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This morning, January 13, at nine

o'clock, died Mrs. Richard Mertz after

a long illness. The end has been expect-

ed and her children have been waiting

at her bedside. E. F. Mertz was here

the day before her death, but was com-

pelled to return to Milwaukee last even-

ing. He will come back to-night. Mrs.

Schubert has been here all the week.

Mrs. Forsyth is expected from New

York to-morrow. Mrs. Mertz was great-

ly esteemed by all Gladstone and her

tedious sickness, aggravated by her ad-

vanced age, has been watched anxiously

by all the community. Mr. Mertz lies

in a very serious condition and it is

feared that the shock of his wife's death

may produce the worst result. The

lateness of the hour prevents an extend-

ed sketch of the life of Mrs. Mertz, who

has been a resident of Gladstone since

Died, Friday, January 6 at 4 p. m.,

Mather and Manager Farrell of the

Cleveland-Cliffs Iron Co., each sent a

She was born in Belgium, in 1865.

Her maiden name was Rose Engalls.

She married Mr. Hannigan in 1882, and

Her eldest daughter Hazel, aged sev-

enteen, was taken sick with appendicitis

W. F. and Roy Hammel are in Apple-

ing. The bank was closed for the day

THE MANIFESTO.

The Law Enforcement Party's Mani-

good news to good law abiding citizens.

It will be an explosive in the camp of

movement are asked to get copies and

Had Suspicions.

met at the exposition in St. Louis not

"I understand that your new compo

"Well, it looks that way," replied

Sousa, "but in spite of that fact I am

conceited enough to imagine it really

possesses some elements of merit."-

long ago. Said Fanciulli:

sition is making a hit.'

New York Times.

Bandmasters Sousa and Fanciulli

distribute them.

### ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

The question of paving Delta avenue is again discussed. Ten years ago it was talked about, but it has never got into politics. One man who has interests on the street thinks that money to pave from Central to Sixth should be raised by city bonds and the lot owners be allowed to pay the cost in several installments-ten, he thinks not too many. But others are of a different mind. And then there are differences of opinion about material: wood, cement, asphalt and brick have each their partisans. A wooden pavement is the cheapest to lay, and would serve well for many years. The others cost more, but last longer. It is evident that something must be done soon: the old cedar blocks are about ready to resolve into their original atoms and they have been on duty more than sixteen years. The chairman of the street committee, who is a Delta avenue man, should have some ideas to contribute on this important topic, and will have the attention of all.

Little heed is given by the public to the distinction between printer and publisher. The publisher of The Delta is also its printer: but many publishers are not printers and vice versa. The man who prints stationery and other "jobwork" is not a publisher, but he who puts a recital of facts into type and prints and circulates it, is both printer and publisher. Under the Michigan law the man who contracts to do the for "city printing" does not mean city stationery but only the publication of those acts of the municipal officers which is on the same footing as other merchan- almost no snow in his division, east of and official. Thus there may be publishers who know there are too many of them.

Messrs. Gaufin and Reynolds feel infer. Mr. Gaufin thinks that there is an ideal soil and climate for watermelons shook. on the summit of the bluff, and if he See Shelley's Price Cutting Ad on 4th but \$73.75. could obtain 87 cents each for them, he page. main defect of the place whose name is thick or thin, without unrolling. left untranslated in the Revised Version. Mr. Gaufin is quite enthusiastic over his watermelon patch, but he thinks he will wait till next year before making the essay.

Repairs are under way at the Buckeye mills. There are several alterations to be made in the machinery of the old mill, and new sills will be put in. This is the first opportunity that has presented to make changes for some time as the mills generally run all winter. There are about fifty men now on the payroll besides the office force. There ing got out this winter. The lumber where. market is fair, although cooperage business is slack, as a result of the light Monday, and drove over to Indian Town wheat crop.

Commander James Thomas, while case. navigating into this port with a load of Lewin & Jacobs have a comfortable turn his craft loose as a derelict. He had. expected that the strong northwest wind might drive it into harbor, but was mis- for Chicago to stay an indefinite period. taken. The value of the cargo has been He will visit his uncle Sol for a while. charged up against him. All mariners He has recovered it.

Mr. Narracong explains that he desires has lived in Escanaba since 1864. to show there are no dark and direful mysteries behind.

Sixteen inch summer wood, full cord, the mumps. delivered to any part of the city, \$2.50. Call up C. W. Davis, phone 7.

Marion Fox returned Thursday from his homestead. He has three feet and a

half of snow on the place.

John Carlin and Richard Barry came town Tuesday. down from Marquette to attend the funeral of Mrs. Hannigan.

spring. He will lay the foundation of a hoped that they will stand pat. to build it all of his cement blocks. It interest in the meat business to his part. both sick in bed.

ing room. A number of Maccabees were ticket in the second ward. lasted until two o'clock.

"All that is the matter with the holidays, and most merchants are using stop American manufacturers shipping

The snow plow has been working valiantly this week, but so long as Boreas will be drifts across the walks.

Mrs. J. E. Sarber, of Iron River, spent the holidays with Mrs. Bailey and returned home Wednesday. She once resided here with Mrs. Bailey.

Mrs. B. Lynch, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. D. McCarthy during the holidays, returned Monday to her home

George Perry came into town from summer as a great deal of timber is be- spring, unless he secures a position else-

> Undersheriff Aronson was in town thing cost?" on Big Bay, to serve papers in a trespass

Phil Goldstein left Monday morning game preserve.

quality at Powell's Drug Store.

John Lewis returned Monday from the woods, as his family is down with

A party of young people from the first ward drove to Rapid River Sunday. W. B. Molloy, of Lathrop, was a business visitor in the city Thursday.

Ed. Sherbineau of Brampton was in

See those Knit top Petticoats at Shel-

W. A. FOSS, Cashier

W. L. MARBLE, President.

# Exchange Bank

INDIVIDUAL RESPONSIBILITY \$25,000.00.

Does a General Banking Business.

3 per cent. allowed on Savings Deposits.

Michigan. Gladstone,

Those who have noticed the peculiar It is reasonable to suppose that if the A chimney in the residence of Richard shed behind the house at Delta and country had wanted the Dingley law de- Mertz caught fire Monday morning Fourteenth street have wondered what stroyed the country would have voted about four o'clock. Otto Mertz, who the democratic ticket. The country had was sitting up with his parents, teleusing it to make cement blocks. He the opportunity. The democratic plat- phoned an alarm to central, who sent it has several piled in front now. The op- form declared the tariff to be "robbery." in to the fire department. In some eration, while not on as large a scale as Parker and the New York "World" de- manner the message was twisted, so the casting of the Minnewasca block, is clared the tariff to be the issue, and yet that the department set out for Mick's interesting. Bricks about 8x6x16 inches the republicans under the leadership of store, laying a hose line there. Mr. are moulded hollow, and set to dry. Speaker Joe Cannon, Secretary Shaw, Micks was up, and he and the firemen Unlike ordinary brick, they do not need Senator Fairbanks and Senator Dolliver, made the circuit of the building, but baking, as they are of cement. The hol- made a red hot defense of protection no sign of fire could be detected. Feelow construction gives a dead air space in and now after it is all over the mug- ing that they were the victims of a false the walls and economizes material. wumps are saying that the big republi- alarm, the department returned to the When they are dry, they are built into can majority was given with the under- engine house. Before they learned the the walls, like the smaller brick. They standing that the tariff should be reor- actual neighborhood of the trouble, the present a smooth and finished appear- ganized on lower lines. There are thirty chimney had burned out. There was a ance. Mr. Welch, who is a mason by more protectionists in the new congress rumor next morning that the trouble trade, came from Lower Michigan last than in the present one and it is to be was at Stewart's, but it was unfounded.

and music was furnished by the Glad- patience for the amiable and reliable bread. city printing is really the city publisher; stone Orchestra. After the installation, groudnhog, who will render his final The Houghton Mining Gazette reach-

circulates a book or newspaper, which all west and north of here. The west matters over until the next session. The may be printed by himself or another. bound freight has not begun to rush yet. board deadlocked, one half the members sel is either crazy or a natural brute. C. A. Clark has been feeling rather voting to purchase a new farm and one nothing of the art of printing-in fact, under the weather lately, but is getting half being against it. Finally the proover it. The excitement of being in- position to purchase a new farm was restalled as an officer of the Woodmen jected, and matters stand as they did terested in The Delta's watermelon of. and having his fire go out, together with before the supervisors met. The board The farmers of Powers and vicinity some other mishaps, gave him quite a borrowed \$5000 before adjourning, as are endeavoring to obtain a warehouse

would go into the business on a large Business is slack as usual during the larly obtuse individual. He proposes to and keep enough in the neighborhood. bluff is that it needs water." Without their spare time to take an inventory. their surpluses to foreign countries by combating this proposition, it may be One curious implement in use is the setting up his peculiar fiscal policy, mentioned that the same want is the slide rule for measuring a bolt of cloth, which would permit the foreigner to get ket were offered. Outside capital is rid of all his surpluses in the American said to be interested in the project. market.—San Francisco "Chronicle."

looking for the thieves.

Let an advertisement be ever so well written, ever so nicely displayed, and at the Hawarden Inn. Dr. Laing of ever so convincing in tone, and if it lack Rapid River read a paper on pneumonia. a price it is as sounding brass and tink. Dr. Thienhaus of Milwaukee gave a demling cymbals. The price need not be a onstration of the Lorenz method of will be considerable cutting done next the Soo last Thursday, and will stay till cut price or a bargain price, but whom. treating congenital dislocation of the house. The youth was vainly trying to soever takes the trouble to read the ad hip, illustrated by X-ray photographs.

game within two hundred miles of the ty to \$40 and to cut a hunter's complewood Monday, was shipwrecked on a looking thermometer. It has cheerfully hunter's residence or with a gun cost. drift off Chaison, and was compelled to registered 68 during the cold snap we ingless than \$200. That shows some folks' idea of the beneficence of a state supply of wood. C. W. Davis has birch

ed to meet at the Majestic Theater in \$3; 3 cords, \$4.50. A new line of Skirt Books and Hand the city of Grand Rapids on Tuesday, will take notice of the danger. Later. Bags, the latest and of the very best February 14, 1905, at 11 o'clock, p. m., day for Detroit, where Mr. Mason will \* to nominate candidates for justice of the attend the tugmen's convention. Mrs. The Albrecht Durer ornaments on the H. A. Barr has retired from the ser. supreme court and regents of the uni- Mason will visit her relatives in Ann poolroom windows are being removed. vice of the Northwestern railway. He versity. Delta county has eight dele- Arbor.

> Monday morning. He was in his seven- trouble is that he cannot keep it as free ty second year. Judge Brown was at of snow as he does his sidewalk. the head of the Menominee bar and Dr. Laing, of Rapid River, was in much esteemed in the peninsula. He town Tuesday night to attend the Mawas not only an able lawyer, but a deep sonic lodge, but could not stay as he was student of general literature.

> Toilet cases made of Stag throughout | Martin's team ran away Wednesday quality of goods considered at Powell's Wisconsin avenue. Drug Store.

last Saturday in the Buckeye addition. er The bird was evidently rather cold.

The Ladies of the M. E. church serve supper at the residence of Mrs. J. R. Weddell from 5 to 8 tonight (Friday). Price, fifteen cents.

John Thul has his hand bandaged as of illegal parentage. a result of a bottle breaking as he was pulling the cork.

The family of John Degroote, who spent a few days. died last week, are all sick with the

Japanese Goods of all kinds at Powells Drug Store.

The most unpleasant thing about the house this winter on the lot, and intends On Monday Andrew Erickson sold his fire is, that Mr and Mrs. Mertz were

will be very interesting to see the pro- ner, Chas. Anderson, who continues the The outlook for the iron trade in 1905 cess of building. The blocks are entirely business. Mr. Erickson is, for the pres- is very bright and it may be said that fireproof and it may be supposed that ent, out of business; but he expects to the same is true for the whole peninsuthe spaces will accomodate pipes or wires go west shortly to see what the country la; unless unforeseen accidents occur has to offer to an enterprising man. At business should be good in Gladstone The Knights and Ladies of the Mac- present he is enjoying life and paying this year. The mills will be operated, cabees installed their officers publicly in close attention to meal hours. He re- the market for lumber and other timber the opera house Wednesday night. The tains his real estate interests here and products being good; the furnace will center floor was cleared for the lodge The Delta ventures to guess that he may again be in operation and the general stations and every seat in the house was come back from the land of the setting healthy condition of business promises occupied, while there was hardly stand- sun and continue to vote the republican that the railroads and docks will be busy. It is not likely that there will be present from Rapid River. Deputies The open winter predictions of the another lake strike, but other accidents James Patterson from the great camp, muskrat and the goosebone, the tree may happen. Still, we are justified in and for round or medium sweep. Black morning, and was attended by a large and Susan Doane from the great hive moss and the planetary eccentricities. anticipating a prosperous year. The and white plaid was selected for the number of sorrowing friend. Psresident were present to take part in the cere- have not justified faith in things hoped last one was somewhat off color, and a monies. A drill was given by the ladies for but unseen; we must now wait in little fat will go well with our daily

the floors were cleared for a dance which decision two weeks from next Thurs- es a same conclusion thus: "We cannot day, February 2, otherwise known as agree with those enthusiasts of Russia Traffic east bound is rather heavy on Candlemas. The groundhog is a cun- or those friends of Russia who insist on the law requires to be so published. The the Soo, as much corn is going east. ning seer; his sayings are judicial. The claiming that General Stoessel is a hero. city's stationery, printed or unprinted, Roadmaster Crooks states that there is weather that he prophesies is standard In fact, to be perfectly plain, and forming an opinion from what information dise and has no connection with the Ensign. The snow storms which have The county board finished their work we have been able to obtain about the city printing. A publisher is he who tied up so many communications were Thursday, after holding the poor farm conditions in Port Arthur we are inclined to the belief that General Stoes-The Gazette is perfectly correct, and brutishness is the presiding genius of the Russian oligarchy.

Underwear at half price at Shelley's. the balance in the treasury Jan. 1 was and elevator for storage of farm products. The claim is that this would The American free trader is a singu- encourage the raising of larger crops, The Powers-Spalding Tribune is asking for estimates from farmers as to the of the same charming fashion. amount they would raise, if a cash mar-

The citizen who grumbles at shovel-Some clothes were stolen Wednesday off his walk might well take a look at continues his guerrilla tactics, there night from the line of Mrs. Berlen, a the Soo yards where shoveling is steadwasherwoman in the Buckeye. The ily going on over miles of track. Condepredators cut the lines and made off ductor Bailey regards scraping his sidewith some shirt waists. Blood was walk as an insignificant job, compared found on some garments that were with the drifts he has to clear out, dropped in the snow. Marshal Bjork is where the "snowbelt" intersects the R. R. & Northern.

The medical association met Thursday

is sure to ask first, "How much does this The spread of wolves in the upper peninsula has alarmed the county boards A down-county paper suggests that and is proposed to raise the bounty the objects of the game laws could be greatly. The Alger county board petisecured by making it unlawful to kill tioned the legislature to raise the bounment of deer down to one.

Now is the time to get your winter's and maple 16-inch wood at the following A republican state convention is call- prices delivered: 1 cord, \$1.75; 2 cords,

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Mason leave to-

John Fontanna has a private skating Hon. B. J. Brown died at Menominee rink before his house. The principal

called home by a patient.

very valuable made of the very best ma- night from before the postoffice, but the terial and at prices never so low before horses were caught by Paul Zimmel on

The prayer meetings in the churches A prominent citizen, who desires to last week were well attended every remain unnamed saw a robin redbreast night in spite of the unfavorable weath-

R. P. Mason went up the branch to Trenary on business last Saturday, and

returned the same evening. August Johnson was bound over to the circuit court Monday on the charge

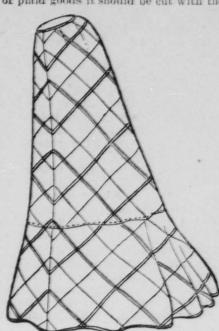
R. B. Bannerman returned Wednesday from Valley City, N. D., where he

A new line of copyright Books just Born, Wednesday, January 11, to Mr.

received at Powell's Drug Store. and Mrs. Harry Neff, a son.

### WOMAN AND FASHION Design For a Skirt.

This is an excellent design for a skirt for plaid as well as plain fabrics. It is circular in shape and may be of one or two piece construction. If made of plaid goods it should be cut with the



matched bias edges at center of front. Mrs. John Hannigan, of Kipling, in her Darts arranged in upper part give a fortieth year after a sickness of a few smooth fit over hips. Provision is made days. She had been in poor health for for inverted box plait or habit back years. The funeral was held Monday making, but several materials are suitable, such as serge, mohair, cheviot and broadcloth. The medium size requires five and three-quarter yards of forty- handsome wreath. four inch material.

### Cloth Costumes In Favor.

A great many navy blue cloth costen children were born, four of whom tumes are to be seen. Generally the survived her. revers and collar are in contrasting colors-red, blue and green velvet being the most worn. Beige and grav are much in favor, and there is a distinct and died Wednesday morning. The return to covert coating in public fa- sympathy of the entire community is exvor. Some smart women are wearing tended to the family thus doubly besack back coats in this material with reaved in so short a time. immense pearl buttons; others wear the same material made with the popular "skirt" basques. A remarkably pretty figure is required to stand this inno- ton attending the funeral of their sister, vation. Skirts are almost without ex- Mrs. Billstein, who died Tuesday. She ception made with two flounces very had been ill for some time and as she beslightly gored and bordered with rows came worse, W. F. Hammel went to terial stitched. White cloth is still Appleton early in the week and was much worn. Women seem to cling to there at the time of her death He came the memory of the successful "white" back here Thursday and with his brothsummer gown and have transferred er went back to Appleton in the eventheir fidelity only to a warmer edition

### Imitation Fur.

Among these new and most wonderful false skins, which are also employed for dress trimmings, coats and hats, festo is being drawn up and will be in the crushed velours, with the markings the hands of the printer in a few days. of baby lamb, are perhaps the most When completed it will be distributed seen. Many a smart evening coat is at Shelley's store. Watch for poster in constructed of this pseudo skin. Ermin- the window. It will be a message of ed rabbit skin turns out inexpensive scarfs and flat muffs, which velvet rosettes and applications further enhance, and there are others of a silky Politicians and Schemers. Those who plush so deliciously like chinchilla that are in favor of the Law-Enforcement the simulation is scarcely regretted.

John Barber of the Pittsburg Stock Exchange tells of a hustling young solicitor for a New York publishing sell a set of books to a Philadelphia bank cashier and at last got so excited he accused the cashier of being slower than molasses in January.

"You people here can't even eat

snails!" he said. "Why not?" asked the cashier. "You can't catch them!"-New York

An Added Horror. "That's a horrible idea De Riter has conceived."

"What's that?" "He's talking of setting some of Browning's poems to Wagner's music."

FOR SALE.

A two and one-half H. P. gasoline engine, suitable for a small boat. Cheap for cash. Delta office.

Have you seen those 10c Pictures at Powell's Drug Store.

# Greeting!

I wish to extend to the citizens of Gladstone and vicinity the season's greetings and wish all a happy and prosperous New Year.

### NEXT WEEK

I begin my third year in business in Gladstone and wish to state that for 1905 I have determined to use my best efforts to satisfy every customer. If your requirements are large I now have the facilities and am in shape to take care of them and to take care of them properly.

Whether large or small I will do all in my power to give good service and

### GOOD VALUE

To my many customers of 1903 and 1904 I wish to say a very hearty thank you.

H. J. KRUEGER,

Phone 260. CITY PLUMBER

Russian Admiral Gives out Interview After Seeing Czar.

### END WAR WITH JAPAN.

Nicholas Will Set to Work to Rebuild Navy and Renew Conflict at a Later Date.

Paris, Jan. 11.-The declaration was made by Vice Admiral Doubassoff, the Russian member of the international commission to inquire into the North sea incident, in an interview to the effect that an bonorable peace between Russia and Japan is likely to be made, is considered highly significant. Heretofore the members of the Russian embassy and all the other Russian officials here have reseated suggestions of peace as humiliating. There is reason to believe that these were expressive of personal views before hearing from St. Petersburg, whereas Admiral Doubassoff has just arrived from St. Petersburg after a lengthy audience with Emperor Nicholas, following

the fall of Port Arthur. The admiral, who is chief of naval con-struction, says he submitted to the Emperor last Thursday a plan to complete the rehabilitation of the navy. The outlines of this plan were cabled to the Associated Press Saturday. Doubassoff says the Emperor gave it most favorable consideration and said it would be submitted

to the council of ministers.
"I am convinced," said Admiral Doubassoff, "of the immediate necessity for the reconstruction of our fleet at all the

### Port Arthur Credit Is Not Due to Stoessel.

London, Jan. 11.-The Daily Tele graph's Port Arthur correspondent says, according to stories by prisoners, the real defender of the fortress was Maj. Gen. Kondratenko, commander of the Seventh East Siberian Rifle brigade, who was killed December 15. Had he lived it is believed the fortress would not have been surrendered. Gen. Stoessel, the correspondent adds, was inclined to surrender as early as last August. surrender as early as last August. ······

Russian and foreign shipyards for the purpose of securing strength sufficient to command supremacy at sea. This is absolutely indispensable if we are to expect victory from the next war with Japan. The remnant of our fleet is hardly more than debris and entirely unequal to Ja-

pan's naval strength."

The admira! further said it was necescary to recognize these conditions, how-ever painful they might be to national

"Therefore," he added, "I do not hesitate to say that we tend toward not far off peace. We will leave the Japanese Port Arthur and the territory they now occupy in Manchuria. We will set

we shall be amply prepared."
Admiral Doubassoff says twenty months would be required to build an distribution of the first says that of railroad freight rates.

### Rojestvensky Won't Return.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 11.-The admiralty has not given the slightest confirma-tion of the report of the recall of Vice tion of the report of the recall of vice Admiral Rojestvensky's squadron. On the contrary the officials point calmly to the preparations being made to reinforce the squadron with a division of the Third of the Republican leaders, in Congress, as he regarded the tariff matter as one which the chosen representatives of the that Rojestvensky will not return to European waters. The Russian ice-breaker Ermack at Libau has been ordered to keep the channel clear for the ships which are being made ready for

Under the French regulations it is maintained that Rojestvensky's shipa could cruise in the Indian ocean coaling and provisioning from their own store

### Kuropatkin May Attack.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 11.—News of renewed fighting on the Sha river is expected any day. The weather suddenly has become almost phenomenally warm, can blink the street of enabling troops to dispense with overcoats in the daytime. It is stated that the Russians have strengthened their right flank with 18,000 men. Gen. Kuropat kin is said to be continually pressing the government to put more energy in for-warding reinforcements and supplies.

Deadly Game of Hide and Seek. Port Louis, Island of Mauritius, Jan.
11.—It is rumored here that a Japanese squadron is at Diego Garcia, Chagos talked with the President today about

The aid de camp of the Russian admiral, in an interview at Tamatave, capital of the island of Madagascar, was quoted as saying that the Russian squadron would require a month to cross the Minnesota Legislature to Appoint Com-Indian oceau.

Explosion Kills Twenty Japs. plosion of a contact mine near one of the

### forts Sunday morning. MRS. AMALIA WECKES DEAD.

Oldest German Actress Passes Away at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 11.-[Special.]-Mrs. Amalia Weckes, aged 82, the oldest German actress in the world, who has many friends in Milwankee, was has many friends in Milwaukee, was buried here this afternoou from the home of her daughter. She began her career at the age of 16 at Triest. For ten years she was star at the Royal theater, Dessau. In 1889 she celebrated her golden jubilee as an actress, at Bres-lau. She retired from the stage at the German theater here in 1903.

### THINKS OF WIFE, CAUSES WRECK.

Why He Forgot Order to Stop Train. Shamokin, Pa., Jan. 11.-Harry Durkellserger, telegraph operator at Weigh Scales, near which place a fatai train wreck occurred, said that he was thinking of his invalid wife and forgot an orto hold the southbound Pennsylvania railroad passenger train until an unattached northbound locomotive arrived there. The wreck caused the death of two persons and the injury of a number New York Hospital Harbors West Su-

### GOES FROM PRISON TO FARM.

William Hinshaw, Paroled by Indiana Governor, Returns Home.

Michigan City, Ind., Jan. 11.-William E. Hinshaw, paroled by the governor after serving ten years of a life sentence on the charge of having murdered his wife, left the prison yesterday, and went to the home of his aged mother near Wis.," addressed to "Edward M. Tait, G. P. O., N. Y. City." The following morning he acknowledged to an attendate that he interpretated to live with his mother on the farm as long as she lived and would engage actively in farming.

| Cothes postmarked "West Superior, Wis.," addressed to "Edward M. Tait, G. P. O., N. Y. City." The following morning he acknowledged to an attendant that he came from West Superior. He claimed to have been drugged and robbed of a large sum.

### SAYS PEACE IS NEAR, SAILORS ON SINKING SHIP GO ON STRIKE.

DEMAND MORE PAY BEFORE THEY WILL DO ANYTHING TO SAVE VESSEL.

### Novel Phase of Labor Question Brought to Light in Investigation of Marine Disaster.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 11.-A strike of sailors when the vessel on which they were employed was in imminent danger of destruction, was a novel phase of the labor question brought to light during the though she was about to go to pieces, Capt. John W. Carlson, master of the Lakame, ordered the crew to jettison some of the remaining deckload in order to right the vessel. To his astonishment eigners and there was not an American

### READY TO CALL EXTRA CONGRESS.

Unless Freight Rate Bill Is Passed President Will Order Extraordinary Session.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 11.-President Roosevelt continued today his conferences with members of Congress on the subject of tariff revision and of legislation providing for an increase of the powers of the interstate commerce commission statement, which stands out almost with the pre-emineuce of an official an-nouncement, is that, unless Congress at the present session should enact legislation looking to a regulation of railroad freight rates, an extraordinary session of the Fifty-ninth Congress will be called by the President to deal with that prob-

### The Paramount Issue.

It can be said that the President regards the interstate commerce question as the paramount issue now before the American people. At the conference last Saturday he informed those whom he had summoned into consultation that, in his judgment, the question of railroad freight rates was far more important than that of the tariff and that, while he desired a readjustment of the existing customs duties, he would not permit any radical differences in the Republican party on that question. He said definitely that he would call an extraordinary session of Congress to consider interstate commerce legislation, unless definite action were taken by gress on the subject at the present ses now occupy in Manchuria. We will set ourselves resolutely at work to prepare a powerful invincible navy as this peace will be but temporary, and the next time we shall be amply prepared."

gress on the subject at the present session. At that session, he hoped, tariff revision, to the extent he had indicated, might be accomplished; but, he made it perfectly clear that, in his mind, the

> Tariff Can Wait. In a talk today with Speaker Cannon who is recognized as being opposed at this time to any revision of the tariff, the President reiterated his statement made at Saturday's conference, that, American people should determine.

which the chosen representatives of the indicated, in so many words, that while fifty years hence practically nobody would be able to say whether tariff du ties on any given articles at this time were 50 per cent. ad valorem on 5 per cent. ad valorem, and nobody would care anything about what the duties were, the interstate commerce question in-volved a principle dear to every right-thinking and right-minded American, precisely as the whole matter of dealing

### Can Be Easily Solved.

The President corroborated today the statement attributed to him that the tarcy, which would be solved without fric-tion between him and the Congress. Any serious differences, he is known to have said, between him and the Congress on

islands.

The Russian admiral was informed on January 2 that Japanese warships were proceeding to meet the Russian squadron of the left the white house he said he had no doubt that an extraordinary session of the next Coagress would be called to and the vigilance of the latter was re- consider railroad rate legislation, unless something of a practical nature should be accomplished at the present session.

### TO INVESTIGATE RATES.

### mission to Look Into Discriminations.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 11.- The joint Port Arthur, Jan. 11.—Twenty Japanese were killed as a result of the exhaut in the state Senate yesterday, calling for the appointment of a special joint ommittee to investigate the alleged railroad rate discrimination, was passed by both houses today. A joint resolution of-fered by Senator Wood also passed both houses, commending the efforts of President Roosevelt and others to control by law the great transportation companie and other powerful moneyed interests.

### COAL STRIKE SPREADS.

Thirty-five Thousand Miners in Germany Have Gone Out and Others Will Follow Example.

Cologne, Germany, Jan. 11.—The strike of coal miners has spread. Part or all of the diggers in seventeen additional Pennsylvania Telegraph Operator Tells The number idle is about 35,000, or onemines did not go to work this morning. eighth of the total. Divisions exist among the miners, minorities disapprov-ing of a strike and refusing to quit work so that the proprietors of some striking mines continue to work them on

perior Resident Who Had Been Drugged-His Money Gone.

condition and unable to give his name or residence. An envelope was found in his clothes postmarked "West Superior, Wis.," addressed to "Edward M. Tait, morning he acknowledged to following ant that the least residence of the residence of the superior, which is the residence of the residence of the superior, with the residence of the residence of the superior, with the residence of the residence of the superior, was killed and superior, was killed and superior of the superi New York, Jan. 11.-[Special.]-A well

# AN EXPLOSION AT SEA.

Only Seven of Crew of Eighteen of Ill Fated Vessel Saved.

### NAPHTHA GAS IGNITED.

Norwegian Ship Marpesia Was Wrecked on Christmas Day-Rescuing Ship Was Near at Hand.

New York, Jan. 10 .- Seven survivors of investigation into the disaster of the in the death of eleven of her crew, ar- of the expense account of J. G. Swayne. steamer Lakame. When it appeared as rived here today on the steamer Trinidad from Bermuda.

### Rescued by Gallia.

They had been rescued by the Danish steamer Gallia, which happened by just as the Marpesia was blown up, and the seven men who survived the shock were from the sea, where they sought the only refuge that remained to them after the explosion. They were landed at Bermuda by the Gallia, which was bound from Hamburg for Savanna.

### Had Cargo of Naphtha. The Marpesia sailed from New York for France December 9 with a cargo of naphtha and had been out only a day or two when her troubles began. Gale after gale succeeded each other, but all weathered successfully until December 17 when the ship was knocked about mercilessly. Her ventilators were carried and her hold began to fill. Soon the cases of naphtha began to slam back and forth with every movement of the vessel. They gave way under the strain and in a lit-

### tle while the freed naphtha was floating around on top of the water. Spark Ignites Gas.

and by Christmas day, the Marpesia was a loaded bomb needing only a spark to blow the whole structure to atoms. How the spark reached the hold never will be known, but suddenly there came a terrific report, the forward deck shot up into the air with a crash and a roar and in a moment the entire ship was wrapped

### Dive Into the Sea.

Those of the eighteen men on board who had not been caught in the first burst, threw themselves into the sea. These would have followed their companions in death had not the Gallia near coming down quickly to their aid.

### REV. W. E. HINSHAW GIVEN HIS LIBERTY.

Indiana Minister, Convicted Ten Years Ago of Murdering His Wife, Is Released.

Hinshaw, at Belleville, Ind., ten years the inevitable conflict." ago last night. Since his conviction Rev. Hinshaw has been confined in the Michi-

gan City prison.

Gov. Durbin took the position that the state in the prosecution of the case had failed utterly to establish a motive for the crime. The case yesterday, the governor said, is as full of mystery as it was ten years ago, and all the intervening According to the governor, the history of the case is sufficient reason for the release of the prisoner.

Hinshaw was accused attracted attentiou all over the country. Hinshaw was pastor of a church in the village. Late one night Mrs. Hinshaw was found dying on the doorstep of the home and Hinshaw was found in the yard, suffering from the doorse possible breast. The lowed spread into her eves and physically across his breast. The lowed spread into her eves and physically across his breast. wounds across his breast. woman had been shot through the head.

Hinshaw was convicted on circumstantial evidence. A motive for the deed was found by gossipers, who said he wanted to marry another woman, but no testimony to that effect was offered at the Hinshaw said his wounds were made by a robber with whom he strug-gled. The jury accepted the theory that he bad made the gashes in manufacturing evidence to support the theory of rob-bery. In November, 1895, ten months after the murder, Hinshaw was sentenced to life imprisonment.

### SEEK FOR PARDON FOR RACINE BOY.

Influences Being Brought to Bear to Secure Release of Joseph Mallory from Indiana Prison.

Laporte, Ind., Jan. 10.-Strong influences are being brought to bear to secure the pardon of Joseph Mallory, a Rading (Wish) her husband's tragic end. Divorce litigation was threatened, but never startcine (Wis.) boy, who is serving a life sentence in the Indiana prison for the murder of John Koonsman, a South Bend seandal. groceryman. Several bankers at South Bend are moving to secure the liberty of Mallory, who is a member of an excellent Racine family.

Mallory is said to have assisted in an attempt to rob the Koonsman store. Koonsman offered resistance and was shot and killed. It has always been a matter of doubt as to who fired the fatal

### TOOK SILVER FOR LEAD. Three Teamsters Confess Theft of \$24,800

in Bullion-Sold It for One Cent a Pound.

East St. Louis, Ill., Jan. 10.—The arrest and confessions of William Burroughs, George Rodgers and William Majors, teamsters, have cleared up the mystery of the robbery of a bonded car, of \$24,800 worth of silver bullion consigned to the United States mint at Philadelphia

Part of the bullion was recovered the day after the theft. The remainder is supposed to have been sold to a lead foundry for 1 cent a pound. Felber-baum, a junk dealer, has been arrested charged with receiving stolen property. He claims he thought it was lead.

### STUDENT DIES IN WRECK.

#### Prominent University of Illinois Athlete Killed and Eight Others, Including Four College Boys, Are Injured.

### JUDGE IS CHARGED WITH MANY CRIMES.

House Select Committee Reports Twelve Articles Against Judge Swayne-Accused of Fraud and Corruption.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 10.-The select committee of the House today completed twelve articles of impeachment against Judge Swayne. They embrace obtaining money by false pretenses, using the property of a bankrupt corporation; iving out of his district; unlawfully and maliciously fining and imprisoning E. T. Davis and Simeon Belden, attorneys, for alleged contempt; unlawfully committing to prison W. C. O'Neal on the charge of contempt, and other accusations.

the ill-fated Norwegian ship Marpesia, A minority report, signed by Representatives Littlefield of New York and Parkwhich was wrecked at sea on Christmas | r of New Jersey, dissents to all charges day by an explosion of naphtha, resulting except that pertaining to the falsifying

### SUICIDE OF KAISER'S AMERICAN DENTIST.

Dr. Alonzo H. Sylvester Kills Himself in Berlin-German Emperor Was Fond of Him.

Berlin, Jan. 10 .- Dr. Alonzo H. Sylrester, Emperor William's American lentist, committed suicide here today. He shot himself through the head in his bedroom.

The Emperor was fond of Dr. Sylvester. He created him a royal Prussian councillor, appointed him to the best of lentists and gave him many presents. He had an extraordinarily large professional income. Recently he has been suffering from a severe attack of influenza and for two or three days past he had talked incoherently

### WAR IN BALKANS IS VERY NEAR.

Gas from the fluid accumulated steadily Both Turkey and Bulgaria Are Preparing for Conflict Which May Begin in Spring.

> Loadon, Jan. 10.—The active preparations already reported to have been made both in Turkey and Bulgaria for a possible war this year are fully confirmed by a private letter received in London from a minister accredited to the Balkan courts.

This minister, who has just completed a tour of the Balkan capitals, writes that the Turkish and Bulgarian governments are energetically preparing for eventualities. Large shipments of arms and ammunitions have been made and recruits from Asia Minor are arriving at Salonica weekly for service in the Turkish army The Bulgarian and Greek bands in Macedonia are increasing daily and are fighting each other and the Turks. This

three-cornered guerrilla warfare threat-ens to assume the bloodiest phase in the spring. "But," concludes the minister, "wheth-Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 10.—The last official act of retiring Gov. Winfield T. Turkey and Bulgaria in the spring I am Durbin was the unconditional parole of tain powers think the time is opportune. tain powers think the time is opportune, William E. Hinshaw, a minister, con- war may be postponed this year as last,

### DEATH OR BLINDNESS.

Fate of "Queen of Madison Hotel" Who Got Mixed Up in Scandal.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 10.-[Special.]years have failed to throw new light on Overcome by remorse for the death of the man whose family she is alleged to have ruined, Miss Cecilia McAndrews, The crime of which Rev. William E. who was held by the coroner at Madison, Wis., in connection with the death of B. lowed spread into her eyes and cians say she will never recover her eye-

sight.
The girl returned from Madison a few days ago, going to her mother as soon as she was released from the awful charge hanging over her. To her old told her mother everything, admitting, it is said, that she had ruined the Burton home, but denying that she had been in

Last night she retired to her room and soon afterwards her mother heard screams of agony. Rushing upstairs she found the girl unconscious. She had swallowed six ounces of wood alcohol, a little hope for her recovery. Mrs. Burton with her son and daughter still re-Mrs. Burside at Waterloo, where the husband conducted a hotel. She is much affected

Madison, Wis., Jan. 10.-[Special.1-B. F. Burton, who conducted the Capitol house here, was found dead in bed. It is claimed that he had spent the night with Miss Cecilia McAndrews, the head wait-ress. Miss McAndrews was shown positively to have had nothing to do with Burton's death. She is a very handsome nan and was known as "the que Madison hotels." Burton was of Madison hotels." Burton was 51 years old. Miss McAndrews came here with him from Waterloo, Ia.

### BAILEY BUYS CIRCUS.

Pays \$150,000 at Public Sale of Sells-Forepaugh Shows Held at Columbus, O.

Columbus, O., Jan. 10.—James A. Bailey, fourth owner of the Sells-Forepaugh shows, today bought the entire show, with all horses, wagons, wild animore than \$7,500,000 an acre, has been and good will at public sales for \$150,000.

### Browning and Goose.

The largest goose club held in London

granted a stay of proceedings to Leon forth: "Well, guy-nor, I've got to do sut-Loeder, under sentence to die at San hin' for a livin'." Quentin prison, but the warden, having heard nothing of it, sent out invitations

### WORK OF CONGRESS.

### PROCEEDINGS IN HOUSE.

The House on the 5th tabled, by a vote of 80 to 17, the resolution of Representative Livingston calling on the secretary of agriculture for information on the method of collecting cotton statistics, after Representatives Burleson, Wadsworth, Lovering and Sims had replied to an attack on the statistics by Mr. Livingston. Mr. Littauer reported the fortifications appropriation bill. Representative Haugen introduced a bill giving the interstate commerce commission the power of fixing rates. In committee of the whole the House considered the bill to improve currency conditions. Mr. Adams introduced a bill providing for the establishment of a whipping post in the District of Columbia for wife beaters. At 4:35 o'clock p. m. the House adjourned.

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The bill to revise the laws relating to steam vessels was recommitted on the 6th. The fertifications appropriation bill was passed after debate in which Mr. Liftauer of New York explained the provisions of the measure and Mr. Baker of New York criticised it, attacking President Roosevelt as "wanting to hold himself up as the counterpart of Wilhelm II., the great war god." Mr. Adams of Pennsylvania spoke in favor of his bill for the establishment of the whipping post in the District of Columbia. Adjourned at 1:45 p. m. until Monday.

Once lost but reconsidered and passed

clared that this was directed especially at Gen. Miles, appointed adjutant general of Massachusetts, and some sharp debate followed. Mr. Prince (III.) severely criticised the expenditures for the army, pointing to the 236 brigadier generals on the retired list. He declared they could not have been retired by operation of the law, though he disclaimed any intention of charging any maladministration. Mr. Johnson (S. C.), in a speech, favored an agreement among the cotton growers to curtail production next year one-half. Mr. Clark (Mo.) offered an amendment to prevent the enlistment of Massachusetts, and some sharp debate followed. Mr. Prince (III.) severely criticised the expenditures for the army, pointing to the 236 brigadier generals on the retired list. He declared they could not have been retired by operation of the law, though he disclaimed any intention of charging any maladministration. Mr. Johnson (S. C.), in a speech, favored an agreement among the cotton growers to curtail production next year one-half. Mr. Clark (Mo.) offered an amendment to prevent the enlistment of Filipinos, Hawaiians and Porto Ricans in the United States military service, the object being to do away with the Porto Rican regiment. It was laid aside. A message from the President was read, in which he recommended the appointment in the naval service of four midshipmen dismissed for hazing from the naval academy. The comhazing from the naval academy. mittee on inaugural ceremonies was announced as follows: Messrs, Dalzel (Pa.), Crumpacker (Ind.), and Williams (Miss.). The House, at 5:10 p. m., adjourned until the comparison of the comparis

### PROCEEDINGS IN SENATE.

In the Senate on the 5th Mr. Bailey intro ed a proposed constitutional amendmen

rect their attention to the success of the "Coffee Club" of San Diego, Cal. This club was started by an association for the purpose of establishing a place of refreshment, recreation and amusemen tobacco in any form were to be sold, the profits not to be divided among the members of the association, but to be capitalized continuously, with the view of es-

The progress has been striking. San part of the fluid going into her eyes. She is now two clubrooms for men is now lying at the point of death, hoping and praying that she may die and bemoaning the fate that led her to win the love of the hotelman. Physicians have taken up the idea, and there are similar places at Los Angeles, Santa Clara, love of the hotelman. Physicians have recall and financial successes. Men who believed as social and financial successes. Wen who praces at Los Angeres, Santa Clara, Petaluma and Bakersfield. They are both social and financial successes. Men who fermerly spent their time in saloons nov drop into the coffee rooms and lunch read, play checkers and enjoy a social chat. The two clubrooms in Los Angele visited daily by from 1000 to 1500 . In San Diego the attendance at three places averages about 800, of which 200 are visitors to the women's

> It takes about \$2000 to launch a club, but when it gets well under way it pays for itself. In San Diego it has been ascertained that one-half of the men who come to the coffee rooms formerly visited saloon. With Bishop Potter's drink saloon on one side and the Cali-fornia coffee clubs on the other, those who are opposed to the saloon as at present conducted have interesting ex-ments to watch.—Baltimore Herald.

### London Real Estate.

The highest priced real estate in Lon don is near the Bank of England. Land sells there at the rate of \$375 a square foot—\$16,250,000 an acre. From this center the price diminishes in a receding tide, rising again in the Strand to a price

### Two Tales of Dan Leno.

"M. A. P." tells these among other will beat all previous records this year.
Last year there were 3030 members; this year there are nearly 5000. The club is organized at the Robert Browning Settlement, Walworth.—Feathered Life.

don's favorite and One evening Leno, walking along the Strand, stopped in front of a street musician. "What are you doing singing in the streets?" said Leno; "you oughtn't to be doing that, you know." The beginning the streets?" said Leno; "you oughtn't to be doing that, you know." The beginning the streets?" said Leno; "you oughtn't to be doing that, you know." The beginning the streets?"

"Nonsense," said Dan. "Here, take this," and he put a five-pound note in the astonished man's hand. The man looked at it for one bewildering moment

heard nothing of it, sent out invitations to the execution and kept Loeder in the "condemned cell" all night November 2. He was ready to take Loeder to the scaffold in the morning, but a deputy county clerk opportunely arrived on the scene.

—There are 252,436 miles of ocean cable in operation today, and only 38,797 miles are owned by governments. The British cables, which connect London with all parts of the world, have a total mileage of 154,699.

providing six-year terms for the President and vice president of the United States and making them ineligible to second terms. A resolution by Mr. Platt of New York for the printing of 10.000 copies of the report of the commissioner of corporations was agreed to, as was a resolution by Mr. Burrows fixing February 8 for the canvass by the two houses of Congress of the presidential vote. Mr. Nelson completed his speech in favor of the joint statehood bill, which was discussed adversely by Senators Foraker, Newlands and Heyburn. Mr. Platt of Connecticut introduced a bill fixing a penalty of not more than five years' imprisonment and a fine of not more than \$500 for resisting the service of any process of a United States court or for assaulting any government officer in the discharge of his duties. Senator Bard introduced a bill for the reclamation act. The following bills were passed: Removing the limitation of the reclamation act. The following bills were passed: Removing the limitation of the reclamation act. The following bills were passed: Removing the limitation of the reclamation act of the salaries of consuls for expense; presertining means for the promotion of firmy officers of the line while on duty in the ordusing department and fixing the number of officers of all grades in that corps; providing for the reorganization of the medical department of the army, creating a reserve corps and doing away with most of the contract surgeons. The Senate at 4:45 adjourned.

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resolution by Mr. Elkins calling on the interstate commerce commission for details of all the cases which have come before that body was adopted. The following bills were passed: Permitting the building of a railpassed: Permitting the building of a rail-road bridge across the Mississippi river at Minneapolis, making the restriction on the transportation of lottery tickets between the states applicable to transportation be-tween the states and territories. At 4:15 the Senate went into executive session, and at 4:28 p. m. adjourned.

Successful Coffee Clubs.

The opponents of the saloon should discontinuous and the saloon should discontinuous and the saloon should discontinuous and saloon should discontinuous and saloon should discontinuous and saloon saloon should discontinuous and saloon saloon

#### & Chicago Matters

Mrs. Sophia Burgolth, 78 years old was accidentally asphyxiated in her room. -Seth F. Hanchett, a former sheriff of Cook county, died in Rockford, Ia., aged

-James Newman, a bridgetender, 35 years old, was found dead in bed. It is believed a gas jet accidentally was part-George W. Kelsey, a veteran rail

road contractor, died at the residence of his son, John W. Kelsey. He was 67 -While he was cleaning a revolver, John Jennings, 25 years old, accidentally discharged the weapon. The bullet struck

-From injuries received last July by falling from a hay wagon, Caroline Shutt, 38 years old, of Lichmond, Ill., died at St. Anna's hospital.

-John Sullivan, said to be 15 years old, was probably fatally crushed b machine he was operating in the estab-lishment of the Globe Wall Paper and Paint company.

—Mrs. Eva Quigley, 37 years old, was arrested in Oak Park, charged with the larceny of diamonds, pearls and jewelry valued at \$1000. The complainant is George M. Vastine of Austin. -In a fire in the basement of a build

ing on Michigan street, occupied by Silberman Brothers, Dodd & Co., and Coffin Sen, wool dealers, \$2000 worth of wool was water soaked and ruined.

Judge Kavanagh appointed Edward Bemmer receiver for the Whitney Electrical company, which is captitalized for \$56,000,000, to promote the alleged inventions of Albert Gallatin Whitney. His bond was fixed at \$500. -Mrs. Mary Bowerman died after drinking a mixture of chloroform, washing bluing and kerosene. She was 30 years old and left a husband, J. Bowerman, and a 2-months-old baby. The

cause of the act is unknown. -Further police investigation into the death of William Simonds, who was found dead in a hallway December 26, was recommended by a coroner's jury. That Simonds died from a fracture of the skull, believed by them to have been inflicted by an unidentified person was inflicted by an unidentified person, was the opinion of the jurers.

More than 13,000,000 persons are enrolled in the Sunday schools of the country. In public schools the enrollment is more than 16,000,000, or only 3,000,000

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# SHEPEOPLE

FRIENDSHIP ALL IMPORTANT IN BUSINESS.

By John A. Howland.

The old principle still holds true that business s obtained by friendship or favor. One of Chicage's most brilliant lawyers asserted a few days ago that any average lawyer had ability enough to handle nine-tenths of the cases tried in any court, and the reason some men starved at the law and some grew rich was simply because some did not know how to make friends and the successful ones did.

Many business men join certain expensive clubs for no other reason than to have a place to entertain handsomely men from whom they expect to get business. Nearly all men who have out of town customers whom they have a good excuse for entertaining do this. Others whose business is more narrowly restricted consider their club privileges a part of their business capital, for to entertain a man at one's club seems much less crudely obvious than to entertain him at some public place. Some men go further and do not hesitate to use their social or family position to further their business interests. In the social world a single introduction is sometimes the favor with which business is bought.

Men who get business by direct solicitation as well as many others make use of the belief that an idea persinent to a man's business is the most valuable thing you can offer him in increasing their own business. Such men deliberately study up on the other man's business. They try to get his point of view, to see what he is aiming at, his means for securing that aim, and the degree of success or failure. They think up suggestions for that man if they can, for the purpose of getting his business. For they realize that if they can give a man the least suggestion that will help him in his business they have attracted that man's favorable attention to whatever they wish to say to him on their own account.

EVERY AGE HAS KNOWN ITS "PROPHET."

By T. P. O'Connor. "Companies fail," says the swindler in "Robert Macaire," "but dupes never fail; let us invent a religion." And the promotion of a religion has this advantage over the promotion of a company, A COLLEGE EDUCATION FOR WOMEN. that its dividends are distributable in the next world.

In every age since the beginning of the Christian era there has been in one corner or another of Christendom a Prince, a Piggott, or a Southcott to draw upon the immense amount of latent credulity waiting to be evoked by any audacious charlatan. In the year 999 especially the number of pilgrims proceeding to Jerusalem to await the coming of the Messiah a second time to judge the earth was so great as to be compared to a desolating army. They sold all their goods and possessions in Europe, to live upon the proceeds in Jerusalem; while seldom been able to stand side by side to fight the wors waitress. The tragedy was preceded by in Europe lands went out of cultivation, houses fell into evils of our civilization because of women's ignorance of a quarrel over this money, which Miller had tried to secure for the ostensible purruin, or were even, in an access of enthusiastic faith, pulled | what is involved in most social questions.

down, because the year 1000 would see the end of the dis If Senate Attempts to Make Alterations

pensation, if not of the world.

And this belief that the end of the world was at hand was almost as universal and as paralyzing in the years of the great plague which ravaged Europe between 1345 and 1350. London has had its special prophets and panics, as we know from "A True and Faithful Account of Wha arbitration treaties now pending before Passed in London on a Rumor of the Day of Judgment," to the United States Senate are emascube found in "Swift's Miscellanies." It was the famous lated, the President will withdraw them Whiston who created this panic by his prophecy that the from consideration. world would be destroyed on Oct. 13, 1736; and, as Londor was to be paid the compliment—the reverse of that extorted from Polyphemus by Ulysses—of being destroyed the members of the Senate and House of first, vast multitudes rushed out of it on the morning of Representatives, he informed the sona-Oct. 18 to see its destruction from the safe vantage grounds of Islington and Hampstead.

Twenty-five years later Bell, a soldier of the Life desired them to know that he would not Guards, rushed about the streets of London predicting the destruction of London on April 5, 1761, and was believed by so many thousands of citizens that London was almost consideration by the Senate. He says emptied for two or three days before that dread date frankly that rather then have the treaties Islington, Highgate, Hempstead, Harrow and Blackheath were overcrowded with these fugitives; and those who withdraw them. could not pay the exorbitant rents demanded for shelter in these cities of refuge either camped out in the surrounding MURDERS WIFE fields or took refuge in the shipping in the Thames.

PEOPLE WILL ALL BECOME ONE RACE.

By Bishop John W. Mamilton. It is undeniable that the race was once one Within a few generations it will be one again This statement may shock some prejudices, but it is true, nevertheless. All races are in progress wife and infant daughter Annie today, of amalgamation, one with the other. There fatally wounded another daughter, Marwere four great epochal movements during the tha, 21/2 years old, and then, after shootlast century, which were almost evenly divided ing himself through the breast cut his own throat. Drunken rage is believed by the police to have been the cause.

The unconscious forms were found by is neither Jew nor Greek; there is neither bond nor free the police, who had been summoned by there is neither male nor female, for ye are all one in Jesus tale. Mrs. Miller died on the way. Christ." The first twenty-five years of the last century saw the finding of the great missionary cities, which, wher by the police. The older child survived analyzed, really showed the unity of the race.

By Miss Thomas, President or Bryn Mawr.

Apart from the pure joy of it and the profit to the girl herself, all social life will be profoundly influenced by the college education of the college edu influenced by the college education of women The semi-cloistered life of women in the past has most severed from her body, there was developed many priceless virtues, such as purity a cut four inches long in the back of her head and a six-inch gash near her heart. family affection, unspoiled enthusiasm, devoted She had also received a bullet through religious belief. But in the past women have not her lungs. been able to work together for a common end Loyalty to one another as it is understood among

BY-LOW, BY-LOW.

Here's the way she sang to me, By-low, by-low, As she held me on her knee, Long ago, long ago. Oh, the years between are long. And their haunting specters throng,

Yet I hear her olden song:

By-low, by-low.

By-low, by-low.

-Sunset Magazine.

I have wearied on the way-By-low, by-lo And the sunset is but gray. Well I know, well I know, Yet, my mother, through the stress Comes your song, my heart to bless;

Comes your song, like a caress-

Hold me, mother, as of old-By-low, by-low-Let your song of love untold Ebb and flow, ebb and flow; Hold me to your loving breast-Sing the songs of songs the best; By-low, by-low.

### - A CONTRACTOR - C On the Island

7 MIGHT swim for it." suggested them and they sprang to their feet. Tucker with the accent of one who knows the impracticability of what he suggests.

"You might fly for it," retorted Nan Carroll, "for all the good it would do. You should have tied the boat."

"You forget," he pleaded, "that I only came last night, and have not yet Robinson Crusoe, and our boat is had opportunity to become familiar wrecked-or at least I hope it is," she with the tide here. How was I to amended viciously. know that you had a regular Bay of Fundy tide here?"

"If you knew as much about geography as you do about some things," she ninted darkly, "you would know that this is the Bay of Fundy tide. It doesn't come in a tidal wave, but it rises as high."

He glauced ruefully at the canoe fast disappearing on the tide, and scanned the shore to see if it offered any hope. Apparently they were as thoroughly lost as though they were on an island in the Pacific instead of three miles from a summer resort. It was Tucker's first experience with a the hotel." land where they built steamship docks two stories high because of the fall of the tide from the Bay of Fundy, and he supposed that when he had drawn the canoe well up on the shelving bank the long rope in the bow could not possibly be needed.

He threw himself down beside her. "Nan, dear," he cried. "Don't take side him. it to heart. It will come out all right if I have to swim over to the mainland and steal a boat."

She rose in all her five feet of injured dignity. "I do not see, Mr. Tucker," she said coldly, "that the situation should permit the levity you assume. It may be all right for you, but a woman's fair name-" Her married before supper, for Dave exsobbing broke forth afresh at the thought of what might be said.

"What's the use of taking on so?" he demanded. "You told me last win- cisco Call.

ter that at the end of the season you

thought---"Do you suppose I thought then that I'd think what I think now?" she cried hysterically. "Do you suppose that I imagined that you would abduct me to a desert island to force me to marry you? Never.

For want of better occupation he searched along the shore for clams, finding a few, but deciding after one taste that it would be better to look for berries. It was too late for berries apparently, and there was another pause and reflection. He had just decided that it was as well that Nan Carroll would not marry him, when that changeable young woman plumped herself down upon the moss beside him.

"Why don't you talk?" she asked cheerfully. "It's awfully lonesome

around here." Tucker gasped, but for a moment he did not dare speak. When he found words it was of casual affairs he spoke, not of himself nor of their predicament, and presently they were chatting as merrily as though there had been none of the stormy scenes of the afternoon.

They were still talking when suddenly they heard footsteps behind Just behind them was a tall clerical man in blue overalls and checked cal-

ico jumper. "I hope I don't intrude," he said, quizzically.

"Are you Man Friday?" demanded Nan. "You see we are Mr. and Mrs.

"I am sorry, Mrs. Crusoe," he said, falling in with her humor. "I am Rev. Philip Hardman of Boston, summering on this island with my family."

of looking to see if there was any one said, defensively, "and I supposed you for over ten years. knew. I only came last night," he added in explanation to the clergyman. "Mrs. Crusoe forgot to tell me about

the tide and the boat floated away." "Come over and have tea," suggested the clergyman, hospitably, "and I Thinking to impress his lesson upon have a boat that will take you over to his hearers more distinctly, he pictur-

Nan and Dave followed. Once or for the success of his metaphor, his twice she hummed softly to herself, ignorance of seamanship placed the and Dave could have sworn it was the ship in several singular positions. wedding music from "Lohengrin." At last, as he was helping her over a rock which barred her path, she held his hand in hers as she lightly dropped be-

"Dave," she whispered, "didn't he say he was a clergyman?" Dave nodded. "The Rev. Philip

Hardman," he affirmed. "We could fool that gossiping crowd.

pretending we did it on purpose." More than ever Dave marveled at the ways of woman, but they were plained to the clergyman that he was afraid she might change her mind again.-George Winthrop, in San Fran-

### SANG SIXTY-SEVEN YEARS.

Woman Holds World's Record for Faithful Service in Church Choir.

evening the opening tones of the processional hymn sound out in the Epis-



and always in church she sang heart- said. ily. When, in 1837, public funeral ser-Pope's ode, "O, Vital Spark," with the adult choir singers. And when, in 1898, the jubilee of Queen Victoria was special invitation from the director of the Chicago Apollo Club to sing with his trained vocalists in the jubilee concert. In England, as a young girl, finest church music, in connection with various choirs and singing so-

Mrs. Jennings' voice, always a deep, Nan gasped. "Why didn't you think full alto, still does fine service in givliving there?" she demanded of Dave. | Church of the Annunciation, where "You told me it was deserted," he she has worshiped and sung steadily

Almost Wrecked.

A clergman who was totally devoid of knowledge of seamanship once preached to a congregation of sailors. ed a ship trying to enter a harbor He strode off, leading the way, and against a head wind. Unfortunately

"What shall we do next?" he cried. "Come down off the bridge," cried an old tar in disgust, "an' lemme take command, or ye'll 'ave us all on the rocks in another arf a second!!"-Spare Moments.

Fruit in South Africa.

South Africa is probably destined in the near future to become a formidable rival to California and Australia as a competitor for the English market in the supply of fruit.

Not for Him.

### MUST NOT CHANGE THE HAY TREATIES.

PRESIDENT WILL NOT PERMIT THEM TO BE RADICALLY CHANGED BY CONGRESS.

He Will Withdraw Arbitration Treaties Entirely.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 11.-If the

President Roosevelt has let this be unties to be ratified. In his opinion, action is of the highest importance. In his opinion, such tion in the Senate he would absolutely

### AND CHILDREN.

Drunkenness Prompts Fiendish Crime Followed by Suicide in Chicago.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 11.-With a pistol and razor, John Miller, a cook, killed his

tals. Mrs. Miller died on the way. younger child was dead before remova only a short time after arriving at the hospital. Miller will probably die.

In the hurry of getting the victims from the house, Police Sergeant William

Miller habitually squandered his money in saloons. His wife was forced to care for all the family, including her husband. pose of starting a restaurant.

### INJURED IN A PANIC: RUN ON A BANK.

When every Sunday morning and Three Policemen and Two Women Hurt When Mad Rush Occurs to Withdraw Funds.

copal Church of New York, Jan. 11.-There was so the Annunciation, great a panic among the crowd of 5000 Auburn Park, Chi- persons waiting to withdraw their decago, a gray-hairposits from the State bank on Grand ed, pleasant-faced street today that police reserves were woman marches called out. Policemen were stationed out with the cap five or six feet apart for a distance of back to the depot and made his way and gown clad several blocks from the bank. The mob girls and white curing the deposits that they rushed robed men who against a heavy iron railing around a comprise the choir light well in front of the bank and tore and takes her seat next the organ.

This is Mrs. Ce. In front of the bank and tore it from its fastenings. To prevent the crowds from falling into the well a detail of police forced the crowd back, but in the struggle three policemen were injured. lia E. Jennings, of English birth, but both refused to drop out of line, so anxfifty-four years' residence in America, who holds the world's record for devoted, faithful service as a church the State bank has in deposits \$10,500, 000, representing the savings of 5000 or 6000 persons. The bank, he said, has Mrs. Jennings, who is now 79 years old, was born in 1825. Almost as soon of \$7,000,000 out on loans, a surplus of \$750,000, and a cash reserve of \$4. as she could lisp she began singing 000,000. Everybody would be paid, he said. There was absolutely nothing the matter with the bank. The run was ily. When, in 1837, public funeral services for King George IV. were held their money in the bank Tuesday, which in London, Mrs. Jennings, then a child was misinterpreted by spectators, who of 12, and taught by her father, sang something wrong with the bank something wrong with the bank.

### BID AGAINST THE KING.

celebrated, Mrs. Jennings received a Richard Croker Buys Horse Wanted by Edward and Is Punished.

London, Jan. 11 .- A serious scandal Mrs. Jennings learned and sang all the promises to develop in racing circles as a famous oratories and much of the result of the Jockey club's action in interdicting Richard Croker from training his horses at Newmarket. The history of the affair given out by friends of Mr. Croker is that when at the Newmarket sales in September Mr. Croker appeared as a bidder for certain yearlings, he was ing body to the choir tone of the Marcus Beresford, who, it is well known, has entire charge of King Edward's rac-

ing stable.
This did not deter Mr. Croker and it was suggested to him that if he insisted in competing he would not be allowed to his horses at Newmarket. Croker, however, was not influenced, claiming that his conduct was not discourteous, as he was dealing through an agent who did not know his adversary in the transactions and merely carried out

In an interview in Dublin Mr. Croker said he was still completely in the dark regarding the whole matter and expressed astonishment at the fact that the stewards did not give a reason for their

A newspaper todays says Mr. Croker intends to sell his residence at Wantage. England. For some months past he has been living in Ireland, where, it is reported, he will reside altogether here-

KILLS HIS FORMER PARTNER. Business Disagreement Leads to Personal Encounter and Death.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 11 .- [Special.]-Word has been received here of the killing of William Dippe by Robert Ball on Fox Island, in southeastern Alaska, on January 2. They had been associates in some marble properties located there but had a disagreement which resulted in a pressure of the control o personal encounter in this city in which Ball was worsted. Since that time they 

### WISCONSIN MAN SHOT BY MOROS,

Bloody Engagement in Philippine Islands Interior Minister Feels Unable to Con-Results in Capture of a Rebel Fort.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 10.-[Special.]-Private William F. O'Neil of Interior Minister Sviastopolk-Mirsky's Troop K, Fourteenth cavalry, whose successor, and holding a position in the mother, Mrs. Catherine O'Neil, resides at councils of Emperor Nicholas approach-Winneconne, Wis., was killed on Jolo ing Gen. Loris Melikoff's during the tryisland, the Philippines. Second Lieut. ing Nihilistic days of Alexander II., may James M. Jewell was also killed. The be one of the startling results of the conwounded are:

Wounded are:

Wounded—Second Lieut. Roy W. Ashbrook, Seventeenth infantry, spear wound, right eye, severe; Corp. Harry E. Morris, troop O, Fourteenth cavairy, gunshot wound, arm; Sergt. Mark G. Drummond, Co. A, Seventeenth infantry, bolo wound, thigh, moderate; Capt. Halsted Dorey, Fourth infantry, aid de camp, gunshot wound, left shoulder, very slight; Second Lieut. Robert C. Richardson, Jr., Fourteenth cavairy, slight wound; Private George K. Thomas, Eighteenth battery, field artillery, slight gunshot wound, arm.

Americans Slain. Manila, Jan. 10.-In an engagement which took place on January 8 with re-fractory Moros on the island of Jolo, James J. Jewell and one private of the Fourteenth United States cavalry were killed and Second Lieut. Roy Asbrook of the Seventeenth infantry, Capt. Halstead Dorey of the Fourth United States infantry, Second Lieut. R. C. Richardson of the Fourteenth United States cavalry, and three privates, were wounded.

The action was an incident in conne tion with the capture of a fort held by the Moro outlaws, which Maj. Scott, governor of the island, had attempted secure by peaceful means several months

ago.

Recently, while attempting to secure recruits on the island, the kindly means taken by Maj. Scott were mistaken by the surrounding Moros and, trouble brewng, necessitated forcible action. Moro leader has been killed and the fort has been destroyed. The American troops were assisted by the gunboat Quiros, in command of Lieut. Walker.

### TRY TO BLOW UP KAISER'S GIFT.

Attempt Made at Washington to Destroy hands. Statue of Frederick the Great.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 10 .- An unsuccessful attempt was made today by one or more civilians to blow up the statue of Frederick the Great, recently presented to this government by the Emperor of Germany and now standing in the war college grounds.

A charge of explosives with lighted fuse was attached to the fence surrounding the statue, but was removed by an employe before it exploded. No damage resulted to the statue or to propose the statue of t resulted to the statue or to property or

the perpetrators of the crime before they left the grounds, but they did not succeed. The police authorities have been notified and all available information is being placed before them, with a view

to arresting the guilty parties.

The police authorities have located the carriage in which the party who attempted to blow up the statue was conveyed to the vicinity, but have not yet located the culprit. They believe the attempt was made by a crank who hung a long fuse bomb on the fence surrounding the statue; that a negro who arrived on the scene immediately afterward discovered the bomb, removed it from the fence and threw it away, whereupon it exploded.

The driver of the carriage who conveyed the man to the statue says he re ceived his passenger at the Pennsylvania railroad station; that he left the carriage apparently to take a photograph of the statue; that he left the carriage en route toward the river front.

MINE WAR IN GERMANY,

Great Coal Strike Will Be Result of Operators' Action Toward Men.

Cologne, Germany, Jan. 10 .- Both the ceal miners and mine owners throughout the Rhenish and Westphalian districts are preparing for a general strike. So far only 20,000 out of a total of 270, 600 men concerned have gone out. mine proprietors began receiving requests yesterday and soon as their plies are received, the miners, according to their previous decision, do not go to work when it is time for their next shift The employers under the law fixing the relations of employer and employe are notifying the miners to return to work or be discharged with the loss of six days' wages. The miners at seven Dortmund works went out today.

Operators Refuse Demands. The proprietors affirm they are unable o agree to the demands to include the time of going into and returning from the shafts in the wage period, nor can they make expensive alterations in draining the mines because the owners claim Germany would thereby lose her position in the international competitive field both in coal itself and in manufactures by the nse of coal. Some proprietors aver that the economic equilibrium is so delicate that the whole industrial fabric of Ger-many can be disarranged by charging more for coal than heretofore, while oth ers contend that Germany could not in the case of a change in price compete with the Belgian and French producers. Only a week's supply of coal, it is fur ther asserted, is in store.

Social War Begins.

The matter is causing a tremendous discussion in the press, most of the influential newspapers of Cologne, Frankfurt, Dusseldorff and Essen setting forth the mine owners' position, while the Socialist periodicals proclaim that a social war is beginning. Herr Hue, a Socialist member of the Reichstag, in a speech at Essen described the miners as working naked, in water, for the equivalent of 96 cents a day, cursed by the oppressors as lazy, and fatally affected by a worm disease because their life is always in "What difference does it make," asked

Herr Hue, "whether we starve or not, under such conditions? Let us strike with the iron fist and if we perish let us at least be men." The auditors of Herr Hue, miners in five shafts, have gone out on strike.

### W. J. BRYAN LOSES CASE.

Famous Sealed Letter Is Again Barred Out of the Philo S. Bennett Will.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 10.—A decision adverse to the contention of William J. Bryan was given in the superior court today by Judge Robinson, who declared that the famous sealed letter by which the late Philo S. Bennett, Mr. Bryan's personal friend, expressed a wish that Mr. Bryan should have \$50,000 from his estate, could not be admitted as evidence in the case before the court.

### PRINCE MIRSKY ABOUT TO RETIRE.

tinue Struggle for Reforms

in Russia. St. Petersburg, Jan. 9.-M. Witte, as test waging over the question of interior

They Are Enamies.

The popular idea has been that Prince Sviatopolk-Mirsky and M. Witte were acting in harmony in this matter, but the Associated Press learns from the highest source that exactly the opposite is the fact. They can more properly be described as rivals and opponents than as

Undermines Mirsky's Position.

Despite the difficulty of Minister Sviatopolk-Mirsky's role since he assumed office, owing to the powerful influences arrayed against him, he has been able to hold his own with continued marks of the Emperor's confidence and approval. With M. Witte's advent upon the scene, however, the situation changed.

Witte Is Victorious.

Prince Sviatopolk-Mirsky stuck manfully by his guns defending the policy on which he accepted office, but he found on which he accepted omce, but he found M. Witte antagonizing the very prin-ciples which he considered vital, thus rallying his opponents on his side and the prince found the ground slipping from under him. M. Witte prevailed in the matter of imperial manifesto, the hazy terms of which did not meet with Prince Sviatopolk-Mirsky's views.

Witte Is "Foxy." According to the latter's friends the contest was resumed immediately upon the convening of the committee of min-isters, the prince finding that M. Witte opposed the proposition to invite in a consultative capacity the various classes interested in the reforms. The prince's friends believe M. Witte at heart would go farther than the former, but that it suits his present purpose to adopt a more conservative attitude until all the

reins of power are firmly in his own Mirsky to Retire.

Under the circumstances the prince, whose health is really greatly impaired and who is a plain spoken man, unschooled in the art of intrigue, feels himself unequal to the task of continuing the contest and has confided to his friends within twenty-four hours that he prefers to retire. Whether he has actually tendered his resignation the Associated Press is not in a position to say, but that it may come any minute is certain

# SAFE AT PANAMA.

Prompt measures were taken to detain Earl Fitzwilliams' Party Is Safe-Mysterious Story of an Accident.

> London, Jan. 9 .- Anxiety as to the safety of the steamer Veronique, bearing Earl Fitzwilliams and a party of distinguished Englishmen voyaging in the Southern Pacific, has been set at rest by dispatches from Panama. Mysteriously circulated reports last week were to the effect that an accident had befallen the party, but they apparently had little foundation and the earl is now said to have landed at Panama and is on his

### FREEZE IN THEIR CELLS. Trappist Monks in Monastery in the Alps Perish with Cold-Dogs'

Heroic Work. Geneva, Switzerland, Jan. 9 .- Two more Trappist monks, making a total of four since the recent blizzard in the

Alps, are dead from the cold in the mountain monastery near Brescia. Thirty guides and villagers have recovered six bodies of Italian smugglers from the summit of the Colvaldarey and transported them to Bourg, where they were buried. Dogs at the Hospice St. Bernard also recovered three bodies from

Berlin, Jan. 9 .- More than fifty persons were frozen to death in the provinces of East Prussia, West Prussia and Posen during the recent cold period, including two letter carriers, the driver of a post wagon, a policeman and fifteen fisher-

Nothing has been heard of the lightship stationed off Borkum reef, Hanover, which broke away from her anchorage Friday night during a terrific storm and went adrift. The government has sent out a steamer to search for the missing

### SPALDING IS RECOVERING.

Probable That Catholic Bishop of Peoria (Ill.) Will Not Succumb to Stroke of Paralysis.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 9 .- The condition of Bishop Spalding, stricken with paralysis Friday night, was much improved this morning. His physicians announced that he passed a quiet night and that sleep was natural and not induced by opiates. He is slowly regaining the use of his

NATIVE CREW KILLS OFFICERS. Mutiny on Padilla, Former Naval Mainstay of Colombian Revolutionists.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 9 .- Another tragic chapter has been added to the history of the little cruiser Padilla, which became famous about two years ago as the sole dependence on the sea of the Colombian revolutionists. The native Co-lombian members of the crew of the Padilla mutinied and killed five or six white officers and members of the crew while going from Panama to Callao some weeks ago. Though time enough has passed to enable the steamer to have made the trip around Cape Horn nothing has been learned of its arrival at Callao. The body of the Peruvian merchant who bought the Padilla at Panama and sailed with it for Callao was picked up at sea off the coast of Ecuador, and there were five knife wounds on it. Before the steamer left the isthmus the native members of the crew mutinied, and Chief Officer O'Connor was attacked and laid out with a fireman's shovel.

TURKS SEIZE CATHOLICS.

Arrest Whole Municipality, the Charge Being a Revolutionary Plot.

Uskub, European Turkey, Jan. 9 .- On December 28, by order of Hilmi Pasha, the whole municipality of Uskub, to-gether with the vicar and clergy of the vicerate, were arrested, the accusation being that they had formed a revolutionary tribunal. A search of the homes of the accused was without result, but all efforts to secure their liberation have

### \$1.50 per Year in Advance.

The Delta's price for publishing notices of entertainments given by religious or other societies, to which an admission is charged, or from which a profit is expected, is FIVE CENTE PER LINE. Resolutions of any society or organization will be published at the same rate. CARDS OF THANKS WILL BE CHARGED FOR AT

### HINTS FOR FARMERS

Cows In the Hay Field. Recently we crossed a newly seeded piece over which cows had been allowed to roam and found it covered with dead bunches of grass. The cows in eating had pulled up many of the new roots, which had not had time to get gree. a firm hold. It would have been better to keep the cows off the new seeded treasurer of the grand lodge of Pennpleces and, in fact, all other mowing sylvania over forty-eight years, having land. Every fall we see meadows been elected to the office in May, 1856. in chief. which are cropped right down to hardpan and are practically bare all winland runs out so quickly and why they do not have better hay crops. When It often happens that a little money cows running over the fields punch them full of holes and kill out much good grass. If the feed must be used, rowen in the barn and carry back a lodge committee. good covering of stable manure. Stable manure, besides enriching the ground, acts as a mulch through the winter and if cows are turned on the fields will prevent them from gnawing too

Shoeing the Farm Horse.

closely.-Rural New Yorker.

The wear and tear on horseflesh makes quite an item on the farm, and anything that will reduce this friction for the farmer should be welcomed. It has been proved beyond dispute that the average horse is shod with too heavy shoes, and if lighter ones were substituted the animals could do more work with less weariness. Heavy shoes have no particular advantage except for large truck horses on stone roads, where shoes wear out quickly. Even in such cases it is doubtful if too heavy shoes prove of any value. Certainly for farm horses light shoes are much more satisfactory. The effects of such a change are quite noticeable shortly after they are put on, and in a year's time the extra amount of work that is obtained from a horse will more than pay for the shorter time that light shoes may wear.—American Cultivator.

### Exercise For Sows.

Sows carrying much flesh, made while confined in small pens, will prove at best unsatisfactory breeders, says American Cultivator. Exercise is easily secured in summer by the use vere in the north that it requires some cates. ingenuity to gain the desired end. There are now over 100,000 Knights Turning the sows into sheltered yards and Ladies of Maccabees in the jurisis a good plan, and if litter from the diction of New York. stable is thrown in the yard exercise will be gained while working this over in search of waste grains. If exercise can be secured in no other way, the sows should be driven for some time each day by the herdsman along a lane or roadway or about the yard.

### Care of Comb Honey.

As soon as comb honey is sealed remove it from the hive, scrape all sections clean of propolis, then put it directly into shipping cases and close tight. Keep it in a warm room till time to sell, never allowing it to freeze, as freezing it cracks the comb, says the Farmer, and when warmed again it begins to leak out, making a nasty, dauby mess. Be sure your shipping case is tight, so that ants, millers or flies cannot get in. Do not put honey in a cellar, as the dampness hurts the capping, the honey grows thin, loses its flavor and leaks out, while if stored in a dry room it will improve and thicken

### Put Windows In the Stable.

I have heard men say that there was not much use of having windows in a cow stable anyway, since the animals were outdoors during nearly all of the hours of daylight. There is just the trouble. The cows should not be kept out of doors in cold weather, but cordial greeting, and he will come the stable should be both light and again. comfortable, and the cows will be glad to spend most of the time in their stalls. It is the men who keep their cows in the barnyard exposed to cold and storms who think it all nonsense forty-five years, or who was suspended to put so many windows in a stable .- | six months at an age below fifty-five, Cor. Hoard's Dairyman.

### Oilmeal For Feeding.

Oilmeals in general, says Dr. Jordan, may properly be regarded as among the standard feeding stuffs. Because of their uniformity in quality ing three new members. and composition and their value in maintaining soil fertility their use has how it will bring out your memberhad the approval of both scientific men and of successful feeders. The oilmeals are the residues left after the extraction of the oil from certain seeds and num, and the increase in membership nuts. The most important by far are very satisfactory. cottonseed meal and linseed or oilmeal.

### -National Stockman.

Scientific Feeding. Observation made by practical breeders shows that it takes from seventeen to twenty pounds of balanced ration to the order. maintain uniform weight in a thousand pound steer and that it takes from twenty-three to twenty-eight pounds per day to make a daily gain of two pounds. It can be readily seen how necessary it is for the feeder to reduce feeding to a science and to use only such feed or combinations of feed as will produce the greatest gain.

### Care of Poultry.

If you would have the best success with poultry a few important things must be understood and observed. Fowls must have fresh, clean quar-

The Gladstone Delta mites. Varied rations must be fed regularly and give plenty of grit and



lodge of Ohio it was decided that all petitions for membership in the future must contain the words, "I am not engaged in the business, occupation or ing or gambling.'

In Minnesota the noble grand is re struct a candidate in the work of the degrees he has received. The candi date must then pass an examination before being advanced to a higher de-

Richard Muckle has served as grand The grand secretary of Indiana reports a net gain of 3,750 members dur-Dec. 31 was 63,745.

the ground is soft after heavy rains expended in sociability is the very best investment that a lodge can make. Bylaws or amendments thereto, after

being adopted by a lodge, are not law it is much better to mow and feed the until approved by the proper grand

In a recent article on smoking in the lodge room the Odd Fellows' Review says, "This 'smoke nuisance' is growing to such proportions that it threat- even subscribe to the pastor's salary. ens serious injury to the order unless it is checked."

William H. Thompson of St. Louis has been a member of the grand lodge of Missouri forty-eight years, and at the last session was for the thirtyninth consecutive time elected its grand treasurer.

Grand Sire Goodwin has been an Odd Fellow for thirty-one years. He Friday evening promises to be an interbecame a member of the order in 1873 esting one. The subject will be The and a member of the grand lodge of American Revision of the Bible. Georgia in 1875.

Grand Master C. C. Pavey of Ohio enforced the law and suspended three lodges for violating the law regarding saloon keepers and bartenders.



Recent reports show that splendid progress has been made this summer in nearly every jurisdiction. The net gain in membership promises to be larger than in any previous year.

Persons over fifty-one and under seventy years of age or who have been rebecome social members; also members of pasture, but the winters are so se- surrendering their life benefit certifi-

On July 1 the order had over 381,000 members in good standing. Test the stranger. It may look a little unfraternal, but it's cheapest in the

end.-Bee Hive.

### UNITED WORKMEN.

When the Lodge Has Visitors-Bench Shavings.

It is a good sign when a lodge has visitors, says the Louisville Workman. It is proof, in the first place, that the lodge is known among traveling brethren as a pleasant place, as a lodge where the spirit of cordial good fellowship reigns, where the work is done with zest and where the members understand and feel what they are there for. The presence of visitors proves that the members of the lodge appreciate that hospitality is a cardinal virtue of the order. Your lodge, then, should have a committee on visitors, and every brother should be a member of it. Its duty should be to invite visitors to the meetings, to show them attention when they accept and to do all in their power to make the sojourn of the visitor one that he will recall with

grateful pleasure. Look after the occasional attendant ing during the ceremony might wreck at your lodge meetings. Give him a

The supreme lodge has enacted a law which allows the member who was suspended six months and who attained during that period the age of the right to reinstate before he at tains the age of fifty-five years.

The grand lodge of Nebraska has abandoned the giving of cash premiums for new members, substituting a solid gold medal to the member secur-

Try a few social meetings and see

In Iowa the assessments for the past two years have only been eight per an-

### Good Templars.

Joseph Malius has been elected grand chief of England for the thirty-fourth consecutive year. He is also doing splendid work as the supreme head of

The grand lodge of Germany now has over 15,000 members. A gain of drunk with vinegar. 5,000 is reported for the year just

The order has placed a miniature ju- pion's bite. venile temple, representing members of the entire world, on exhibition at

### Woodmen of the World. San Francisco's biggest camp has a

the St. Louis fair.

membership of 1,826.

Lewiston, Ida., is to have an \$8,000 Woodmen hall,

### \*\*\*\*\* Church Bervices.

(Contributed)

There was a large attendance at the Presbyterian church last Sunday both morning and evening. The continued large attendance must be accounted for by the fact that Mr. Flett prepares his sermons with the utmost care, so that they are full of the choicest spiritual food. His sermons are also noted for profession of saloon keeping, bartend their practicability and are delivered in such an earnest manner that they can not help but be impressive. The text quired to appoint some brother to in- in the morning was "Jesus the same yesterday, today and forever," and in the evening "The Disciples were first called Christians at Antioch".

The Sunday School was large. Miss Farrell's Junior class, overflowing all bounds. The collection was good, Prof. McDonald, as usual, being contributor

The Junior Society under the management of Miss McClellan seems to be doter, and the owners wonder why their ing the year 1903. The membership ing nicely. Miss McClellan is one of the most faithful workers in the church. The Senior Society is particularly noted for its music. They have the

Lowry hymns down to perfection.

An encouraging feature is the fact that the public cchool teachers are taking in interest in church work. Several of them have classes in the Sunday School, while others are regular attendants in some church. Some of them

The largest plate collection contributor was Noble Kee, Jr., who planked down fifty cents at the morning service. Noble was late, although he started early and it is supposed he thought fifty A cents would effectively wipe out any C tardy mark or any 'staying after school.'

The Bible study at the manse this

### QUEER SUPERSTITIONS.

Some Medicines, Cures and Omens of Former Generations.

A sure cure for the ague, according to an old time specific, was to rub a live spider in butter and then eat it. The late Vincent Stuckey Lane, who died in England after spending much of his life in the collection of folk lore, gives many other instances of the medicines of former generations. To rub a dried mole to powder and to swallow At as much of it as would lie on a shilling for nine days in succession was another cure for ague. A hare's foot carried on the person prevented colic, eels apjected for life benefit membership may | plied to the ears were a specific against deafness, and epilepsy yielded to a gentle treatment of toadstools gathered just as they were forcing their way through the ground and swallowed in claret at midnight. There were many ways of curing fits, but the simplest plan was to go into a church at midnight and walk three times round the communion table. A snake's skin worn round the temples was good for the headache, but if that failed the sufferer Veana Flakes might try moss grown on a human skull, then powdered and taken as snuff.

Whooping cough could never be caught by a child who had ridden a bear, but if no bear was handy the child might be soundly thrashed or drawn backward through a bramble bush. The subject of signs and omens fills a number of pages of Mr. Lane's five volumes. Under the heading "Good and Ill Luck In Marriage" he shows on how trifling a matter the marital happiness or unhappiness of our ancestors could turn. It was unlucky, for example, to receive a present of doves, to marry on the anniversary of birth, to tread on the tail of a cat, to put on one's stockings wrong side out or to try the wedding ring on before mar-

On the wedding day the happy couple had to redouble their vigilance, as a horse looking at them through a gateway, a pig running across their path on the way to church, a dog running between them or the clock striktheir happiness. For the bride to look in the glass after she was attired in her wedding finery was sure to bring ill luck. On the other hand, it was lucky to be followed by a strange dog when going courting, to be touched by the wing of a bat or for the bride to hear a cat sneeze on the eve of her

### OLD GEM SUPERSTITIONS.

tent fevers when attached somewhere about the person.

The amethyst stills headaches, makes drunkards abstemious and sober; hence

The hematite or bloodstone heals disease of the eye. The carbuncle is said to cure head-

ache if given to the sick in solution. The jasper eases inflammation of the head and prevents nightmares and is a preservative against pestilence and ep-The onyx, dissolved, keeps off night-

mare and phantasms, and when pow dered is good for toothache. The jacinth stops coughs, heals her-

nia and is good against melancholy if The chalcedony, worn round the person, heals the wound from the scor-

The topaz, powdered and drunk, brings persons raving mad back to their state. If it is worn on the person it is also helpful in this case.

Uncle Joe's Next Move. Uncle Joe Cannon's next ramble will be in the direction of his old official

# Inventory Sale at Shelley's

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Furs. Child's \$6.50 Thibet Set, Muff and Boa	Millinery.  All Hats, Ostrich Feathers, Buc for less than half price.
Child's \$4.50 Thibet Set, Muff and Collar Imitation Ermine Set Muff and Collar Child's \$7.00 Muffler Set  5.00	Shoes. Ladies' \$3.00 LaFrance Shoe
Muff and Boa	Widths A, B, C  Ladies' \$3.00 LaFrance Shoe Widths E and EE  1 Lot Child's Red Satine
Electric Seal and Ermine	\$1.10 Slippers
Astrakan Capes at \$7.50 and \$12.50.  Cloaks.	1 Lot Black Felt Child's 50c Slippers Children's 1 and 2 buckle Arctic Ladies' and Children's Rubbers.
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Underwear.  Men's fine all wool Inderwear.  Ladies' fine all wool Inderwear.  Children's Vests, % off. Ladies' heavy fleeced 50c Vests At	Boys' Fur Back Leather Gloves
Ladies' \$1.75 Wool Union Suits 1.25	The Rub-Dry Towel.

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First publication Dec. 31, 1904. MOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior. LAND OFFICE AT MARQUETTE, MICH.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention at Escanaba, Michigan, on February 6, 1905,

Van Valkenburg for the sw 1/4 section 2, town- and nw 1/4 of ne 1/4. section 6, township 42 north, ship 43 n, range 25 w. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation his continuous residence upon and cultivation

of said land, viz: John S. Peterson, of Cornell, Mich., Dexter Stephenson, Byron A. Leighton, Elmer F. Van Valkenburg, of Escanaba, Mich. THOMAS SCADDEN, Register.

First Publication December 17, 1904. U. S. LAND OFFICE, MARQUETTE, MICH.,

December 12, 1904. A sufficient contest affidavit having been

filed in this office by John Henry, contestant, against homestead entry No. 10905, made September 5, 1901, for the north east quarter Sec. On Monday next, January 7, township 41 north, range 25 west, Michigan meridian, by Robert Laplant, contestee, in which it is alleged that "said Robert Laplant has wholly abandoned said land and changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said entry, and next prior to the date herein; that said tract is not settled upon, improved or cultivated by said entryman By water and smoke at our as required by law, and that said entryman has not resided upon, improved or cultivated said land for a period of five years as required by law, and that said alleged absence from said land was not due to entryman's enlistment in the military or naval service of the United

Said parties are hereby notified to appear respond and offer evidence touching said allegations at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 23, 1905, be fore the clerk of the circuit court of Delta county, at Escanaba, Michigan, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 30 1905, before the Register and Receiver of the United States Land Office in Marquette, Mich-

davit, filed December 6, 1904, set forth facts by ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

THOMAS SCADDEN, Register.

JOHN JONES, Receiver.

First publication Dec. 24, 1904.

ckles, etc.

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CTATE OF MICHIGAN, SS. The Circuit Court for the County of Delta KATHERINE GALLAGHER. Plaintiff,

OWEN GALLAGHER,

To Whom it May Concern: Take notice that a writ of attachment was ssued in said cause from said Court on the 29th day of November, A. D. 1904, at the suit of said plaintiff and against said defendant, for the

sum of ten thousand dollars, and that said writ was made returnable December 15, 1904. Dated this 17th day of December, 1904. JOHN POWER,

Attorney for Plaintiff.

First publication Dec. 10, 1904. MOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior. Land Office at Marquette, Mich.,

December 2, 1904. Notice is hereby given that the followingnamed settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk that said proof will be made before the clerk of the circuit court for Delta county, Michigan of the Circuit Court for Delta county, at Es-

canaba. Mich., on January 16, 1905, viz: Homestead application No. 9076, of Michele Homestead application No. 10947, of Peter Laincour, for the sw 1/4 of nw 1/4, e 1/2 of nw 1/4, range 25 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove of said land, viz: Armidase Vouix, Tadule Torangeau, Arthur Torangeau, Armegile Lincour, all of Groos, Mich. 41 THOMAS SCADDEN, Register.

First publication Dec. 31, 1904. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Marquette, Mich.,

December 19, 1904. Notice is hereby given that the followingnamed settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver of U.S. Land Office at Marquette, Mich., on February 7, 1905, viz: Homestead application No. 9414, of Delia Demarsh, one of the heirs of entryman Joseph Bergean, deceased. for the e 1/2 of nw 1/4, sw 1/4 of nw 1/4 and nw 1/4 of ne 1/4, section 2, township

42 north, range 26 west, Mich. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Louis G. Lefevre, Alex Lefevre, Isaac Pepin,

Jr., Frederick Jordan, all of Northland, Mich. THOMAS SCADDEN, Register.



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Fortune once tarried at my porch,
And lit it with her toren.
A sked her foulty, "Have you come to She answered, "Nay."

robed in spotless white, before me came, I longed her kiss to claim. I told her now her presence I revered— She disappeared!

Love came at last. How pure! how sweet! With roses at her feet. I begged her all her bounty to bestow— She answered, "No."

Since then, Joy, Fortme, Love and Fame, Have come my soul to claim; I see them smiling everywhere—But do not care.

—New Orleans Picayune.

### Ways and Wants of Womankind.

In Shakespeare's time a woman's existence, in the eye of the law, was merged in that of her husband. A man could say to his wife: "She is my goods, my chattels; she is my house, my household suff, any field, my barn, my horse, my ox, my anything." The very presents which he gave her were still his property. He could beat her. He could deprive her of the guardianship of her children.

It was not until the end of the Seven-teenth century that the law secured to her a right to the separate use of her property, and not until the middle of the Nincteenth century that the legislation of Great Britain and America began to recognize and protect her as a person, entitled to work and receive wages, to dispose of her own earnings, to have an equal share with her husband in the guardianship of their children. Surely it is an immense gain in justice that a woman should be treated as a human

This gain is most evident, of course, in those nations which are leading the march of civilization. But I think we can see traces of it elsewhere. The abolition of child-marriage and the practical extinction of the suttee in India, the decline of the cruelly significant fashion of "feet binding" in China, the begin-ning of the education of girls in Egypt, are bints that even the heathen world is learning to believe that woman may have a claim to justice.—Henry Van Dyke in Everybody's Magazine.

#### Truthful Children.

How to inculcate and encourage truthfulness in the breast of a child is a prob-lem which taxes the judgment of the best among us. It is one of those in-cvitable problems which no parent can escape, and it may be taken as an axiom that the road to truthfulness must be sought through trust, and trustfulness can only come through mutual symmetry. pathy, a sympathy which enables the mother to know what demands she can and ought to make upon the child's obedience to her higher will and which teaches the child uncomplainingly to accept her wishes as law. To win this trust a mother's correction should never outrun her love, and she may well make it a golden maxim never to let the sun go down upon her wrath. If a child once falls that he day has gone by with loss or lessening of the mother's love the influence of the mother for good is dangerously weakened; a link is snapped in the chain of truthfulness and a precious idol is in danger of being hope-lessly shattered. Undue harshness is one of those irreparable errors we are sure to regret, and as it behooves us to temper our justice with mercy it is equally important for mothers to temper their reproofs with love. The responsibilities of motherhood are indeed heavy, but they not beyond their powers, and it is are not beyond their powers, and it is within a mother's scope to control far more fully than she may be ready to acknowledge the environment of her children and to weld their characters for good or evil.—Burlington Hawkeye.

### Novelties in Table Decoration.

a college dinner.

At a dinner given recently for a foot-ball hero the table held a unique center- So ma piece in the form of a great football.

The piece was in four sections, in the colors of the college at which the lion was a player. An automobile in floral effect is a altogether.

pretty compliment to the guest of honor who enjoys the automobile.

The flower umbrella, with knots and streamers of ribbon, is effective hanging handle downward from the chandelier above the table. A child's parasol will serve as a frame. A college flower pennant is pretty for

A ship of flowers, with sails of white silk ribbon, make a pretty centerpiece when entertaining one who is going The same is pretty for a wedding breakfast. A finy house is pretty for a luncheon given for a prospective bride. Sometimes

wreath, to represent a ring, is used at occasions Baskets in light blue can be obtained. These baskets are in various shapes. Some are shaped like barrels. These novelties are filled at each end with a mass of flowers and showered with green-

A straw hamper filled with flowers is attractive. A candy hamper can be used effectively. A raffia hamper is easily

A supper given at the house of an amateur actor, in honor of his leading lady, was made suggestive of the occasion be the centerpiece of a star of flowers. Just now while yellow, gold and the so popular, deep red stone iars are playing an important part

### What Do Women Read.

"Fashion and matrimony" are the leading questions in the world of woman, said an authority with an air of unalterable decision. As he was a man, it was obviously unwise to argue with this authority. "The stuff that is turned out in endless folios for the delectation of in reference to femininity. By-the-by, it is the average woman whom we are now considering. Clever women have long ago dropped out of all newspaper discus-

Fear seizes one, and trembling and A New Occupation. doubt assails when one picks up a magazine devoted solely to the interests of the average woman. Is she, this average woman, intelligent? She is apparently a gournet of the most advanced type, to judge by the prolonged cookery columns. gourmet of the most advanced type, to judge by the prolonged cookery columns. She is the veriest butterfly who ever fluttered, in season and out, to judge by the profuse chiffonalities: she is the living incarnation of sentimentality and romance, to again take reasons from the mance, to again take reasons from the columns devoted to love, courtship and marriage. What is really the truth? It

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#### Father and Child.

A man is sometimes thoughtlessly careless and inconsiderate in the home, and if he is shown himself as others see him, he will mend his ways. When he vowed at the altar to endow his wife with all his worldly goods, he was not supposed to mean one dress a year, and a hat in

prised if she expects some of those at-tentions after marriage. Nor must he think she will be satisfied with the an-cient joke of the man running after the

are asleep, cannot get on very familiar terms with them. Some one has told the

to call upon the father to enforce her commands. A child who is obstinate or refuses to obey, is subdued by the threat—"I will tell father when he comes," unil the child begins to think the father a

til the child begins to think the father a very severe person.

This is scarcely just to him, and he does not relish the position of a last tribunal. His ideas of child government may be entirely different, and he may wish to control by love and not by fear, but if he is called upon always to enforce the obedience of the child, he will be regarded as a personage much to be regarded as a personage much to be

No other such an exalted sensation can No other such an exalted sensation can come to a man as when he holds in his arms his first-born son. The helplessness of the infant appeals to his tenderness, and his pride is gratified that the name of his race is to be perpetuated. He has dreams of ambition for the boy, and he hopes to see him great beyond anything which he himself has attained.—Mande Murray Miller in Pilgrim. Murray Miller in Pilgrim.

### A Fashion Leader on Mourning Dress.

anything but objects of woe seems to be in this enlightened age positively uncivilized. In the desire to show respect to one's beloved dead and to the world's epinions and criticisms, women shroud themselves in black so that they have a most depressing effect upon all who see them. The influence of sombre weeds upon surroundings is greater fban people think. It is bad for the nerves, depressing to the spirits—and, therefore, to the health-and is calculated to prohibit

The pangs of loss.

People owe a duty to the living as well as to the dead, and for years doctors have tried to prohibit the wearing of mourning by their patients, as being bad for their nearly had for their health.

So many women have begun to think over these things that at present there is revulsion of feeling in regard to mourning. Shorter veils are worn; some women refuse to wear regulation mourning

Again, there is a tendency to wear dead white as mourning. This tendency should, I think, be encouraged in every possible way. White is sanitary, pleaspossible way. ant to the eyes, becoming to nearly everybody, and suggests peace and purity instead of funeral trappings and utter misery. It is an unobtrusive mourning that offends nobody's nerves and has no bad effect upon the minds of other people not so clad. Another plea for dead white as mourning lies in the fact that other white dresses are invariably made of off shades of white, such as pearly or creamy tints or white dimly suggesting nts of lavender gray, blut and rose, but merely suggesting them so that nothng definite in the way of color may be

letermined. The Japanese far surpass us in this reoms of western barbarity in dress. The Chinese, too, affect white, braiding it in the Japanese do not lay as much stress tpen mourning habiliments after the of burial as western nations do, and sensibly do not endeavor to cast a pall over

When a girl dislikes teaching and has no especial training for any other work it often becomes a very difficult problem what she is to do when school and cola girl would naturally do in her own The best way to give an idea of nome.

is dangerous to venture too decided an routine:
"By 8 in the morning I am with Miss "By 8 in the morning I am with Miss an elderly spinster who

she has never kept but one maid, doing much of the work of the house herself. Now she is very lame with rheumatism and cannot do as she always has done. The maid, Maria, who has lived with her thirty years, threatens to leave if another servant comes into the house, so they compromise on me! I fill the lamps and dust the parlor and sitting room. By the time I have accomplished this Miss A. has finished her breakfast, and between us we wash her lovely old breakfast service. Then I go up stairs, make her hed and put her room in order. her bed and put her room in order. After that I do any little thing that she needs. Sometimes I do shopping for her or go with her when she makes visits to

And because he made such violent love to a girl and sent her so many flowers and pounds of candy, he must not be surwith her morning's mail. She may give me formal notes to answer or notices or When I ago was torturing the soul of Othello with tales of Desmonda's infidelity, he tried to comfort his soul by saying, "She had eyes and choose me." A wife may say the same thing of her husband, and yet she likes him to tell her of his love.

Even a very young shill contain the date of our next committee meeting. She has no telephone, so I wish you would run down and tell her, etc. 'Oh and on your way back just stop in and see why those painters did not come today; tell them,' etc. When I get back it is often 1 o'clock or her is often 1 o'clock or her in the may say; about the date of our next committee wish you would run down and tell her,' etc. 'Oh and on your way back just stop in and see why those painters did not come to an array of the date of our next committee wish you would run down and tell her,' etc. 'Oh and on your way back just stop in and see why those painters did not come to a supplied the date of our next committee wish you would run down and tell her,' etc. 'Oh and on your way back just stop in and see why those painters did not come to a supplied to the date of our next committee wish you would run down and tell her,' etc. 'Oh and on your way back just stop in and see why those painters did not come to a supplied to the date of our next committee wish you would run down and tell her,' etc. 'Oh and on your way back just stop in and see why those painters did not come to a supplied to the date of our next committee wish you would run down and tell her,' etc. 'Oh and on your way back just stop in and see why those painters did not come to a supplied to the date of our next committee wish you would run down and tell her,' etc. 'Oh and on your way back just stop in and see why those painters did not come to a supplied to the date of our next committee wish you would run down and tell her,' etc. 'Oh and on your way back just stop in and see why those painters did not committee wish your would run down and tell her,' etc.' 'Oh and on your way back just stop in any other way and you would run down

Even a very young child quickly learns what to expect from the father, and he meeting of her whist club I see that the what to expect from the father, and he will meet him on whatever ground the father has mapped out. The man who keeps his child at a distance and has only words of reproof for him, can never hope to win that child's love.

The busy man who goes to his work in the morning before the children are awake, and returns at night after they are askeen, cannot yet on very familiar. the week she keeps for herself, so I am called in. I either read or sing to the terms with them. Some one has told the story of a little boy coming in crying to his mother one Sunday morning. When she asked kim what was the matter, he answered:

"A man out there slapped me, and made me come in the house." It was the child's own father, but he had seen him so seldom that he did not recognize him. A mother who has been over-indulgent to her child, is often compelled to call upon the father to enforce her commands. A child who is obstinate or not uncommon virtues can make as much of a success at 'being a have."—Harper's Bazar.

### When Going Somewhere.

There are a few essentials for the woman who travels in a sleeping car. She should take with her into the car a handbag, in which are her toilet articles, purse, etc., and a suitcase. In case she s going on a short journey the handbag may be dispensed with and a soft bag containing toilet articles can be placed in the suitcase, though this will necessitate the carrying in the hand of a purse with ticket and small change.

If possible the suitcase should hold the extra wrap, a slumber robe, a soft cap to protect the hair at night, and a clean shirtwaist that will be needed on

the morning of arrival. That the suitcase and its contents may always tidy and articles may not be dropping out when the case is opened, certain articles should be packed in light, soft bags. There should be two handker-I think that of all barbarous customs mourning is the most barbarous declares Mrs. Josefa Osborn, high authority on fashions in dress. For people to attire themselves so that they can never be anything but objects of woe seems to be in this enlightened age positively uncivilized. In the desire to show respect

The bags should be placed in the cover the presence of any cheerful or comforting thought that might come to alleviate the pangs of loss.

The bags should be placed in the Covering the case, held in place by the straps. Here is room also for the slumber robe. A wrap can be laid in over the towel and

for their nerves and bad for their health ber robe the traveler can go to the dress-laying special stress upon long veils, ing room, carrying with her the bag conof crepe, particularly, fine particles of taining the toilet articles. She should which, it is said, are breathed into the wash as quickly as possible and return system to work harm in a very practical to her berth to complete her toilet. Nothmanner. monopolize the dressing room on a crowd-

It is decidedly out of taste to wear jewelry or elegant clothing or picture hats when traveling. The traveling of the should consist of a short skirt, a suitable shirtwaist, a wrap, gloves and a neat, simple hat.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Old Knickerbocker New Year Customs. When I was a girl, before New York had grown cosmopolitan, we used to look forward to New Year's day with a great deal of pleasant anticipation. The first foot over the threshold was watched for with some curiosity. Who of the outside world should be first to enter the home with the merry salutation, "A Hap-py New Year!" We were always rather pleased if it happened to be a pretty child or a graceful girl who brought this greeting, although it was very apt to be instead the milkman, with his rosy face bronzed and flushed by wind and weather, or the carrier of the newspaper, who spect. They wear pure white as mourning, although in some parts of Japan for which he expected a gratuity. This message recapitulated everything that message recapitulated everything that The had occurred for twelve months at home and abroad, with gleams of humor inter spersed, and with some prophecy or other of what the new year might bring. Great was my pride when in my fifteenth year the carrier of our daily paper sibly do not endeavor to east a pall over came to me and asked me to write the other hearts because one rests upon their message for him. My classmates and I Some of the smartest gowns in all white mourning are made of dead white crepe—just like black crepe and made up in the same fashion—and of white merino and other stuffs in dead white.

Notwithstanding this departure from old customs upon the part of a few that were much interested in looking over the old customs upon the part of a few the great majority still insist on making themselves a distress to the eyes of all around them, and, by way of paradox. endeavor at the same time to get up gowns and bonnets that will be becoming to them and attract admiration. The thority. "The stuff that is turned out in endless folios for the delectation of women readers is an insult to their intelligence." Thus the opinion of a reformer, young, enthusiastic, and to his praise be it said—a man! Now it was very kind of the reformer to call us intelligent. Happily the iong-coveted adjective is one that is often used today in reference to feminint. Parthalvy it reference to feminint. Parthalv it is reference to feminint. here and there, and by the time that evening came, in many houses there were little informal dances and other festive gatherings, which did not break up until midnight. Ladies' day followed on the second of January, when women called on one another, exchanged good wishes and discussed the pleasure of the day be fore. It was a happy time while it last-ed, but after a while, as the city grew large and distances were magnified, until, instead of a town, Manhattan became a great capital, with all sorts and conditions of people, the custom of New Year's calls died a natural death. Woman's Home Companion.

### Gives Farm to Janitor.

For many years of faithful service as a janitor at Chicago William Walbaugh received a valuable farm in Indiana as a is dangerous to venture too decided an opinion on so delicate a subject.

But something near the mark may only be found in the oldest truism—that woman is so charmingly variable and unmuch that, though she has ample means,

### YOUNG FOLKS' COLUMN.

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#### The Chickadee.

The chickadee tilts
On a sycamore bough.
In cute little kilts
The chickadee tilts,
Like a brownie on stilts.
With his sweet little Frau,
The chickadee tilts
On a sycamore bough On a sycamore bough,

The chickadee wears
A cunning black cap.
In all his affairs The chickadee wears,
Without any airs—
The dear little chap—
The chickadee wears
A cunning black cap.

The chickadee's song
Is "Chick-a-dee-dee."
It is not very long.
The chickadee's song. Not much for a throng, But it satisfies me. The chickadee's song Is "Chick-a-dee-dee."

The chickadee nests
In the heart of a tree.
The cats are not guests
Where the chickadee nests No robber molests
His little tepec.
The chickadec nests
In the heart of a tree. The chickadee stays

All the year round.
On cold winter days
The chickadee stays;
The cat bird delays
Till daisles abound; chickadee stays All the year round

### -Le Roy T. Weeks in St. Nicholas. How One Small Mackerel Caused a Boy

to Go to War. It's singular what very little things change the course of our lives," said the colonel, spreading out his hands before the blazing grate fire. "Now, that entered Petersburg. I well remember mackerel we had for dinner touight, remarching down the main street of the minded me of another mackerel a much the blazing grate fire. "Now, that smaller one at that—which caused me to run away to war when a boy."
"Oh. tell us about it. do," cried all the

children in a breath, jumping up and sur-rounding the colonel, who was a frequent visitor at their home and a great favorite with young as well as old. "Bless me, anybody would think you

were storming a fort, but I'm too strong a one to be taken in this way; beside, he story is too long to tell, and it must e pretty near your bedtime.

"Bedtime! indeed!" was the indignant rejoinder. "Why, it's hours away and you just must tell us a story. Please

"Yes, please do," put in little Dorothy, oaxingly. Now, Dorothy had a deep dimple in each cheek and very blue eyes, and when she said "please" in that soft little voice of hers, people generally did "please" to do just what she wanted. The colonel was no exception; he sur rendered at the first smile and "please."
"Well, if 1 must, I suppose I must, whether I please or not," he said laughngly and settling himself in the armhair before the fire with the children

estled about him he told this story: "You must remember that what I am going to tell you happened some forty years ago. I was a chubby little country boy when the Civil war broke out and

martial music, to see the wounded and dead brought home, to have father, brothers and uncles leaving home perhaps nev er to return, and to know the awful suspense of those at home waiting for tid-ings. Though a boy, I was old enough to understand and feel it all and to wish I

was able to shoulder a gun and fight with the others for my country. The war had not been going on long when three of my brothers enlisted. Some time afterward one of them was seriously wounded in a battle and when the tele gram came telling us the sad news, my father started at once for Virginia deter mined to procure a furlough for his boy and bring him home to be nursed. was the last we ever saw of him alive The worry and fatigue of the journe proved too much for him and he died

three weeks after leaving home. Of course, the family had to live and the newspaper had to be sold. So I was forced to go on with my apprenticeship, though the paper fell into the hands of a man whom I then thought to be the meanest man that ever lived, though in after years I came to change my opinion. For my labors I received the magnificent salary of \$1.50 a week and board, and such board as it was! It's not a very pleasant sensation to be hungry even once in a while, but I was hungry all the time. If I mustered up courage to meal time, it was received with a frown like a thunder cloud and a very uncomplimentary reference to the four-legged

nimal renowned for gluttony. One cold February morning I sat down breakfast with a ravenous appetite. There was one little salt mackerel he table and nine hungry mouths devour it. My portion was so small that it was soon eaten. I deliberated a while and then, with the courage born peration, passed my plate and timidly asked for another piece of fish. "What do you want, the whole fish small salt mackeral.-Brooklyn Eagle.

The Doctor's Twins.

### A worthy Glasgow doctor, while enjoying a holiday in Arran, took the opportunity along with a friend to go whiting

on its mission.

quoth the doctor, "a bite," and up he pulls at racing speed a rine pair of whitng, one on each hook. doctor, twins this time,"

### The Czar's Many Houses.

A prominent and distinguished member of the large Russian colony in Paris, writes my Paris correspondent, has been giving a French interviewer amazing accounts of the magnificent possessions and properties of the Czar. In all he is master of 100 palaces and chateaus, eye in scattered about all over his vast empire and each one of them is marvellously furnished and marvellously filled with servants. Something like 35,000 butlers, grooms, footmen, valets, chefs, coachmen, gardeners, etc., are housed in the hundred residences, and their total salaries amount to the enormous sum of 20,000.

may be placed at 50,000; but even the distinguished and well informed member

and everything there is on the table? was the angry exclamation.
"One mackerel for nine people is pretty kind of a breakfast, anyway." I retorted, so indignant that I forgot my

timidity for once. A stormy scene en-sued and from that things went on from had to worse till finally I received my Not knowing where to procure another situation and not much caring, my whole thoughts were given to the war going on all about us. Why could I not go and do

my little part in the great fight? I was then 16 and good-sized for my age. I started for Trenton to enlist, telling the examining officer there that I was 18, that being the youngest that recruits were received. Assigned to a New Jersey regiment, I had a chance to learn something of army life in the barracks, drilling and dining on bean soup and hard tack. Then the regiment was dispatched to the front, arriving there just in time to participate in that memorable campaign which ended

After a time spent in guard duty, pick-et duty and other things devolving upon soldiers, the regiment began to experience some of the realities of war. Cannonading was going on all about us, and every night, when we went to bed we expected that the next morning would find us engaged in a big battle. For nearly a week every night, when mid-night came, the "long roll" was sounded. regiment was drawn up in line of battle, with everything packed, even to cooking utensils and sections of shelter

tents, only to be sent back to unpack and put up its tent again.

But on the last day of March, 1865, we were called out in line of battle, and this time we stayed out, for on the first of April we got what we had long been expecting—a battle. It was the opening battle of that short and sharp campaign, which ended with the surrender of Lee In the early morning of the next day we minded me of another mackerel—a much town and seeing Abraham Lincoln, smaller one at that—which caused me to whose death we were so soon to mourn, and Gen. Grant, surrounded by his staff, seated on horseback, before his head-quarters. Well, too, do I remember the

uplifted hat of the hero, and the hearty words of the President; "Good morning, boys, you've done rell." No one knows what those few well.' words of encouragement meant to the tired soldiers, but our feelings were shown in the wild cheers given in return as we marched on. That one minute was worth all the hardships that had gone before. But our hardships were by no means over. From the camp of our regiment at Southerland Station, later on commenced one of the hardest and most memorable marches of the war. The distance traversed was 120 miles from the Southerland Station to Danville, and this was accomplished in four days and four hours, a remarkable per-formance considering the fact that the

troops were in heavy marching orders.

That was the record of the regiment but it wasn't mine, for about midnight o the first day's march my feet became s sore and swollen that it was utterly im possible for me to keep up with the regiment. A sergeant of the company was in the same condition, and as we crossed the Weldon railroad we both gave it up. We made a bed of leaves in the woods and slept till the sun was high in the heavens. Then, somewhat refreshed, though having no food, we started off in the direction the regiment had taken.

We passed burning houses on the way which had been fired by soldiers. From one house two women rushed out and implored us to stay and protect them, as plain. The less hair a man has the they feared for their lives and that their more attention he pays to it. implored us to stay and protect them, as plain. house might be fired. After some parley "There's a real estate agent who we consented and went to the house comes in here nearly every week for a That night I shall never forget. It was agreed that the servant and I should take turns standing guard during the night. About 9 o'clock I was startled He's got a short, light-colored fringe by seeing a young woman with streaming hair rush wildly through the hall, and open the front door, shouting at the top of her voice, "Brother, oh, my brother!" Thinking this might be a ruse to let friends know that there were Yankee soldiers in the house. I was greatly perplexed and frightened. Just then the mother and sister came running in and explained that the girl had lost her reason over the death of her brother, who had been killed in the war. They coaxed the crazy girl away and all was quiet for some time when suddenly with whoop like a Comanche Indian, the girl bounded into the room, opened the front door and called in the same wild

way for her brother. This was too much for the sergeant, who realized that the girl was endanger-ing our lives. Raising his musket to his shoulder and pointing it at the girl h called out loudly:

"Keep away from that door or we will oot." This command seemed to quiet the girl, and her mother coming in just then she allowed herself to be led away and troubled us no more with her antics In the morning we were given as good breakfast as the house afforded, being treated to potatoes, corn bread and th last drawing of tea in the house. were shown, too, the remnants of a barrel of flour for which \$900 in Confederate money had been paid. We departed and in due time came up with our regiment very glad to get home—as we called it—again. After being reprimand-

ed for straggling from the regiment we took our old places in our company with thankful hearts. Yes, I had many sad experiences in the war, some tragic ones and also some that were happy and all of them I owe to one of the life and snirit into his discourses.

fishing. During operations the doctor's sinker came off and was lost.

water, carefully corked, and sent down magnificent abodes.-From M. A. P. After a few minutes interval. "Ha!"

000 francs, or £800,000.

In the many stables are some five thousand horses, while the heads of cattle

stating the number of inhabitants of the Czar's kennels, the dogs being entirely in numerable. Naturally, the Czar is not familiar with all his palaces and chateaus. Out of the 100, indeed, there are no less than 62 upon which he has never set eyes and which, in all probability. Here was a dilemma-no sinker, no he never will see. But the servants are there, and everything is ever in readiness more fishing that day. Ha! happy thought, his flask; no sooner said than done. The bottle was fifled with salt head to look just once mon his truly head to look just once upon his truly

### Women Agree Not to Kiss.

women, old and young, married and inclaimed his companion.
"Yes," quoth the doctor, "and brought
up on the bottle, too."—London Tit-Bits.

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the city of Mexico marks a new departure, different, among the leading social sets of membership in what is known as the Anti-Kissing league. Members of the league take solemn pledge not to kis each other, in public or private, but put it on the ground that kissing is contagi-ous, or, rather, the means of conveying contagious diseases from one fair lip to

There is nothing visible to the naked the constitution of this league against kissing other than members of the female persuasion, and, in fact, the practice, aside from the supposed danger of infection, is decidedly, to the male sense, not only deplorable, but unnecessary. When one woman takes two or three minutes of time in a street car to kiss three or four other women before alighting from the car she certainly violates the golden rule by making all those passengers wait. How far this new is no reason why the light will never go out has been discovered by an inventor in London. While experimenting with photographic chemicals some years ago Magrady's attention was attracted by a glow in a small globe, caused by a chemical compound. Magrady enlarged the glow and perfected the light by placing it in an airtight glass. He says there passengers wait. How far this new league will conduct its offensive and dedistinguished and well informed member fensive campaign remains to be seen.
of the Paris Russian colony hesitates at Los Angeles Times.

### ERITREA'S NEW CAPITAL.

Italians Establish a Fine City in Their

Colony on the Red Sea. The Italian colony of Eritren in Africa, ronting on the Red Sea, has a new ca-The distinction has been taken pital. from Massawah, which is centrally situated on the coast, but is one of the hottest towns in the world and has a very unhealthful climate.

All the government offices, located here since Italy entered the country, are now to be moved. The governor at larger, Ferdinand Martine, has, inches the Italian government to transfer the east of to the salubrious heights at the interior. Asmara, a mile and a half above the sea.

is the city selected for the honor.

Asmara is only sixty miles from Massawah, but a greater contrast than that between the two places could scarcely be imagined.

Massawah has been a pesthole for the Europeans settled there. The death rate among the thousand Europeans has been ery great.
It lies scarcely above the surface of the

It lies scarcely above the surface of the Red Sea, while Assmara is 7800 feet above sea level, with a climate that is scarcely surpassed anywhere. The temperature of Asmara hardly ever rises above 88 degrees Fahrenheit, and the minimum temperature is above 44 degrees. Fahrenheit grees Fahrenheit, and the minimum temperature is about 14 degrees. Fahrenheit. This is freezing weather, and the natives down on the coastal plain could not endure it. But the hardy tribes of the great plateau, well wrapped in native cloths and imported cottons, thrive in this fine air. None of the diseases which affect the tronies can gain a coatball hard. flict the tropics can gain a foothold here. When the Italians occupied Asmara in

When the Italians occupied Asmara in 1897 there were only a few score buts and an Abyssinian fort. Asmara now has a population of 9000, of whom 1000 are Europeans. The whites include a few Greeks and Norwegian missionaries, few Greeks and Norwegian missionaries, all the others being Italians. The town is in the midst of splen-did pastures, and its name signifies "good place to feed the flocks." Many varieties

of trees and not a few Enropean crops are thriving around it. Italy spent two years in building the wagon road that winds up the face of the mighty wall of this plateau. It is one of the most remarkable wagon mads

in the world. It winds from terrace to terrace through deep cuts in the rock; through many tunnels, and along the precipitous face of the wall where it has been hewn out of the rock. At many points the view for thousands of square miles over the coastal plain and sea is surpassing ly beautiful. The road is wide enough

for wagons to pass one another and a barrier of hewn timbers has been built along the outer edge wherever safety re-The railroad from Massawah extends to Macatat, not many miles from the base of the wall, and the wagon road from Macatat to Asmara is forty-two miles long. Stages run daily over the road, the passenger fare to Asmara being \$5. It takes seventeen hours for the mules to draw the coaches to the top of

the plateau from whose edge Asmara is only a mile and a half distant. Italy intends to build a railroad up to Asmara, but the enterprise may not be carried out for years. The cost will be

enormous. The new capital is already a European town, with fine villas for the well-to-do whites, cafes, a theater, a casino, a hotel, postoffice and fine public and private gardens. Some of the best farming lands of Africa spread away for a great distance and this lofty part of the Italian colony is sure to have great development.-New York Sun.

Bald-Headed Men Want Many Hair Cuts. The secretive, tacitum, harber was finally induced to talk. He remarked: "I've noticed one peculiarity about my customers that I could never quite ex-

that plays around under the rim of his hat, like the soft, fluffy fringe you see on those shawls the women wear over their shoulders, but you'd think, to hear him, that he could braid it and do it up in coils. Wants me to be particular and teen minutes and make a great ado when I whisk him off.

"And when he leaves the chair and says he mustn't-let it grow so long again I say it was pretty long. I hope the Lord will forgive me. Nine out of every ten of the baldheads are that way, but men who've got plenty of hair will keep away from here until they look like the edges of an old-fashioned hayloft. It's curious, and, as I said, I never could account for it."—Providence Journal.

### Literally in the Saddle.

Visitors to a quaint little church in Usitors to a quaint little church in England observe a curious relic in the shape of a high stool with a leather top like a saddle. The parish cierk shows not a little pride in this relic, and tells its story with relish, according to the Indianapolis News. During the Seventeenth and Eighteenth centuries the conntry try parsons were acustomed to spend much of their time hunting with their country squires. Oftentimes the fex get more attention than the sermen on the following Sunday. Such was the case with the parson who left the saddle stool behind him as a relie of the days of fox hunting parsons. He was a good deal more at home in the saddle than in of the life and spirit into his discourses which he felt while in the hunting field the reverend gentleman had this saddle stool made. It was placed in the pulpit before the parson mounted the steps. Once astride this hobby, the parson was able to reach a much higher degree of enthusiasm and eloquence than he could have unmounted.

### Understanding Poker.

The women believe that every man knows all about poker, but only a few men do. It is true, however, that nearly every man pretends to understand the game thoroughly. When there is a poker joke at the theater all the men smile and look at their women folles with a sort of A little red button worn by some 300 pity, but the fellows who smile know yomen, old and young, married and into play it, for in almost every little social affair connected with chips and pairs there is a tin horn gambler industriously engaged in working chumps. The few men who really understand poker have a habit of winning the money of the men who pretend to understand it, so the large majority of men know nothing ut the game further than that a good hand is bard to get. The writer of this never played a game of peler in his life. Atchison Globe.

> A Light That Will Never Go Out. main brilliant forever, if the glass is not broken. A company has been formed to

manufacture the light.



tube acts as an inlet at one end and

regulate the inflow and outflow. Mod-

Beet Topper and Puller.

ern devices which will assure him a

larger output with the expenditure of

REMOVES THE BEET FROM THE GROUND.

less time and labor. A very simple

agricultural implement is shown here,

the invention of a Wisconsin farmer.

It is designed for topping and pulling

beets, and by its use the beets can be

easily and quickly removed from the

ground. One portion of the contriv-

ance is made of a long handle, with

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Ebon O. Cady, of Auburndale, Wis.,

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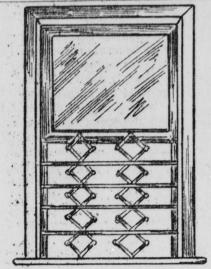
is the patentee.

There have been more inventions &-

than appears at first sight.

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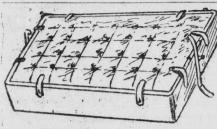
Screen and Guard for Windows. The modern office building, general- an outlet at the other, with valves to ly a skyscraper divided into hundreds of small rooms, has reached such perfection; both in its interior and exterior construction, that it is difficult



PREVENTS PAPERS BLCWING OUT.

tor the inventor to devise anything that would add to its convenience. Here, however, is a contrivance for preventing papers blowing from the window, a most aggravating annoyance in a high building, where draughts are plentiful. The invention consists of any suitable number of lazy tongs, which are secured to the lower part of the sash and to the sill of the window frame by strips. The lazy tongs are pivoted to a number of horizontal guide bars, the ends of the bars engaging with upright groved guides in the window frame, the whole forming a guard sufficient to screen the opening between the sill and the lower rail of the sash when the latter is raised, to prevent bills, checks and other papers upon the desk of an office from blowing out of the window. Abner Johnston, of Long Island City, is the patentee.

To Heat or Cool the Bed. The invention shown in the illustration below reminds us of some of the methods used by our forefathers. This device, for heating or cooling beds; is taken from the old custom of placing bottles or other receptacles containing hot water in the bottom of the bed, and sometimes under the pillows. In those days steam heat or furnaces were unknown, and the only rooms which were kept warm were the kitchen and the reception room,



with its time honored open grate and

HEATS OR COOLS THE BED.

hearth. This invention of an Indianapolis man comprises a mattress having numerous hollow tubes for receiving the heating and cooling mediums, with valves in the tubes for dividing them into separate chambers. A main

He Dare Not Attack Japs and Retreat Is Impossible.

### SITUATION IS SERIOUS

Jap Fleet Is Believed to Be on the Way to Cut Off the Baltic

Squadron.

ern, up-to-date hotels and apartment houses, where every possible want is Tokio, Jan. 10 .- 7 p. m .- Information which has reached certain reliable quarprovided for, would find this device of advantage. Connections could be made ters here states that the Russian generals Manchuria are losing confidence in with the steam heat radiators to sup-Gen. Kuropatkin and that the Russian ply heat to keep the bed warm, while situation around Mukden is a serious in the hot summer days ice water or one. It is feared that if Kuropatkin atcold air could be supplied, as is done tacks the Japanese position along the in a number of the latest, improved Shakhe river he will court disaster and theaters. The idea is more practical that his further retreat will mean the demoralization of his army.

The inventor is Isaiah H. Finchum, This information goes on to say that there is constant bickering at Russian Manchurian headquarters, and that the soldiers are discontented, dissatisfaction being with the series of retreats after the sued for agricultural implements and battle of Telicau (Vafangow), and the machinery by the United States patent | withdrawal from Liao Yang, when it was office than for any other class of de-vices. This accounts for the superior-place. The climax came with the Rusvices. This accounts for the superior- place. sian defeat at the battle of Shakhe river, ity of American farming methods over following Kuropatkin's strongly worded all others. These improved impleorder directing the forward movement, dated October 2. This defeat brought a ments and up-to-date machinery are storm of criticism upon the commander-in-chief and resulted in discord among the exported to all parts of the globe, and their equal is not produced in any othofficers.

Long inaction, the information alleges, er country. The Yankee farmer does is undermining the morale of the Russian not continue using antiquated machinarmy and it is pointed out that recent skirmishes and outpost brushes indicate ery when he can procure more mod,

that the Russian soldiers are becoming disheartened, as they do not show their former fighting spirit or qualities.

The siege guns to be sent to Manchuria from Port Arthur will probably be placed in advanced positions for the purpose of enabling the Japanese to shell far into the Russian lines.

### RUSS FLEET FOR FAR EAST.

St. Petersburg Announces That Ships Are to Sail Soon.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 10.-The Russ today confirms the Paris Temps' report of yesterday that the first division of the third Pacific squadron will leave Libau at the end of January and will consist of the warships Admiral Senjavin, General Admiral Apraxine, Admiral Oushakoff and Nicholas I., the cruiser Vladimir Menomach and several torpedo boat de-troyers and torpedo boats.

### Reinforce Vladivostok.

In a lengthy review of the military situation the Novoe Vremya urges the immediate reinforcement of Vladivostok, the island of Sakhalin and Kamchatka. The paper says:
"There is little probability of the Rus-

sians being caught as unprepared at Vladivostok as at Port Arthur, but the moral

### Emperor William Honors Generals Stoessel and Nogi.

Berlin, Jan. 10.-Emperor William has Berlin, Jan. 10.—Emperor witham has onferred on Gen. Stoessel and Gen. Sogi the order of "Pour le Merite," in ecognition of the bravery of themselves nd their troops at Port Arthur. His najesty has asked the Russian and Japanese Emperors to authorize Gens. Stoes-

responsibility rests upon the government one end pointed and shaped to fit to see that nothing in the way of defen-around the beet. Pivotally attached sive preparation is overlooked. Sakhalin around the beet. Pivotally attached and Kamchatka are both harder to de to this is another handle, provided with a fork at its lower end. The both are rich in mineral and other restationary handle is first inserted into sources and are especially tempting to the Japanese, to whose scheme for nathe ground around the beet, and by tional expansion they are necessary.

Continuing, the Novoe Vremya points

operating the pivoted handle the other fork is brought against the beet out that it is possible to send reinforce ments and supplies to Sakhalin and Kamchatka while the ice lasts, indeand the latter pulled from the ground. It is not necessary to stoop pendent of sea power and begs that this and dig the beet up by the hand, the should be done at once.

### No Time for Peace.

Touching on the general peace talk in the foreign press, the Novoe Vremya summarizes the list of Russian reverses in the present war and asks if it is pos-sible to consider the question of peace without substantial Russian victories.

### NOGI'S ARMY HURRIES NORTH. Large Portion Has Reached Liao Yang-Disastrous Explosion.

London, Jan. 10 .- A large portion of Gen. Nogi's army already has been hurried to Liao Yang, according to the correspondent of The Daily Telegraph in Che-This correspondent reports that the Japanese consul in Chefoo has received a disastrous mine explosion at Port Arthur.

#### JAPS NEAR BALTIC FLEET. May Cut Off Retreat of the Baltic Squadron.

London, Jan. 10 .- The Port Louis correspondent of The Daily Mail says the British cruiser, Forte, which is at port, has intercepted a number of wireless cipher messages from strange warships. The nationality of the ships using the cipher has not been fully de-cided yet, but the messages are believed be in the Japanese code

There have been reports from the eastward that Japanese cruisers were aproaching Madagascar. Nothing more has been seen or heard of the Baltic fleet, and it is believed that is seeking shelter somewhere off the

Madagascar, or among the Comoro islands A large Russian warship was seen off Mayotte, one of the Comoro islands, a

few days ago.

### FLEET ARRIVES AT PORT SAID. Division of Russian Warships Under Ad-

miral Botrovsky Near Suez Canal. Port Said, Jan. 10.—The division of Russian warships under Rear Admiral Botrovsky's command, consisting of the ruisers Oleg, Isumrud, Dnieper and Bion

### FLEET TO RETURN TO MALTA. Rojestvensky Will Wait for Reinforce-

ments from Europe.

### KUROPATKIN IN DANGER, GREAT COAL STRIKE IN GERMANY FEARED.

MANY MINERS HAVE QUIT WORK AND OTHERS WILL PROBABLY FOLLOW SUIT.

Manufacturers Are Nervously Laying in Supplies of Coal, Fearing a Famine.

Berlin, Jan. 9 .- The unrest in the Rhenish and Westphalian coal districts increases and the possibility of a general strike seems nearer. The coal companies appear to be delaying their replies to the miners' demands because as yet they have not reached an agreement among themselvs for identical action. The manufacturers are nervously laying in stocks of coal in anticipation of a strike. The coal syndicate, the collective selling agency, has not raised prices and proceeds as though no strike is possible. Reports continue of government arbitration

Dortmund, Westphalia, Jan. 9.—The day shift of two mines, the Hoesch works and the Scharnhorst, in consequence of companies' continued silence regarding the method of time measurement refused to go to work today. ment refused to go to work today. Essen, Rhenish Prussia, Jan. 9.—The

miners of the Hercules works against

### JOINS IN SPIRIT QUEST.

Dr. Minot J. Savage, with Dr. Newton, in New Institute of Research-Would Find Ghost Secret.

New York, Jan. 9 .- Rev. Dr. Minot J. Dr. R. Heber Newton in publicly declaring his belief in ghosts, telepathy and ciairvoyance, and has joined with Dr. Newton, Dr. James H. Hyslop and other psychic enthusiasts in organizing the American Institute of Scientific Research American Institute of Scientific Research for the investigation of ghosts and other psychic phenomena. Dr. Savage will relate the result of his investigations at a meeting to be held soon. He has made a study of psychic forces for many years. "I do not wish to be dogmatic in my belief," Dr. Savage said today, "and I am ready at all times to believe differently if any man can show me another cause ly if any man can show me another cause for the things I know to be true. I have for the things I know to be true. I have hundreds of examples, many of them per-sonal, where persons may have been in actual communication with those who are ordinarily spoken of as dead. I think a scientist would call a 'provisional hy-pothesis' an adequate explanation for my facts until I can get a simpler and bet-

### ALVA ADAMS IS SEATED.

Peabody Turned Down by Republican Legislators-Sudden Turn-Down of Governor.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 9.-Alva Adams was elected by the joint decision of the

his tent today. He declared Colorado could go to the dogs, for all he cared. There will be no contest, the governor most every morning the mangled cardeclares, and he blames his adherents for his defeat, charging that they treacher-

ously deserted him at the last moment. Party leaders have been trying to explain to Peabody why the corporations deserted him so suddenly, but no explanation satisfied the governor. He is extremely bitter over his defeat, which lion evaded all efforts to kill bim or he attributes to the machinations of for-mer Senator E. O. Wolcott.

The entire Republican ticket with the exception of Peabody was seated. The inauguration takes place tomorrow.

### WILL REVISE TARIFF.

Walter Wellman Says President Roosevelt Will Carry His Point with Congress.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 9.-Walter Wellman, his point and secure a moderate revision of the tariff as well as railway rate legislation is fully as clear in the echoes of yesterday's white house conference as it was in the first reports.

Though there are to be further conferences, and a joint caucus of the Republican members of the two houses of Congress is talked of to decide definitely upon a policy, the prevaiting opinion today was that in the end the party will adopt the President's ideas and prepare for action along the lines indicated by him.

### MANY MADE HOMELESS.

Fire in Poorer District of Fargo Destroys | ceeded when the lion's head was turn-Several Buildings-Many Lose All They Possess.

Fargo, N. D., Jan. 9.—With the mercury at 12 degrees below zero, firement oday battled with a fire which destroyed ty were made homeless. The loss on the buildings is small.

### FLOUTS ENGLISH PRIMATE.

Baptist Accuses Archbishop of Canterbury of Dodging an Issue.

London, Jan. 9 .- Dr. John Clifford, a sued in reply to the response of the archbishop of Canterbury to a communication addressed to him by Elements. dergymen of America on the subject of the hardships alleged to be imposed upon nonconformists under the education laws entirely recovered their health. You

of Great Britain, says:
"If Americans have learned nothing else from the primate's letter they would at least learn how to graduate in the art of suggesting much and holding back very much more. Dr. Clifford accuses the church of England of not caring much for educa-

tion as Americans understand it, but "for Roman and Anglican atmosphere."

### SAVOY NOBLES ARE RELAXING. First Time Members of This House As-

sist Pope at Religious Function.

Venerable Vienny, parish priest of Ars, France, was celebrated in St. Peter's in the presence of Pope Pius X., twenty-two cardinals and the papal court. The present. Francis McNutt of Washington, D. C., the Pope's private chamber-lain, conducted them to special seats. This is the first time that members of the house of Savoy have assisted at a religious function in the presence of the

### A Little Lesson In Patriotism

"Let our object be our country, our whole country, and nothing but our country."-Daniel Webster.

The type of character that distinguished Zachary Taylor in his own times from his contemporaries was

that of the oldest heroes of the revolution, Schuyler and Moultrie and Pinckney. He was content with the mere performance of his duty, asking no reward other than his ability to be of ser-

Taylor's defense ZACHARY TAYLOR of Fort Harrison in the war of 1812 against an attack of the Miamis is one of the most memorable incidents of the struggle.

Although himself almost disabled with fever and with a force of only fifteen competent men, he saved the the strenuous efforts of their leaders, de-termined at a meeting held last night fort by his amazing courage and pluck.

In the Black Hawk war of 1832 and in the Florida war of 1836 Taylor distinguished himself for his valor under the most trying circumstances.

When the Mexican war broke out it found him in command of the frontier. From Palo Alto to Reseca de la Savage has followed the example of Rev. Palma, from Monterey to Buena Vista, Taylor was ever in the thick of

the conflict. Two years after the battle of Buena Vista the brave commander of the American forces was installed as President of the United States, the first President elected on a reputation purely military.

His death came so soon afterward that it is difficult to estimate what his administration would have been. It is not too much to say, however, that a man who had shown his patriotism as had Zachary Taylor upon the field of battle would not have failed in the executive department of the govern-

### ROPED A CALIFORNIA LION.

Novel Manaer in Which a Seven-Foot Animal Was Killed by Cowboy.

A fight worthy of being recounted in any tale of thrilling adventure was enacted last week on the Morrow ranch, which lies on the Mount Hamilton range extending from the observatory south for many miles. During Legislature. The canvass of the vote cast for governor showed his majority over Gov. Peabody to be 9774.

Gov. Peabody, like Achilles, sulked in his tent today. He declared Colorado their young colts were decreasing in their young colts. man of the ranch, had noticed that their young colts were decreasing in most every morning the mangled cararound the slaughtered animals told close watch was kept, but the depredrive him away.

One morning Robinson, with a bunch The of cowboys, was rounding up some stock in a remote section of the ranch when the dog with them started a large animal in a thicket. They tried to send the dog into the bushes, but he cowered away. Suddenly an immense California lion left the cover and ran up a large oak tree near by. There were no weapons in the crowd in his Washington dispatch to the Record- and Robinson was afraid to send one Herald says: That President Roosevelt of the men to the wagon for a rifle has carried or is in a fair way to carry lest they lose sight entirely of the animai.

Accordingly they formed a cordon around the tree and let out their riatas at the lion. The animal stood at bay and warded off the rawhides with his paws. The men had almost despaired of accomplishing anything when Selby Trimble, the crack rider of the Morrow ranch, volunteered to leave the circle and climb a nearby tree to endeavor to east the rope in a different man-

ner. He did this at the risk of his life. After repeated failures he suced the opposite way. The other riatas fell quickly one after the other and the animal was hanged then and there.

The skin is in beautiful condition several frame structures. Many persons had narrow escapes and a number lost all their money and clothing. About fif-Clara tannery.—San Jose Daily Mercury.

#### Athletics and Consumption. There must be no exercise as exer-

cise for the consumption patient. If you are able to feel like it, amuse yourself, but don't take exercise to build your system up. I know. I, too, have heard those stories about men given up to die, who began work in a gymnasium, and by violent exercise mustn't believe all the physical culture people tell you, any more than all the patent medicine people tell you. They're both in the miracle business. When the lung tissue is attacked by tuberculosis it heals, if it heals at all, by this fibrous scar-material filling in the cavity. No new lung tissue is formed to replace what has been lost, and this scar material is useless for breathing. Suppose you had a deep cut in your hand and you kept work-Rome, Jan. 9.—The beatification of the ing that hand violently, how long do you think it would take the cut to heal? When exercise is taken or you "expand the lungs," you have to work Duke of Genoa, brother of the Dowager Queen Margherita; the Duchess of Genoa, and her son, Prince Udine, were present. Francis McNutt of Washingmaterial useless for breathing when it does get well.-Everybody's Magazine.

In this age of fairness, a man who is being abused need only keep still.

HAT SAVED THE ELECTION.

How a Well-Tossed Skypiece Made a

The truthful story is told in Missony that the throwing of a broad-brimmed hat to the ceiling of the hall of the House of Representatives in the capitol at Jefferson City made Francis Marion Cockrell a member of the United States Senate. The state had been stirred by a contest for the Democratic nominaa contest for the Democratic nomina-tion for the governorship. The lines be-tween supporters of opposing candidates were sharply drawn. In a state conven-tion numbering a thousand delegates, Charles H. Hardin had won by the nar-row majority of one-half of one vote. So close was the result and so bitter the feeling that the Democratic leaders feared irreconcilable division in the party feared irreconcilable division in the party ranks. The result, however, had scarce-ly been announced from the secretary's desk when the tall figure of the defeated candidate, Gen. Cockrell, was seen coming to the platform. A moment more, as the hush of expectancy fell upon the crowded hall, Cockrell's voice ran out. "No man," said he, "will more loyally support the nominee of the convention than myself. No man will throw his hat higher for Charley Hardin than will I." And away to the ceiling went the I." And away to the ceiling went the broad-brimmed Cockrell hat. The conbroad-brimmed Cockrell hat. The convention, frantic with enthusiasm, heard not another word, but the following spring Gen. Cockrell became United States Senator by the unanimous vote of the Democrats of Missouri. For five successive terms, since March 4, 1875, with never a Democratic vote against him, he has been elected to the senatorship, the first and only political office he ever held. No senator from his state has surpassed this record in length of years and none has equaled it, save Thomas Hart Benton, the great Missourian.—Walter Williams in The World Today.

Especially for Women. Champion, Mich., Jan. 9 .- (Special.) -A case of especial interest to women is that of Mrs. A. Wellatt, wife of a well-known photographer here. It is

best given in her own words. "I could not sleep, my feet were cold and my limbs cramped," Mrs. Wellatt states. "I had an awful hard pain across my kidneys. I had to get up three or four times in the night. I was very nervous and fearfully despondent. "I had been troubled in this way for five years when I commenced to use Dodd's Kidney Pills, and what they caused to come from my kidneys will

hardly stand description. "By the time I had finished one box of Dodd's Kidney Pills I was cured. Now I can sleep well, my limbs do not cramp, I do not get up in the night and I feel better than I have in years. I owe my health to Dodd's Kidney

Women's ills are caused by Diseased Kidneys; that's why Dodd's Kidney Pills always cure them.

TO DISPLACE PNEUMATIC TIRES.

New Spring Wheel Said to Be a Perfect and Inexpensive Substitute. The difficulty of securing a motor wheel which shall combine the resiliency of that fitted with the pneumatic tire with the hard wearing qualities of that fitted with the solid is, apparently, some degrees nearer solution, inasmuch as a

Beccles engineer has produced a spring wheel of which great hopes are entertained. Considerable ingenuity has been expended upon its construction, and it is claimed not only that it is vastly more cass of a colt would be found. Tracks durable than the wheel now in use and equally easy running, but that the strain around the slaughtered animals told set up by contact with the road is distinct the story of the mountain lion. A tributed over the whole of its mechanism, that it has a spring drive, that the shock of impact with any object is received by the tire alone and absorbed by the spring drive within the wheel, and that the chance of side slip is sensibly diminished. The principle of the invention consists in a number of short, laminated springs arranged tangentially within the wheel, and connected at their extremities by a system of levers with the apices of shaped frame of the wheel and with each The center of each spring is also attached to a carriage, which is free to move along a curved groove on the interperiphery of the wheel. To the outer periphery is attached a solid rubber tire. The star shaped frame already mentioned is rigidly fixed to the center of On starting a car provided with wheels of this character, when the turning movement is given to the center of the wheel, the whole frame, springs and carriages move forward under resistance from the springs until the extremi-ties of the grooves in the periphery are reached by the rollers of the little car-riages. When this happens the wheel is rigid, and frame and periphery turn as Gradually, however, the tension between the periphery of the wheel and its frame relaxes, and then a steady balance is maintained between them.—Long don Express.

> A traveler in Siberia is the authority for the statement that the natives along the coast eat much wood. The bark is stripped from the trees and cooked until it is a pulp.

### MIGHT HAVE SAVED IT.

A Lot of Trouble from Too Much Starchy Food.

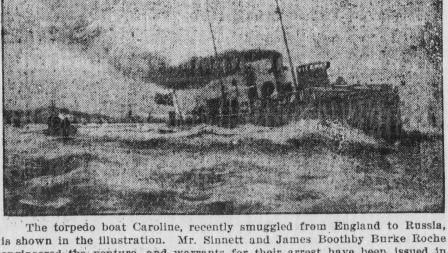
A little boy of eight years whose parents did not feed him on the right kind of food, was always nervous and suffered from a weak condition of the stomach and bowels. Finally he was taken down with appendicitis and after the operation the doctor, knowing that his intestinal digestion was very weak, put him on Grape-Nuts twice a

He rapidly recovered and about two months thereafter, his father states, "He has grown to be strong, muscular, and sleeps soundly, weighs 62 pounds, and his whole system is in a fine condition of health." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

It is plain that if he had been put on Grape-Nuts at an earlier period in his life, and kept from the use of foods that he could not digest, he neven would have had appendicitis. That disease is caused by undigested food decaying in the stomach and bowels causing irritation and making for the growth of all kinds of microbes, setting up a diseased condition which is the active cause of appendicitis, and this is more marked with people who do not properly digest white bread.

Grape-Nuts is made of the selected parts of wheat and barley and by the peculiar processes of the cooking at the factory, all of the starch is turned into sugar ready for immediate digestion and the more perfect nourishment of all parts of the body, particularly the brain and nerve centers.

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," found in each pkg.



TORPEDO BOAT SMUGGLED TO LIBAU, RUSSIA.

engineered the venture, and warrants for their arrest have been issued in London. The boat was purchased as a turbine yacht for \$125,000. She left the Thames, crossed the North Sea at a thirty-knot pace, and arrived at Cuxhaven. Here two of the crew deserted and gave information to the German Government, which attempted to stop the craft in the Kiel Canal, but the attempt proved futile, and Libau was reached in safety. There the boat was turned over to the Russians. Roche is the heir of Lord Fermoy, and is the divorced husband of Fanny Work, daughter of the late Frank Work, a millionaire stock broker of New York. Sinnett is an Irishman who is fond of adventures and excitement.

How Passenger Got Even. As an elderly gentleman hurried out on the platform of a small country railroad station the train started to move. It was going slowly, however, so he grabbed the handrail and reached the step in safety.

ing to the platform he was pulled violently from the train by an officious brakeman, who said, as he landed his life."-Philadelphia Press. victim on the ground: You have no business to board a

While pausing a second before go-

moving train. I have saved your life, "Three hours till the next train comes, isn't it?" questioned the irate ceiving an affirmative nod from the many opportunities turn out to be opti-

practice he swung himself upon the lower step of the rear platform of the now rapidly moving train.

But he was not quick enough, however, to elude the grip of the older man, who hauled him from the step, and as the train rounded a curve and passed from sight, remarked:

"One good turn deserves another young man. Now, I have saved your A Difficulty.

see an opportunity." "Yes," answered the less fortunate brakeman as with the ease of long cal illusions."-Washington Star.

and the torpedo boat destroyers Grozni, Gromski and Rezity, arrived here today. They left Suda Bay, island of Crete,

Paris, Jan. 10.-The Temps corre spondent at Copenhagen telegraphs that he is reliably informed that Admiral ojestvensky's squadron will return from Madagascar and go to the island of Malta, where it will await the third Russian squadron. This will leave Libau at the end of January, later proceed-"The great secret of success," said the prosperous man, "is the ability to ing to the far east with Admiral Rojest vensky's ships. The admiralty, the comes, isn't it?" questioned the frate but self-controlled passenger, and refriend. "Yes," answered the less fortunate vensky's ships. The admiralty, the but self-controlled passenger, and reis preparing a fourth squadron, which will depurt probably in May. TWO YEARS OF AGONY.

One Cake of Cuticura Soap and One Box of Cuticura Cured Baby's Awful Humor.

tense suffering. It would scab over Dakota. think of, but without effecting a cure. without scar or blemish. (Signed) Li:lie Chase Walker, 5 Tremont St.,

Plan Funeral for Living Man.

Plans for the funeral of a living man were considered by the New York boards of aldermen. The subject of the discussion was Hiram Cronk, the last surviving of the War of 1919. veteran of the War of 1812, who is now living at Ava, N. Y., at the age of 104 years. Ald. Wirth introduced a resolution declaring that as all of Mr. Cronk's life has been spent in the state of New York and in view of his honorable part in many battles of the War of 1812, it would be fitting that the chief city of the Empire state lead in honoring him by a Empire state lead in honoring him by a soldier's burial and that his remains lie in state in the city hall. Ald. McCall said that while he approved of the spirit of the resolution, he thought it would be better to wait for the hero to die before providing for his funeral. The resolution finally was adopted with the following amendment: "That in the event of the death of Mr. Cronk the president of the board of aldermen take cognizance of the fact and appoint a committee to provide for a public funeral."

the fall of 1899, aft Kidney Pills I told the readers of this paper that they had relieved me of kidney trouble, disposed of a lame back with pain across my loins and beneath the shoulder blades. During the interval which

France is spending large sums in has elapsed I have having maps made of her possessions in West Africa. One map, in seventeen sort to Doan's Kidparts, has just been issued by the army department, and surveys are in progress noticed warnings for a larger one in sixty parts.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

-Vast orders for Scottish tweed materials have been placed with various manufacturers in Scotland by the Japanese government, says an Edinburgh newsproprietors, says an Edinburgh newsproprietors. For sale by all druggists,

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Bet a free homestead or purchase a farm in Western Canada,
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Please say where you saw this advertisement Milwaukee Newsp Union & Madison Lists.



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SAVE A THIRD OF YOUR FEED BILL! MUELLER'S MOLASSES GRAINS make milk. Moreover MUELLER'S MOLASSES GRAINS

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farther.
Sold in bags and can be stored like grain.
We want agents. A postcard will bring samples and prices. E. P. MUELLER, Milwaukee, Wis.

MEXICAN **Mustang Liniment** cures Cuts, Burns, Bruises.

PASSING OF PIONEER TOWN.

Removal of Postoffice Is Final Blow to Le Beau, S. D.

The removal of the postoffice from Le Humor.

"When my sister was eighteen months old a humor broke out on her shoulder, extending clear across the back. For two years it caused her intense suffering. It would scab over

and then crack open and a watery matter ooze from it. Then the scabs would fall off and it would be raw for a time. We had several different doctors and tried everything we could think of, but without effecting a cure. think of, but without effecting a cure. Then we got one cake of Cuticura one company and one box of Cuticura Ointment, which cured her completely and South Dakota when Dakota territory was divided and admitted to the union of

> But the railroads did not materialize, the county seat was removed to another town and the division of Dakota territory into two states left Le Beau at

outside the corporation limits and nothing now remains of the old Le Beau except the name.

ALL DONE OUT.

Veteran Joshua Heller, of 706 South Walnut street, Urbana, Ill., says: "In the fall of 1899, after taking Doan's

the interval which ney Pills when I of an attack. On

each and every oc-All casion the results obtained were just as satisfactory as when the pills were first brought to my notice. I just as

proprietors. For sale by all druggists. Price 50 cents per box.

Buried Money Fearing Panic.

Buried Money Fearing Panic.

Fearing a financial panic, the late George Bauernschmidt, a wealthy brewer of Baltimore, buried a quantity of his gold five years before his death. Now some of it is missing. There is a controversy over his estate, which includes the sale of the Bauernschmidt brewery to the Maryland Brewing company for \$1,000,000 cash and \$1,000,000 in stock of the latter company. Frederick Bauernschmidt, a son, says that he aided his father in burying \$14,000 in gold coin, which had been placed in a steel box beneath the steps of the family residence, which at that time was in Gay street. Later, when the family removed to a residence in North avenue, the gold was dug up and was again buried by his was dug up and was again buried by his father in a similar manner. Bauern-schmidt, it is said, desired to have some cash on hand in case of a riot or financial panic at any time, and for this reason buried the gold.

How It Began. Representative Hay of Virginia tells of an altercation in a colored club in Richmond that resulted in nearly all the

"You were present during this trough washing free of charge, asked the magistrate of a witness."

Julie—And what's the "Yes, yo' honah." "Then tell us, in a few words, just

"Then tell us, in a few words, just how the difficulty began."

"Well, yo' honah," replied the darkey, with much gravity, "I think it was when the chairman of de entertainment committee swatted de secretary ovah de head wif de lovin' cup."—Collier's Weekly.

The Daily Newspaper. Are you a reader of daily newspapers? If so the Evening Wisconsin is noted for its interesting special features which its interesting special features which have anchored it in the homes of Milwauwheel," a department of humorou stories and witticisms; the "Woman's World," a page devoted to the interests of women; a review of books and periodicals, and Sunshine and Christian Endeavor news. A daily short story is also a strong attraction. If you are not already reading the Evening Wisconsin you reading the Evening Wisconsin you should do so. Terms, \$1.00 for three months by mail. months by man.

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Milwaukee, Wis.

Admiral Dewey's Own Story. As early as 9 o'clock Admiral Dewey walks into his office in the Mills building. diagonally across from the navy department, sits down at his desk and gets to work with the same precision that he might use if still aboard the Olympia. In might use if still aboard the Olympia. In the corner opposite his desk is a cedar chest which was made for the Admiral in Manila. He pointed to it and said: "In that chest will be found the real records of the battle of Manila, never yet published. I hope to prepare them for publication and that they will be made public after my death."—National Magazine.

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Soreness

From cold, hard labor or exercise, relaxes the stiffness and the soreness disappears.

The Old Monk Cure Price, 25c, and 50c.

Boy Weather.

It's boy-time when it freezes,
It's boy-time when it snows:
The youngster is the one whose lot
Is happlest when its snow.
It's rough on rheumatism,
And it seriously annoys
The dignity of grown folks.
Boy the property good for the property goo But it's pretty good for poys.

It's just another instance.

When nature makes it plain,
That in the mighty scheme of things.
There's nothing made in vain.
So lets forget our sorrows.
In a fellow-being's joys.
The weather's hard on grown folks.
But it's pretty good for boys.

—Washington Star.

Lancing and Julie have scuttled out of the hotel, and stop for an instant at the top of the courtyard leading to the

JULIE.

Lancing (breathless) -- Hansom? Julie (panting)-It's very kind of you say se, Lord Lancing.

Lauring (looking back anxiously)-I ean, will you have one? Julie-it all depends on what mamma

Lancing (with a gaspy laugh)-I mean, will you have a cab, not a husband? Julie-O! why, yes. Say, I'm sorry hadn't a notion you called these chocolate boxes on two wheels by such a misnomer. Uglys, I should call them. (She steps into one recklessly.)

Cabby-Where to, sir? Lancing—Anywhere you like, and be quick. By Jove, you ought to be in command of the Russian forces. Miss Carryl!

Julie (taking a peep at herself in c attored piece of looking-glass) Yes! How's that, anyway?

Lancing—The way you managed to Jane is?

convey to me by one look that you were going to put your hat on and leave that gang to your mother was superb. A she washes her face.—Brooklyn Life. masterly retreat, if ever I saw one! I congratulate you.

Julie (giving Lancing both her eyes, wide with amusement and admiration)-Well, say, that's fine, just fine! You congratulate me on something I never

Lancing-Well, we won't pursue the ubject. What a ripping day!

Julie-Just a minute before you commit a tangent. You came up those stairs seven at a time, leaving all our Minneapolis friends constructing schemes, and absolutely laid down this plan of action. I congratulate you, Lord Lancing. It was perfectly darling.

Lancing (gravely)-It's very kind of you to say so Julie (looking about her)-Say, where

are we now? Lancing—This is Trafalgar Square. Julie—Who's the poor fellow with his lead stuck in a cloud? A sky-pilot? Lancing-No, that's Nelson.

Julie-O, say, how bully. I used his pap for years. And what's that rambling building with the bee-hives on the oof? I guess that's a reformatory or a unatic asylum? Lancing-We call it the National Gal-

Julie-Why call it that? Lancing-It contains all the best works f art collected from other countries. Julie-I see. On the same system as the one you have of putting red splashes on foreign maps and calling them Brit-

ish. And, O, look at the lions! Why mag. Lancing (after a moment's hard thinking)-So that they shan't see the aliens

Julie-And what's that nice white building?

Lancing-Cox's bank. Julie-1 see-the place where those dear little men who steer your univer-

sity boats put their money. Lancing-Very possibly they do. But primarily it's the place into which stinting parents pay in their hard-earned money in order that their sons may play at soldiering-a quite expensive English

obby. This is Whitehall. Julie (looking at the filthy-looking ouses on each side) - Which?

Lancing—All of it.
Julie—Well, say, you have queer ways calling things on this side. What goes n in those houses? Lancing-Nothing. They're govern-

ent offices. Look straight ahead-a ttle to the left. Julie—At the Dutch-looking building ith the high tower? Is it a water with the high tower? Is it a water orks?

Lancing-No, the St. Stephen's gas orks. It's still called the House for Julie-Oh, your Senate? Say, I'm glad

see it. Are the members sitting now? Lansing-No, this is the entr'acte. The ompany are waking up for the next And there's the Abbey. Julie (with a little catch in her voice)

hese years without moving. It's far away better than anything I've ever seen. makes rings around the Astoria. Did Pierpont Morgan buy it? Lancing-No; he wanted to do so to

turn it into a private Turkish bath; but the government were afraid the "Tele-graph" would start a correspondence on could outroot this and many simil e subject, and se they reluctantly reused his offer. This is Birdcage Walk. Julie (wide-eved again)-What a nice ace for it! On our side we haven't ny special place devoted to that kind of dance-except the nusical theaters, and who dance—except the nusical theaters, and who thus defy every demand of law in those they do it all the time. And medicine and health.—American Medi-

this is a park, anyway?
Lancing—A Lind of park. It's really
the place the London county council runs -Ireland boasts of the oldest cyclist in the person of Dr. Woods of Dublin, who is 94 years old, but still practices medicine. He visits his patients on a discontinuous d for men who won't work. They sleep

Lancing-That's another county coun-Lancing—That's another county coun- any one else, had it not been for the cil playground, only it is mainly devoted fact that a few days ago a couple of la -The gold production of the entire to soldiers for flirting purposes and actto hire very old horses.

.. ulie-Don't we go inside? Lancing-No. cabs aren't allowed. They frighten the motors. This is Park Lane, or, as some people call it, Johannesburg Alley

Julie—O, there's a bully place!
Lancing—Very fine, isn't it? All done
on diamonds. Wonderful place. The home of our aristocracy. Julie-Say, I've got a notion we'd bet-

ter turn here. Lancing-O why? Are you in a hurry? Julie-No. but mamma will be! Lancing-But we've only been five min-

Julie-And yet this horse doesn't look like a racer. No, just ask the coachman to get right back to the Cissle. I'm nervous about mamma.

Lancing (sees to it reluctantly)-I say, lo you mind if I revert to our conversation on board the Minneapolis?

Julie (with a slight addition to her color) - Which one? Laneing-The one that was interrupted by your sending me for your mother's

lofting iron? Julie (hurriedly) - Not here, please. Some other time. I promised mamma-I mean I—well, I just can't, anyway, Yes, you may keep on holding my hand.
Lancing—By Jove, I'm sorry. How confoundedly absent-minded I am! Julie-Then-why not keep on being

absent-minded, Lord Lancing? Lancing-Thanks, most awf'ly. (He does, in a wonderful silence, -Cosmo Hamilton in Black and White.

### HUMOROUS ITEMS.

Ida-Reggy De Fake says he moves in high society.

May-Moves? Then he must drive a furniture van.—Kennebec (Me.) Journal.

"She seems to have a very happy disposition; at any rate, she's always smil-"That's not her disposition, but her teeth."—Philadelphia Press.

Help!

The jokesmiths turn the same old wheels,
And grasp the same old spokes;
From New Year's till Fourth of July
We'll get the swear-off jokes!

-Houston Post.

Teacher—Can you tell me the difference between "like" and "leve." Small Boy—Yes, ma'am. I like my papa and mamma, but I love pic.—Chi-

Mary-Have you any idea how old

The Present Hero.

No more do we taik
Of the man with the hoe—
Here's the man with the shovel
To clean off the snow.
—Washington Star.

Comedian—So our manager has been sick. What did the doctor say?
Soubrette—Said he needed a change of Comedian—H'm! The doctor must have seen the show.—Modern Society.

To Society Reporters.

Why drag her father in, and say
He "led her to the altar?"
The average bride would make her way
Alone, and never fatter.
—Philadelphia Ledger.

"Pardon me, but did you see a dachs-hund near here?" "Yes.'

"Where was he?" "Partly on Euclid avenue and partly on Eric street."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Candid Critic-Awfully good song that! You ought to be with Carl Rosa. Jones (feeling rather flattered)-Really, do you think so? Awfully kind of you to do you think so? Awfully kind of you to do er-but Carl Rosa is dead.
Candid Critic—Yes, I said you ought to be with him.—The Tatler.

Tommy-I can count up to five on me fingers, can't I, ma?
Ma-Yes, Tommy, but don't brag. I saw a little boy no older than you today who could count up to fifty.

Tommy—Gee whiz! Where did he get all them fingers?—Philadelphia Press.

An Accident. spinster once who was at Daubed lots of rouge upon her chique,
But by mistake
She made a brake
And got a little on her bique.

The people saw the crimson strique And laughed until they all grew wie The spinster saw What made them "Haw!"

And vanished with a fearful shrique.

-Chicago Chronicle. She-You don't call on the girls much,

She—I thought you didn't like "small talk" and all that.

He—I don't like small talk that amounts simply to "No."—Philadelphia

The Bracer.

"The bracer" is the name popularly given to a so-called patent, that is, not patent, but very secret concection, sold at "soda water" fountains by the nosone has this form of the drug habtt, for such it is. Narcomia is being extended by this means to an extent that is fright "Cierks and office men are able to go to their work until they have had four or five glasses of these secret drugs, and the laboring population is almost as bad." The attention of the Woman's Christian Temperance union (which thinks the medical profession responsible for alcoholism and drug habits) O say, it makes a stir in my heart! Is respectfully called to this atrocious abuse. Saloons also help in the degrading horror of drugging the already wretched quality of the liquors sold. A true temperance people will unite with the medical profession to check this abuse. Women's civic improvement clubs and leagues might well devote some of their energies to getting good laws passed and in getting bad men to execute them. evils. Possibly no new laws are needed, and that only scientific analyses of these drugged drinks should be made in thorough-going way, followed by prose cutions of the criminal manufacturers and sellers, followed by jailing the wretches

Why Women's Shoe Laces Come Untied. "Why is it that a lady's shoe becomes untied so much more frequently and apparently easier than a man's?" repeated J. V. Ladd, the shoe salesman, after mc. "Well, I don't suppose I would be in any better position to answer a question than dies, customers of my place, were discussing that very point, and their deductions appear to solve the riddle perfectly.

"It is not that a woman's shoe laces will

ot tie in as firm a knot as any other's the reason for the frequent annoyances to which women are subjected is apart from that. In the case of high shoes the trouble is altogether in their height. The shoe laces further up on the leg than man's, usually fits more snugly, and therefore, encounters a greater strain or the knot when a woman is walking. The result is that it becomes loosened within a very short time, whereas a man may walk all day without the laces of his shoe becoming untied. Where low shoes are worn, the skirts flapping around the ankle do the work of loosening the knot. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The buildings of the Lewis & Clarke exposition at Portland, Ore., are approaching completion, although the exposition is not to be opened till June 1.



Miss Whittaker, a prominent club woman of Savannah, Ga., tells how she was entirely cured of ovarian troubles by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I heartily recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as a Uterine Tonic and Regulator. I suffered for four years with irregularities and Uterine troubles. No one but those who have experienced this dreadful agony can form any idea of the physical and mental misery those endure who are thus afflicted. Your Vegetable Compound cured me within three months. pound cured me within three months. I was fully restored to health and strength, and now my periods are regular and painless. What a blessing it is to be able to obtain such a remedy when so many doctors fail to help you. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is better than any doctor or medicine I ever had. Very truly yours, Miss Easy Whittaker, 604 39th St., W. Savannah, Ge."

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Va., for several years a servant in the New York house of Charles E. Hoyt, president of the Hoyt Metal company of St. Louis, has been bequeathed \$50,000 by his will. Miss Tannehill had the management of Hoyt's New York home and a summer home at Algonquin, Me., and through her long years of service was frequently in sole charge of her invalid employer.

I can recommend Piso's Cure for Consumption for Asthma. It has given me great relief.—W. L. Wood, Farmersburg, Ind., Sept. 8, 1901.

-European medical experts have come to the conclusion that boiled and steril-ized milk is not as nutritious for infants A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES.

-The Russian minister of finance has raised the question of the creation in Russia of chambers of commerce.

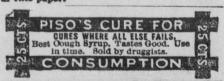
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## Rapid River Locals.

This week The Delta's Rapid River department begins its second year. The ed at the Maccabee hall last Thursday success of this venture has been good. to bid Mrs. Waldo farewell. Those The Delta expresses its thanks to its present were all Knight and Lady Macfriends for the courtesies they have cabees. She was presented with a brooch shown, and trusts that the same good having the emblems of the order, in apfeelings may continue. We expect to preciation of her services as lady comadd to our subscription list, and to en- mander. large this column as far as news may warrant. To our customers, we say, that the woods, now that the hunting season we shall try to please them and to maintain the reputation of the Delta's job holes when the fatal 8th came round. office. Wishing the town and our friends here, all and singular, a prosperous year to come, we turn again to the pleasant task of recording the events in the liveliest and livest village in the peninsula. The cooperation of every citizen is solicited, with the hope that all may feel a personal interest in their local paper and will aid the reporter to secure every item of news. Whatever assistance The Delta can lend toward the welfare of the town will be gladly and vigorously given. It desires to be known as a part given half a chance Thanking its friends for the support so generously given in the past, its continuance is solicited for the future. The outlook for 1905 is encouraging in all aspects. Trade is reviving in every branch and it is impossible that Rapid River should not have a prosperous year.

A. C. Stewart, of Green Bay, visited and returned to his camp Thursday friends here and at Masonville this week. morning. Mr. Stewart, who is the general manager and vice president of the Golden Dawn Mining Co., comes from Cape Nome, day, Alaska, near which place the company is doing business. John Miller, of Masonville, is an employee of the company there. Nome is a town of 7000 in the summer and 3500 in the winter. It has electric lights, waterworks, churches, schools, newspapers and banks. During the hundred day season of 1904, \$6,600,000 in gold dust passed through the banks. His company has 2,000 acres of placer land, which they will work on the hydraulic system. The water is conducted through pipes for a fall of three hundred feet and turned through great nozzles, called monitors, into the ground, washing away the dirt by the carload. Mr. Stewart, who returns to Mrs. Geo. Birch, a son. Alaska this year, is very sanguine as to their success.

The firm of Jerome, Huxford & Co., moved last Thursday into the store occupied formerly by H. E. Pfeifer, and is now doing a grocery and meat busi- very sick. ness. D. L. White is the third partner. They find business good, and are pleased with their new quarters.

William Cardinal and Amel LaReverance drove to Gladstone Tuesday. They obtained a contract and will job for the Buckeye. They will work seven or eight men up on the Haymeadow. Fred 

They averaged from twelve to twentyfour feet each. The shipment was delayed, it is believed.

Fr. Legolvan of Ishpeming and Fr. Menard of Escanaba were the guests of Fr. Deschamps Wednesday. The latter went with them to Escanaba on the

S. F. Anderson has ornamented the depot office with two fine deer heads. They indeed bear witness to his prowess, though some suggest that he bought

The Jolly Ten, an aggregation of Rapid River's young men, hold a dance in Hock's hall next Saturday, Jan. 21.

It is the first of a series to be given. John Anguilm, Archie Connors and Sam Ewen go up the branch Thursday to cut cedar. They will get out 800 ties

and some posts and poles. Levi Barbeau's camp broke up this week, as the deep snow hindered operations. It was necessary to take up and

relay the track. Miss Nina Carmody was surprised by her friends Friday night and all had a pleasant time. She left for her school

the next day. Antoine Rushford is getting over the stomach trouble which has confined him to the house for some weeks. He was out Tuesday.

Adolph Nevvew cut his knee Saturday and came down from his camp. He returned Tuesday, but is still unable to

John Kniskern received a Christmas present Wednesday, It was a trifle belated, but he appreciates it just the

Two rigs of the Lady Maccabees went to Gladstone Wednesday night to assist

in the installation of the lodge there. Dr. Laing went to Gladstone Tuesday to become a fellowcraft, but was called

back by telephone. Joseph Savoie went to Escanaba Monday to deliver the pony he sold, and re-

turned next day. Fr. Deschamps announces that from next Sunday on there will be one mass

Mrs. Geo. Wicklander of Escanaba, came up Monday to visit Mrs. Daniel culty in picking it off.-Cor. American Wicklander.

About seventy of her friends gather-

It is said that deer are very plenty in is over. Perhaps they crawled into their

A letter has been received by friends of Mrs. Jos. Cholette, stating that she is now at St. John, Oregon. Allen is attending a college.

A number of the Rapid River juveniles feel nervous when they pass William Cardinal's door as he has sworn the vendetta on them.

Hugh Gartland has been drawn as the juror from Masonville township, but he regrets his inability to attend. Miss Ella Hocks, Wilford Bezner and

of the place and will hold its end up if Miss Bessie Konig of Masonville drove to Gladstone Sunday. The Misses Nellie Cavill, Linda Boyer

> and Amanda Venne visited Barbeau's here," replied the tramp, "an' said you The skating champions are practicing

frequently at Gladstone. They are sure T. P. Cullnan came home Tuesday

Jerry Madden went to Escanaba Wed-

nesday, and thence to Escanaba Satur-Arthur Huxford and Jacob Fernea Delta avenue and Ninth street, over Minne wasca Furniture Co's store.

transacted business in Gladstone Thurs-

Mrs. Hugh Gartland leaves Saturday for Menominee to visit her husband. Walter Hews, representing Jonas

Bros., of Green Bay, was in Tuesday. Dr. Laing and Andrew Erickson drove to Perkins Wednesday afternoon.

Will Miller returned Monday to Ann Arbor to resume his studies.

Moses Buchman went to Escanaba Wednesday to visit friends. Born, Tuesday, Jan. 10, to Mr. and

Walter Taylor returned from Barbeau's camp Monday.

Mrs. George Moore and daughter were in Gladstone Friday.

Get the Rub-Dry Towels at Shelley's.

Fred Smith returned Friday. Miss Bertha Hruska is sick.

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Z. Martell has thirty five cows that Fifty-one lengths of pipe for the oil will give milk next summer. He has well were unloaded here Wednesday. room in his barn for 25 cows and he will have that many inside of a year or two. His hay and grain will be used on the farm, and the fertility of the land in-

> E. LaRichelier worked all day last Sunday to get the roads in shape to use Fine Furniture, Undertaking, Upholand Monday we had another wind and snow storm that filled them up again

and made them about as bad as before, One of our farmers thinks there might be something made raising sugar beets and thinks of planting about eighty acres next spring; other farmers, it appears,

intend to do something in that line. Cyrille Grenier has sold his farm to Camille Cherboneau; this, with his other farm property, makes Mr. Cher-

Escanaba Township. provement. She is kindly cared for by her children, and it is hoped she will Phone 213 CHAS. STRAND.

soon recover. Joseph Young has moved with his family to Northland where he has a contract to get out 400,000 feet of logs. He will return to his farm when the job is completed.

The three days snow storms of last week had a bad effect on the roads and considerable work was required to get them in condition for travel again.

William Reno went to John Barron's camp in Maple Ridge township last Monday after Thomas Jones, whose mother is seriously ill.

After a two weeks holiday vacation the teachers of the several schools of the Township opened their schools again last Monday.

Stephen R. Dausey moved with his family to Rapid River where they will Others charge remain during the balance of the win-

The chimney in Frank Pease's house caught fire last Monday night and causconsiderable excitement for a while.

Concrete Poultry House. A house lathed and plastered on the inside and outside should be warm and durable for poultry. If to each barrel of lime two barrels of cement are used and six barrels of sand the plaster will be so hard that fowls will find diffi-

Agriculturist.

Consumption's Roll of Honor. Dr. John B. Huber, writing on the history of consumption in the Medical Record, mentions the following more or less great persons who have died as its victims: Marie Bashkirtseff, Xavier **\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*** Bichat, H. C. Bunner, Friedrich Chopin, Stephen Crane, John Godman, John Paul Jones, John Keats, Dr. Rene T. H. Laennae, Sidney Lanier, Jules Bastlen Lepage, Ethelbert Nevin, Henry Purcell, Elizabeth Felix Rachel, Friedrich Schiller, John Sterling, Laurence Sterne, Robert Louis Stevenson Henry Timrod, Carl Maria von Weber, Artemus Ward, Henry Kirk White and Baruch Spinoza.

### Recipe Wanted.

Young Mrs. Vinton looked over the tence that separates her back yard from Mrs. Hardy's, and her pretty face was troubled, says the Chicago News.

"Mrs. Hardy!" she called softly. "Yes. What is it?" and Mrs. Hardy's matronly figure appeared in her kitchen door.

"I'm so sorry to trouble you," Mrs. Vinton went on, "but will you tell me some good way to cook clay pigeons? Jimmy has just sent me word that he is going out to shoot some. He's bound to bring a lot home, and I haven't the remotest idea how to pre-

### His Greatest Need.

"What d'ye want?" asked the coachman at the kitchen door "De boss o' de house sent me round

was ter gimme anything I needed." "All roight. Come out to the stable, an' Oi'll turn the hose on ye."-Philadelphia Ledger.

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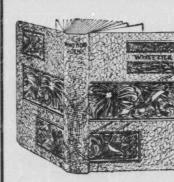
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