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The lawyer who works his way up

from a five dollar fee in a suit before a

justice of the peace to a \$5,000 fee be-

fore the supreme court of his state has

a long and hard path to climb. Lincoln

climbed this path for twenty-five years,

above all, with that self control and

keen sense of right and wrong which

always clearly traced the dividing line

between his duty to his client and his

duty to society and truth. His perfect

frankness of statement assured him the

confidence of judge and jury in every

argument. His habit of fully admitting

the weak points in his case gained him

their close attention to his strong ones,

and when clients brought him question-

able cases his advice was always not

me, as much to them as it does to you.

I shall not take your case, but I will

give you a little advice for nothing.

"tricks" of the profession, though he

met these readily enough when prac-

ticed by others. He never knowingly

undertook a case in which justice was

on the side of his opponent. That same

him in his storekeeping days to close

the shop and go in search of a woman

he had innocently defrauded of a few

ounces of tea while weighing out her

groceries made it impossible for him to

he once exclaimed, turning suddenly to

his associate, "the man is guilty. You

defend him; I can't," and gave up his

share of a large fee.-Helen Nicolay in

STAGE EPIGRAMS.

The theater is the chastener of life .--

a public instructor .--

St. Nicholas.

Euripides.

An actor is

do his best with a poor case. "Swett,"

making \$600 in some other way."

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# **Special Prices**

AT

**Goldstein's** 

This is a general clean up down at our store. We are going through our stock and are marking out goods that are being closed out at a loss. Some didn't move as fast as expected, others we bought too heavily, and we are selling 'em at a sacrifice. How much of a sacrifice you may judge for yourself. We can only say you never bought the same quality at the price.

S. GOLDSTEIN.

DIRECTORY. DR. F. W. STELLWAGEN F. Hoyt DENTIST. Office hours from 9 to 12 a.m., from 1 to 5 p.m. and from 7 to 8 p.m.

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NOT A TRUST REMEDY er manufacturers still require a pro-tective duty is shown by the fact that 

> FUTILITY OF FREE TRADE CLEARLY DEMONSTRATED.

Removal of Duty on Hides Would Play Into the Hands of the Leather not justified by the principles of pro-Monopoly and Injure Independent Manufacturers.

What about this subject of free hides that was projected into the arena of from Massachusetts, to Washington recently?

The manufacturers came; they saw duced on the farms compared with their discussion one of the most interesting things in connection with the whole tariff agitation-namely:

They demonstrated that the clamor what benefits would flow to the boot sary domestic supply. and shoe business if hides were admitted free of duty. More than that, the With such results it cannot be said was without beneficial uses.

Let us look at the most important by Governor Douglas, a Massachusetts be accompanied by free leather and a at Washington. reduction in the duties on boots and shoes. Considering that question as it was brought out here and applying it CONTINENTAL FREE TRADE. to the general field of tariff changes cannot but have a valuable influence, because the boot and shoe men were candid, frank and fair in their discus-

be made in the rates of duty on im- matters of business.

HOW LINCOLN CLIMBED. imports of leather amount to probably Long, Hard Path to Reach a Good \$6,000,000 worth annually. There you Fee Before the Supreme Court.

have the situation. The sum of the claim of the boot and shoe men is that the duty on hides is

tection and that 80 per cent of the hide output in this country is controlled by the packers rather than by the farmers or cattle raisers. The record shows with industry, perseverance, patience-

that the hide duty was asked for by national politics by the visit of the rep- the farmers' organizations when the resentative boot and shoe men, mostly Dingley tariff was framed. It is not so much a question of the relative importance of hides as a raw material pro-

President Roosevelt; they aired their wool or like materials. The question is grievances; they obtained no encour- the principle involved and the disposiagement. But they did accomplish by tion manifested of seeking cheaper raw materials at the expense of the producers of the materials and in deflance of the principle that protection

should cover all industries alike where for free hides is based upon selfishness the domestic producers are capable of in a large degree or a mistaken idea of supplying substantially all the neces-In view of what the boot and shoe

men said here regarding the retention discussion of the subject brought out of duties on leather, even if hides were a fact that will not be lost upon the admitted free, such policy being in the people of the country during any fu- interests of developing the domestic ture discussion of the tariff question. leather industry, and in view of the points made showing how the protecthat the meeting between the presi- tive system works to their advantage dent and the advocates of free hides rather than to their detriment, it is not surprising that the delegation headed

fact brought out by the discussion in Democrat who probably would vote to Washington of the free hide proposi- abolish all protection, obtained compartion-namely, whether free hides should atively little comfort or encouragement

#### Impossible Except Under One Single Government.

Some newspapers of the United sion of the subject, and they sought to States are following the Mexican Hercover up nothing that would be better ald in a lot of talk about the necessity disclosed if the disclosure would make for making a North American tariff for the success of their "free raw ma- common to all the countries which may terial" propaganda. Well, it is fair to be reached without boats. The idea is say that the boot and shoe manufac- too big for the handlers. The same turers are willing, most of them, to talkers are fast and furious for state concede that if hides were admitted rights, even in this country, which has free of duty leather really ought to be been one most of the time for more placed on the free list or substantially than a century, and they advocate the so and that material reductions should making of state lines emphatic in all ported boots and shoes. But they are | There is nothing which needs to have not prepared to admit that this course the boundaries of a country so plainly with respect to leather and boots and marked as the tariff for the revenue

Euripides. shoes should be followed. They admit of the government and for the protec-

Actors are the only honest hypo-

It is the general belief that President Lincoln was a Mason, but according to Colonel E. B. Bierce of Springfield, Ill., he was not. Blerce is a member of Springfield Masonic lodge, No. 4. He says that after Lincoln's election in the fall of 1860 his petition was received by that lodge and voted on with a clear ballot in the east, but Lincoln never took the degrees. The whole country at that time was laboring under the excitement over the prospects of a civil war, and threats were made to assassinate the newly made president. Lincoln was also very busy with the many things he had to look after, and under these circumstances he found no time for Masonry.

The members of the craft who were present in the Masonic temple in Grand Rapids, Mich., recently were treated to the unusual sight of witnessing the third degree presented with every position from the tiler to the east occupied by past masters.

The Southern California Masonic home at East San Gabriel, Cal., was opened to receive its first inmates recently.

You seem a sprightly, energetic man. I The new grotto of the Veiled Prophets of the Enchanted Realm has been would advise you to try your hand at instituted in Chicago. It is named Ar-He would have nothing to do with the yan.

> At the Mystic Shriners' semiannual conclave in Denver a class of clightythree candidates was given the shrine. Included in the class were Dr. Gin Rio Hara of Salida, a Japanese; two Frenchmen, one Austrian, one German and one Scotchman.

> The grand Royal Holy Arch chapter of Pennsylvania recently appropriated \$200 to the fund for the relief of the Jews in Russia.

> Masters who are looking for a novelty might do worse than to hold an "experience meeting," says the Masonic Standard. Call on each brother present to relate a Masonic incident coming within his personal experience. Properly conducted, such a meeting would afford no little entertainment.

#### ROYAL ARCANUM.

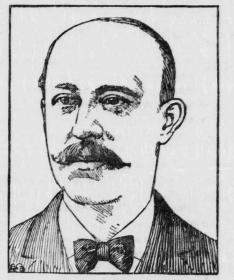
Rhode Island's Grand Regent-Notes and Gossip.

The theater is the mirror of life .-The grand regent of the grand council of Rhode Island, George W. Tilley, has been a member of the Royal Arcanum since April 10, 1896, when he joined Coronet council, No. 63, of Newport.

ARTHUR J. DODGE. inconvenient honesty which prompted

to bring suit. "Yes," he once said to a man who offered him such a case; "there is no reasonable doubt that I can gain your case for you. I can set a whole neighborhood at loggerheads; I can distress a widowed mother and her six fatherless children and thereby gain for you \$600. which rightfully belongs, it appears to





#### GEORGE W. TILLEY.

He was elected orator of that council in 1897, vice regent in 1898 and regent in 1899. In 1900 he was elected a member of the grand council of Rhode Island, was elected grand sentry in 1901, grand chaplain in 1902, grand orator in 1903 and grand vice regent in 1904. Mr. Tilley is a native of Newport.

The members of McCarthy council, R. A., Richmond, Va., are endeavoring to arrange a plan for assisting the older members of the order in paying their assessments.

Elkins council, recently instituted in Elkins, W. Va., was the first new council to be organized under the new plans and rates.

The order had a total membership of 273,836 in good standing on Dec. 1, 1905.

There are now 331 councils and 71,-000 members in good standing in the New York jurisdiction.

There were 2,124 Royal Arcanum councils in good standing on Dec. 1, 1905.

#### RED MEN.

#### Stray Arrows From a Number of Live Reservations.

The order is growing so rapidly in Pennsylvania that it is expected the reservation will show 70,009 members in its next report.

A class of seventy-five palefaces was admitted by Onawa tribe of Des Moines, Ia., recently. Many other tribes in the reservation are growing rapidly.

Ponemah tribe of Philadelphia has a committee of fifty who are to work for the upbuilding of the tribe.

Fifteen of the councils in Ohio have over 100 members.

Seven new tribes have been instituted in West Virginia since flower moon, and the jurisdiction is making splendid progress

Cyrus Scott is filling George Perry's place at the engine house.

finding no fault with President Roosevelt's treatment of the Massachusetts politicians who called to see about placing hides on the free list.-Kansag

Evelyn speaks of "the strange and wonderful dexterity of the sliders" in St. James' park, "performed before their majesties by divers gentlemen and others with scheets, after the manner of the Hollanders, with what swiftnesse they pass, how suddainly they

An Eskimo Dainty. The greatest treat known to the Es-

eating the sugar. They roll the sweet morsel in a piece of tobacco leaf. This they place in their cheek and, smacking their lips delightedly, hold it there until it is dissolved. This dainty is called "laloop" and is the choicest mor-

sel known to the little Eskimo stomach. The cattle districts of the west are

kimo boy or girl is a lump of sugar. Perhaps you think there is nothing very strange in that. The strange part is the very funny way they have of



NORTHERN PACIFIC PASSENGER STRUCK IN REAR AND CARS ARE CONSUMED BY FIRE.

# AT LEAST FIVE DEAD.

Victims Pinned Under Debris and Slowly Scorched While Rescue Party Must Stand, Aside Helpless.

HELENA, Mont., Feb. 6 .- The most disastrous railroad wreck that has taken place in the vicinity of Helena for many years occurred shortly before midnight two and a half miles west of Helena. A runaway Northern Pacific freight

train crashed into a passenger train on the same line, wrecked it completely, set fire to it.

Five persons were known to be dead early today, with a probability that two more, whose names it is impossible to learn, had been burned in the wreck. The known dead:

ROBINSON, J. N., Missoula. BRICKLE, CHARLES, conductor passen-

ger train. JESSUP, J. A., express messenger. SENEGAL, FOSTER, merchant of Ellis-

ton. UNKNOWN MAN.

Seriously injured:

Brakeman Edward Brown, seriously in-jured, but not fatally. Ernest Rossman, passenger, collar bone

broken. C. Lightall, head cut.

George Young, slightly.

None of the passengers who escaped with their lives was seriously injured. The passenger train passed through Austin, about eight miles west of Helena, on time. Following it was a long freight train made up of box and cars loaded with lumber and shingles. At Austin the engine was uncoupl

from the freight to take water and the train was left standing on the track. Freight Train Rolls Away.

There is a steep grade east of Austin and by some means the freight train got started down the hill. The passenger train, when it arrived at the Montana Central crossing, stopped when the engineer heard a sound behind him that warned him of danger. He started his train, but it had gone but a few feet when the freight crashed into the rear car. There were but two cars in the train and they were smashed and thrown into the ditch.

The engine became uncoupled, but did not leave the track and Engineer Pelty managed to keep ahead of the flying freight. The freight went probably 500 feet when it too went off the track. In a few minutes fire started and for a few hours the cars and the lumber burned

The crash of the collision was heard by persons living in the vicinity who im-mediately started for the wreck. When When they got there an awful scene met their The combination car was on fire gaze. and pinned under a mass of wreckage was Jessup. He was conscious and efforts were made to release him from his situation. Finally the fire became so ot that the rescuers had to give up the task.

Jessup, still conscious, cried: "It is hard to lie here and burn to death.' He struggled to release himself as the fire took hold of his limbs, but the effort was fruitless and after a few screams

unconsciousness came to him. Exposed to full view with blazing shingles all about him and his bed a mass of redhot coal, was the body of MITCHELL FEARS A Former Milwaukee Attorney and Head of SPLIT IN MINERS.

PRESIDENT OF NATIONAL ASSOCIA-TION SENDS REPRESENTATIVE TO PITTSBURG CONVENTION.

Dolan and Bellingham Again Refuse to Resign, but Nothing Is Done Pending Instructions.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 7.-T. L. Lewis, national vice president of the United Mine Workers of America, who was ordered to Pittsburg by President Mitchell to investigate the trouble among the miners and officers of District No. 5, arrived from Indianapolis today and attended the convention of the Pittsburg district miners when it convened for the third days' session.

Mr. Lewis refused to discuss the affairs of the miners' organization until District President Patrick Dolan and Vice President Uriah Beilingham, whose resignations were almost unanimously demanded by a resolution passed by the convention yesterday afternoon, were in their seats today as if nothing had happened. Their disregard of the resolution angered the delegates and they appealed

to Vice President Lewis, who said: "I have been sent here by President Mitchell in an endeavor to straighten out the trouble in the Pittsburg district. As yet, however, I have no instructions from him as to procedure and will have to withhold a decision until his instructions are received.'

Several delegates then requested Dolan and Bellingham to resign and the Green Bay Extension of North-Western officers refused again amid much uproar.

"I am president of the Pittsburg dis-trict miners until April 1, 1907," shout-ed Dolan, "and I will be president, too, unless the miners in the district oust me

by a referendum vote." INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 7.--President Mitchell of the United Mine President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America this afternoon said that he had just sent instructions to Vice President Lewis by wire and that those instructions would be read no doubt this evening to the Pittsburg con-rention.

### WIN BLOODLESS WAR.

#### Scottish Crofters Have Seized Island of Vatersay and Refuse to Be

#### Dislodged.

EDINBURGH, Scotland, Feb. 7 .-The Crofters of Barra island, Hebrides, have seized the neighboring island of Vatersay and declare their intention to resist by force of arms any attempt to dislodge them.

A regular war expedition was fitted out by the invading islanders, who col-lected a fleet of boats and with flags flying and pipers skirling Highland battie tunes soon effected a bloodless landing on Vatersay, hitherto used as a game

preserv The Barra men for years have claimed the right to cultivate Vatersay, but have been unable to get the necessary permission from the authorities, and now they have seized the island, have apportioned it into small farms and have distributed them among themselves.

There are no police or troops in the immediate vicinity of this faraway islet,

so the government's action is hampered. TRUST REFUSES TO TELL.

#### FRANKENBURGERNOMORE UNCLE SAM HELPS OUT VENEZUELANS.

land After Leaving.

Outlook Between Germany and United

States More Hopeful-Reported

United States, to last one year, had

een agreed upon, but inquiry at the

American embassy and at the foreign of-

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Agreement Is False.

University Rhetoric Department Dies of Complication of Diseases.

REPLIES FAVORABLY TO REQUEST MADISON, Wis., Feb. 7 .- Prof. Da-TO TAKE CHARGE OF CASTRO'S vid B. Frankenburger, who has held the chair of rhetoric and oratory in the Uni-FRENCH CONSULATE. versity of Wisconsin since 1878, died last night, from a complication of throat and nervous disease. He was nearly 61 Taigny Says Police of the Central Americans Would Not Let Him Re-

years old. He leaves a widow and two daughters, Margarette, aged 20 years, and Dorothea, aged 15 years. The fu-neral will be held Friday. Prof. Frankenburger was born at Lawrenceburg, Pa., October 13, 1845. In WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 7.-The Venezuelan government has requested the government of the United States to 1855 he came with his parents to Green county, this state, settling near Albany. He worked on a farm as a boy and at-tended the district school. In 1864 he entered Milwaukee college and a couple take charge of its consulate in France. Secretary Root has decided to comply with the request and will give the necesof years after entered the state universisary instructions to the American amty from which he graduated in 1869. Two years later he graduated from the bassador in Paris. NEW YORK, Feb. 7.-Oliver Taigny,

niversity law school. former French charge d'affaires at Cara-cas. Venezuela, who arrived here last After practicing law for several years in Milwaukee he was called in 1878 to the chair of rhetoric and oratory at the night on the steamer Zulia from Curacoa, talked briefly today of conditions in state university. He secured his mas-ter's degree in 1882. He was married Venezuela. He expressed the opinion that the industrial classes in that counto Miss Mary Storer, daughter of wealthy citizen of Madison in 1880. try are not giving active support to the government's position on French affairs. "I received no passports," he said,

Prof. Frankenburger was the author of many popular poems, essays and nographs government authorities directing me to

Frankenburger Funeral Thursday. MADISON, Wis., Feb. 7.-[Special.] -The funeral of Prof. D. B. Franken-burger will be held Thursday afternoon from the Unitarian church, conducted by Rev. F. A. Gilmore. The university will suspend exercises for the afternoon.

# LONG TRESTLE SETTLING.

#### Road Receives Setback Which BERLIN, Feb. 7.-It was reported in commercial circles today that a tariff arrangement between Germany and the

Means Long Delay.

GREEN BAY, Wis., Feb. 7 .- [Special.]-The most serious setback experienced in connection with building the North-Western road extension from Manitowoc to Gillett via Green Bay is involved in the discovery that the foundation of a long trestle across Fox river here is settling. The fact that the heavy were gradually sinking became evident during preparations for beginning the erection of a steel superstructure. It is an unexpected problem and no blame is attached to the contractors or engineers, who are puzzled to find a so-lution to the problem without resorting to calsson construction. The settling of the piers will necessitate practically the entire rebuilding of the substructure with the result that the opening of the extension may be delayed four or five months and an additional expenditure of

# HER JEWELRY IS MISSING.

#### Valuables of Chippewa Falls Girl Burned to Death at St. Paul May Have

Been Stolen. CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., Feb. 7.-

[Special.]-A cloak and a set of furs valued at \$150, a diamond ring valued at \$75, a gold watch and chain valued at \$50, and \$50 belonging to Miss Alta Hutchinson, who burned to death at St. Paul, Tuesday night, have not been found since her death.

G. E. Hutchinson of New Auburn, Wis., a brother of the dead girl, went to St. Paul to get his sister's property and could not find it. He says that the inside of the room was damaged little. A trunk and the garments of the you woman were untouched by flames. She had been in the city only a week and it was her first trip away from home. He says she had \$50 when she left home The suspicious circumstances warrant

# WORK OF CONGRESS. IN THE HOUSE.

IN THE HOUSE. The House on the 1st called for the esti-mate of cotton yet to be ginned, which the director of the census has compiled, but which he has no authority to make public until March. The discussion of the rail-road rate bill was continued. So many speakers have come to the front that the House will meet at 11 o'clock hereafter until the debate is ended. Mr. Sibley (Pa.) attacked the measure as socialistic. Mr. Knapp (N. Y.), Mr. Shakelford (Mo.) and Mr. Hedin (Aia.) supported it. A resolu-tion looking to the preservation of Miagara Fails was agreed to. It requires a report and recommendation from the American members of the joint commission appointed a few years ago to consider this question. At 5 p. m. adjournment was taken until m. adjournment was taken until

Speeches on the railway rate bill occupied Speeches on the railway rate bill occupied the House for six hours on the 2d. Mr. Mc-Call of Massachusetts attacked the meas-nre, while Messrs. Burton of Ohio, Russell of Texas, Thomas of North Carolina, Burke of South Dakota and Goulden of New York supported it. At 5:15 p. m. the House ad-journed until next day. Various phases of the railroad rate ques-

Various phases of the railroad rate ques-tion were thrashed over in the House on the 3d, in the course of nine speeches which the 3d, in the course of nine speeches which occupied six and one-half hours. Messus. Clayton (Ala.), Henry (Texas), Esch (Wis.), Kennedy (Ohio), Crumpacker (Ind.), Ellis (Mo.), Hogg (Colo.), Floyd (Mo.), and Page (N. C.) spoke. Adjournment was taken at 5:25 p. m. until Monday. Considerable, fault weet

5:25 p. m. until Monday. Considerable fault was found with the railroad rate bill in the House on the 5th. Mr. Littlefield (Me.) opened the session with an attack on the measure. Mr. Grosvenor (Ohlo) ridicaled the alleged popular demand for the legislation. Ten other speeches were made, all favorable to the bill. The fortifications appropriation bill was reported and at 5:25 o'clock the House adjourned un-til next day. "and no written order from Venezuelan leave. It was because the police prevented me from relanding at La Guayra that I left the country." NO TARIFF SETTLEMENT. il next day.

til next day. The House on the 6th fixed the end of the general debate on the rate bill at 4:30 p.m. the next day and then seventeen speeches were made, all of them for the measure. Mr. Gillespie (Texas) expressed dissatisfac-tion with the reply of the interstate com-merce commission to his resolution concern-ing the Pennsylvania railroad combination, and announced that he would address a re-quest to the President to have the commis-sion make a thorough investigation along quest to the President to have the commis-sion make a thorough Investigation along indicated lines. Mr. Galnes (W. Va.) placed in the record evidence of combinations of railroads to control the coal output in his state. At 4:20 p. m. the House adjourned

The House on the 7th concluded all pre-The House on the 7th concluded all pre-liminary steps to the passage of the rail-road rate bill, ordered a roll call on the measure, and put off the final action until the next day at noon. The closing speeches were made by Bonrke Cochran, Mr. Mann (II.), Minority Leader Williams and Mr. Hepburn. The time for amendment came at 4 o'clock and for three hours scores of changes were offered, but all were defeated. The test came with the first one and the vote on this was 119 to 146. Adjournment was taken at 5:55 p. m. until the next day.

#### IN THE SENATE.

The Senate on the 1st passed about forty miscellaneous bills, providing for a delegate in Gongress from Alaska and for light-houses, revenue cutters and fish cultural stations. The greater part of the time was devoted to the shipping bill, Mr. Penrose making a set speech in favor of the meas-ure. Mr. Tillman's resolution calling on the President to send to the Senate all the letters from the minister to Santo Domingo to the state department in 1204 was referred to the committee on foreign relations. At to the committee on foreign relations. At 4:05 p. m. the Senate went into executive session and at 4:15 adjourned until next day.

The first formal reading of the statehood bill was begun in the Senate on the statenood but Mr. Teller objected, and consideration of the measure was postponed. The ship-ping bill was the subject of considerable ping bill was the subject of considerable debate, Mr. Patterson attacking and Mr. Gallinger and Mr. Perkins supporting it. The provision prohibiting vessels from re-ceiving subsidies for more than ten years was struck out. One hundred and fifteen was struck out. One hundred and fifteen pension bills were passed. Another meas-ure adopted provides for a survey for a new deep harbor on Lake Michigan. At 4:12 p. m. the Senate adjourned until Monday.

e Senate was treated to a ser

# WINTER WEAKNESS

#### Dr. Williams' Pink Pills the Tonic That Most People Need for Blood and Nerves.

In winter the air of the close rooms in which we spend so much of the time does not furnish enough oxygen to the lungs to burn out the foul matter in the blood. In the cold season we do not exercise as much and the skin and kidneys do not throw off the waste matter as freely as usual. The system becomes overloaded with poisonous matter, and too feeble to throw it off. Relief can be had only through the use of a remedy that will promptly and thoroughly purify and strengthen the blood, and the one best adapted for this purpose is the great blood tonic known as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

"They acted like magic in my case." said Mrs. Clara L. Wilde, of No. 377 Farnsworth avenue, Detroit, Mich. "I was weak and thin and could not sleep. My stomach and nerves were out of order. I can't describe how miserable I really was. I dragged through six months of feebleness, growing weaker all the time until I finally hadn't strength enough to leave my bed.

"Then a glad day came, the day when I began to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They made me feel strong right away. My appetite came back, I took on flesh and the color returned to my cheeks. People wondered that these pills did for me what the doctors coukin't do. I took only six boxes and then I was perfectly well. If I had not found this wonderful remedy I surely think that I must have wasted to death. Believing firmly that these pills saved my life by the strength which they gave me at a critical moment, I unhesitatingly recommend them to others."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain no stimulant but give strength that lasts. They may be obtained at any drug store.

#### MILITARY PRISONERS' POKER.

Game as Played by Union Officers Confined in Charleston.

Maj. D. A. Carpenter of Knoxville, Tenn., was in Charleston yesterday, for the first time since August 3, 1864. When Maj. Carpenter left the city on that day, with forty-nine other federal officers, the crisis of the great war had passed, and the disaster seemed inevi-table to the Confederate cause.

East Tennessee was, for the most part, loyal to the Union, and so it came about that Maj. Carpenter joined the federal army and fought on that side until his capture and imprisonment. At first he spent six months at Libby prison, and later went to Macon, being confined in

the prison there. When the Union battery at Morris Island was shelling the city, the defender had fifty officers brought from Macon and placed them in the Cunningham house, at the foot of Broad street, as a means of stopping the bombardment. In retaliation the Union forces brought down fifty Confederate officers and kept them on Morris Island, threatening to place them on the Monitor when they attacked the city's defenses. This state of affairs becoming palpably

absurd and inhuman, an exchange was inally effected, and the fifty men of each

side were exchanged. While the Union officers, of which Maj. Carpenter was one, were confined in the Cunningham house the time in the Cunningham house the time iragged on slowly. They were very kind-ly treated, but something was needed as a diversion The Confederate officer in charge one day offered each Union officer a loan of sufficient money to keep them supplied with little luxuries, besides the necessi-ties, on their notes of honor. They all accepted eagerly, and Maj. Carpenter "We were divided into messes, and there were four in my mess, including a Kentuckian named Cash. Cash was the crack poker player of the mess, as of the hole prison. "I suggested that our mess back Cash. against the house, and the others assent-ed. We didn't regret it. Cash won every day, and we were soon doubling and day, and we were soon doubling and trebling our money. Then 1 suggested that we use the winnings in setting up a fine dinner every day, which was done. Cash was never a loser. On Thanksgiving day we had a dinner that cost \$800 in Confederate money, and that was a pretty big banquet in those days."— Charleston News-Courier.

# LATEST MARKET REPORTS. MILWAUKEE, FEBRUARY 7. EGG AND DAIRY MARKETS. MILWAUKEE-Eggs-Market weak. The produce board's official quotation is 16@17c for current receipts, at mark, cases re-turned; strictly fresh, cases returned, 18c; storage, April No. 1, 12@14c; fresh can-died stock sells on the street in a small way at 20c. Dirtles, checks and seconds, 8@10c. Butter - Market firm. Elgin price on extra creamery is 27c. Local price, extra creamery, 27c; prints, 28c; frests, 22@24c; seconds, 19@22c; renovated, 21@22c; dairy, fancy, 20@21c; lines, 18@19c; roll, 17@18c; packing stock, 14@15c. Cheese-Steady; American full cream twins, 12@12½c; limburger, per lb, 11½@ 122; off grade, 9@10c; fancy Brick, 12½@ 123\_c; low grades, 9@10c; imported Swiss, 26c; fancy Block, 13½c; Round Swiss, 13½c 14c; loaf, 13½@14c; Sapsago, 17c; Daisles, 13@13½c; Long Horns, 13@13½c; Young Americas, 12½d25c. CHICAGO, III., Feb. 7.-Butter-Steady; creamerles, 18@26c; dairles, 18@23c. Eggs-Steady; at mark, cases included, 17@18c; Cheese-Steady; daisles, 13c; twins, 11¾c MILWAUKEE-Eggs-Market weak.

about \$50,000.

fice showed the report to be false. oreign office, apparently, is more hopeful now. The officials expect that some sort of an agreement will be reached before the end of the month.

a then unknown man. It was slowly consumed until all that was left was Ohio District Attorney Told by Bridgethe skull and, outstretched were two stumps that a few hours before had been arms. There are supposed to have been eight passengers on the train, which number, two are unaccounted for.

# ROOSEVELT HITS SNOB.

#### Uniform of Enlisted Man Termed "Badge of Honor" in Approval of Lieut. Taylor's Sentence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 6 .-President Roosevelt has paid his respects to the military snob and at the same time upheld the honor and dignity Memphis (Tenn.) Authority for Stateof the uniform of the United States army and navy. He declared the form was a "badge of honor" and that "wearer was entitled to peculiar consideration.

The President asserts that any effort to discriminate against the enlisted man is an infamy and deserves the condem-nation of all who cherish the insignia of military valor and renown.

The President in a letter to Secretary Taft approved the verdict in the court martial of Lieut. Roy I. Taylor, who was reduced twelve numbers for insulting a subordinate at a theater by requesting the latter to change his seat. The sergeant, who moved to another part of the house, complained of the action of Lieut. Taylor, and the court for Chinese Service Upon Arrival martial followed. "In my judgment," writes the Presi-

"Lieut. Taylor committed one of dent. the most serious faults which any officer can commit. I am glad that he was re-duced twelve files. It is a pleasure to record the fact that his offense was altogether exceptional in the body to which he belongs; I know of no other officer who ever has been guilty of similar misconduct.

"The more civilized a nation is, the more honestly desirous it is of securing peace, the greater should be the care with which it fosters and encourages the preservation of the military among its citizens; and in no way can this be better achieved than by a resolute effort to secure proper recognition for the enlisted men of the army and



DULUTH, Minn., Feb. 6 .- Owing to the steadily increasing demand for iron ore from the Lake Superior region the independent mine owners are holding onto their ore for higher prices. This seems apparent from the fact that some of the mines have sold less ore for 1906

delivery than in 1905. The Biwabik Ore company, which owns the great Biwabik mine on the Mesaba, is a good example of the new conditions that seem to be growing. This mine shipped more than 1,000,000 tons in 1905 and this year will ship only about 700,000 tons.

The Youngstown Steel company, and the Briar Hill Iron and Coal company, who control the Biwabik Ore company, use about half of the product of the mine, and the other half has been sold in the general market. The mine is developed to such an extent that it could ship a couple of million tons in a season one of the years when heavy sales could have been made, but the company is not letting go of anything like the amount it could sell and ship.

men That They Will Not Talk on Stand.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 7 .- Attorney General Ellis today wa sunsuccessful in his attempt to get testimony to oust the bridge trust from Ohio. The testimony was begun yesterday before a notary, and today W. T. Guy and R. M. Hons-ton, on the advice of their attorney, de-clared that they would not testify and the matter was continued to Thursday at 9 a.m.

### **RECALL GERMAN OFFICERS**

#### ment That Kaiser's Army Heads on Leave Here Return Suddenly.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 7.-The News-Scimitar today learns that a Ger-man officer, a first lieutenant in the Kaiser's army is passing through this and is authority for the statement that all German officers on leave of absence in this country have been recalled. The lieutenant is en route to New Orleans Galveston where be will sail for Ger-many via Italy.

### TRAIN IN PHILIPPINES.

# for Chinese Service Upon Arrival

#### at Luzon Island.

MANILA, Feb. 7.-Maj.-Gen. Leonard Wood is preparing for field maneuvers as soon as the additional regiments now being sent to the islands arrive. The operations will extend over the larger part of the Island of Luzon, so as to troops for possible service in China.

#### TRAGEDY HAS SILVER LINING.

#### Southern Girl Helped by Duluth People to Bury Dead Mother.

DULUTH, Minn., Feb. 7 .- With the DULUTH, Minn., reb. 4.—with the funeral expenses for the burial of her mother in the old home in Ohio, and her passage back to New Orleans, where she is employed, paid by strangers, Bes-sie McFarland, 22 years old, a refined girl, wept tears of gratitude for the kind-pass of Duluth people when she becaded ness of Duluth people when she boarded the train yesterday afternoon after the body of her mother had been deposited

body of her mother had been deposited in the baggage car. Her mother, Mrs. Mary McFarland, had come north from a small Ohio town three months ago with consumption, in-tending to seek health in the pine woods. Fearing her death, Bessie left New Or-leans and arrived in Duluth yesterday and found her mother dead.

and found her mother dead. Without funds with which to return the body to Ohio, the New Orleans girl the body to maining money she had teleraphing for aid, but none came. Then her plight became known to the citizens of Duluth and more than sufficient money was immediately forthcoming.

#### TOBACCO NOT IN DANGER.

#### Secretary Taft Advocates Philippine Tariff Bill in Committee.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 7. Secretary Taft was heard today by the Senate committee on the Philippines in advocacy of the Philippine tariff bill. He pointed out the difficulties which beset the tobacco growers and said that the labor could not be procured to grow tobacco in large quantities. There was a prospect of increasing the rice and hemp areas, but there was not such favorable outlook for extending the tobacco areas.

# BUYS MILWAUKEE RELICS.

an investigation.

#### Beloit College Museum Gets Fine Collection of Indian Battle Axes from W. H. Ellsworth.

BELOIT. Wis., Feb. 7.-[Special.]-Acting President Collie of Beloit college visited Milwaukee and purchased the great collection of Indian stone battle axes, of W. H. Ellsworth, for the insti-tution. F. G. Logan of Chicago, donor tution. F. G. Logan of Chicago, donor of the Logan museum, provided the money for the purchase of the axes. It is said that this is the finest collection in existence and a large number of them were found in this state. It was Mr. Ellsworth's determination that the col-lection should be kept in the state and he accepted a much smaller sum for them than he has been offered by parties outside.

### SENATOR BIRD TO WED. Friend of His First Wife, a Widow,

Will Become His Bride in

widow, and a daughter of an old friend of his deceased wife. They will be mar-ried at the home of Mr. Bird's daughter, Mrs. W. H. Dunham of Detroit, and Mrs. W. H. Dunham of Detroit, and will go to California on their wedding trip. Senator Bird is 67 years of age nome at Wausaukee where the senator has large land interests. He has a for-tune estimated at \$300,000.

# DRUGGIST HAS NERVE.

Runs Under Fire from Traveling Salesman to Get Officer Instead of

Submitting.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., Feb. 7.-[Special.]-A traveling man giving his name as Martin entered the Fred Gadsby drug store this forenoon and pointed a gun at the owner. Gadsby, however, ran away under fire to get a policeman and the man is now lodged in jail. He shot several holes through the front window the store after the fleeing druggist, but no one was hurt.

#### CHANGES AT UNIVERSITY.

#### University Regents Name Lecturers and New Men for Minor Positions.

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 7.-[Special. The executive committee of the board of regents of the University of Wiscon-sin met yesterday and made provision for three special lecturers for the house keepers' conference: Miss Bertha Dahl Laws, Appleton, Minn.; Mrs. Elizabeth Clark Hardy, Red Cedar, Wis.; Mrs. Alice Halliwell, Chicago.

In the college of engineering Le Roy F. Harza was employed as assistant in hydraulic engineering for the second hydraulic engineering for t semester of the current year.

The following changes were made in The following changes were made in the college of agriculture: Lester Story was named to succeed C. T. Bragg, resigned in the dairy school; Lemuel S. Berry succeeds Mr. Story, and Minor L. Simmons succeeds Robert J. Willis.

Cheese-Steady; daisles, 13c; twins, 11449 12c; Young Americas, 13c. NEW YORK, Feb. 7. -Butter-Firm; re-celpts, 6361 pkgs; street price, extra cream-ery, 26%; official price, creamery, common to extra, 16@26%; state dairy, common to iextra, 16@24c; renovated, common to extra, 15@10%c; western factory, common to firsts, 14@17%c; western imitation creamery, 20c; do firsts, 18c. Cheese-Firm, unchanged; irecelpts, 557 pkgs. Eggs-Easler; recelpts, 14.560 pkgs; state, Pennsylvania and near-by, fancy selected white, 25@26c; do choice, by, fancy selected white, 25@26c; do choice, 23@24c; do mixed, extra, 22c; western first, 20c; do seconds,  $18\frac{1}{2}@19c$ ; southerns, 15@

MILWAUKEE STOCK YARDS REPORT. HOGS-Receipts, 1000; market steady; ight, mixed, 5.60@5.75; fair to choice meight, mixed, dlums, 5.65@5.85; selected medium and

diums, 5.65@5.85; selected medium and heavy, 5.85. CATTLE-Receipts, 50; strong; calves, 100; higher; butchers' steers, medium to good, 1050 to 1050 lbs, 4.75@5.25; fair to medium, 950 to 1050 lbs, 3.75@4.25; helfers, common, 2.50@3.00; good, 3.50@4.25; cows fair to good, 3.00@3.50; canners, 1.75@2.25; cutters, 2.50@2.75; hulls, common, 2.50@ 3.00; choice, 3.25@3.75; feeders, 800 to 950 lbs, 3.50@4.00; stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, 2.75 @3.25; veal calves, common, light, 4.50@ 5.50; choice, 6.50@7.00. Milkers and spring-ers-No demand unless choice, 30.00@45.00. ers-No demand unless choice, 30.00@45.00. SHEEP-Receipts noue; steady, 3.50@ 5.00; bucks, 2.75@3.50; lambs, dull, 5.00@ 7.00.

#### MILWAUKEE HAY MARKET.

Mill WAUKEE HAT MARKET. Choice timothy hay, 10.00@10.25; No. 1 Hmothy hay, 9.25@9.50; No. 2 timothy hay, 7.50@8.50; clover and mixed, 6.50@7.50; choice Kansas and Nebraska prairie, 10.00@ 10.25; No. 1 prairie, 9.00@9.50; No. 2 prairie, 7.50@8.00; Wisconsin prairie, 6.00@6.50; packing hay, 5.25@5.50; rye straw 6.50@6.75; oats straw, 5.00@5.25; wheat straw, 4.50@

#### MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 7 .-- Close-Wheat-MILWAUKEE, Feb. 1.—Close—Wheat— Firm; No. 1 northern, on track, 86c; No. 2 northern, on track, 84½c. Corn—Easy; No. 3 on track, 41½c. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, on track, 32c; No. 3 white, on track, 29½@30c. Barley—Dull; No. 2 on track, 55c; sample on track, 68c. Provisions—Steady; No. 1 on track, 68c. Provisions—Steady; pork, 14.80; lard, 7.82. Elone quotations are: Hard spring wheat

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Close—Wheat—May, 90½c; July, 80½c; September, 87c. Corn— May, 50½c; July, 50½c; September, 50¾c. DULUTH, Minn., Feb. 7.—Close—Wheat— To arrive, No. 1 northern, 82c; No. 2 north-ern, 80c; on track, No. 1 northern, 82c; No. 2 northern, 80c; May, 83½c; July, 84¾c. Flax—To arrive and on track, 1.14½; May, 1.17½; July, 1.18½; September, 1.17; Octo-ber, 1.15¼. Oats—To arrive and on track, 28%c. Rye—60c. Barley—35@45c. Receipta of wheat, 50,220 bus; shipments, 500 bus. ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 7.—Close—Wheat— Lower; No. 2 red cash, elevator, 89@99c; track, 95½c; May, 83@83¾c; July, 81‰c; No. 2 hard, 81¼@82½c. Corn—Lower; No. 2 cash, 41c; track, 42@42½c; May, 41‰ 41‰c; July, 42‰c. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 32‰c. WANSAS CUTY, Mo. Feb. 7.—Close—

Cash, 31½c; track, 32c; May, 30½c; No. 2
white, 32%c.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 7.—Close— Wheat—Lower; May, 77%c; July, 76%c; Sep-tember, 75%c; cash No. 2 hard, 78@81c; No. 3, 75@75c; No. 2 red, 92%g04c; No. 3, 86@
92c. Corn—Firm; May, 39%c; July, 40c, cash No. 2 mixed, 30c; No. 2 white, 40c; No. 3, 88%g039c. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 200%g031%c; No. 2 mixed, 30c.
ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 2500, including 200 Texans; market for na-tives steady, Texans strong; beef steers, 3.00@5.85; stockers and feeders, 2.50@4.25; cows and heifers, 2.50@4.25; Texas steers, 3.00@4.90; cows and heifers, 2.10@3.85.
Hogs—Receipts, 10,500; market steady; pigs and lights, 5.00@5.80; packers, 5.25@5.80; butchers and best heavy, 5.70@5.85. Sheep —Receipts, 10,000; market slow; natives, 5.25@6.25; lambs, 5.00@6.85; Texans, 3.00@ 4.00.

on the 5th when Mr. Patterson (Colo.) in-produced a resolution in effect declaring the action of the Democratic caucus against

the Santo Domingo treaty last Saturday to have been contrary to the federal constitu-tion. Consideration of the resolution went over. It was decided that a vote should be taken on the shipping bill Widnesday, February 14, at 5 p. m. Mr. Teller made a speech against the measure. Several bills were passed and the Senate adopted a reso-lution calling on the postmaster general for information as to the number of postal locks which is mailwood avoidants Information as to the number of postal clerks killed in railroad accidents during the last five years. At 3:15 p. m. the Sen-ate went into executive session and at 3:27 adjourned.

The Senate on the 6th gave up the entire session to a revival of its prerogatives in the framing of treaties. The question was raised by Mr. Bacon in a speech on his the framing of treatles. The question was raised by Mr. Bacon in a speech on his resolution requesting information concern-ing the Algeciras conference. He was fol-lowed by Mr. Spooner, and there were sev-eral sharp clashes between them. The dis-cussion of the Patterson resolution con-cerning the Democratic caucus action went over until the next day. A resolution di-recting the committee on immigration to make an investigation of the Chinese boy-cott was adopted. At 5:10 p. m. the Senate went into executive session and at 5:25 adwent into executive session and at 5:25 ad-journed until the next day.

The Senate chamber on the 7th was made the scene of an effort to administer party discipline to a member of that body and the proceedings were filled with dramatic interest. Mr. Patterson was the subject of the effort and Mr. Balley the instrument of the Democratic party. The proceedings the effort and Mr. Buttey the instrument of the Democratic party. The proceedings arose in connection with Mr. Patterson's resolution of remonstrance against the Democratic caucus action opposing the San-to Domingo treaty, and although the sub-ject was thrashed over thoroughly no vote was taken. The debate lasted until 4 p. was taken. The debate lasted until 4 p. m., when an executive session was had. Fifteen minutes later the Senate adjourned until the next day.

No. 1 on track, 68c. Provisions-Steady; pork, 14.80; lard, 7.32. Flour quotations are: Hard spring wheat patent, in wood, 4.30@4.40; straight, in wood, 4.15@4.25; export patents, in sacks, .860@3.75; first clear, in sacks, 3.30; rye, in wood, 3.55@3.65; country. 3.00@3.15 in sacks. Buckwheat flour, 5.30@5.50; Kan-sas patent, in wood, 4.15. Millstuffs are quoted at 16.75 for bran, 16.75 for standard middings and 18.75@ 19.00 for Milwaukee flour middlings in 100 b sacks: rye middlings, 16.00@16.50; red dog, 19.75@20.00; barley feed, 18.50; deliv-cred at country points, 50c extra. CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 7.-Close-Wheat-May, 85c; July, 44%c. Oats-May, 30%@30%c? July, 29%c. Pork-May, 14.87%; July, 14.82%, Lard-May, 7.72%; July, 7.52. Ribs -May, 7.90; July, 8.00@8.02%. Rye-Cash, 67%@68c; May, 69c. Flax-Cash northwest-ern, 1.15; southwestern, 1.09; May, 1.17%. Timothy-March, 3.35. Barley-30@336c. NEW YORK, Feb. 7.-Close-Wheat-May, NEW YORK, Feb. 7.-Close

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.-Close-Wheat-May, that the store was elevated to be above the window, in order that cool and pure air could be had at night.

Mr. Bessom, being more practical, con tended that the stove was elevated in order that a good supply of green wood could be placed beneath to dry.

After considerable argument each man placed a dollar bill upon the table, and it was agreed that the one whose opinion was nearest the guide's reason for ele-vating the stove should take the pool. The guide was called and asked why the stove was placed in such an unusua position.

"Well," said he, "when I brought the stove up the river I lost most of the stovepipe overboard, and had to set the stove up there so as to have the pipe reach through the roof." He got the money .- Boston Herald.

-A bushel of bituminous coal is different in different states. In Illinois, Iowa, Missouri and Kentucky its weight is eighty pounds; in Pennsylvania, seventysix pounds, and in Indiana, seventy pounds.

The Spokane (Wash.) Athletic clul wants Gene Bezenah for a bout with Jack O'Keefe. As Bezenah was dissatisfied with the decision given in their last fight he will take on Jack if the club of fers suitable terms.

#### OVER SEA HABIT.

Difference on This Side the Water .. The persistent effect upon the heart. of caffeine in coffee cannot but result in the gravest conditions, in time.

Each attack of the drug (and that means each cup of coffee) weakens the organ a little more, and the end is almost a matter of mathematical demonstration. A lady writes from a Western State:

"I am of German descent, and it was natural that I should learn at a; very early age to drink coffee. Until I was 23 years old I drank scarcely anything else at my meals.

"A few years ago I began to be affected by a steadily increasing nervousness, which eventually developed into a distressing heart trouble that made me very weak and miserable. Then, some three years ago, was added asthma in its worst form. My sufferings from these things can be better imagined than described.

"During all this time my husband realized more fully than I did that coffee was injurious to me, and made every effort to make me stop.

"Finally it was decided a few months ago, to quit the use of coffee absolutely, and to adopt Postum Food Coffee as our hot table drink. I had but little idea that it would help me, but consented to try it to please my, husband. I prepared it very carefully, exactly according to directions, and was delighted with its delicious flavor and refreshing qualities.

"Just as soon as the poison from the coffee had time to get out of my system the nutritive properties of the Postum began to build me up, and I am now fully recovered from all my nervousness, heart trouble and asthma. I gladly acknowledge that now, for the first time in years, I enjoy perfect health, and that I owe it all to Postum." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville" in pkgs. Postum Food Coffee contains no drugs of any description whatsoever.

Detroit.

MARINETTE, Wis., Feb. 7.-[Spe-cial.]-Senator H. P. Bird of Wausau-kee is to be married this week at De-troit. The bride is to be Mrs. Mott, a

# and his bride 47. They will make their



PANORAMIC VIEW OF THE ISTHMUS OF PANAMA, SHOWING THE LINE OF THE CANAL.

Most familiar of sights, most homely of sounds greet you on stepping from the train at the Pacific Terminus of the Panama Railway, writes a recent visitor to the scene of the great work. The road is up, and gangs of workmen, men of all shades, from brown to black, are digging and laughing, jabbering crooning at their work.

A big notice stares you in the face, "Prohibido de Pasar," the Spanish equivalent of "No thoroughfare." You look upon a hundred yards of fine paving highway, and then a stretch of mud and upturned road as far as the eye can see.

These are the men who are performing one of the chief works in the successful building of the canal across the Isthmus of Panama. They are laying down its new water mains, they are completing a system of modern sewerage; in short, they are the tools of the Isthmian Canal Commission, slowly but surely converting the plague-stricken Panama into a healthy abode for civilized white men.

You hear it said that nothing is being done on the Isthmus, that no progress is being made in the work of excavation, that no policy is formed as to the ultimate character of the canal, that the United States government does not know if the canal is to be sea-level or locked. With the exception of the last indictment these statements are wrong in every particular. The Americans are doing mighty work. They have 15,000 men at work on the Isthmus, 10,000 of these excavating on the canal.

The work that is being done on the Isthmus to-day is as follows:

(1) The building of the terminal docks at Colon and Panama.

(2) The excavation of the canal from the "Boco" to the Culebra Cut, a distance of about twelve miles.

VANITY OF RICHES.

#### BRAZILIAN WARSHIP WHICH WAS BLOWN UP.

(3) Excavations in the hard rock on the great Culebra Cut between Culebra and Empire station.

(4) The thorough sanitation of Colon and Panama. On the actual work of excavation and terminal construction about 10,000 men are employed to-day, but the main work is being done in Panama and Colon.

Along the proposed route of the canal the dwellings. of the laborers are being thoroughly overhauled and repaired, or, where necessary, rebuilt.

All along the route arrangements are being made for the sanitary housing of the black laborers when the time shall come for pressing on with the canal construction in real earnest.

The Americans are starting at the beginning, laying a solid foundation to their house before beginning with two walls, let alone the roof.

To further this end they are doubling the track of the Panama Railroad, they are relaying the metals, they are strengthening the bridges, and bringing from the States a good supply of very powerful engines to cope with the heavy extra freights necessitated by their canal works.

They look to compete the paving of the streets and make their sanitary arrangements thoroughly efficient within a year. Long before this period is up the number of laborers on the canal will be double, the final surveys and plans will be decided on, the route will be chosen, and the advisory committee will have decided whether the canal should be built at sea level or with locks and lakes-the greatest engineering problem of the century. America means to cut a canal which has defied the efforts of the most competent engineers, backed up by almost unlimited money. Where others have failed America is going to succeed.

tion. Dr. Simmons was 40 years of age and leaves a wilow. He held charges in Texas, Jackson, Tennessee and Louisville, Ky., before coming here.

tated. He said this was his last on earth and wanted to leave a message of undying love to all. In part it said: "Also no blame must attach to ex-Gov. Yates nor his associates. He sim-

must be lodged within six months. ply gave me an opportunity which his opponents and my enemies have prevent-Edmond Kelly, the American lawyer, who is counsel to the Countess Boni de ed my using." The last line, "That time fails me

should I attempt to write personal mes-sages," indicates he was dying as he brought this letter to a close.

#### One Bank Kept Closed.

of first instance awarded provisional con-trol of the children to their mother. To this end he first accorded her a legal domicile at the Hotel Bristol. Then both The People's Savings bank, of which Simmons was president, in the work-men's quarter of the city, did not open its doors this morning. Cashier Look said it would remain closed until some parties appeared before him. It had been understood that Count future action was determined on. There was a run on the bank yesterday and by 10 o'clock this morning a large crowd surrounded the building, clamoring for heir money. The Interstate Savings bank, of which

band and wife met in the tribunal. "It is incumbent upon the petitioner in such cases," said the countess' lawyer, "to make out a sufficient prima facie justification. This the countess did. Then the president, for the convenience of the mother and children, appointed as her domicile, pending trial of the suit, her own house in the Avenue Malakof, which is known by the name 'Trianon.' The count has withdrawn from that house, although he remains in Paris." he was president up to yesterday, when his resignation was accepted and E. C. Heidrich elected in his stead, was also the object of runs yesterday and today. Early this morning the bank building was crowded with depositors demanding their money. Cashier Anacker said they would be able to stand the drain.

#### Was Remarkably Successful.

Dr. Simmons came to the First Bap tist church five years ago from Terre Haute, Ind., and had been remarkably successful. He secured national publicity two years ago, by advocating a dramatization of the life of Christ. He became local manager of the senatorial campaign of Gov. Yates a week ago and shortly after stories affecting his morals were circulated. State's Attorney Scholes undertook an investigation yesterday and secured some sensational confessions from boys of his congrega-

lows:

requirements.

**30STONIAN SEEKS FOUR REFORM** ERS TO VOTE SCORES OF LIFE INSURANCE PROXIES.

Govs. Johnson and Broward, and Attorney General of Ohio.

sound, business men as directors.

Gov. Cummins replied that he would definite answer. Mr. Lawson was ac-companied by E. J. Ridgeway, a magazine publisher. Mr. Lawson told Mr. Cummins that

the other members of the committee will be Gov. Johnson of Minnesota, Senator La Follette of Wisconsin, Gov. Broward of Florida and former Attorney General

Monnett of Ohio. He said he had received a large num-ber of proxies from policy holders of the New York Life and Mutual Life of New York which, with the others he expects to get, and which he is confident will come in if the committee plans go through will give him control of heth through, will give him control of both companies.

# GET STOLEN HEIRESS.

#### who is counsel to the Countess Bonn de Castellane, consented to discuss the case. Regarding the Parisian society women named in the case, he refused to talk. "It is a fact," said Mr. Kelly, "that on Thursday President Ditte in the court of fort instantial data to the court Daughter of English Lord Kidnaped Off Japan Is in New York Asvlum.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.-The daughter of an English lord, who was kidnaped off the coast of Yokohama in November last, has been brought to this city on It had been understood that Count Boni was not present in court at this original hearing, being represented by counsel only, but it appears from this statement that the now estranged hus-band and wife met in the tribunal. board a yacht. She is a raving maniac and has been transferred to an insane asylum.

These facts became known yesterday, when it was learned that a warrant was in the hands of central office men supposedly for the arrest of the man who is held responsible for the kidnaping.

#### Believed She Was an Heiress.

From a trustworthy source it was learned that an English lord, while traveling in France, in 1876, met a woman who afterward became the mother of a child. This child, a girl, was taken to England by the lord and kept away from his family. He finally consented that a friend, the captain of a merchant-man plying between London and Yokohama, should adopt the girl. The girl was brought up at Yokohama.

On sea trips with her adopted father she is said to have met the lord, who lived on his estate. Soon the girl came to be spoken of an an heir to some of the lord's property, and this fact led to the kidnaping.

The report is that she was taken from CLEVELAND MUST TRAVEL a boat on which she was a passenger to a yacht. Six weeks later the yacht, it is said, was in New York harbor, but the Former President Declines Invitation to Speak and Say: That His Health solution to Speak and Say: That His Health solution to Yokohama police corresponded, and then the New York police were asked to hunt

#### Wealth Often Makes Commonness of Its Owners More Noticeable.

One thing that I wish is for flashy rich people to learn their real position in the world of real things. This is

the most hopeless of all my wishes. You couldn't make a man who enjoys doing the 'swell' thing before the admiring gaze of the public know that unless a man has brains and real worth he

isn't to be counted MRS. J. V. STRAUSS when the sons of God present themselves.

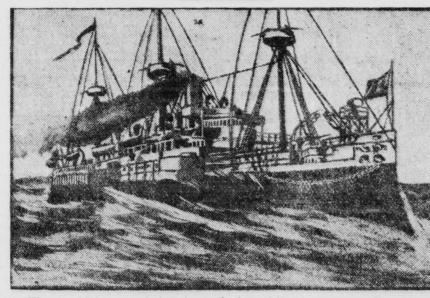
I hope I haven't a prejudice against rich people. It would be natural enough that a poor beggar like me should be envious; but then I do care so little for the things that money can buy in comparison with personal gifts, some of which I have, that envy can scarcely be laid to my door. However, I do wish that people who confuse money with greatness could be made to see how foreign the two are and how much cheaper the trappings of wealth make common people appear.

I think the most pitiful object in nature is a stupid rich woman. She is always haughty and overbearing, glaring about lest some person of moder- a sweet nature, or an appreciative ate means might by some misfortune have gotten into the circle. The mis- tages. It is futile to claim that the fortune would be to the person of moderate means, supposing said per- luster of experience and travel, monson had a few brains, and it is likely he would have. There seems to have been some impartiality-the money has been given largely to mediocre people and the brains scattered among the poor devils.

I recently saw some very rich people and examined them rather critically. They were too rich and great to associate with any one, though there were 300 people under the same roof. There were types of mankind galore, all sorts of people, some of their commonness would not be noticed them nice, some bright, but the vast so much --- Juliet V. Strauss, in Chlmajority (including my very rich ones) not bright. Now these people dressed very elaborately many times during ALL WOMEN NOT FOND OF GEMS the day; they drove and rode out in state, and I invariably detected them glancing around to see if their grandeur was duly appreciated.

Was there no still, small voice to whisper to them that if the people around them were their inferiors it was low as well as silly to dress at them, and do things to attract atten- rich who delight in such ostentatious tion?

Is there any way by which men can learn that greatness can only be attained through simplicity, and that opera are calculated to make the jupeople are only truly great when they dicious grieve-or laugh. But there have renounced the pomps and vani- are women who do not care for such ties and become simple-hearted broth- barbaric show. For instance, Mrs. ers of men? I believe one is justified Roosevelt owns some fine diamonds, in being a trifle vain over certain but seldom wears more than two dog feels like barking.



The Aguidaban, sunk by the explosion of its magazine at Jacarepagua, seventeen miles southwest of Rio de Janeiro, was a duplicate of the illfated Maine of the United States navy, except in size and in details of gun equipment and boilers.

things-though none of us is so en- pieces at one time. If she dons her dowed as to justify much of a swagger-but I do think nothing quite so contemptible as being vain over wealth and position. The expression "I could buy and

sell you" is such a poor little boast. When all the millions in the world can not bring sight to a blind eye, or buy mind. We are born with our advanrich can buy them. Some polish, some ey can add to a naturally fine mind. but it is like gilding refined gold. And what hopeless creatures are those who. having had every "advantage" that money can give, and still remain dull -and how many there are of them.

This, then, my wish for common rich people to know that they do not count is never likely to be realized. To be sure they can't help being common, and perhaps they can't help being rich, but they really ought to try, for if they were rid of their riches cago Journal.

#### Mrs. Roosevelt Is Noticeably Inconspicuous in Dress.

"What's the use of having a lot of diamonds unless I can wear them all at once?" demanded a woman whose husband had become wealthy suddenly. As a fact, it isn't only the newly display. Their supposedly well-bred sisters often offend good taste similarly. Some sights in the boxes at the

beautiful hair ornament, a spray of diamonds catching an osprey feather, she wears only a small pendant at her throat. If she selects her necklace, then a simple feather or flower is in her hair. When Mrs. Hay was in the cabinet circle in Washington she wore gems only on rare occasions, though she has a fine collection.

It would be a tame world if all persons were alike, and there are some marked contrasts to the good taste before mentioned. At a levee in mated that gems worth several mil-lions of dollars were worn. Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, who was a guest of Mrs. Chauncey Depew, was Washington last winter it was estiblazing with diamonds. Her entire bodice was covered with strings of gems; stickpins held the black lace in place; and a crown adorned her hair. She had a jeweled fan, and one beholder averred he had counted ten diamond bracelets. Mrs. William F. Draper of Massachusetts on the same night wore jewels enough to tempt a footpad, but hers were pearls, and did not attract so much attention as Mrs. Vanderbilt's. Among the women of the diplomatic corps Mme. Hengelmuller wears a great assortment of rubies and emeralds, and not in the evening but with her afternoon toilets. Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh, in the days before her mourning, seldom appeared without a string of sapphires twisted many times around her Eight Mine Teamsters Are Victims of throat. In few instances do the wealthy women use judgment in the display of their gems. One observer says they look like a jeweler's shop window in the holiday season.

conscience at night, if the neighbor's

# VALET JONES IS MISSING.

#### Patrick Witness Flees Texas Neighbor Girl's Protectors-Also Fears to Return to New York.

HOUSTON, Tex., Feb. C. - Valet Charles Jones has disappeared from this section. After the trial in which Jones' testimony convicted Patrick of the murder of Rice. Jones returned to the home of his old father, on Black Buck bay, near this city. Several weeks ago e disappeared. He had two urgent reasons. One had

I am contemplating as absence from home in the near future on a southern trip which is somewhat enforced on account of my health and the duration of which will be indefinite although it certainly will ex-tend beyond the present month. to do with a neighbor girl, to whom he had been paying attention. The girl's father and brothers hunted for Jones with shotguns and swore to kill him on sight. His second motive for leaving is said to have been the fear of being taken back to New York to testify in a reopen-

back to New York to testing in a reopen-ing of the Patrick case. Newspaper men and a detective have been trying to locate Jones for many days. It is said he was well supplied A systematic effort will be made at with money from some source previous to his disappearance. During the years Patrick has been fighting for his life Michigan City to have Wisconsin boats register at that port in view of the high taxation imposed on vessels under the laws of Wisconsin. The men interested New York prison Jones has led a in the . free-and-easy existence in the rural dis-trict near his father's home. in the development of Indiana's only harbor, believe that a systematic camnormal will largely increase the number of craft sailing out of that port and will ultimately augment business. A movement has also had its inception to establish a line of boats between Mil-waukee and Michigan City.

# DIAMOND THIEF FORGER.

Boston Bank's Bogus Draft Issue Laid to Man Who Bought Gems

with Paper.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.-The alleged is sue of \$30,000 worth of bogus drafts on the Hanover bank of Boston will be intoday of William Leary of this city. Leary was charged with the larceny of \$975 worth of diamonds from a Man-

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 7.-Midshipbattan diamond dealer, who told the po-lice that Leary paid him for the gems with a \$1000 draft on the Hanover bank. This draft, the dealer charged, was re-turned as worthlass. The prisoner is man Richard Laurens de Saussaure of Charleston, S. C., and George H. Mel-vin of Genesee, Ill., recently convicted of hazing, were formally dismissed from the naval academy today and given until 6 o'clock to get themselves and their belongings off the government reservation.

#### PAT CROWE IS ON TRIAL. WHERE IS MR. DONNELLY? Cudahy Kidnaping Case Jury Will Ba

President of Meat Cutters' Union Disappears from Louisville (Ky.), Leav-

ing No Track or Clue.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 6.-A search continuing for three or four days had failed up to noon today to reveal the whereabouts of President Michael Donnelly of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters' union. Several labor men who say they would know if President Donnelly were in town, express the belief that he is not here. The registers of the principal hotels do not show Mr. Donnelly's name in the last four days. It was said later that Donnelly Louisville last night for Chicago. left

# YAOUIS KILL AMERICANS.

Unexpected Uprising of Reds

SAN MIGUEL, Mexico, Feb. 6 .-Eight American teamsters in the emwindow in the holiday season. It is most men's experience that there is little soothing power in a good conscience at night, if the neighbor's murderers. The teamsters were in a supply train. It was not known that the Yaquis were on the eve of an outbreak.

#### Is Poor. BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 7.-Former President Grover Cleveland, in a letter

an invitation to deliver an address at their annual banquet because of the con-

dition of his health and a contemplated

southern trip. The letter in part fol-

INDIANA SAYS WELCOME.

Michigan City Would Be Registry Port

of Wisconsin Boats Which Ad

Valorem Forces Out.

LAPORTE, Ind., Feb. 7.-[Special.]

DISMISSED IN A HURRY.

Naval Cadets Guilty of Hazing Given but

Short Time to Get Off Acad-

emy Grounds.

Hard to Get, It Is Expected, in

Omaha.

Boni Pawns His Watch.

Swift retribution has overtaken Count

Boni. Monday evening found him with-out his watch. It is a heavily jeweled chronometer that cost an enormous sum.

Count Boni has been obliged to sell out-right this watch and articles of per-

sonal jewelry in order to provide himself with pocket money for his ordinary daily

remarry within ten months after a judg-

ment, while an appeal against a decision

Mother Given Children.

#### Find Her at Insane Asylum. The search of the central office detec-tives resulted in their finding her in an to the Erie County Bar association and the Lawyers' club of Baffalo, declines

for the missing woman.

usane asylum or sanatorium here. When the yacht came into port the authorities found the woman virtually a prisoner in a cabin, where she had been kept for six weeks. The quarantine au-thorities discovered that she was mental-ly unbalanced, and it was even reported

that she had become a raving maniac. Central office detectives visited Jefferson Market court on several successive days last week, expecting a visit from a man who was reported to be a guest at the Waldorf. For some reason this man, who was expected to make a formal complaint upon which a warrant was to be asked, did not appear in court.

Look for Man in Clubs.

A warrant was issued yesterday by an unknown magistrate, and, armed with this, the central office detectives went to Westchester county and called, among other places, it is said, at a well known country club there, seeking to serve the warrant.

# **BODY MISSING CASHIER'S?**

#### Bunch of Keys Means of Identifying S. C. Armstrong of Washington National, Found in Woods.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 6 .- The decomposed body of a man with a bullet hole through his head, which was found yesterday in a thicket on the outskirts of Roanoke, Va., is believed to be that of Sturley C. Armstrong, cashier of the Washington National bank, who mysteriously disappeared from this city January 22. The identification was made possible today when the number 243,241 attached to a bunch of keys, found on the body, was identified as the number of the accident insurance policy carried by Armstrong.

His accounts were found to be correct. The cashier's wife declares it was her belief that her husband's mind had become deranged from overwork and anxiety.

HAYES FACTION IS ENJOINED.

Knights of Labor Officials Must Not Dispose of Order's Records.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 6.-Jus-tice Anderson in equity court No. 1 yes-terday signed an injunction against the Haves faction of the Knights of Labor. John W. Hayes, Isaac H. Sanderson, Isaac D. Chamberlain, Henry A. Beck-meyer and Michael T. Judge are restrained as individuals and as alleged officers of the Knights of Labor from injuring, destroying or in any wise dis-posing of the records of the order, and from calling or holding any meeting of the general assembly of the order pending the determination of quo-warranto proceedings on the law side of the court.

#### ST. LOUIS CHIEF IS SUSPENDED.

#### Head of Police Department Refuses to Resign, Demanding a Trial.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 6 .- Chief of Police Kiely was suspended by the com-missioners after he had refused to re-sign when requested and had sent a leter to the board demanding a trial. When irst asked to resign Kiely asked that he be made a captain if he consented. Sergeant Dorsey swore he made a false report at Kiely's suggestion, and one charge will deal with transfers made by Kiely He had been in the department Kiely. He had been in the department thirty years.

OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 7.-The trial of "Pat" Crowe, charged with robbing E. A. Cudahy of \$25,000 in connection with the kidnaping of E. A. Cudahy, Jr., five years ago, was begun today. A j may not be secured in several days.

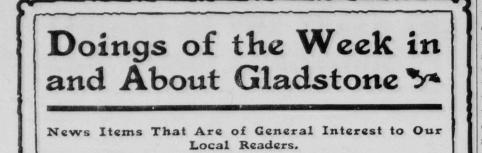
THOUSANDS SEEK NEW HOMES.

Record for Migration to West Broken at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 7.-Between 15, 000 and 25,000 homeseekers started for the west and southwest yesterday through the gateways of Chicago, Mem-phis, St. Louis, Kansas City and Omaha, according to declarations by passenger men who have been closely watching the movement which has been going on since the cheap rates were put into ef-fect late last fall. Yesterday's move-ment was a record-breaker.

CALUMET, Mich., Feb. 7.—[Special.] —One hundred and fifty German and Bohemian families from Wisconsin are to settle in the southern part of On-tonagon county next spring. Julius Lindstedt of Manitowoc, Wis., has closed a deal whereby he secures the balance of the Diamond Match company's hold-

in Mexico.



Quite a large number of spectators four admission tickets each. The num- guaranteed to register at least four degeous young lady, took first prize, and and the other for cold weather. This is the usual township plan. Roy Brown, as a Japanese girl, the sec- a fairly good time to propound the ond. Terry Doran, as General Chasd- conundrum "How cold is it when it is divided between Ida Miller and Maud his greater experience makes him an un-Mason, who personated a pair of Red equal competitor. Cross nurses. Prosper Duchene, as the "The pure food law of Michigan is a dreamed of, and there wasn't a steamfiery Dutchman, and Herman Haber- fine thing for both the grocer and the boat on the great lakes. Five years mann, as the oldest inhabitant, also de- consumer," said Peter Laing the other younger than Mr. Beaubien is Isaac serve a mention.

escaped from the county jail last Thurs- jobber. We had to take what they egraphic wire that ever entered Detroit. day were recaptured, Fraser on Thomas chose to send us, and the amount of This is still a very young country and it street the next night; Phillips at the adulteration was wonderful. Now, with may improve with age; still, there are home of Alfred Leroux, over O'Connell's the severe penalties to punish such those who doubt it. How can we overgrocery, in Gladstone. Phillips, after offences, they are compelled to dump come strikes, trusts and social strife and suffering greatly with cold and hunger, their refuse into other states. For a get a few sewers in Gladstone? These went to this house, where his son was few months after the law was passed, it are questions that concern the temporal kept, it is said. He had been spotted by was amusing to see the labels "pure and salvation of eighty millions of people. the marshal, and next day Sheriff Per- unadulterated," with a tag over them And on the horizon looms darkly the tective, but the model executed in any ow and deputies recaptured him. Phil- "glucose mixture." The pure food law April election and the prospect of war one of the rain proof materials becomes lips made no resistance. Judge Stone is a good thing."

minimum sentence Friday. Phillips of Pythias went to Escanaba Wednes- on the line of the Bay Shore road, is said will be held till April for sentence. day night, as the guests of the Escana- to be in bad shape. It was an ill made The weather was too intensely cold for ba lodge, and the Gladstone third rank and ugly structure when built, and the the prisoners to escape, penniless as they team performed the work in a manner ice has heaved it. It was built on open tucks being stitched for a short diswere, and the officers were watching highly complimented by the Escanaba piling, like our Eighth street dock, every avenue of escape.

antiseptic disk, supposed to be germ ly appreciated their reception, and left say it will become unsafe. A year ago wear, and the sleeves are the accepted proof. It has a thin diaphragm of odor. for home with the best wishes of the Supervisor McDonough claimed that it ones of the season. ous paper over the mouth of the trans. Sandy City brethren. mitter, and is said not to effect the The extreme cold weather made life a looking into, as Lincoln said of the rat acoustic properties. In the cities, it is burden for the railroad men. Tuesday hole. claimed, telephones are liable to trans- night the cold was so intense that cars fer germs from one person to another. | could hardly be moved, and it was neces-

The South Shore railroad has install- sary to haul them piecemeal at times. Robertson, that the Escanaba city coun- anything at home to cry about, so she ed an "electric train staff" system be- Conductor Bailey spent six hours between Negaunee and Eagle Mills. This tween Rapid River and Gladstone.

is an Australian system, furnishing ab- The married people's club held a solute protection against collision, as no dance Monday, and the costumes were

Eighteen vessels will fiy the pennant of the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company the coming season. This figure includes the four new ore carriers now under construction at the Ecorse shipyards of the Great Lake Engineering Works, making the tonnage of the company second only to that of the steel corporation. All the dark red kersey finished with a simple vessels formerly sailed under the name of the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company and the Presque Isle Transportation company will be taken over into a holding corporation to be known as the Grand Island Transportation company,

Many low temperatures have been rewith that place as its hailing port. gathered at the roller rink Wednesday ported during the cold snap, and great Grand Island, since the passage of a to see the masquerade. Some of the was the admiration which all had for special act by the Michigan legislature, costumes shown were very good, and the the thermometer which showed the is now an incorporated township, the committee was sore put to it to decide. shortest streak of color. In the first Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company owning To lessen their perplexity Manager ward, John Thul, it is said, has a high all the real estate included within the Hammel bestowed four extra prizes, of priced and delicate little instrument, boundaries except a small tract of eighty acres of land in the center of the ber of youths who appeared in feminine grees below any other in town. The island. It has a full roster of township style also complicated the decision, but "maximum and minimum" set is just- officers, voting precincts, a public Charles Carlson, as a dashing and gor- ly popular, one recorder for hot weather school, and everything is conducted on

In Chicago, last Friday, at 98 Whipple street, there was celebrated the 84th weioff, of the army of Harbin, was the twice as cold as two degrees above zero, birthday of Alexander Beaubien, the third. The lady's first prize fell to Miss F.?" A large brimming stein of hot first white child born in the city. When Marie Rushford, who appeared in a rid- ice water to the first one who will turn he first saw the light of day there was ing habit, the second to Miss Ethel a correct answer into this office. The not in the whole world a city of the size Hood, as Nokomis, and the third was supervisor from the second is barred, as of that which has grown up entirely during his lifetime; the steam railway was yet to come, the telegraph was not

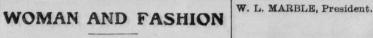
day. "Before it was passed, both were Willis, of Battle Creek, Mich., yet his Robert Fraser and John Phillips, who at the mercy of the manufacturer and was the honor of stringing the first telwith China.

added a year and a half to Fraser's About twenty-five of the local Knights The bridge over the Escanaba river, knights. Grand Prelate S. G. Carleton when it should have span construction, G. R. Empson has on his phone an addressed the lodge. The visitors high- and those who have driven over it lately fortable of all collars for children's

was not properly tailed. It will bear

the case of Hewitt vs. Valentine and make my wife happy. She can't find cil has no control over the Carnegie library board, but must pay from the Star. library fund such bills as the board

certifies. This is the same relation that George Perry met last Friday with a



For Winter Comfort. Long, warm coats are necessary for the comfort of small girls. In the illustration is shown one of the best of the season's models, which is made of banding and tailor stitching, but which can be made available for many materials and for many purposes. In this form it makes an admirable school and



GIRL'S LONG COAT.

all around coat that is warm and proadapted to stormy weather, and if this is worn over one of the sweaters that girls like so well it becomes winter day. Both the front and the back are tucked at the shoulders, these tance only, but pressed into position below. At the neck is the most com-

#### Women Must Weep.

"You look discouraged." "I am," answered the newly married The circuit court decided last week in man. "I have done all in my power to goes downtown and weeps over the heroine at the matinee."-Washington

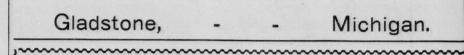
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# A. A. FREEMAN MILLS' **Best Patent Flour**

Is now on sale by every grocer in Gladstone. We guarantee it SUPERIOR TO ANY AND ALL OTHER FLOURS.

We have one more process than any other mill. I purify the flour by air in a machine of my own invention. It lifts out some fine, soft, dead stuff that is in all flour, and the purified flour has a brighter color, the dough is more quite warm enough for even a severe spongy and buoyant, resulting in a LARGER AND LIGHTER LOAF FROM A GIVEN WEIGHT OF DOUGH.

> We GUARANTEE ABSOLUTELY, not only a better bread, but at least TEN MORE LOAVES per barrel (196 fbs) of four used, such as bakers' 5c loaves, and think it will yield 15 more of such loaves than any other flour.

> > It is a high cost flour to make, but is really the most economical flour to use, as it yields from 50 to 75 cents' worth more loaves per barrel than any other flour.

This is due to two facts. First, the inferior flour is taken out. Second, the air evaporates moisture and the purified flour will absorb more water. It is some what on the principle of a cream separator, taking out the cream from fresh milk leaving skimmilk. In our best flour, you get the cream.

Ask your grocer for it, take no other until you at least

train may go ahead without the staff, all simple, asthetic and snowlike, though our water board bears to the council. which can only be taken from the ma- perhaps, too suggestive of the traditional chinery when the way is clear.

ed in the schools. No one who has not of the toggery. been vaccinated within seven years may The Escanaba Ski Club holds its first ments of his leg at the knee He is attend school next Tuesday. The popu- tournament this Friday and Saturday. doing well and has little pain. lation is doubtless well vaccinated, as Jumping over the bump at Wells and

there have been several scares within endurance races of eight miles will be daily press, is giving us details of the have. It will pay better than burning the features. It is expected that jumps The roller race Saturday between Ber- of nearly 100 feet will be made.

ted for navigation.

up C. W. Davis, phone 7.

their stay at Mt. Clemens.

on bail furnished by his friends.

tomorrow.

over.

Hard Coal, bright and clean, Poca-

hontas, Cannel and soft coal. Sixteen

nard Micks and Wm. Beaudry will de-The total eclipse of the moon, taking cide which is to race the champion of place last night, was rather too late for Manistique. There is nothing like rollanyone who keeps early hours to see. er skating in the U. P. now, and it will The sky was clear, however, and the doubtless result in several interurban spectacle must have been fine. contests. The ice harvested this year is much

The charge of assault against James Burns of Escanaba, preferred by Rev. C. H. Rutledge, of the Anti-Saloon League, was withdrawn Tuesday. The charge of keeping open on Sunday, against Burns, was set for trial next Tuesday.

The slot in the postoffice was placed ought not to miss, at the Oak store. in an inconvenient position by the designer. Had it been off to one side of the delivery window, it would be easy to mail a letter, even when there is a rush.

The Soo mails were very late Tuesday, as a result of the east bound flyer uled for midnight Thursday was not noovertaking a freight at Atkins, Wis. ticed much, as few cared to sit up for it The torpedoes, it is claimed, failed to and the night was cloudy. explode. No one was injured.

A bill board now bridges the lot between Goldman's and the Tonsoriarlor, and P. J. Baker will doubtless have lower drifts to shovel from the intermediate walk.

Judge Stone last Saturday suspended sentence on Alfred Salter, and the latter worth heeding. is now free. His case aroused much sympathy, as he was a bright young Monday evening, but the clerk says man.

Powell's Favorite Toilet Cream, fin- take a vote. est preparation for chapped hands, face or lips or any roughness of the skin. 25c a bottle at Powell's Drug Store.

If you smoke or think of learning to do so you should carefully read Powell's remarks in this paper. He gives you a square talk right off the reel.

The Misses Edna, Dora and Freda Silverman, of Escanaba, visited Mrs. Henry Rosenblum last Friday and Saturday.

Charles H. France returned Saturday from the west, where he has been for fore. several months.

Charles Brant left Tuesday evening for Winona, Mich., to spend a few days. Born, Saturday, February 3, to Mr.

and Mrs. Charles Lundblad, a son.

M. Goldman spent the week in Milwankee.

Roy Heldmann, of Trenary, came down Tuesday and visited friends here. Escanaba Tuesday.

ghost. The party was merry enough, serious accident, which will lay him up A general vaccination has been order- however, to overcome the chilling effect for some time. He was helping to put in the sleigh, and wrenched the liga-

Heaven's last, best gift to man, the surplus, call us up and tell us what you princess Alice's underwear, etc., and we them. should be duly grateful for the moral

uplift.

"Moustache" a well known character, HOW COES was brought down Friday from the woods with a badly fractured ankle. He was sent to the Escanaba hospital.

Tang & Halvorson have an announcethinner than usual, and unless unusual ment in The Delta this week and if your cold weather signalizes the next three home is not perfect in all its parts, it months, an early opening may be predic- will pay you to read it.

Mrs. Sophia Coss, aged 53, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Whitely, Final closing out sale now going on, giving you a last opportunity of getting Sunday. Her son took her body to shoes regardless of first cost, which you Cary, Ill., Monday.

Powell's Myrrh and Orris Tooth Powder. Clean Teeth, Sweet Breath, Ruby Gums. 25c a Bottle at Powell's Drug A full line of Wall Paper in stock. Store.

inch Pine slab wood \$2.50 per full cord, Frank Reno, of Escanaba township, delivered to any part of the city. Call died of small pox last week. His fun-40 The total eclipse of the moon, schederal was held in Escanaba Sunday.

Miss Maggie Morrison, of Escanaba, arrived Wednesday to visit her sister, Mrs. J. Potvin, for a week or so.

Swan Chelander returned Thursday Henry Schaawe remarks that he has by way of Chicago, and John P. Holm heard no more about the ferry dock the night before, via Manistique, from which was to be built here.

W. D. McIntosh, inspector for the Wes-The reader will notice that this week tern Express Co., checked up the Glad-Mr. Powell has something to say to the stone office Wednesday smoker. What he says is true and well

W. F. Hammel went into Chicago Wednesday night, and will be gone The council met at various times until Monday.

W. F. Hammel went in to Chicago there were never enough in one place to Wednesday and will be gone until Monday. The ladies' aid of the Congregational

James Cannon, of Kipling is quaranchurch will hold another of their well tined for a vigorous case of smallpox. known Saturday sales at Scott's store The midsession examination will be held in the schools next week.

Smallpox is not spreading in the city Archie Jacobs, of Trenary, came down as all the cases are in the same block, Thursday to see his brother. and the trouble will doubtless soon pass Glen Scott, of Minneapolis, is a guest

at O. V. Kurker's this week. A hardwareman remarks, that while P. J. Lindblad and Paul Nyberg drove

the sale of fish lines ceases in the fall as to Escanaba Wednesday. a rule, it is now brisker than ever be Supt. F. W. Curtis, of the Soo Line, was in town Thursday.

Charles de Kock, who will drive for Born, Friday, Feb. 9, to Mr. and Mrs. Lex McAulay, a son.

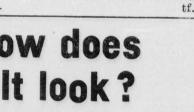
the Escanaba Brewing Co., has opened Born, Thursday, to Mr. and Mrs. a dray line with headquarters at Hodges. Peter Nelson, a son. Albin Linn spent the week in Minne-Mrs. Emil Helander visited relatives apolis returning Thursday morning.

here this week. Emil Limpert was released Monday Claude Sturgis left Wednesday for Grand Rapids.

F. L. Browne transacted business in The Ideal studio will leave here in two weeks.

Even the lion has to defend himself against flies.-German Proverb.

MERCHANTS, ATTENTION. Wanted, by the Marble Safety Axe company, at its axe factory, severalhundred shipping cases. We can use Dry Goods, Boot and Shoe, or Hardware Boxes, steadily. If you have a



Does your house need repapering, painting, or a little touch here and there to cover up the spots?

If you think that it begins to need at tention, let us give you some figures. We cannot be equalled in decorating; and we will give you honest paint, hon est work and a square deal as to price. Try us, once.

TANG & HALVORSON.

CHEAP LOTS. Lots owned by C. W. Davis for sale on easy terms. C. A. CLARK, Agt.

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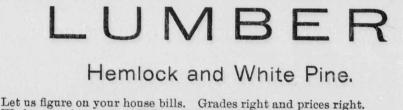
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# GOSSIP FOR THE LADIES.

Let Something Good Be Said. When over the fair fame of friend or foe The shadow of disgrace shall fall, instead Of words of blame, or proof of thus and so, Let something good be said.

Forget not that no fellow-being yet May fall so low but love may may lift his

head: Even the cheek of shame with tears is wet If something good be said.

No generous heart may vainly turn aside to wave of sympathy, no soul so dead But may awaken strong and glorified,

And so I charge ye, by the thorny crown, And by the cross on which the Savior bled,

And by your own soul's hope of fair re

Let something good be said! -James Whitcomb Riley in The Reader.

Mix Common Sense

#### With Your Affection.

In affection, friendship and love the extravagant nature is liable to dig the grave of happiness with the spade of over-devotion.

By over-devotion I mean the attentions which become surveillance. The mother-hen attitude is natural to

some women. But because a certain peculiarity is natural is no reason why it may not be overcome or restrained by the check rein of common sense.

The mother hen with one chick makes its life uncomfortable by her watchfulness. If the chick pecks at a bug or a crumb the hen snatches it away in order to examine the morsel and see that it is

fit food for her darling. If the darling attempts to take a promenade and rolls down the garden walk like a ball of worsted blown by the wind, the mother follows and heads And in all ways the poor chick it off. s handicapped and hedged from freedom and enjoyment by the mother hen until it grows large enough and bold enough to assert its individuality. We have all seen human mothers of the same order.

I have in mind a gifted and charming young woman who is driven to the verge of distraction by such a mother.

verge of distraction by such a mererie If the daughter drops into a reverie wother watches her for a moment the mother watches her with troubled eyes, and then kneels be-side her and asks her to confide what is troubling her.

If the girl sneezes, the mother runs up two flights of stairs and brings a wrap. If she drops down on the divan with book the mother begs her to rise while

she arranges the pillows more comfortably; and if she shows no appetite for lunch the mother orders beef tea and brings it to her while she is dressing to go out and watches her while she drinks it, and follows her down the steps begging her to be careful of herself. The only fresh breath the girl draws,

the only real comfort she enjoys, is when she is out of her mother's sight She appreciates the parent's motive.

but she is made miserable by being so watched and guarded, as any natural, independent nature is certain to be. More than one wife has driven her

husband to the club by just this sort of devotion. Not one man in ten thousand can en-

dure it. There are women who feel flattered by

the same attitude from a lover or hus band, but I doubt if they really enjoy it when it comes to constant association. It is a mere matter of pride with them

that the man takes such minute interest

whiteness without a trace of blue and its crispness without a trace of stiffa lady.

ness. To dry have a special length of clothes To dry have a special length of courses line of the white hemp sort. Do not use common clothespins, as they are often rough; pins of the spring "clip" pattern will hold the most delicate fabric with-

out tearing. When the shirtwaist at last comes from the iron you are to stretch it on a clothes hanger and suspend it from the chandelier or upon a gas fixture fer the night in order that it may thoroughly dry out.-Blanche Scot in Cleveland

Plain-Dealer.

#### A Novel Dining Room.

A bright little woman of artistic tastes recently found herself the mistress of a tiny cottage in which there was no din-ing room. Her husband's bank account permitted the building of a new room 14x16 feet square, but left a very small nargin for finishings and furnishings. They were young people who came of good families, possessed a large circle of friends and were fond of entertaining,

so that the dining room must be the center of the home. Since an attempt to make a cheap copy of the dining rooms of her friends could only end in disaster, she resolved to have something original and entirely different.

In pursuance of this idea she had the walls, with the exception of an eighteen inch frieze at the top, finished in a hard, rough kalsomine, colored strongly with red aniline, which gave a rich rose tint as uncommon as it was beautiful. All the wood work of the room, which was of pine, plain and heavy, was finished with a dull stain of lamp black and lin-

seed oil rubbed in with a flannel cl to bring out every line of the grain. The carpenter who put in the wood-work was retained for a few days longer wood. and built a sideboard, dining table and chairs of pine which were then stained to match the woodwork. All were of the very simplest design. The table, four feet square, had two leaves two feet wide, which folded over and joined in the center of the top when not in use. The legs of the table, as well as the frame of the sideboard, were made of material four inches square, the chairs

The frieze was painted a yellow-gray tint, with a design of eris in yellow and creamy white, the leaves being in gray green.

This room needed no pictures or deco-rations of any kind, its simplicity being Exchange. being its chief charm. Its well chosen china, dainty linen and two or three potted ferns are sufficient. It looks cool and clean in summer and warm and cosy in winter, and many a guest who could af-ford to spend the cost of it all in a morning's shopping, goes home to her own elegant and overcrowded rooms with a knows how to define.—Men and Women.

#### Are You Tired?

There is too much tiredness in the Half the day's work has to be done by force of the will, since there is not force of body enough to carry them through. Most women accept this as unavoid-

able. To be tired is normal, whether one has charge of a baby or a type-writer. To tell them Nature intended writer. and burden to be in due proportions does not help matters. They are To get up fresh and cheery in the

energy to spare for a song and a single,

trebly repaid by the spick-and-span newwater at bedtime and pushed down in 

liet. It says:

A Lady Has but One Set of Manners. I spent half an hour the other day talking to a woman who pretends to be

She is a business woman, and to those Pictorial Review. whom she considered good customers or

who stood very high socially she was all cringing servility. Her manner toward those from whom

she had nothing to gain was insufferable. She was beautifully gowned, her jewels were exquisite, her hair was elaborately iressed.

She was very fine to look upon, but she vas not a lady.

A true gentlewoman has but one set of nanners. Fine clothes cannot make a lady. Good

Fine clothes cannot make a lady. Good breeding must have innate gentleness and kindness of heart for a foundation. A well-bred woman is always considerate of the feelings of others. There are no two qualities that make more friends than politeness and kindhi-ness. Politeness is never wasted, even if it meats with puldeness in return. The

it meets with rudeness in return. The person who is on the polite side is on the ight side. There is no one too insignificant for

you to be polite to. If you are in busi-ness be polite to the office boy, to the janitor and the scrubwoman. They are all earning their living to the best of passed. their ability and deserve just as much

courtesy as you give your employer. Be polite to your fenow worker and above all things be polite to old people. There is no sight more intolerable than that of a young person treating an old person with discourtesy.

The woman to whom I talked yesterday was haughty and overbearing -in manner. She really had nothing to be haughty

over. She had spent a great deal of money on her clothes; her manners were atrocious. No one for a moment could have mistaken her for a lady. thing for the patient's progress. Never judge a woman by her clothes.

Some of the best bred women in the world are obliged to dress poorly. A lady is marked not by her fine In the same way all nerve specialists gown, but by the quiet refinement of her face and manner.

some girls paid as much attention to their manners as they do to their clothes the result would be most satisfactory

Girls, don't try to be grand and stylish and superior. Just try to be womanly and kind. You will find it will take far better in the long run than style. And never forget that a true lady treats all classes with equal courtesy.—

#### Good Service in General Housework.

My house is the average small prishould meet at a directors' meeting, vate house in New York city, my family three adults, my circumstances moderate, so that I am compelled to manage with the help of one servant who must have a fairly good brain, and be willing to learn. With these two qualities, I can soon make her capable, and a few days trial always reveals the presence or absence of these requisites.

My first talk with a maid amounts to this: "I expect my orders to be promptly obeyed always. obeyed always. If an order seems un-just or if you find that interruptions make it difficult to carry it out, come to me and say so." I have never yet found that a maid accepts this in the vrong spirit.

Sudden company, the non-arrival of provisions, a larger wash than usualone of these things affects us seriously, or when my maid is troubled she and I talk over the difficulty and together smooth things out.

To get up fresh and cheery in the morning, do our duties vigorously, with this: Our servants are not our equals in

For the Children. roper heat all night. And it has the dditional advantage of being cheaper The Snapshot. han the rubber, never springing a

"Come on; all ready. Stand right there. I'll tell you when I'm taking. Wait— I've got to focus. Now! Prepare! No, no—the camera's not straight. How far is it, do you suppose? I'm focussing at twenty feet. No, right meet it thange his clothes. And doesn't baby look too sweet! at an inopportune moment. I bay the argest size, holding about one quart.-MARK TWAIN AS MENTAL DIET.

"Now! Wait a minute—I can't get You all in, somehow. Mamma, plcase Move close to papa—closer yet: Or sit, with baby on your knees. I'dl move back, too, a little bit. Now! Wait—you're partly in the shade I guess that mamma'll have to sit. Or else she won't show, I'm afraid. New York Physicians Differ About Advisability of Convalescents Indulging. The British Medical Journal, a leadng European authority, in its latest ssue declares that English convalescents

"And, papa, you sit, too. Let's see-No, that won't do; your feet are out Of focus, they would look to be As big as ferryboats, about! Turn catty-corner-there! Now! No. That won't do. Wait. I guess planned

Best way at first. You seem so low. Perhaps you all had better stand.

'No! Wait-until the sun is bright. "No! Wait—until the sun is bright. How mean a cloud should interfere! You're all three now exactly right! Just fine! And baby's moved! Oh dear But there—it's coming out! Now, quick; Here, baby! Look at sister—look! Just look at sis—I'm taking!" (Click!) "There, now! It's over with. You'r 'took.""

-Edwin L. Sabin in St. Nicholas.

#### Up Among the Saeters.

In mountainous districts of Norway the declared Dr. Simon recently. "It is rather startling to have Twain regarded farmers usually in the spring send their as too vigorous. I fancied him a more subdued writer than Ward, whom I redairy maids, hired men and shepherd boys with their cattle-cows, oxen, gard as one of the most luxuriant hu-morists. I seldom differentiate between horses, pigs, sheep and goats-up on the mountains to the saeters, where they good humorous books because I regard keep them in pasture during the summer. the vigorous stirring up of a melancho-A saeter is a collection of houses, surliac's humorous sensibilities as a good rounded by green fields inclosed with a "As I have always prescribed Twain

fence, and outside of this are stretched and Ward, so I have always prescribed the great grazing grounds, over mountains and valleys, through woods, along rivers, brooks, and lakes. When everything has been put in readiness and th weather has become more like summ the housewives come and take the place mor-clean, wholesome humor-upon physical health is simple. Laughter-the heartier the better-increases the of the dairy maids, and these and th hired men are sent home.

I will not describe to you the many dangers to which herd and shepherd blood pressure, stimulates the production of red corpuscles, and thus increases the boys were formerly exposed, when wolves and bears were hunting around for atient's strength. There's an old adage kumbs, sheep, calves and other animals for their breakfast or dinner; but I will The Medical Journal may be right from an English point of view, as humor tell you about the bright side of these boys' life to show that they can also In boys' America every individual cracks jokes. little tricks and manage to play their Messrs. Ryan and Harriman, if they get a good deal of fun out of their daily work, lonesome though they are in those vould immediately start to telling funny lofty regions.

Nature has blessed them with a won and hide any subway animosity. In England it is harder to launch jokes." derfully clear and healthful air, with plenty of sunshine and outdoor life. "When I was a student in Cincinnati, perhaps thirty years ago," said Dr. Though they often are drenched in rain to the skin and have to wade in wate Brandenburg, "the new governor of Ohio, John M. Pattison, was my roomall the day long, often for many days a a time, rheumatism, nervousness, dys a time, theumatism, herodusness, dys-pensia and toothache are unknown in their experience. Theirs is a life in clear, healthful and invigorating moun-tain air, hundreds, often thousands, of fect above sea level. They are very gen-cerfly healthy sound in mind and head mate. He was studying law, I medi-cine. He was blue and ill one night, and I read 'Tom Sawyer' to him. He laughed himself well. "Each faculty of the mind has a relaerally healthy, sound in mind and body, playful and full of good humor. Their ringing laughter, a good sign of a sound constitution, re-echoed from mountain-side to mountain-side, is like the sound tion to a particular part of the brain Without the higher stimulus of literture, the sensual faculties in the posterior brain would develop only a gross

of pleasant music. One summer my father and mother-"The monotony of convalescence may living in Gol, Hallingdal, a mountainous be relieved not only by the stimulus of Mark Twain's books, but by gentle, hardistrict in the southren part of the coun-try—had in their herd a big ram with large horns bent backward into spirals. nonious music, and social surroundings. "Laughter is one of the best, most For some reason or other, this ram could not stand to see the shepherd boy having on his rain shawl-a large shawl that the boys put on to cover the head and shoulders on rainy days. As soon as he caught sight of the shepherd boy with he shawl on, he would look at him a moment, his eves would suddenly flash then with all his strength he would leap forward and butt the boy, so that he would tumble heels over head along the ground. This was quite dangerous, as the ram had great bodily strength, so the boy had to look out for him every time he wore his shawl

presses certain fingers of the seller's hand, thus making an offer. This is usually rejected by a motion of the head, and further finger pressing ensues. Finally the bargain is struck without a word having been uttered. The advanage claimed for this system is that the buyer may proceed from one seller to another and make his purchases without his price being known to other dealers. —London Daily Mail.

#### REMINISCENCE.

A gap among the hills, And a white road through the trees; A gap among the hills, And some few memories.

The river winding down, And willows bending low; The river winding down, And things of long ago. —Frank Leo Pinet in Lippincott's.

#### IN THE DESERT.

We were crossing the Bad Lands of Idaho, great desert wastes of alkali sand and harsh, pungent sage brush, over whose vast stretches brooded mystery and the shadow of death.

There was beauty in the Bad Lands, as there is in all places where man's hand has not fallen too heavily. Along the banks of the Snake river, by which our path lay, rose tall buttes of rosetinted sandstone, ornamenting the breast of this siren desert. And here and there we saw the patient miners-prospectors, they called them-working in their molelike excavations in loneliness and faith, searching for the elusive thing which has been the heart's desire of men in all ages. Inside the train sat a commonplace, middle-aged woman, with faded hair and eves. No one knew her story; no one cared whether she had a story. But she told it to us. nevertheless. and we listened; and as she spoke we forgot that we had not cared and saw her as she used to look in other days, to other eyes. And we remembered that all people have had other days, and have been looked at by other eyes, in whose sight they were good.

"I grew up on the Cape," she said, and a listener from the old Bay State knew what she meant, "and Jim-that was his name-was my playmate. We were to have been married, but he took a notion that he ought to have more money and so he went away to the west. He wrote me he was a miner, prospecting for gold, and when he'd found it he would come home and I should have a silk dress and jewelry and not have to work any more. did not care for such things, but he

did. But perhaps you don't want to hear about him; it was seeing the miners out there made me speak."

We urgea her to tell us the rest.

"After a while he didn't write so often and his letters came a longer way from home. The last one was from Arizona; that was years ago. He never seemed to have much luck, so perhaps he was too discouraged to write, or he may have died in a place like this."

She was silent. Her faded eyes were lustrous for a moment-it is wonderful how tears will brighten old eyes-and then the light died out.

Some hours later the train stopped at a little station with a musical Indian name to take on water for our thirsty engine and we all alighted, glad of the brief exercise. On the station platform was the usual motley array to whom the coming of the daily train was a momentous human incident. Among them was the pioneer with tanned face and hardy frame, who came from a near-by cottage surrounded by its protecting lombardy poplars. There were newer comers who had not yet progressed to the building stage, but were still bivouacking in the prairie schooners which had brought them over the plains. Their horses, tethered nearby, were contenteary cropping the scanty herbage which only the keen scent of One day the boy made up his mind he hunger could have discovered among the tufts of sage brush. The little woman was with us as we paced leisurely to and fro, now mingling with the kaleidoscopic throng, now strolling to the end of the platform whose larly from the water. A few feet from the edge of the bank the boy found a timid. As we turned back, I saw her eyes rest for a moment on a grizzled, weather-beaten man clad in the rough garb of a miner. It was but a passing glance, yet a sigh escaped her. "I'd ought to give up thinking I'll ever see Jim again. I know it's foolish, but somehow that miner made me think of She turned away. We had gone but a step when we both heard a half-articuof the stub-boy and the shawl! He late cry and instinctively turned back, threw up his head, looked at the figure The miner started towards us. but The miner started towards us, but stopped as if in doubt. A startled look came over the little woman's face, then disappointment, hope, renunciation, in quick succession. The miner came nearer, his hand shading his searching eyes. One long look was enough. "Mattie," he cried, and the little woman was in his arms. "Jim!"

must avoid Mark Twain as a mental "Convalescents must not read Mark Twain's books; they not only cheer, but inebriate. Twain's books may provoke ide-splitting laughter and so retard the

union of severed or lacerated parts in the healing process." But two of New York's foremost phythem Charles Weston Brandenburg, pro-fessor at the New York Medical College

nd American institute, and J. Carleton Simon, former president if the One Hun-dred Year club, agree that Mark Twain as a mental diet can hardly be sur-

"For years I have prescribed Mark Twain, Bret Harte and Artemus Ward as regularly for my patients, most all of whom are sufferers with neurosis, as I have prescribed the accepted food diet,"

in everything concerning them, but they grow restive under it eventually. Men possess less vanity in these matters and care more for personal freedom and physical comfort, and to them the detective attitude of a woman is irksome the extreme. Most men enjoy having their slippers

brought, and their favorite chair in its favorite place, and the paper at hand; these attentions quietly attended to are agreeable proofs of a woman's thoughtfulness; but to be watched with anxious eves if they draw a long breath, to be inticipated in every wish (and thus never to have the pleasure of surprising the sweetheart or wife with a request), to be followed about with sofa pillows and matches, and slippers, and dressing gowns, and to be an object of continual olicitude, is but one degree less painful than neglect.

Between friends the same rule holds good.

Enjoyment of friendship is impossible without tact-that tact which understands the right of every soul to mo-ments of freedom, in a solitude of its own making; and a liberty of action which does not desire observation or comment, or to be forced into the necessity of explanation

Only by cultivating tact, only by realizing that friendship and love must have their root in liberty can friends or lovretained.

Child, husband, wife, friend, all want a certain freedom; without it happiness is an impossibility. Not the freedom which encourages license, deception or indifference, but the

freedom which means individuality. No matter how dearly you love some-one, remember that one wants room for his or her soul to grow, and to hedge that soul about with a hothouse atmosphere and smothering attentions is to destroy its comfort and stunt its growth Common sense is an excellent ingredi-ent to mix with affection.—Ella Wheeler

Wilcox in Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

#### Careful Washing and Ironing.

To such an extent has the fad for the white shirtwaist been carried and so elaborately are these creations construct ed that a woman nowadays feels certain misgivings whe nit comes to intrusting the delicate fabrics to her washwon-an and oftentimes prefers to do the work herself

From the moment it touches the water until it is handed forth in all its snowy crispness, the openwork shirtwaist is a thing to be used gently at all stages. It cannot be thrust into the wash like an underskirt; it must be laid aside deserving special attention; there are fine lace that will not stand the wear and tear of the ordinary launder ing process; in short, the shirtwaist calls a separate department of its own.

It is a good idea, if you can afford it, to provide a small tub and washboard to correspond, just for your shirtwaists and fine lace handkerchiefs. Use nothing but the very best quality of laundry soap and never upon any account try to bleach with washing soda.

Embroidered waists of heavy stuff may be rubbed on the board moderately. you rub a lace shirtwaist at all be sure that all the lace is gathered in the hand. Heavy lace may be gathered double and rubbed between the knuckles while the extremely thin mesh must be kneaded and squeezed.

It is a great mistake to wring a fine shirtwaist out in the usual way, for by

and lie down in the happy, wholesome weariness of a well-spent day-that sure-ly was the original plan for our days. Are we never to get back to it?

Some say the way lies through gym-asiums, others hunt for "Don't Worry" clubs and good resolutions. Still others folly, for no woman ignorant of the ins seek it by simplifying the daily duties and outs of a house can control her and throwing off the world's comparative standards.

And the last are nearer to reaching the goal than any of the others.

A Timely Word on Top Bureau Drawers.

"Five demerits for an untidy top bureau drawer?

The weekly inspector of pupils' rooms in the private boarding school for young ladies closed the door behind and pro-ceeded on her round of visits.

The girl whose bureau drawer had just been inspected threw herself on the bed with an explosion of pent-up anger and tears. She had had nothing but demerits the whole week long, and then to have five more tacked on because a few ribbons were out of place in that miserable old bureau!

Suddenly the tears stopped flowing, and the memory of an entire afternoon hateful mathematics to spent at work off the demerits vanished with the tears. had an idea! The teacher never looked at anything but the top bureau Why not keep that endless coldrawer! lection of top drawer knick-knacks in some other part of the bureau? The next Saturday, when the inspec-tor came around on her tour of thank-

less visits, her report for this girl's top bureau drawer was "perfect order." The fact that it held only a neck ribbon and a comb and brush did not escape her scrutinizing eyes, nor did she examine further into the remaining drawers. She edi-had been a girl once herself, and her eler duty called only for inspection of top bu-

Many a girl who is farther through her 'teens than this happy-go-lucky pu-pil has quite as much trouble with her top bureau drawer. A general mix-up in this catch-all of feminine accessories is an annoyance which every woman has to contend with, and now that little fixngs are so numerous, the confusion is greater than ever.

suggestion offered by the school girl's faculty for getting around difficul-ties, simple though it may seem, is a very timely one. Dainty white collars and cuffs that are crushed into a drawer with a pile of gloves, several boxes of pins, jewelry, curling kids and stocks

galore, come out looking well-mussed after two or three hurried searches mong them to find a bit of lace or a piece of veiling that has slid out of sight. And the veiling itself has lost all semblance of freshness in its tight quarters.

The result is the busy woman, when her toilette is completed, can lay no claim to looking smartly dressed, for no mat-ter what supply of essential small accessories she may possess, once they have lost their stiff, fresh appearance they detract rather than add to a costume. Endless cases and boxes for holding

the various articles are of very small help, either. When a woman is in a hurry these are pulled in every direction and much of the contents with them, a lower drawer, however—whichever one is used the least—the bulk of these pret-is used the least—the bulk of these pret-

of each will suffice for the white shirt- takes a few days to become accustomed so cold that I could not go to sleep waist. Its beauty depends upon its to the new order of things, a woman is again. My tin can filled with boiling

point of education. Then let the edu No cated mind be high in authority. system can be strong where there is not a good leader. Let our servants feel and see that we know just as much, if not more, about their work than they do. To do this we must look into things careand outs of a house can control her maid. Any mind will always respond to the superiority of knowledge. not necessary to parade this knowledge. But if Mary knows that by coming to her mistress she will be helped out of any difficulty, she respects that mistress. Yet, while we are above our servants in the management of our homes, the mistress and maid are equals under the laws of our land. The mistress who is wise will not pry into the private affairs of her maid. We cannot, and do not. lemand all her time. A ten-hour day seems to me impracticable, for house work in its nature does not admit of a ten-hour day unless we can resolve it into specialties. That may work well

where there is more than one maid, but to the average American housekeeper it would mean great deprivation. In my family we are fond of evenings

at home. My maid is free to go out whatever evenings I am at home, so that she has at least five evenings a week at er disposal, provided she is in at a seasonable hour. I never set a special hour, but make it felt that at "closingup-time" I like my maid to be in. Then he has her regular days out, with which seldom, if ever, let anything interfere. If a special entertainment promises late bours, she tells us freely that she cannot be home early, and goes away with a light heart, knowing that I trust her to come into my house with her key, but knowing too that I shall be wakeful unti! I hear her step on the stairs—as when a member of my family keeps late hours. For months I spent half an hour every evening teaching a faithful colored girl to read and write. Now, though in a little home of her own, she is still my levoted slave. Later i spent much time with a Swedish girl, helping her to read in English. With a cook book with the ecipes carefully explained, I call on her

many dishes. The real, true, earnest spirit of leaderhip always counts. There is no humil-ation in prompt obedience. By strength I do not mean a show of bossism, but a quiet, just, earnest spirit, that will impress others with a desire to do good work .- Good Housekeeping.

#### To Save Time and Strength.

Hang up the bonnet when you take it

Mend the rent when you find it. Pick up the baby's rattle when you see it.

Darn a hole when you discover it. Do the duty that lies nearest.

Do the right thing at the right time. Never try to do two things at once. Attend to the task at hand, forget that there is another duty behind the present

Remember that sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof, and don't worry about tomorrow. Today's duties call loudest

#### Substitute for Hot-Water Bottle.

A screw-top coffee can, such as workmen use with their dinner pails, has proved a most satisfactory substitute

for the rubber hot water bottle for neareither in their special cases or each in its own pile, and there will be no danger of any house furnishing or tin store for a a confused jumble every time a pin or small sum, in tin or granite. A slip case so doing you are likely to stretch the fabric and give it a "pull" that will show. Knead and work it between the times as it may be necessary to obtain in that boiling water can be used, and hands, carefully unfolding and refold-ing as you dip. \* Every woman has her own methods of blueing and starching. A very little the top drawer. And though it usually to be drawer, its so filed and put into the bed will retain some article from this lower drawer, its so filed and put into the bed will retain some article from this lower drawer, its so filed and put into the bed will retain so filed and put into the bed will retain so filed and put into the bed will retain so filed and put into the bed will retain in auling and crushing that they do in the top drawer. And though it usually to bed warm, but waking about 2 o'clock

forms of exercise know of The idea that side-splitting laughter may retard the healing of wounds is, I am I really a trifle far fetched. afraid. think that granulation might be gently stimulated instead. Of course, people have burst their hearts by laughing. the instances were most exceptional."

depressing books-Hamlet, for instance.

select or restrict the plays which their

s not an English characteristic.

stories to prove their surface indifference

which it tends to develop and energize.

and degraded humanity.

"The explanation of the effect of hu-

patients shall see.

'Laugh and grow fat.'

#### Loose Business Morals.

An Arctic explorer was praising the William Ziegler.

"He was a man of the alertest wit," the explorer said. "I never saw his in the hitting off of a person's equal haracter with an opposite story. Once. remember, he was describing a flour nanufacturer of loose business morals. "Mr. Ziegler said this manufacturer was like a certain grocer who called his elerk up before him one day and said: 'That lady who just went out-didn't

hear her ask you for fresh laid eggs? "Yes, sir,' the clerk answered.

"'And you said we hadn't any?" "'Yes, sir; that is correct;'

"The grocer, purple with rage, yelled: "Didn't you see me lay those eggs myself on the counter not ten minutes You are discharged, you menda ago? cious scoundrel, and see that you don't look to me for a reference, either." New York Tribune.

A Reversal. ."I once attended some legal proceed-ings in Nevada," says a Philadelphia lawyer, "which were unconventional, to say the least. The judge presiding made up what he lacked in legal lore by a certain entertaining joviality. The case be-fore him was windy and long drawn out, and it was plainly to be seen that he was tired and uninterested. To one of his decisions counsel for the defendant promptly took exception and his honor nodded carelessly and settled down in his ample chair. For a moment or two he quietly dropped off to sleep, his chan tilted back against the wall. Suddenly he fell over backward, and, scrambling to his dignity and his seat, he sought to cloak his mishap by exclaiming abruptly and irrelevantly, 'No, counsellor, I must adhere to my decision of a moment ago.' "Counsel for the defense arose, and

with a serious bow, said. 'Ah, but your honor has just reversed himself most conclusively.' "-Harper's Weekly.

#### Jeweler Knew His Business.

"It isn't the presents, it's the spirit," said January Jones, the millionaire min-er of Goldfield, apropos of Christmas. "I was in a brie-a-brae shop last January and something that took place there showed me that with too many of us the Christmas spirit is not the proper

one. "I was talking to the proprietor. One of the clerks stepped up excitedly, his eyes beaming with the hope of a big sale.

"'Say, boss,' he whispered, 'give me he key to the safe. There's a lady bay, boss, it is the safe. There's a lady wants a solitaire just like the one she has on. She thinks it will be fun to have two rings alike. 'The proprietor did not bring forth the

key. sadly: He only shook his head and said 'Don't waste any time on her. The

ring she has on is a Christmas present and she only wants to find out what it cost.

#### Immortal "Platform."

An American lady visited Stratford-on-Avon lately and "gushed" even above the usual high watermark of American fervor. She had not recovered from the attack when she reached the railway sta tion, for she remarked to a friend as they walked onto the platform: "And to think that it was from this

very platform the immortal bard would depart whenever he journeyed to town!" -London Tit-Bits

would play a trick on the ram.

The herd was grazing through the woods, at the foot of a high mountain, toward the shore of Tisleia Fjord. At this point the bank of the lake is very and it runs up nearly perpendicuhigh stub of a tree. The stub was just of the same size as the boy, and it was so decayed that only a small kick would send it crumbling over the ground. Over this stub the boy hung his shawl, on its top he placed his cap, and in other ways made it look like himself. Then he hid himself behind some trees, watching the herd, that now was coming grazing to- him."

ward the bank. All of a sudden the ram caught sight

a moment, the old fire came into his eyes again, he backed up a few feet, put his neck into a stiff curve, and laid his ears flat back on his woolly neck. You could read anger all over his face. Calculat-ing only the distance to the stub-boy, he uttered a harsh baa, and then suddenly with all his strength, threw himself forward into a run and rushed toward what he supposed was the boy. The stub with a loud crack flew into a thousand rotten pieces that, together with cloud of dust from decayed wood, com pletely covered the ram's face and the front of his body, the shawl covering his head blinding him-and bump! with a tremendous force out over the bank flew the ram, still covered with the the

the lake! In a moment he came to the surface again, managed to get the shawl from his head, and swam ashore. With drooping ears and water streaming down from all over his body, he crawled out and up the bank, every now and then shaking himself violently to get rid of the water. Having reached the top of the bank, he slowly rejoined the grazing herd. But you should have seen the boy

when the big ram started on that expedition of his through air and water! As soon as the ram butted the stub with that great "crack," and plunged

out into the water, he jumped out from behind the trees, doubled up with side splitting laughter. And when the poor ram crawled up

on the bank, drenched to the very skin and looking very "sheepish." the boy ran over to him and greeted him with

Party of laughter again and again. "Oh, Billy," he said derisively; "where have you been, Billy? How did you like it. Billy? Was it good—will you try it once more. Billy?"

Veiled and Silent Auctions in India. In the course of an interesting paper on shellac, communicated to the Pharmaceutical society, Sir George Watt, C. I. E., described the quaint practice adopted at the auctions in India.

The buyers and sellers join hands and sit facing each other, a cloth being thrown over the hands. The buyer henroosts before witnesses." The buyers and sellers join hands and

The other eyes had found her; the other days had returned.-Boston Post.

#### New Rules of Arithmetic.

Parents who undertake to assist their children in the preparation of their school lessons, encounter some queer difficulties. Long division, for instance, presents stimshawl-and with a great splash fell into bling blocks that trip up the wisest minds of a generation ago. In that benighted age youthful students of arithmetic were taught that in an example in long division the divisor was placed at the left of the dividend, the quotient on the right, while the remainder was written at the end of the quotient. Old fogies who have dropped hopelessly behind the times now attempt to introduce those antiquatd methods when tutoring their offspring, but the youngster's scornfully correct

"Oh, that isn't right," they explain. "You must put it down this way." Then, according to present-day instruc-

tion, they put the quotient above the dividend and set the remainder in the ittle crook on the right formerly occupied by the quotient. Before those eccentricities of modern education the parent sits amazed and helpless, trying to prepare himself for the next innovation, which will probably be to make the fig-ures upside down.—New York Press.

#### Not Before Witnesses.

P. L. Hutchins, the cotton expert, was praising an apt and witty speeck, says the New York Tribune. "It reminds me," he said, "of a scene in a magistrate's court that I saw in my boyhood.

old man was haled before "An magistrate for stealing chickens, and the latter said, sternly, to him: "You are charged with robbing hen-roosts, my friend. Have you any wit-nesses?

"The veteran smiled calmly as he re-

But Billy never eagain tried to butt the boy.—O. C. Vico in St. Nick.olas.

Vestern Canada's Marvelous Cron Returns.

The increase in the crop returns of the Canadian West, in the past seven ears, has approached the marvelous, and there is no reason to believe that corresponding increase will not result for many years to come. The increase has been particularly noticeable in what was formerly known as the Northwest Territories, but which, on Sept. 1. 1905, became the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan. From the official returns we find the following results in the acreage sown to wheat, oats and barley, in the years mentioned, and a more favorable showing can-not be pointed to in any other country during a like period.

Wheat. Oats. Barley 105,077 17.082 134.938 14,276 175,439 17.044 229.439 24.702 310.367 36,445 68.974 440.662 523,634 98.154 The yield has been uniformly good

every year except 1900, when there appears to have been a slump all along the line. This, however, was more than compensated for in the following year, when the bumper crop in wheat, oats and barley put the returns of all previous years completely in the shade, and gave an impetus to settlement in the West which has prevailed to the present, as the following table by bushels will show :

Wheat. Oats. Barley. 1898.. 5,542,478 3,040,307 449,512 4.686.036 337.521 1899. . 6,915,623 1990. . 4,028,294 4,226,152 353.216 1901...12.808.447 11,113,066 795.100 970,417 1902.13.956.850 10.661.295 1903..16,029,149 14,179,706 1,842,824 1904..16,875,537 16.332.551 2.205.434 It will be seen that the number of

acres sown to wheat, oats and barley in 1898 was 429,749, and that this had increased in 1904 to 1,587,337. The total crop in the cereals mentioned was 9,033,297 bushels in 1898, and in 1904 it had grown to the magnificent total of 35,413,522. In the year just closed the "forward movement" in the agriculture of the West has been the wonder and envy of the world. New sections of the country have been placed under tribute to the plow and harrow, and the grain area has been largely increased. This is particularly the case where it has been demonstrated that "Alberta Red" winter wheat may be successfully grown, and along the lines of the new railways towards the center of the country, where mixed farming prevails.

The future of the Canadian West is assured, and for years to come it is bound to be the land of promise to the agriculturist of every nation and of every clime, and the land of opportunity to every settler within its bounds.

Fullest information can be secured from any Canadian Government Agent.

-Commenting on the "washy" colors



GRATULATED IN ESCAPING BIG LOT OF HARD WORK.

WILL BE HEAD OF THE ARMY.

Failure to Serve as Chief of Staff Does Not Affect His Rank-Queer Evolutions in Army.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 7 .-

[Special.]-The friends of Maj.-Gen. Arthur MacArthur, one of the three major generals Wisconsin has contributed to the regular army, Thomas H. Ruger of Rock County and John P. Story of Walworth county, being the others, should not worry because it has been decided that he is not to serve as chief of staff when Lieut.-Gen. John C. Bates retires, next April. His failure to serve as chief of staff in no way affects his rank and pay or reflects, unfavorably, upon his military record, or his ability and skill as an officer. His promotion to lieutenant-general will come just as soon as if he were chief of staff, and that will be next September, when Lieut.-Gen. H. C. Corbin retires.

From that time until he retires, June 2, 1909, Gen. MacArthur will hold the highest rank of any officer in the army, on the active list.

#### Corbin at St. Louis

Gen. Corbin, who will reach the rank as chief of staff, and when he returns from the Philippines a month from now he will assume command of the Northern division with headquarters at St. Louis. Once before in the history of St. Louis it was the headquarters of a lieutenant general when Gen. W. T. Sherman was on the active list. The duties of chief of staff are the

most difficult and exacting of any place held by an army officer. Gen. MacArthur is to escape these duties, as Gen. Corbin will, and instead of feeling sorry for him, his friends may well congratulate him upon not getting a three years' assignment as chief of staff, with headquarters in Washington.

#### MacArthur to Have Choice.

It is quite certain that Gen. MacArthur will be given his choice of stations states of New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Maryland, Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia. Alabama, and the District of Columbia, is the division he is most likely to be assigned to. That division is now commanded by Maj.-Gen. James F. Wade, a son of Ohio's famous old senator, Ben Wade, who would have been President if President Andrew Johnson had been deposed.

It is understood that Gen. Wade will be made a lieutenant general next April and placed on the retired list. That would open the way for Gen. MacArthur to take command of what is regarded as the most desirable of the several divisions.

#### Jump Over Each Other.

In this connection it is interesting to remember that when Wade was a brigaof British postage stamps the Pall Mall dier general and in command of the de-

MacArthur Aided Bell.

and cavalry school at Fort Leavenworth,

where he has more than made good. Such is the record of Brig.-Gen. J. Franklin Bell, who, but for the especial interest

Ray Is Promoted.

Gen. MacArthur.

lery and was kept on duty close to Washington until the end of the war, at which time he was a captain in the First Wisconsin heavy artillery. Two years after the war he entered the regu-lar army as a second lieutenant and has won all of the ranks up to his present high one. He was in active service over forty-four years. In the Spanish-Amer-ican war he was colonel of a volunteer regiment of colored men.

#### BARS GEN. M'ARTHUR.

#### Abolition of Rank of Lieutenant General Is Provided in Bill.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 7.-Pro-vision for the abolition of the grade of lieutenant general, the highest rank in the army, is made in the army appro-priation bill which has been ordered reported to the House from the committee on military affairs.

The section is very brief, simply pro viding that the place shall not be filled after the retirement of the incumbent, Lieut.-Gen. Bates.

If this legislation secures the approval of Congress, Maj.-Gens. Corbin, Mac-Arthur and Wood will not be able to secure the expected promotion to the grade, of lieutenant general. Another provision of the bill, if accepted by Congress, will stop the practice of promoting general officers for the purpose of retiring them at a higher grade.

CZAR TO GIVE MEDALS. Port Arthur Heroes Especially Singled Out for Rewards-Admiral Birileff Is Reported Out.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 7.-Medals for all those who participated in the war with Japan have been ordered, according to an imperial rescript published in the Russki Invalid today. Those who of lieutenant general next April, has re- defended Port Arthur are singled out for quested that he be excused from serving special distinction. They will be given a silver medai and light bronze medals will be bestowed on those who were engaged in battles on land or sea. soldiers who were not under fire will receive dark bronze medals.

Gossip is busy with changes at the admiralty. The Slovoe, which usually is well informed on naval matters, says Admiral Birileff, the minister of marine has been succeeded by Admiral Dikoff, and that Admirals Chouknin and Batnik have been chosen for the post of vice ministers of marine, recently created. Gen. Linevitch, commander of the Manchurian armies, telegraphed to the Emperor yesterday as follows:

Gen. Rennenkampff entered Chita, trans Balkalla, February 5, without bloodshed. The inhabitants of the town have been disarmed and work has been resumed. Two hundred of the revolutionists have been arrested, but a number of the leaders fled. upon his return from India. The divi-sion of the Atlantic, with headquarters on Governor's Island, New York, which includes the New England states, and where the state of the revolutionists have been arrested, but a number of the leaders fled. Gen. Helshcheonikoff the military gov-ernor of Chita, has been relieved of his post for inaction.

Reports from the Baltic provinces say that Gov.-Gen. Sellogub's plan of sweeping the revolutionists and their leaders from the provinces is rapidly approaching completion. The columns of troops commanded by Gen. Orloff, which have gradually closed in on Riga, are driving the Livonian revolutionists before them. The advance guards have arrived at the

outskirts. HE WOULD SAVE MIDDIES.

#### President Roosevelt Says Dismissal for Hazing Is Too Severe-Valuable Officers Sometimes Lost.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 7 .-- In a

final effort to save a score or two of partment of Texas, and later of the de-partment of the Dakotas, his adjutant promising young midshipmen who are threatened with conviction by court marwas Maj. Arthur MacArthur. Later, in tial and dismissal from the naval acad-1896, he was made a lieutenant colonel, but remained as Gen. Wade's adjutant brigadier general of volunteers, in May, 1898, and sent him to the Philippines. President Roosevelt has sent a remark-able letter to Chairman Hale and Foss respectively, of the Senate and Foss emy at Annapolis within the next month naval committees, protesting in strong terms against the present law specifying court martial and dismissal as the only In 1901. MacArthur, the former adjutant, became a major general, jumping, among others, his former chief, Gen. possible punishment for the offense of Wade. Next April, the former chief, Gen. Wade, will have his inning-he will fly over the head of MacArthur, behazing. This law the President declares, is unjust and injudicious. He believes it too often cuts short the promising carer of coming a lieutenant general six months ahead of his former adjutant, to whom a young man whose only offense has so much of good fortune came during his tour in the Philippines. been boyish michief incited by some exuberance of animal spirits.

# MAY LOSE PRESTIGE.

BERLIN CIRCLES HAVE SMALL HOPE AS TO OUTCOME OF THE MO-ROCCO CONFERENCE.

DO NOT EXPECT A REAL WAR, But if the Old Rule Is Readopted, Kaiser's

#### Pride and Standing May Suffer Severely.

BERLIN, Feb. 7.-While government circles maintain an outwardly hopeful attitude regarding the conference at Algeciras the indications are that much concern is felt about the outcome. Even a failure to reach an agreement on the police question is regarded as probable. No War, but Loss of Prestige.

This inference is drawn from the fact that the inspired press had begun discussing the probable results of a failure to reach an agreement. These papers assert that a failure would not involve the danger of war so far as Germany is con-cerned, and they argue that France would never go to war on account of Morocco. These papers interpret the warning of the Havas agency, against "excessive optimism" as proving the pa-cific intentions of the Paris government.

May Readopt Old Rule.

may Readopt Old Rule. The result of a failure to reach an agreement would be, according to Ger-man inspired utterances, that Moroccan affairs would continue to be regulated under the arrangement of 1880. But more critical observers point out that the controversy of 1905 originated de-spite that arrangement and that the that arrangement and that the spite conference being due to Germany's initative, its failure would involve serious damage to German prestige.

Standard Plans to Increase Its Capital Stock Six Times in Seeking

#### Cover.

NEW YORK. Feb. 7 .-- Unofficial announcement is made in Wall street that the Standard Oil company is preparing to increase its capital stock from \$100,-000,000 to \$600,000,000 by issuing six shares for each one now outstanding. It is not designed to raise immediately any money on this new issue, but simply to divide the present high priced shares into six and give them to old stockhold-

ers. The company has two objects in doing this. One is to try to dispel public criticism that arises every time the Standard declares a 40 or 48 per cent. dividend. The other is to bring the stock among a larger number of holders, so there may be missionaries in every town to help stem the rising tide of opposition to the trust.

When the present stock is cut up into sixths the price will drop from 690, which it was today, to about 115, and dividends, instead of being more than 40 per cent, will become about 7 per cent. No stockholder will be a loser, because he will hold six times as many shares as before. On the contrary, he will gain, because when the stock is reduced to figures where people can afford to buy it the price is pretty sure to rise above one-

sixth its former value. As capitalizations go nowadays the Standard with \$100,000,000 is under-capitalized. It claims to have real prop-

# **50 YEARS OF FARM PROGRESS.**

"Miscellaneous Vegetables" That Were Unknown Here Half Century Ago.

The farm gardens, "market gardens" and "truck gardens" of today are the producers of a multitude of "miscellaneous vegetables" almost unknown fifty years ago. In the census of 1890 the large increase in garden products was years ago. In the census of 1890 the large increase in garden products was recognized, and a systematic count of their bulk and value was made. It is possible, therefore, to make a ten-year comparison of the increase of such pro-ducts, and this records the remarkable increase of from 190 per cent. to 400 per cent. in the five several divisions of the country. The north Atlantic states had country. The north Atlantic states had a well-developed industry in "garden pro-ducts" before 1890, which accounts for its relatively low increase. However, 190 per cent. in ten years, while the popula-tion increased only a trifle over 20 per cent is amaging

cent. is amazing. Could our great-granddaddies, who thought tomatoes poisonous, and our great-grandmothers, who grew them as

ornamental plants in window pots, under the attractive name of "love apples," come back and realize that over 30,000,come back and realize that over 30,000,-000 bushels of the pretty poisonous vege-tables are eaten as a common and healthful food, they would surely realize that time works wonderful changes. An-other interesting statement is that the lettuce crop of the south has so in-creased that in the spring of this year North Caroling sont treaty earloads of North Carolina sent twenty carloads of that vegetable in a single day.

that vegetable in a single day. Thirty-five years ago celery was a rarl-ty, even on hotel tables, and was used by few families, even of wealth. Today it is a common edible, occupying thou-sands of acres in Michigan, Ohio and New York. One firm has celery farms in Michigan, Florida and California, and because of the variety of seasons it is engaged in shipping celery by the carload the whole year round. Twenty-two mil-lion bunches of radishes and 12,000,000 bunches of asparagus are the figures for the crops of these vegetables.—Harper's the crops of these vegetables .- Harper's Weekly.

#### In the Interests of His Client.

It was his first circuit, and, moderator, he had to defend his first client, who was a better-known than respected burglar. In an interval he approached a veteran member of the bar and sought for ad-

"And how long do you think I ought to make my speech to the jury, sir?" he

to make my speech to the jury, sir? he finished up. "I should say about an hour," said the old hand. "An hour! Why. I thought ten minutes would be ample! Why so long?" "Well," said his adviser, "you see, they can't sentence him till you're fin-ished, and the longer you talk the longer he'll be out of jail!"—Illustrated Bits.

#### Efficacy Plus Prayer.

Ethel, one of New Hampshire's 7ear-old daughters, is devoted to the birds. She was enraged at her older brother, whose keenest enjoyment seemed to be to trap them. She pleaded with him and scolded him, but all to no effect. So Ethel took a new tack. When prayer time came the other

evening her mother heard this final petition added to those which dealt directly with the spiritual and material welfare of the family: "An', dear God, please smash all Willie's nasty traps, for Jesus'

sake, Amen." "Ethel, dear," said mother, seriously, "do you really think that last is a nice lose his bet.—Illustrated Bits.

think to ask God to do? Do you expect Him to do such a thing as that?" Ethel smiled beamingly and an-swered: "Oh that'll be all right, muz-zer. Jes' before I comed upstairs I smashed 'em all my own self."—War-wick James Price in Lippincott's.

#### **How's This?**

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#### He Felt Lonely.

At a sale of animals from a hippo-At a sale of animals from a hippo-drome a tiger was being offered. The highest bid was made by a man who was a stranger, and to him it was knocked down. The owner of the ani-mal, who had been eyeing the stranger uneasily during the bidding, then went up to him and said: "Pardon me for asking the question, but will you tell me where you are from?" responded the

"From the country," responded the man

"Are you connected with any show?"

"And are you buying this animal for yourself?

The showman shifted about for a few moments, looking alternately at the man

moments, looking alternately at the man and the tiger, evidently trying his best to reconcile the two. "Now, young man," he finally said. "you need not take this animal unless you want to, for there are those here who will take it off your hands." "I don't want to sell," was the quiet renty

"What on earth are you going to do with such an ugly beast if you have no show of your own and are not buying

show of your own and are not buying for some one who is a showman?" "Well, I'll tell you," said the purchas-er. "My wife died about three weeks ago. We had lived together for ten years, and—and I miss her." He paused to wipe his eyes and steady his voice, and then added: "So U'ye hought the tiger"

"So I've bought the tiger." "I understand you," said the great showman in a husky voice, as he turned to hide his emotion.—London Times.

His Lordship Ciimbed Down.

One of the funniest bets on record was that made at Brighton in October, 1795, by Sir John Lade, who undertook to carry Lord Cholmondeley — pronounced as if it were Chumley—on his back twice round the Steyne. Sir John was a dwarf; his lordship was an enormous man; and the singular

was an enormous man; and the singular wager attracted a large number of ladies.

"Strip," said Sir John, when his lord-ship declared himself ready. "But—" protested his lordship. "Strip," said Sir John; "I engaged to carry you, but not your clothes as well. Come along! Don't disappoint the ladies." ladies.

Suppose, if you have never really

made a move for absolutely clean

with a spring in your step and a re-

serve vigor in muscle and brain that

makes the doing of things a pleasure,

you join the army of "plain old com-

on permission, but we often tell the

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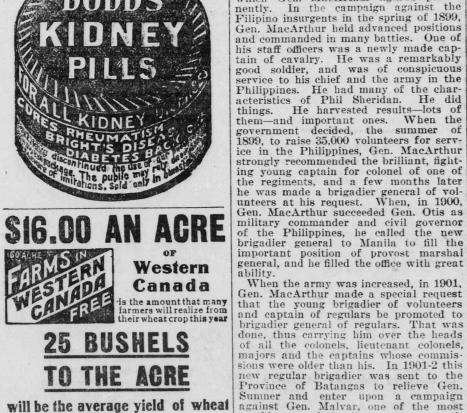
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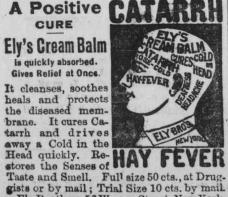
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Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

The President does not defend hazing,

which he says must be rooted out of the There is another interesting fact in academy at any cost, but at the same time he does not believe it is always an which Gen. MacArthur figured promi-In the campaign against the nently. In the campaign against the Filipino insurgents in the spring of 1899, dismissal of a midshipman who might in Cleveland Dean Consecrated by Missouri Gen. MacArthur held advanced positions time prove to be a valuable officer and commanded in many battles. One of

The course taken by the President was his staff officers was a newly made cap-tain of cavalry. He was a remarkably caused by the knowledge that unless Congress shall promptly amend the existgood soldier, and was of conspicuous service to his chief and the army in the ing law against hazing the secretary of the navy may be forced to dismiss thir-ty-three midshipmen from the naval academy within the next month, in addi-Philippines. He had many of the char-acteristics of Phil Sheridan. He did things. He harvested results-lots of tion to the eight who have already suf-fered this penalty and the three whose them—and important ones. When the government decided, the summer of cases are awaiting the action of the de-1899, to raise 35,000 volunteers for serv-ice in the Philippines, Gen. MacArthur partment.

### ROOSEVELT IS SOUNDING.

#### Will Give Big Dinner to G. O. P. Leaders -Starts More 1908 Candidacy Gossip.

of the Philippines, he called the new brigadier general to Manila to fill the WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 7 .important position of provost marshal general, and he filled the office with great President Roosevelt will give a dinner Friday night to the executive officers of the Republican national committee, and When the army was increased, in 1901, all kinds of rumors about its effect on Gen. MacArthur made a special request 1908 possibilities are in circulation that the young brigadier of volunteers and captain of regulars be promoted to among Washington politicians.

Among those present will be George B. Cortelyou, Cornelius N. Bliss, Elmer E. Dover, Harry New, Indiana; Frank O. Lowden, Illinois; R. B. Snyder, Ne-braska: D. W. Mulvane, Kansas; George A. Knight, California; Senator Scott, West Virginia, and Mr. Brooker, Connecticut.

There is a report that Secretary Root and Secretary Taft, both presidential possibilities, will be in attendance. One explanation is that the President has taken this means of getting in close touch with the leaders of the party to discuss with them the question of railroad rate legislation, and its effects on the campaign.

### IS CHAIN OF MASTERS.

Wallace Attacks Management of Panama Canal as Being No More-Cromwell Has Special Privilege.

taken in him by Gen. MacArthur would be a major of cavalry instead of a brigadier general on the eve of promo-WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 7 .- John tion to major general and assignment to F. Wallace, in his testimony before the French Church Disturbers' Appeal Reduty as chief of staff, when he will stand next to the secretary of war in the man-agement of the United States army. Interoceanic canal commission today, said regarding the canal management: After next April Gen. Bell will have a leading voice in giving orders to his former chief and invaluable friend, Maj.-

"The present arrangement amounts to his a chain of masters, with the chairman of the commission, an executive commis sioner, Mr. Cromwell, Secretary Taft and the President grading down to Mr. Stevens or the man in actual charge of operations on the isthmus."

Yesterday another Wisconsin soldier, Col. Patrick Henry Ray, son of the late Adam E. Ray, who had a part in building the St. Paul road to Waukesha, was given deserved promotion to briga-dier general and placed on the retired list. Gen. Ray was a private in th Sec-ond Wisconsin of First Paul Para Replying to an inquiry from Senator Morgan he said that Mr. Cromwell, who is well known in Milwaukee, had been included as one of the masters for the Nafflieted with Thompson's Eye Water hist. Gen. Ray was a private in the Sec-ond Wisconsin at First Bull Run. After that his company was made heavy artil-to be classed in the chain.

erty worth more than \$500,000,000, so the increase in capital will not be water-ing the oil. The lowering of the value of the certificates would permit quicker conversion of securities and juggling the stock market such as H. H. Rogers, the present ruler of the Standard, has delighted to do with Amalgamated Copper. It is said by a Wall street broker that, while the great majority of Standard stock has been closely held in the past by the Rockefellers and their allies, they realize that they have not many years longer to live, and their sons cannot car-ry on the business in the old way. Therefore, it is necessary to put the securities in more liquid form and establish a broader foundation under the business to insure its future success.

# WILLIAMS NOW A BISHOP.

Protestant Episcopal Head-Many Church Dignitaries Present.

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 7 .- The consecration of Dean Charles D. Williams of this city as the fourth Protestant Episcopal bishop of Michigan took place here today in St. Paul's church. The ceremonies were conducted by Presiding Bishop Sylvester Tuttle of Missourl, Bishop William A. Leonard of Cleve-land, Bishop Boyd Vincent of southern Ohio and Bishop Francis of Indiana. The sermon was preached by Rt. Rev. Thomas A. Jaggar of St. Paul's church, Boston. Many other church dignitaries, including a delegation of about 100 from Michigan, were present.

Bishop Williams will take up his duties in Michigan about March 1. He will preach his farewell sermon here Sunday and will then take a vacation for a month before entering upon his new field of labor.



Jerome Begins Criminal Prosecution Thursday-Felony Charges Against Mutual Reserve Is Probable.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.-District Attor ney Jerome will begin on Thursday his fight to prosecute criminally life insurance officials who, he believes, have vio lated the state laws. He has notified witnesses in one of the life insurance cases which has been under examination by his office to be ready to appear before the grand jury Thursday. That Mr. Je-rome has decided to prosecute a large

number of insurance officers is no longer doubted. The initial case for submission to the grand jury involves the Mutual Reserve Life Assurance company, of which Frederick A. Burnham is president George D. Eldridge vice president. The charge of felony may be pressed.

### FALLIERES IS ONLY HOPE.

jected, but May Be Amnestied When President Assumes Office.

PARIS, Feb. 7 .- Twenty-one prisoners sentenced to various terms of imprison-ment in December for inciting recruits to disloyalty and insurrection were rearrested this morning, their appeals hav-ing been rejected. The prisoners include Urbain Gohier, Prof. Henve and a number of well known political agitators. It is probable that they and the prisoners arrested in connection with the recent church disturbance will be amnestied on the assumption of the presidency of the republic by M. Fallieres on February 18.

For the most words made up from these letters

# Y=I=O=Grape=Nuts

#### 331 people will earn these prizes

Around the fireside or about the | that the noon hour will find a man well-lighted family reading table dur- on our breakfast huskier and with a ing the winter evenings the children stronger heart-beat and clearer workand grown-ups can play with their ing brain than he ever had on the old wits and see how many words can be diet.

made. 20 people making the greatest num-

ber of words will each receive a little health that pushes you along each day box containing a \$10 gold piece. 10 people will each win one box con-

taining a \$5 gold piece. 300 people will each win a box containing \$1 in paper money and one mon sense" and start in now. Then

person who makes the highest number after you have been 2 or 3 weeks on of words over all contestants will re- the Grape-Nuts training you write a ceive a box containing \$100 in gold. statement of how you used to be and It is really a most fascinating bit of how you are now. The simple facts fun to take up the list evening after will interest others and surprise yourevening and see how many words can self. We never publish names except be added.

A few rules are necessary for absofacts in the newspapers and when requested give the names by private letlute fair play.

Any word authorized by Webster's ter. dictionary will be counted, but no name of person. Both the singular and plural can be used, as for instance sonal experience with Grape-Nuts and write a sensible, truthful letter to be "grape" and "grapes." The letters in "Y-I-O-Grape-Nuts" contest does not close until April 30, 1906. So start in as soon as you like

may be repeated in the same word. Geographical names authorized by

Webster will be counted. Arrange the words in alphabetical and keep the letters Y-I-O-Grape-Nuts classes, all those beginning with A together and those beginning with E to come under E, etc.

write on the subject, "Why I Owe When you are writing down the Grape-Nuts." words leave some spaces, in the A, E,

Remember 331 persons will win and other columns to fill in later as prizes, which will be awarded in an new words come to you, for they will exact and just manner as soon as the list can be counted after April 30, spring into mind every evening. It is almost certain that some con- 1906. Every contestant will be sent a

testants will tie with others. In such printed list of names and addresses of cases a prize identical in value and winners on application, in order to character with that offered in that have proof that the prizes are sent as class shall be awarded to each. Each agreed. The company is well known one will be requested to send with the all over the world for absolute fidelity list of words a plainly written letter to its agreements and every single one describing the advantages of Grape- of the 331 winners may depend on re-Nuts, but the contestant is not re- ceiving the prize won.

Many persons might feel it useless quired to purchase a pkg. These letters are not to contain poetry, or fan- to contest, but when one remembers cy flourishes, but simple, truthful the great number of prizes-(331)-the statements of fact. For illustration: curiosity of seeing how many words

A person may have experienced some can really be made up evening after incipient or chronic ails traceable to evening and the good, natural fun and unwise selection of food that failed to education in the competition, it seems give the body and brain the energy, worth the trial; there is no cost, noth-health and power desired. Seeking bet- ing to lose and a fine opportunity to ter conditions a change in food is made win one of the many boxes of gold or and Grape-Nuts and cream used in greenbacks.

place of the former diet. Suppose one quits the meat, fried petatees, starchy, who win a prize of gold or greenbacks sticky messes of half-cooked oats or will also win back health and strength wheat and cuts out the coffee. Try, worth more to them than a wagon full say, for breakfast a bit of fruit, a dish of money prizes.

There are no preliminaries, cut out of Grape-Nuts and cream, two softboiled eggs, a slice of hard toast and this statement and go at it, and send a cup of Postum Food Coffee. Some in the list and letter before April 30, amateur says: "A man would faint 1906, to Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Bat-away on that," but, my dear friend, the Creek, Mich., and let your name we will put dollars to your pennies and address be plainly written.

-The latest railway improvement in Palestine is a line from Haifa, across the plains of Esdraelon east of the Jordan to Dar'a, there to join the Hedjaz railway now being constructed for the con-veyance of pilgrims between Damascus and Mecca

-An engineer declares that 50,000 people now do with machinery the work of 16,000,000 persons a few years ago.

# A TRULY IDEAL WIFE HER HUSBAND'S BEST HELPER

# Vigorous Health Is the Great Source of Power to Inspire and Encourage-All Women Should Seek It.

One of the most noted, successful and richest men of this century, in a recent article, has said, "Whatever I am and whatever success I have attained in this world I owe all to my wife. From the day I first knew her she has been an inspiration, and the greatest help-mate of my life."



To be such a successful wife, to retain the love and admiration of her husband, to inspire him to make the most of himself, should be a woman's constant study.

If a woman finds that her energies are flagging, that she gets easily tired, dark shadows appear under her eyes, she has backache, headaches, bearingdown pains, nervousness, irregularities blues, she should start at once to build up her system by a tonic with specific powers, such as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Following we publish by request a letter from a young wife :

Dear Mrs. Pinkham: "Ever since my child was born I have suffered, as I hope few women ever have, with in-flammation, female weakness, bearing-down pains, backache and wretched headaches. It affected my stomach so I could not enjoy my meals. and half my time was spent in bed. "Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made me a well woman, and I feel so grateful

that I am glad to write and tell you of my marvelous recovery. It brought me health, new life and vitality."—Mrs. Bessie Ainsley, 611 South 10th Street, Tacoma, Wash.

What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for Mrs. Ainsley it will do for every sick and ailing woman.

If you have symptoms you don't understand write to Mrs. Pinkham, daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free and always helpful.

### CURES CONSTIPATION It is just about impossible to be sick when the bowels are right and

#### Ham at 21 Cents a Pound.

"The contrast between the prices of living today and of my early boyhood is something startling," said Capt. M. E. Kelly of Elgin, Ill., deputy commissioner of pensions.

"I remember once in the early spring of 1858 that my father, who owned a farm in the northern part of Illinois, loaded a tremendous lot of home-cured hams and shoulders on a sled, and my brother and I were given directions to brother and I were given directions to visit various stage stations, with a view of disposing of the meat. We had to have the money in gold to meet our taxes, which, I remember, amounted to \$28. The weather was still biting cold and the roads in a horrible condition. "But boys in those days were defiant of weather and bad roads, and we man-aged to dispose of our lond ere the close aged to dispose of our load ere the close of the day. Now, what do you think we had to sell those fine hams for? The most we could obtain was 2% cents a ing the flesh. He got to be a mere most we could obtain was 2% cents a pound, and by far the greater portion went at 2½ cents. Compared with cur-rent market quotations, doesn't it seem like giving them away? However, we were fine boys when we got home with \$2 or \$3 more than the sum we set out to called and cot much paternal praise to collect, and got much paternal prais ing on our success."-Washington Post.

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#### An Expert.

"Where is the nearest barber shop?" asked the hardware drummer. "Ain't no barber in this town, replied

the landlord of the village inn, "but if you want a hair cut I reckon the editor of the Weekly Clipper can accommodate

"Get out!" exclaimed the h. d. "What does an editor know about hair cutting?" "That's all right," rejoined the land-lord. "That fellow's the handiest chap for miles around with the shears."—Chi-

cago News. Merchants' Excursions to Milwaukee

4 Under the auspices of the Milwaukee Association of Jobbers and Manufactur-ers. One and one-fifth fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale for first meeting, February 17th to 24th, good to return until March 6th. For second meeting, March 3d to 10th, good to re-turn until March 20th. For third meet-ing, March 17th to 24th, good to return until April 3d. Ask your ticket agent for particulars. It will pay you to trade in Milwaukee.

#### Factory for Flint-Lock Muskets.

An article in a recent number of the Birmingham (England) Mail states that a factory in that city is turning out weekly about 1200 flint-lock muskets, and that a large number of this antiquated firearm are also made at Liege, gium. These guns are sent to Central and East Africa for use by the natives, to whom the possession of modern fire-

Anti-Gripine is guaranteed to cure.

Sold everywhere, 25 cents. F. W. Die-

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Heroic Hygiene.

At the inquest on the body of a man who had died after an operation in St. George's hospital, London, it was stated

that the only way by which operators could absolutely avoid infection from pa-

# BABY COVERED WITH SORES.

Would Scratch and Tear the Flesh Unless Hands Were Tied-"Would Have Died but for Cuticura."

"My little son, when about a year and a half old, began to have sores come out on his face. I had a physician treat him, but the sores grew worse. Then they began to come on his arms, then on other parts of his body, and then one came on his chest, worse than the others. Then I called another physician. Still he grew worse. At the end of about a year and a half of suffering he grew so bad I had to ing the flesh. He got to be a mere skeleton, and was hardly able to walk. My Aunt advised me to try Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I sent to the drug store and got a cake of Soap and a box of the Ointment, and at the end of about two months the sores were all well. He has never had any sores of

any kind since. He is now strong and healthy, and I can sincerely say that only for your most wonderful remedies my precious child would have died from those terrible sores. Mrs. Egbert Sheldon, R. F. D. No. 1, Woodville, Conn., April 22, 1905."

#### Wants Two-Dollar Pieces.

Representative Maynard of Virginia has introduced a bill authorizing the govern-ment to participate in the Jamestown tercentennial exposition at Hampton Roads, in 1907, and providing an appro-priation of \$1,340,000 for government buildings and exhibits. The bill also provides for the coinage by the governiament of 1,000,000 two-dollar silver pieces, the exposition to pay for the bul-lion used. By this means the exposition hopes to realize a profit of about \$800,-000 on the difference between the cost of the silver and the circulating value of the coins. Representative Maynard believes there will be a great demand for two-dollar silver pieces bearing scenes typical of Jamestown.

#### LOST 72 POUNDS.

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Was Fast Drifting Into the Fatal Stages of Kidney Sickness.

Dr. Melvin M. Page, Page Optical Co., Erie, Pa., writes: "Taking too many iced drinks in New York in 1895 sent me home with a terrible attack of had acute congestion, sharp pain in

the back, headaches and attacks of dizziness. My eyes gave out, and with the languor and sleeplessness of the of the disease upon

me I wasted from 194 to 122 pounds.

pounds.'

Warning to the Ice Cream Girl.

#### BEDTIME.

THE CHILD. My mother tucks me up in bed And kisses me good night, And then I feel as safe and snug As if 'twas broad daylight.

But sometimes when the night wind blows, And I hear the thunder peal, I think of all the flowers outdoors, And wonder how they feel.

How glad I am that I'm a child, Safe in my little bed, With mother near if I should call, And father's roof o'erhead.

THE FLOWER. The cool, dark night has come again,

The time for sweet repose, gently rock on my long green stem; My weary petals close, And when the night is very warm, And all the earth is dry. How I rejoice to see the clouds Come creeping o'er the sky!

lift my drooping head to catch The first drops of the slower: And when I feel them pelting down, I'm glad to be a flower!

-Youth's Companion.

### HIS FIRST LOVE.

It was a brilliant June day I stood by the open window of my study and watched the smart dog-cart drive up that brought little Geoffrey L'Estrange once a week for his violin lesson. As he alighted and the groom was handing him down his violin I heard him say:

"Now, Brown, mind you are back sharp to time, or I'll just jolly well give you a good kicking."

Then he pulled my door bell for all it was worth and remarked excitedly to the maid who showed him in: "I hope Miss Ashton is quite ready for

Geoffrey was a sturdy, chubby little

chap of eight summers, with blue eyes and fair hair, and he wore kilts, which were, I found, a source of great mortification to him-he thought them girlish. Yes, I am quite ready, Geoffrey," I said as I greeted him. "What is the hur-

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today "Oh, only my pater has given me a ov., so I've arranged to meet some other haps at Till's (the confectioner's) and

have a good tuck-in at 3 o'clock. So you won't keep me beyond my time, will ou?' he pleaded.

"That depends on you, not me," I answered. "If you have practiced properly you will, of course, get off in time. dear! Here is a string broken," I exclaimed. taking out the fiddle from its kidney trouble. I case and commencing to adjust it. Geof-

frey watched me intertly. "I say, Miss Ashton," he began pres-ently, "didn't you teach at Mrs. Tenby's school once

"Yes; I do now. Why do you ask?" "Because I remember seeing you there. used to go there when I was a kid. I vas in the kindergarten with all the litle girls-mixed, yeu know Don't you emember me?"

"No, I can't say I do, Geoffrey. You see, I never went into the kindergarten, or saw the little ones," I replied.

"Oh, well. I remember seeing you in the hall one day-years ago, of course; but I remember you quite well.' 'It must have been years ago, indeed,"

said emphatically. Seoffrey liked to be thought quite grown up, and so I always treated him as such, with very grave courtesy.

"Did you like being at school there? Evidently mistaking hailstones for Can you remember?" I continued.

# CAUGHT BY THE GRIP --RELEASED BY PE-RU-NA.

Pneumonia Followed La Grippe-Pe-ru-na the Remedy That Brought Relief.

Mr. T. Barnecott, West Aylmer, Ontario, Can., writes:

"Last winter I was ill with pneumonia after having la grippe. I took Peruna for two months, when I became quite well, and I can say that any one can be cured by it in a reasonable time and at little expense."

Systemic Catarrh, the Result of La Grippe, Pe-ru-na Receives Credit for Present Good Health.

Mrs. Jennie W. Gilmore, Box 44, White Oak, Ind. Ter., writes:

"Six years ago I had la grippe, which was followed by systemic catarrh. The only thing I used was Peruna and Man-alin, and I have been in better health the last three years than for years before. I give Peruna all the credit for my good health."

Pe-ru-na-A Tonic After La Grippe. Mrs. Chas. E. Wells, Sr., Delaware, Ohio, writes: "After a severe attack of la grippe, I took Peruna and found it a very good tonic."

for La Grippe."

Robt, L. Madison, A. M., Principal of Cullowhee High School, Painter, N. C., is chairman of the Jackson County Board of Education. Mr. Madison says: "I am hardly ever without Peruna in my home. It is the most effective medicine that I have ever tried for la grippe." Mrs. Jane Gift, Athens, O., writes: "I had la grippe very bad. My husband bought Peruna for me. In a very short time I saw improvement and was soon able to do my work." work again. "This winter I had another attack of la grippe, but Peruna soon drove it out of my system. "My wife and I consider Peruna s



Effects of La Grippe.

Victor Patneaude, 328 Madison Mr. "Most Effective Medicine Ever Tried for La Grippe." St., Topeka, Kan., member of Knights "Twelve years ago I had a severe at-

tack of la grippe and I never really re-covered my health and strength-but grew weaker every year until I was unable to work.

"Two years ago I began using Peruna and it built up my strength so that in a couple of months I was able to go to work again.

# **Fifty Dollars** for Fifty Cents

A New York horseman writes: "One of my black horses was severely cut on his side a few days since, and I feared there would be a scar and a spot of white hair, which would mean a loss of at least fifty dollars in his selling value. I was agreeably surprised however, for by the use of one fifty-cent can of Cole's Veterinary Carbolisalve the wound is healed without a scar, and the hair restored as glossy black as ever."

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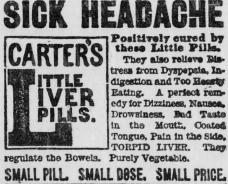
quickly checked, however, and the treatment cured me, so that I have been well since 1896 and weigh 188 Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box.

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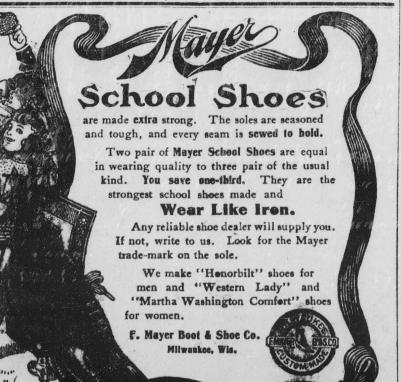
#### Worth Knowing

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-The Egyptian government has decided to build several new bridges over the French engineers are already on the spot to study the requirements.

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-The left side of the face is usually Fine New Cafe and Bar Meals Served at Ali Hours considered by artists to be more beauti-ful than the right.



arms is denied by statute.-Scientific Robbed in Church.

Just think what an outrage it is to Hodgson's ducks was saved by pouring hot water on its craw.—The Oakland be robbed of all the benefits of the services by continuous coughing Enquirer. throughout the congregation, when

#### DIED SUDDENLY

OF HEART DISEASE. How frequently does a head line simi-How frequently does a head fine simi-lar to the above greet us in the news-papers. The rush, push and strenuous-ness of the American people has a strong tendency to lead up to valvular and other affections of the heart, attended by ir-regular action, palpitation, dizziness, smothered sensations and other distress-ing symptoms

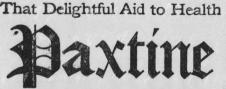
smothered sensations and other distress-ing symptoms. Three of the prominent ingredients of which Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Dis-covery is made are recommended by some of the leading writers on Materia Medica for the cure of just such cases. Golden Seal root, for instance, is said by the UNITED STATES DISPENSATORY, a stand-ard authority "to impart tone and inard authority, "to impart tone and in-creased power to the heart's action." ard authority, "to impart tone and in-creased power to the heart's action." Numerous other leading authorities rep-resent Golden Seal as an unsurpassed tonic for the muscular system in general, and as the heart is almost wholly com-posed of muscular tissue, it naturally follows that it must be greatly strength-ened by this superb, general tonic. But probably the most important ingredient of "Golden Medical Discovery," so far as its marvelous cures of valvular and other affections of the heart are con-cerned, is Stone root, or Collinsonia Can., Prof. Wm. Paine, author of Paine's Epitomy of Medicine, says of it: "I, not long since, had a patient who was so much oppressed with valvular disease of the heart that his friends were obliged to carry him up-stairs. He, however, gradually recovered under the influence of Collinsonin (medicinal principle extracted from Stone root), and is now attending to his business. Heretofore physicians knew of no remedy for the removal of so distressing and so dan-gerous a malady. With them it was all guess-work, and it fearfully warned the afflicted that death was near at hand. Col-linsonin unquestionably affords relief in such cases, and in most instances effects a cure." Stone root is also recommended by Drs.

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food, ducks belonging to Samuel Hodg-son of Florence, Col., ate heartily of them yesterday and died soon after-ward. When cut open the fowls were found frozen inside. The life of one of school-"No girls there at all, thank goodness."

"Girls are stupid sometimes, aren't they ?" I condoled. "But now come along to work." I placed the fiddle in his little hands, and the lesson progressed favor-abiy, as he was very talented and played both sweetly and smartly. Presently the

string poppel again. "I'm afraid it's a bad one," I said, "but we'll give it one more try."

I took the instrument to put the string on, and Geoffrey stood by the window and toyed with the blind cord.

"I say, Miss Ashton," he began slowly, 'do your pupils like you?" "I don't know, Geoffrey, I'm sure. They

have never said so, and I don't suppose they would be so rude to tell me if they did not."

"Well, er-" he stammered, with much confusion; "well, I don't mind telling you, but I love you very much indeed," and he hid his face in the curtain. I knew this had cost him a terrible effort, and for a moment I hesitated how to answer.

"Now that is really very nice of you, Geoffrey, dear, to tell me so. I thought perhaps you liked me a little because I don't ever kiss you. do I?" "No, you don't," he said. "You behave

very decently to a fellow. All the same, I shouldn't mind so very much if you did sometimes.

"Well, I think I'd rather you'd kiss me," I said, "just when you feel inclined; then we shall not quarrel."

Geoffrey left the blind cord and drew nearer.

"Aren't you very lonely sometimes?" he asked. "It must be dreadful to live alone as you do."

"It is rather lonely," I replied, "but it annot be helped."

"Why don't you have some one to live with you?"

"No one would come. They would not like to hear the fiddling all day."

"I would come," he said, drawing nearer and putting a little arm round my neck

"I can't have you, dear, because I haven't got a room for you," I replied. "I could sleep on the dining room

table," he volunteered, stoutly.

"What would your poor mother do without you?" i suggested. "I don't know," he answered; "she might make a bit of a fuss at first, but

she'd give in-she likes you very much." "You ask her," I replied, as I handed him the violin to resume the lesson. He pressed his rosy lips to my cheek with a

resounding smack, then looked at the elock "It is half-past 2-time's up. May I

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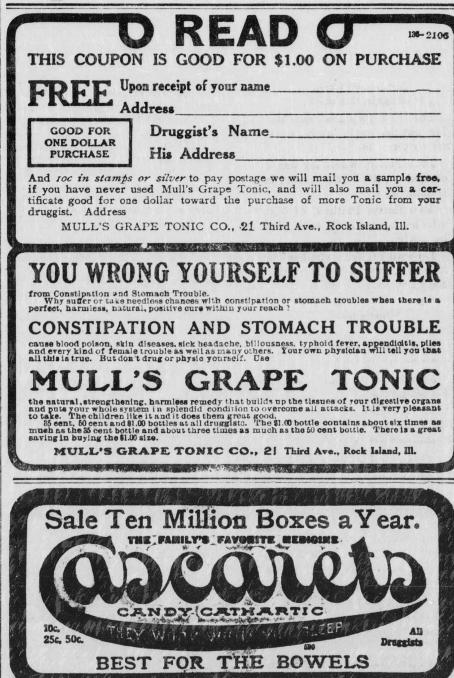
go, please." "Well, I excuse you today, but you

must have a longer lesson next time." Up drove the dog-cart and away flew Geoffrey.

"Good job you were here to time, Brown," I heard him say as he drove off. "It would have been a bad job for you

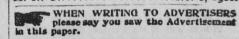
if you had been late." Half an hour afterward the groom returned with a large box of sweets for me,

with Geoffrey's love. I don't know which was sweeter-the sweets or the love.



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# The Gladstone Delta WASHINGTON LETTER

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[Special Correspondence.]

It has been determined by the house

ter in charge that the Brumidi frieze

in the rotunda of the capitol should be completed at an early date. The unfin-

ished condition of this frieze has been an eyesore to the American tourists

and citizens of Washington for many

The frieze is about seventy-five feet

It circles the dome with the exception

work of Brumidi, who started to exe-

#### CHAS. E. MASON, Publisher.

\$1.50 per Year in Advance. and senate committees having the mat-

The Delta's price for publishing notices of en-tertainments given by religious or other socie-ties, to which an admission is charged, or from which a profit is expected, is FIVE CENTS PERLINE. Resolutions of any society or or-ganization will be published at the same rate. CARDS OF THANKS WILL BE CHARGED FOR AT TEN CENTS PER LINE.

years, though it has furnished the most entertaining bit of description given by The higher grade pupils, to the number of twenty-eight, drove to Gladstone | capitol guides. Friday afternoon. After getting lost in above the main floor of the capitol at that great city, they experienced shipthe base of the dome. It depicts wreck south of Masonville, the stage scenes in the history of the new world going into the ditch, and the body of it from the time of its discovery down to coming off. No cne was badly hurt, ala period just prior to the Revolutionary though Miss Anglemeier was unable to war. teach school Monday. of about fifty feet of blank wall. The

D. L. McKinnon received judgment in the circuit court last week for \$11.50 designs for the various scenes are the against Anguilm Bros., he to pay the costs. The case was appealed from the justice' court, where McKinnon claimed \$100 damages for the use of an old boat.

Joseph Schiska is using his engine in the wood sawing business, and is breaking records. August Schramm is well snited with his position as engineer. and taggan, tried to complete the work unsays it is nearly as good as that of firetil May, 1889, when the painting was man on a perpetual motion machine. suspended. Costaggan had crowded

Brumidi's figures in order to make Frank Wolf and Ed Martin have room for two scenes of his own deshown a great resemblance lately, as signing. Congress would not accept one has his left and the other his right the Costaggan designs, and members hand tied up, The first is a case of have been unable to agree on any othcedar poisoning, and the other, of a er scenes. blow with a picaroon.

Hugh Gartland came down on 87 Tuesday night. There were some deserters from the U.S. army on the days ago at the bureau of engraving train, in charge of officers taking them | and printing, which is being called jocto the Philippines. the employees of the bureau.

Miss Carrie Martin died Tuesday of consumption, at the age of 23. Much sympathy is felt for the family. Her dollar bill and a plate for one side of a funeral took place Friday from St. Charles' church.

John Kexel will bring suit against the Escanaba Lumber Co., at the next term of court, for damages, for injuries caused by a post striking him on the head.

Rev. Mr. Bonda, of Cooks, and his and she gave a shrick that stopped evfamily, who came here to visit last ery press in the room. week, were quarantined, as a result of his coming down with smallpox.

Prof. Sutherland's dance last Satur. day at Masonville had but a small at- the archives of the treasury departtendance. He will give another one ment. shortly, and trusts to do better.

It was cold enough for us this week.

A Bunch of setts troops and five companies of Pennsylvania militia, whose services it is proposed to recognize, hurried to Washington within a few days after Stoves CHEAP President Lincoln's call and were roughly handled by mobs in Baltimore. CARL SCHOFIELD.

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#### ERNEST F. HOGLUND. And are fitted with coal and

New quarters next to John P. Holm, Minne ota avenue. Phone 193, 3 rings. 49

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Department of the Interior, Land Office at Marquette, Mich., January 31, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that the following cute them himself, but in 1880 he fell named settler has filed notice of his inten from his scaffolding and hung in a pertion to make final proof in support of his flous position above the marble floor claim, and that said proof will be made before until he was rescued by a watchman. Clerk of Circuit Court at Escanaba, Mich., on March 19, 1006, viz:

It is believed the strain resulting from this experience was responsible for his Homestead application No. 11556, of William death, which occurred on Feb. 4, 1880. Cardinal for the se 1/4 section 28, township 42 n., range 20 west. Another foreign artist, Fillipo Cos-

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultiva tion of said land, viz: Side of Delta James Parrett, Jr., and Archie Kinzey, o Rapid River Mich., and William Belanger and William Elsiger, of Nahma, Mich.

THOMAS SCADDEN, Register.

First publication Feb. 10, 1906. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT MARQUETTE, MICH., January 25, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that the followin named settler has filed notice of his intention ularly "the new six dollar bills" among to make final proof in support of his claim, and

A plate maker by mistake issued to 20, 1906, viz: a printer a plate for one side of a one

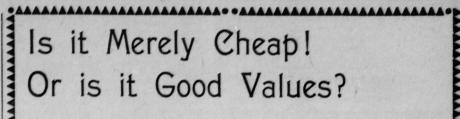
five dollar bill instead of the two plates ship 43 n., range 23 west. of a five dollar bill. The work went on all right for about an hour, when the girl who assisted the printer in wash- of said land, viz: ing the plate after each impression dis-

covered that the bills as printed called for \$1 on one side and \$5 on the other, rop. Mich. THOMAS SCADDEN, Register.

CHANCERY SALE.

Raspberries Per can In pursuance and by virtue of a decree of th Circuit Court for the county of Delta, state of

Leading members of the Seventh Day | Hammel is complainant, and The Gladstone Phone 48 Adventists say that the difference of Opera House Company, a corporation organ ized and existing under and by virtue laws of the state of Michigan, Walter F. Hammel, G. Raymond Empson, Soren Johnson Henry C. Henke and Hugh B. Laing are de fendants, notice is hereby given, that I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, a the front door of the court house in the city of Escanaba, county of Delta and state of Mich igan, (that being the place of holding the cir cuit court for said county), on Monday the twenty-sixth day of March, 1906, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, the following described property, to-wit: all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the city of Gladstone, count of Delta and state of Michigan, described a follows, to-wit: Lots number one (1) and two (2) of block number thirty-two (32) of the or iginal plat of the village (now city) of Gladstone, according to the recorded plat thereof on file or of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said Delta county, together with the hereditaments and appurtenance thereunto belonging, also all and singular the following goods and chattels, viz: All chairs and scenery, electric light fixtures and apparatus and all personal property owned and used by the said Gladstone Opera House Company in connection with its theater, situate on the lands, pieces or parcels of real estate aforesaid.



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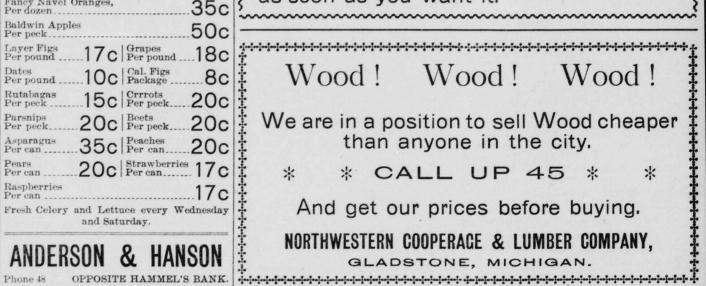
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He names the following witnesses to prove Per pound his continuous residence upon and cultivation Rutabagas

> Pears Per can First publication Feb. 10, 1906

One hundred sheets of bills had been printed, and these were duly burned and the fact fully established by affidavits that are now snugly on file in

Michigan, in chancery, made on the second day of November, A D. 1905, and entered o the 25th day of November, A. D. 1905, in a cer tain cause therein pending, wherein Samuel

Department of the Interior, to make final proof in support of his claim, and Fancy Navel Oranges, that said proof will be made before Register Per dozen and Receiver at Marquette, Mich., on March Baldwin Apples

Homestead application No. 10073, of James Homestead application No. 10073, of James Layer Figs Warden for the nw ¼ of nw ¼ section 6, town-Per pound

Per peck Edward C. Tappenden, Wesley Miller, Adolph Parsnips E Haberman, and George Ayers, all of Lath- Per peck Asparagu Per can ...

Estimates of the temperature ranged from 12 to 40 below zero. The first figure is probably most correct.

The ice is coming from the bay in nice blue chunks now, but they don't look as pretty as they will next August.

The Maccabees will hold an initiation next Wednesday. August Schramm is to be invested with the spurs.

#### Dr. Carlson, of Trenary, has located here, as assistant to Dr. Laing, and is the military festival to be held in Cololiving in the Murchie house.

T. P. Cullnan returned last Thursday from Minnesota to visit his family, going back again this week.

The snow plow has been busy clearing out the roads lately, as the drifts troops to Colorado next November, were enormous.

John Purdy, whose leg was operated on again at the Laing hospital last week is doing well.

who has been very ill with pleurisy, is around the Royal gorge of the Grand improving.

Leonard Pfeifer, who has been visit. ing here, returned Thursday to Sturgeon Bay.

The Misses Capitola Kniskern and posing the eight twelve-inch rifles Bertha Hruska leave for Chicago in a few days.

Miss Lucy Shampo is recovering fast from her operation for appendicitis.

John Troit came down Tuesday with the Monitor with the Merrimac. The his leg jammed by the fall of a tree.

W. J. Harrington came down from

the E. L. camp 4 with a cut foot. Henry Emil, well known here, visited

friends in Rapid River this week.

Mrs. Darling and Mrs. J. Fish visited Mrs. Barry at Kipling Tuesday.

Born, Friday, February 2, to Mr. and Mrs. August Goodman, a son.

Dr. A. L. Laing and Mrs. Venton drove to Gladstone Tuesday.

Born, Saturday, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jonas, a son.

woods this week.

Wednesday.

Wednesday.

John Burchekoski is in the Laing hospital.

In Blossom. Clara-Fred's mother called on me shortly after our engagement. She says | federates. he is the flower of the family. Maude -I guess that's right. His Uncle John says he is a blooming idiot.-Chicage News.

#### The Angel.

Miss Budd (to famous pianist)-That music was truly divine, monsieur. "Ah. mamselle, zat is indeed praise, for who but an angel would know divine music?"

opinion between Prophetess Ellen G. White and Dr. John H. Kellogg will result shortly in the removal from Battle

Adventist Colony Near Capital.

Creek of about 3,000 members of the church. They will come, it is stated, to Tacoma Park, near Washington, where the church has established a

> colony The Pike Centennial.

Representative Brooks had a talk with the president the other day about rado to commemorate the one hun-

dredth anniversary of Zebulon Pike's expedition. The president showed interest in this historic event and directed the secretary of war to co-operate as far as possible by sending some when the centennial will take place.

Mr. Brooks has introduced in the house a bill providing for striking off some medals. The president also expressed an interest in Mr. Brooks' effort to cre-Miss Hattie Phillips, of Masonville, ate a national park off the region

Canyon of the Arkansas. The Newest Battleships.

The few persons who know about the plans for the newest battleships for the navy say that when the plan for diswhich are to constitute the main battery of the leviathans becomes known it will constitute the greatest sensation in naval architecture that the world has known since the successful fight of

plan is to be kept secret as long as possible. An Echo of the Civil War.

An interesting incident of the civil war has been recalled by the introduction in the house of a bill to reimburse the town of Frederick, Md., known to fame through Barbara Freitchie. This bill proposes to pay \$200,000 to the town of Frederick in return for \$200,000 which was levied nee, Mich. upon it by General Jubal A. Early. It appears when Early was raiding in the Shenandoah valley country in 1864,

Jos. Michaud moved down from the sion of the town of Frederick and Joseph Savoie drove to Gladstone place unless he was given \$200,000. August Goodman bought a fine driver to be relieved of its burden. The posi-

for troops on April 15, 1861, are seeking appropriate recognition. A bill has been introduced into the house by Mr. Patterson of Pennsylvania to provide medals for these men. Six MassachuDated February 1, 1906. ARTHUR H. RYALL, Circuit Court Com'r, Delta Co., Mich. G. R. EMPSON, Solicitor for Complainant, Business address, Gladstone, Mich. 51

First publication Jan. 27, 1906. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior. LAND OFFICE AT MARQUETTE, MICH. January 22, 1906. Notice is hereby given that the following

Notice is nereby given that the the intention named 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 clerk of the Circuit Court, at Escanaba, Michigan, on March 10, 1906, viz:

Homestead application No. 11434, of Henry Brady, for the s  $\frac{1}{2}$  of se  $\frac{1}{4}$  and s  $\frac{1}{2}$  of sw  $\frac{1}{4}$  section 24, township 43 north, range 24 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Albert Wead, Charles Wead, Charles Carter, of Escanaba, Mich., Thomas Connors, Negau

THOMAS SCADDEN, Register.

First publication Jan. 20, 1906. CONTEST NOTICE.

Shenandoah valley country in 1864, prior to the time of his defeat at Win-chester by Sheridan, he took posses-e sion of the town of Frederick and threatened to burn and pillage the place unless he was given \$200,000.
The sum was paid, and the town has been in debt ever since. Now it asks to be relieved of its burden. The posi-tion taken by the Frederick citizens is that as Maryland did not secede and the town of Frederick was loyal to the Union in the civil war it was entitled to be protected by the Federal govern-ment against hostile acts of the Con-federates.
Ploneers Crave Recognition. At this late day, after the lapse of nearly fifty years, the soldiers of Mas-sachusetts and Pennsylvania who were the first to reach Washington in re-sponse to the call of President Lincoln for troopes on April 15, 1861, are sock

at the United States Land Once in Languette, Michigan. The said contestant having, in a proper affl-davit, filed January 10, 1906, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication. THOMAS SCADDEN, Register. 46 JOHN JONES, Receiver.

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