan. 20, 190 mmigration Branch, Department the Interior, Ottawa, Canada:

Am sending you the return of two fields of wheat grown on my ho farm last year. These returns are perfectly accurate, and not over estimated.

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Profit after allowing ex-

\$24.93 penses Field No. 2. Stubble field, 80 acres. Have sold the wheat at 88c per bushel.

Per Per acre. acre. \$22.00

Yield per acre 25 bushels ... Cost:

Seed wheat and seeding \$1.50 Cutting. stocking65 Threshing (owner's machine), Hauling to elevator, 2c per

\$3.15

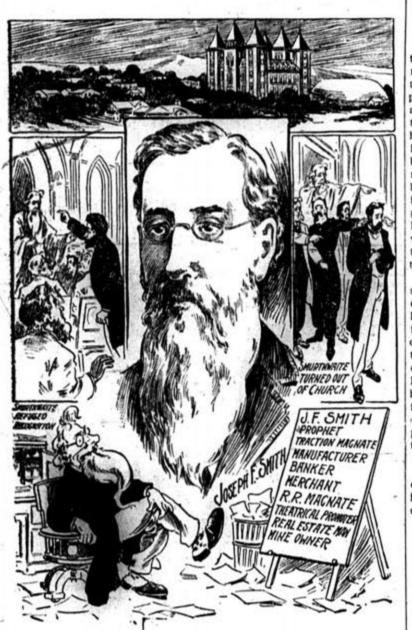
Profit after expenses \$18.85 Profit from one ploughing \$43.78 I am sending you the yield of these two fields which are both in my home farm. I thought they might be interesting reading for you. had 19,500 bushels of wheat on my different farms, and between 5,000 and 6,000 of oats and barley. I remain,

Yours very truly.

ALFRED WILSON. (Signed) Agents of the government will be pleased to give full information as to rates, etc.

OLD-WORLD ODDITIES.

Although roasted whole for 12 hours over coke fires, a bull-ck, cut up and distributed among 500 poor people at Sunderland, was found to be still uncooked. During the hearing of a case at Highgate police court it was stated that 13 persons were living free of rent in Sydney Road, Hornsey, because no landlord ever called to collect it.



ifested to the mixing of church and poli-Charges have been made that Smith tics, there had been no dissensions of It was not until recently that the trouble which had been brewing for some

ers to invest their money in enterprises | time became public property, and that under his control so that he may enrich the issue between the two factions in the

Serious Accusations.

As the case now stands, two men previously in good standing in the church are from within the sacred councils of have made serious accusations against Mr. Smith.

He has been charged with taking the money paid as an "offering to the Lord" and using it for speculations to build up

He has been charged with "taking the bodies of the daughters of his subjects and bestowing them upon his favor-The election of Reed Smoot to the ites;" of "taking property which belonged to the widow and orphan and

PRESIDENT SMITH IT IS ALLEGED FREQUENTLY TRIKES THE DAUGHTERS OF HIS FOLLOWERS AND BESTOMS. THEN UPON HIS FAVORITES.

and street railway monopolies; to force railroad, to deposit their money in the banks which he backs with the "offergroceries, hardware. furniture. shoes,

that Joseph F. Smith, as the alleged rep- ; the church felt constrained, on March resentative of the Lord, is using funds 19 last, to explain to the members of to speculate in sugar stocks, for exam- his flock that he had testified to an unple; to build up electric lighting, power truth in Washington, the reason for it being that the senators, whom he desigthe faithful to take out life insurance in | nated as his "inquisitors," were "trying his personally indorsed company and to to lead him into a trap." Instead of insure their homes in his company; to quieting the incipient rebellion against buy their salt from him; to patronize his | him, this admitted untruth has only increased the dissatisfaction.

On top of his admission his chief headwear, and, in fact, everything else under oath also to have been guilty of politics.

which they may desire, from institu- telling an untruth. Penrose, who is a Not long after the presidential polygamist, has made various conflict-ing statements under oath as to his some time and fort was made to ignore

SMITH'S HAME IT IS CLAIMED IS BRIGHTENED WITH THE PRESENCE OF THO WIVES.

posed the mixing of church with politics | for the "worship of mammon." and forecasted the opposition that would arise from his election, but Smith was

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favorable to Smoot's candidacy and, as is well known, he was easily elected. When the conimittee was appointed by the senate to investigate the charges of Mormonism preferred against the newly-clocted senator, many churchmen in high standing were called to Washington to testify, and among others was President Smith. The general trend of the testimony presented showed that although polygamous cohabitation had been abolished as a rule, those of the mormon faith were still ruled by the law of the church, rather than by the law of the land, or in other words, that the law of the church is supreme.

Smith a Confessed Perjurer.

It was only after the passage of the which was subscribed to by President miht and the apostles of the Mormon church. church, plural marriages and polygaus cohbaitation were forbidden. But tee on privileges and elections in the as a travesty; that his obligation as le and as hierarch of the church

Mormon church to take his seat among | members of the church for his own enthe country's law-makers, a popular richment; of violating the laws of the wall arose throughout the country that, church; of committing -rimes against be should be barred from that body. the government; of treasonable teach-There were those of the apostles that op- 1 ing, and of forsaking a true spiritual life

Accusers Excommunicated.

Goaded into anger by these attacks. President Smith has sought to retaliate by excommunicating persons who might question his acts.

Already former Senator Frank J. Cannon, son of President George Q. Cannon, one of the most celebrated leaders of the Mormon church, has been cut off for daring to express opinions in criticism of the Mormon head.

Charles A. Smurthwaite, one of the leading business men of Utah, a high priest in the church and a man whose character has been above reproach, has been disfellowihipped for charging President Smith with bad faith and demanding an accounting of the church funds.

He is fighting the proceedings against mund's law that Utah was admitted "him, maintaining that, if given an opinto the union as a state. Under this law. | portunity, he will prove every statement he has made against the president of the

Furthermore, he has put to a test the various asseverations of the church to on the stand before the senate commit- the effect that polygamy and polygamous cohabitation are no longer counteinvestigation, President Smith | nanced by filing charges against one of ifessed that the pact with the the elders of the church, Hyrum H. Godation had been broken; that his oath | dard, on the ground that this elder is violating the revelation against polygamy by living with two wives.

tions in which are invested, in his name, these "offerings to the Lord."

Rumors of fortunes made in stock speculations and in other ways by President Smith and others "on the inside" have made large numbers of the faithful more desirous than ever for an accounting of the moneys they have turned over in all confidence to the selfdesignated servants of the Almighty. Having made sacrifices in the divine interest, they are inclined to insist on figures which will show whether the dividends from these various enterprises are being used in the interest of the Lord.

Another Phase Discussed.

Another phase is being widely discussed, so much so that for the first time in the history of the church the president of that organzaton has felt con- feeling among both Mormons and Gen-

marital relations.

All these things are going on within the church, while from without come other attacks which are worrying the leaders. The war is going on in politics and finance, and in these fields of practical effort on the part of the Mormon hierarchy lie their most vulmerable points.

In the field of finance, it is alleged, an effort was made to execute a "grab" of a franchise for nearly a century for light and street railway privileges in Salt Lake City. The action aroused such opposition that the prime movers did not dare to carry out their original intentions. At the same time, although no election is imminent at present, the growth of



tabernacle.

These explanations have involved him in contradiction, and there is much wonderment among the adherents of his church whether the statements he made of Utah.

under oath when testifying before the senate committee on privileges and The bierarchy is seeking to evade the senate committee on privileges and hood, which was obtained by faise pre-senate committee on privileges and hood, which was obtained by faise pre-elections in Washington are to be be-tenses on the part of the Mormon lieved, or whether his public statements church, the hierarchy is bidding defi-ance to the nation at large and to its op-

strained to make explanations in the | tiles in Utah against the political activity of the church has been so great that the hierarchy is fearful of the next isbeen crystallized in the American party

Entrenched behind the wall of state-hood, which was obtained by false pre-

the church took cognizance of them by Ashlyn, who has decided that he cannot ordering the officials in Mr. Cannon's ecclesiastical ward to bring proceedings to cut him off from the church, which were successful.

While the Mormon church has always welcomed any attack made on its religion as a religion from the outside, this is the first time in its history that the attack has ben from within, and the hierarchy is frightened. Persecutions from outsiders have only served to make martyrs of the followers of the creed of Brigham Young and helped to solidify the people in a defensive attitude.

But now comes a war within the church, in which the members of the organization make accusations against those in authority, while the accusers maintain their adherence to the faith. Every move made by Smith and his followers thus far has only involved them further, and those who are lighting them welcome with glee the increasing feeling against them among the Mormons.

"COPPERED" THE PROPHET.

Weather Man So Often Wrong It Was a Sure Thing to Bet Against Him.

This is a story of a weather almanac prophet, who may be called Thompson, tells on himself, says the New York Press. While recently visiting a Jersey town he went into a store to buy a cigar. He made his purchase and was about to leave the store when the proprietor remarked:

"It's a pity you have no umbrella, for it's going to rain soon."

"I think you are wrong in your prediction," replied Thompson. "It looks like fine weather to me.'.'

"Well," said the cigar store man, "I'll et a dollar it will rain before noon."

"Very good, I'll call in again to-day and collect," said Thompson. After leaving the store he had gone only a few blocks when he was well drenched by a sudden shower. Thompson was struck. by the man's prediction, and being always intent on the interest of his almanac he went back to the store and was received by the proprietor with a broad brin.

"You see I was right after all."

"Yes," admitted Thompson. "Here's your dollar, and I'll give you another if sue. The anti-church sentiment has you tell me how you knew of this rain." "Why, the truth is I have an almanac alled Thompson's Almanac, and the fellow is such a notorious liar that whenever he predicts a fine day I always know it will be the exact opposite. I looked at the almanac early this morning and prepared for rain."

Afong the converts made in Lendon by Torrey and Alexander was a wellthe attacks, but fingily the president of known "musical entertainer." Quenton conscientiously continue in his profession.

How a Woman Made a Success of the Home Vegetable Garden.

Theory is the foundation, experience the finished structure. Garden books as a rule run to the theoretical side and it is up to each one of us to buy the seed and accumulate the experience, oftentimes a most expensive proposition, especially in the vegetable garden; hence when a book appears that is practical and written by an amateur who can and does raise each year all the vegetables for the home table, it is bound to receive a warm welcome.

"How to Make a Vegetable Garden," by Edith Loring Fullerton, is a new book just published by Doubleday, Page & Co., New York City, at \$2.00. It has over 350 pages and is profusely illustrated by half-tone reproductions of photographs taken especially for this book, which covers all phases of sardening-the breaking of the soil, fertilization, planting, growth, cultivation. and even the preparation for the table. each vegetable story covering the housewife's end of it by means of recipes for cooking and serving.

Every portion of the book is thorn oughly practical, being the story of personal experience from beginning to end. A very ingenious table is added, giving planting time, depth to plant, date of maturity and many most helpful hints.

Natural Inference.

"Yes, sir, she's ugly as sin and yet doesn't know 'it."

"Yes, I understand there were no other ladies at her boarding house."-N. O. Times-Democrat.

Against Rate Reduction.

Atlanta, Ga .- The recent proposition. of J. Pope Brown, chairman of the Georgia railroad commission, to reduce the passenger rate in Georgia from three to two cents per mile was protested against by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the Order of Railway Conductors, and unions of the blacksmiths, machinists and telegrapher, bollermakers, railway trainmen, carpenters and joiners, clerks and car men. These organizations employed an attorney especially to repu them, who urged that such a reduction would work against the prosperity of the state and lead to a re tion in the number of railroad em-ployee as well as of their wages. The Travelers' Protective association also protested that a reduction as p would result in few trains and

AS THE PARSON TOLD IT. Equib Sounded All Right When He Heard It, But He Got It

Twisted.

R. R. Robinson, of Elmira, N. Y., told the Kansas City Star the following story on a minister who is a friend of his: "Now, while this clergyman is not an Englishman, I believe he inclines that way, or at least his sense of humor does," waid Mr. Rohinson. "A few days ago a man at a hitle dinner propounded the following: "Why is a tin can tied to a dog's tail like death?" "The answer was: 'Because it is bound to neart.

"The answer was: 'Because it is bound to occur." "This made quite a hit with the rec-tor, and a few days later when he was invited out to dinner one evening a se-ries of comundrums were passed around. "The divine saw his chance, and he asked the same question: 'Why is a tin can tied to a dogs tail like desth?" "No one knew the answer, and the propounder immediately spoke up: 'Be-cause it is sure to happen." "An he looked disappointed when the equib didn't break a laugh."

Made Trouble.

Hade Trouble. Elder-Do you really think it's danger-ous to dye the hair? Kidder-It is, indeed. I knew a fel-low about your age who did it and the first thing he knew he was married to a widow with five children.-Philadelphia Press.

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Any person who is lied about in public may console himself by reflecting that he must be of some importance or peo-ple wouldn't take the thouble.-N. Y. Times.

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A VOICE FROM THE PULPIT.

Rev. Jacob D. Van Doren, of 57 Sixth street, Fond Du Lac, Wis., Presbyterian clergyman, says: "I had at-



BLAND'S DRASTIC MEASURE GOES THROUGH HOUSE.

Bill Nullifies and Defines as Illegal All Corporations Intended to Monopolize Trade-Contest

in the Senate.

[Special Correspondence.] Lansing, Mich., May 1.-Without a dissenting vote, the house last week assed the anti-trust bill, introduced by Mr. Bland, which defines as illegal all combinations or corporations intended to monopolize any branch of trade or business. Corporations already in existence as well as those yet to come are affected by the measure. One provision in the bill nullifies any agreement not to engage in any specified occupation. The bill is probably the most sweeping in its character of any like measure yet brought before either branch, and the assertion that its presence in the Michigan legislature was instigated by a socalled trust makes its passage even more remarkable. The tale that runs with the measure is that it was introduced by the "fish trust" for the purpose of terminating the ten-year contract which the corporation has effected with the small dealers and fishermen. The passage of the bill was so easy in the house that its sponsor already sees victory for his measure in the senate, but the fact that the upper house solons do not look upon the matter with such good grace as their brothers on the other side of the capitol has crept out, with the result that a fight is looked for in the senate. The house, it seems, has a habit of letting bills slide through, in order to save time and energy, and allowing the work of weeding out the good from the bad to devolve upon the senators, while the upper branch, alive to its responsibilities, is careful to pick every matter to pieces which comes up for consideration. There is but little doubt that the Bland bill is a drastic one, but as many declare, its clauses may block a great evil in Michigan, however, followers of legislative doings may rest assured that the senate will give the bill an ample overhauling before allowing it to go on record.

Baking Powder Bill Dead.

Indefinite postponement of Mr. Monroe's bill, providing that baking powder manufacturers be compelled by law to print on the labels of the cans the formulas by which the contents were manufactured, has killed the measure in committee. State Dairy and Food Commissioner Bird testified that he had examined every sample of baking powder made in the state and had found all absolutely pure. His testimony resulted in its death. Chairman Byrns, of the committee, voiced his suspicion that the bill was an endeavor on the part of certain legislators to extort money from there. The Detroit council has a legis-

anufacture of all agricultural implements and incidentally to drive out of ousiness a humber of Michigan conerns. Senator Mills, of Menominee, noved to strike out section three of the bill, which contained the essence of the measure. Senator Fyfe made a very warm, if not very politic defense of his measure, saying among other things: NOT A DISSENTING VOTE "I don't know how many agents of the International Harvester company there are around here buying highballs, but if you senators vote against this bill I shall not be responsible for your political future." . The bill was agreed to finally.

Still Legislation Drags.

And still the grind goes on. Week after week the legislators take up their duties Monday night after the over-Sunday vacation, and at the end of the week the same old tale-of adjournment so far off that neither the solons nor the great audience, consisting of the people of the state of Michigan, can see it-continues to be the leading feature of the session. The primary bill still remains as the great wall that must be surmounted before the legislators can think of permanently returning home to wife and little ones. Conservative members put the date at June 1 for adjournment, while others actually express the conviction that all work may be gotten out of the way by May 10. May 10 is a reasonable date for the legislators to adjourn, if certain concessions are granted. If the solons get right down to work, pass the primary measure in the senate and cast off all remaining bills or resolutions without delay their May tenth ambitions may be realized, but the chances of success for such a plan are slim indeed. The dawn of every day brings news bills and at present the total in the house amounts to nearly 750, while the senate can boast of less than one-half that number. bringing the grand total to over 1,000. Most of the measures are local in nature. and their absence would never beinoticed, should the committees decide to kill those relating to districts only. It costs the state treasury about \$1,000 a day to keep the solons busy doing nothing, and it is recorded that the most pleasurable occupation of the country members is fingering bills affecting Detroit. In fact, this most enjoyable habit has so impressed itself into the country members' routine that it is doubtful if the move for Detroit home rule will meet with success in their ranks.

Home Bule for Detroit.

Enthusiastic Detroit citizens are causing the Wayne delegation here all sorts of trouble by their peculiar ideas of legislation, and the fact that something must be done to stay the tide of bills, which the Detroiters take pleasure in framing and shipping to this city, has thoroughly impressed itself on the solons of both branches who hall from Wayne. In order that this bad feature of the session may be done away with, legislators from Wayne in order to protect themselves from the onslaught of measures propose to get a home rule bill through for Detroit, in order that all legislation for the metropolis may be done

MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

Helps School Fund.

Lansing .- During the first ten months of the present fiscal year the commissioner of insurance has covered into the state treasury taxes and fees aggrevating \$422,024.78. This is \$26,-40.77 more than for the entire fiscal year 1904, the increase being due to the increased volume of business transacted by the companies operating in Michigan. Of the aggregate receipts noted above, \$400,527.23 represents specific taxes and was turned into the primary school fund as required by the constitution, The balance, \$21,497.55, went into the general fund of the state.

Groom Shoots Five Men.

Lowell .-- Incensed at the demands of a charivari party for eigars and drink on his marriage day, Samuel Vandenbroeck warned them away by firing a revolver into the air. Instead of departing they resented interference in the sport and hurled verbal abuse at both Vandenbroeck and his young bride. Vandenbroeck secured a shotgun and fired into the crowd, wounding five men, three seriously.

Got Personal Damages.

Lansing .- In the circuit court Mrs. Eliza Gratton was awarded a judgment of \$3,000 for personal damages against F. G. Rounsville and others, who operate an electric lighting plant at Williamston. The plaintiff's horse was frightened by escaping steam from the lighting plant and ran away, throwing her out and injuring her severely. On a previous trial the jury disagreed.

Investors Lose Heavily.

Plainwell .- The announcement of the final sale of E. Bement's Sons plant at Lansing, conveying as it does the realization that \$1.304,700 worth of stock is wiped out by that action, means that Plainwell invesors will lose \$75,000, Most of the stock was held by some of the wealthiest capitalists of this village, but a few will be almost impoverished by the loss of their savings.

Sues for Damages.

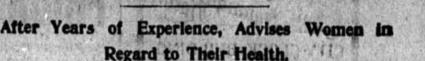
Adrian .- Suit for damages commenced by Mrs. May Post, of Hudson, as plaintiff, against Frank and John Dillon, Clifford and Alfred Barrett, Nellie Dillon and Corintha Rhead, claiming \$10,000 damages for participation in the recent tar and feathering affair. Four of the defendants were previously arrested on charges of rioting.

Pay Fines in Graft Case.

Grand Rapids .- Ex-Alderman Daniel E. Lozier and John McLachlin, both of whom had entered pleas of guilty to the charge of accepting a bribe during the Lake Michigan water deal scandal. were sentenced by Judge Newnham. Lozier was fined \$500 and McLachlin \$200. Both paid their fines.

News Briefly Stated.

Detroit .- Hurrying to catch the sulife of Charles Etienne, of Redford, period of 1905 was abnormal, for Febru-



TRAINED NURSE

Mrs. Martha Pohlman f 55 Chester Avenue, Newark, N. J., who is a graduate Nurse from the Blockley Training School, at Philadelphia, and for six years Chief Clinic Nurse at the Philadelphia Nurse at the Philadelphia Hospital, writes the letter printed below. She has the advantage of personal experience, besides her professional education, and what she has to say

may be absolutely relied upon. Many other women are

afflicted as she was. They can regain health in the same way. It is prudent to heed such advice from such a source.

Mrs, Pohlman writes: "I am firmly persuaded, after eight years of experience with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, that it is the safest and best melicine for any suffering woman to

"Immediately after my marriage I found that my bealth began to fail me. I became weak and pale, with se-came weak and pale, with se-vere bearing-down pain:, fear-ful backaches and frequent dizzy spells. The doctors pre-scribed for me, yet I did not improve. I would bloat after pathor and frequently house after eating and frequently become nunseated. I had an acrid discharge and ness, faintness, lassitude, excitability,

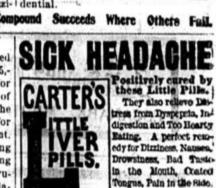
pains down through my limbs so I could hardly walk. It was as bad a case of female trouble as I have ever known. Lydia E. Finkham's Vegetable Compound, however, cured me within four months. Since that time I have had occasion to recommend it to a number of patients suffering from all that while it is considered unprofessional to rec-ommend a patent mcdicine, I can honestiy recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, for I have found that it cures and hopelessness, they should remembry ber there is one tried and true remedy. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable No other female medicine in the world has received such widespread is a grand medicine for sick women.

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One Month's Fire Losses. The March fire loss in the United States and Canada aggregated \$14,715,-000, being smaller than the loss for either of the preceding four months of 1905, but considerably larger than the March loss in 1904 of 1903. The loss for the first-quarter of 1905 is 60 per cent. smaller than for the corresponding burban car for Farmington cost the period of 1904, but the corresponding ary 1904 was the month of the confla





irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues

world has received such widespread Compound, for I have found that it cures and unqualified andorsement. No other female ills, where all other medicine fails. It medicine has such a record of cures of female troubles.

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sing powder manufacturers, for the purpose of having the measure killed.

Alleged "Bad" Bill Passes.

Another piece of what is declared by certain legislators to be "bad" legislaion was allowed to pass the house last week by a vote of 69 to 8. The measure in question is the Eichhorn bill, which gives electric rallways the same power of eminent domain in the condemnation measure to that committee is all nonof rights of way as steam railways. The sense." liveliest sort of a fight marked the route, it being pointed out that the measure was jeopardizing the rights of farmers. Mr. Lovell was the bitterest opponent of the measure. His remarks occasioned considerable comment. He counties.

said: "They came here with an Indiana lobby to rush through legislation, the object of which is to secure a right of way across a piece of land 30 rods wide. These people are simply aiding an Indianapolis railway combine to compel a Berrien county farmer to give up his land so that the proposed Niles-Benton Harbor line may have full swing. So far they have not paid anything for their tight-of-way, and when they struck a snag, they came up from Indiana to get the Michigan legislature to help them out."

Seely Bill Held Up.

Senator Seely's bill to tax sleeping ar companies is being held up through the opposition of the telephone concerns. The Seely bill would not only. make the sleeping car companies pay a respectable tax, but it would change the system of taxing the telephone companies, which now pay to the state three ents for each dollar of gross receipts. Senator Jones, chairman of the senate committee on general taxation, opposes the telephone feature of the bill, and that is why no report has been made upon it. .

Fyfe Measure Agreed To.

Hot shots were sent across the senate hamber when in committee of the whole that body took up Senator Fyfe's bill. intended to-knock out the contracts insisted upon by the International Harverster company, of Chicago, under which that Rockefeller concern is apparently seeking to monopolize the

Primary Law Far Off. [Special Correspondence.]

No action on the primary bill yet. This is the laconic bit of news which legslative correspondents are obliged to hand out regarding the status in the reform movement. And to intensify the situation, action was made more remote recently by the adoption of a resolution providing that the committee on elections prepare a digest on all primary veasures now before the senate. Some of the direct voting men fearing it was a

C. D. HILLMAN CO., SEATTLE, WASH, move for delay, fought the resolution,

of heart failure. lative committee, which makes life a

burden for the delegation, and with a view of ridding themselves of this body, support will be given to a home rule bill. As to the legislative committee of the council, Mr. Lord said: \$3,000. "I object to being put under the thumb of this committee. We are elected to legislate here and the idea of submitting every little two-by-four

Other Legislative Notes.

It looks very much as if the senate would refuse to pass any more bills prohibiting Sunday shooting in various

. The senate confirmed the appointment of N. A. Reynolds, of Coldwater, as a member of the board of control of the state unblic school.

Mr. Bland introduced a joint resolution empowering the governor to appoint a commission of 24 men to examine the state constitution and advise the next legislature as to amendment or revision, as it deems necessary.

The Lord bank bill has passed the house. It prohibits banking institutions from listing overdrafts of over 90 days' standing as assets, from giving certificates of deposit for borrowed money, from borrowing money for the purpose of : eloaning it and from giving collateral as security to depositors.

In honor of ex-Gov. Cyrus G. Luce. who died at his home in Coldwater March 18, memorial exercises were held by the house and senate in joint convention in representative hall.

The house passed the bill allowing the Detroit water board to lay pipes to the state fair grounds north of the city, at an estimated cost of \$11,000.

Senator Traver's bill empowering the city of Detroit to bond for \$150,000 for the construction of the Visgar street subway, passed the house and has received the governor's signature.

The house judiciary committee reported out the bill prohibiting the sale of goods in bulk by retailers, except on notification of their creditors. The bill is aimed at merchants who are in the habit of selling out their stocks of goods without notifying their creditors, which is now made compulsory.

ELLERY.

but were voted down. The result of the senate's action will doubtless delay definite action until well into May. To make the job still longer, Senator Sheldon introduced another primary bill. which provides for the direct election. of delegates to state conventions. So there are half a dozen primary bills now before the committee, the preparation of a "digest" means a long and laborious task.

Mason,-Tuesday, May 9, has been et as the day for the dedication of the new courthouse.

Kalamazoo .- Orcott post, G. A R., will erect a \$10,000 home in this city this summer.

Traverse City .- The mill of F. P. Kenaston, near Fife lake, burned. Loss,

Albion .- The Ladies', Library assoclation gave its books to the city for a free public library. The council appropriated \$300 for its maintenance.

Kalamazoo .- At one time worth \$60,-000, after having lived a romantic life among the miners of California and Cripple Creek, Joseph Creer died at the county poor farm, aged 27 years. He had been blind for 25 years. .

Muskegon.-The Muskegon County Bar association, with appropriate ceremeny, unveiled portraits in the circuit court room of former judges of the Muskegon-Oceana circuit: Littlejohn, Hopkins, Giddings, Brown, Dickerman, and the present incumbent, Judge Russell.

Jackson .- Charles E. Aldrich, city recorder of Jackson, disappeared and is accused of embezzling a loan association's funds. A young woman vanished the same day as the official.

Jackson.-At a special meeting of the stockholders of the American Condensed Milk company, Ltd., it was decided to liquidate and dissolve. The company's liabilities amount approximately to \$96,000, and the assets approximate \$85,000.

Adrian .- Mrs. Edna Logan. of Jerome, sued the Lake Shore for \$3,000. for injuries alleged to have been received in being thrown over an embankment by a train near Hillsdale last February.

Bay City .- An unknown man. 65 years of age, dropped dead in the Bethel Mission apartment house.

Kalamazoo .- Dr. Joseph Fill, aged \$3, one of the pioneers of Kalamazoo county, and who practiced medicine here for more than 40 years, is dead, after being confined to his bed for three months,

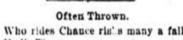
Bellevue.--Walter Wilson, a young electrician from England, attempted to board a moving train here and was dragged under the wheels, dying of his injuries.

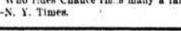
Ypsilanti.-Albert Davis, of this city. went to jail on a two days' sentence as a punishment for carelessness in not observing the law in regard to keeping his children in school.

Lansing .- The state board of health is urging the advisability of trying te secure a state sanatorium for consumptives. Dr. V. C. Vaughn, of Ann Arbor, was elected president of the board to succeed the late Frank Wells.

Adrian .-- Unable to recover some money she had hidden for years about the house, Mrs. Ruth Ayres, of Spring-field, lost considerable of her fortune in the burning of her home

gration at Baltimore. In the first quarter of 1903 the fire loss was \$39,164,800. This was \$17,519,700 less than the fire. loss for the first quarter of the present year.





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Few cases can be worse than Mr. Newman's for he had head, heart and stomach troubles combined with great weakness. He recently said 2

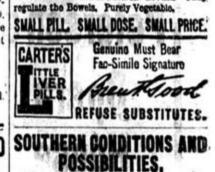
"The attack of grip which I had eight years ago left me in a very bad fix. I became nearly deaf and my head ached continually and was filled with hissing and roaring sounds. My heart fluttered and had regular ranning-away spells. My stomach was so sore that I could hardly bear a touch on that part of my body. I had a great deal of pain in the region of my liver and the doctor said that organ was enlarged. My kidneys ached so at times that I could hardly stand,"

"Didn't you give up and go to bed? ho was asked.

"No, I simply wouldn't. My head and my back ached dreadfally, but I obstinately dragged myself about, kept growing worse and finally ran down to almost nothing."

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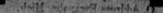
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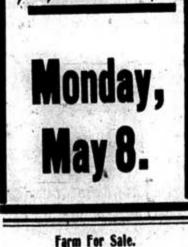
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Gladstone Couple Wed

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Noyes, which has been in commission at this port for several years was taken to Buffalo this week in tow of the steamer Argonant. The lighter will be rebuilt and probably placed in service at Buffalo. The tug Crawford will also be sent to Chicago to be rebuilt.

Ann Arbor Car Ferries.

Commencing Monday April 17th the Ann Arbor car ferries will operate between Frankfort and Menominee as follows; Leaving Frankfort Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 9:30 A. M. and arriving at Menominee at 5:30 P.M. Returning, leaving Menominee 11:30 P. M. arriving at Frankfort Tuesday. Thursday Saturday at 7:30 A. M.

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BAD FOR FISHERMEN

Season for Taking Brook Trout Opened Monday.

The season for taking brook trout pened Monday, but the weather conditions are very unfavorable for the fishermen, many of whom, however, did try their luck.

Big Timber Land Deal. The directors of the G. F. Sanborn Lumber company of Ashland have de-cided to buy all the lands of Bonnell-Phelps Lumber company of Grand Rap-ids, Mich., for a consideration approximating \$575,000. The tract, which is covered with hardwood timber, occupies 70,000 acres in northern Wisconsin and the upper peninsula. It was also decided to increase the capital stock of the company from \$500,000 to \$1,000,000, the added money to be invested in lands and improvements. and improver

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