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way company proposes to build 300 are on a materially lower basis. miles of railroad from Madison, Wis., north to Champion, Marquette county, Mich., thence northwest to Huron Bay, Baraga county, Lake Superior, Much preliminary work has already been done. The company was organized about two years ago, when a few Marquette county men became interested in the project. They have since withdrawn, however, and the company is customers is the kind of Coal now in control of Wisconsin capital. M. C. Phillips of Oshkosh is the presi-

> It is the understanding that it is intended to issue \$600,000 of first mortgage bonds as soon as pending negotiations for their disposition are completed, and to proceed at once with the con-Champion, where conection will be made with the Chicago and North-Western, Dulnth, South Shore and Atlantic, and Chicago Milwaukee and St. Paul railway systems.

> - The distance from Huron bay is thirty-five niles. The grading of this tretch of line is already completed, the oute being that of the old Huron Bay silroad built and abandoned many ears ago and many of the bridges and alverts formerly in use are in servicevas approximately \$500,000. The Haron Bay Champion route traverses a well imber country, in which the logging raffic doubtless would be heavy. The hvision north from Madison will cross he Menominee iron range as projected, and it is proposed to build a branch rom Champion east to Ishpeming and Negaunee, in the heart of the Marquette iron range.

Menominee, Mich., Dec. 9.-Menomree's opposition to Boston as a baked ean center will be started this winter when the big bean baking department of the Michigan Refining and Preserving company is opened. The work in this department of the refinery has been started with the close of the other lines of canning. The big warehouse of the escap the first snowstorm. Workmen are now employed laying a concrete floor will measure 300 by 200 feet. It is understood that work will be started upon the two last of the factory buildings early next spring before the regular season's canning work is started. When completed, the plant will cover fully four acres of ground.

While a great many of the principa lumbering concerns of the Upper Lake region will not operate nearly as heavily as in the past few seasons, the aggregate timber cut of the winter will nevertheless attain important dimensions. Hardwho will be busy in the woods until the limits." break up in the spring. In Marquette county-which in area, it is interesting 2.200 to note, is one and one-third times the size of the state of Rhode Island-there will be great activity in the production of mining timber. Fully 2,500 men will be employed in the camps of the district throughout the winter. The market for all sorts of timber used at the mines is as brisk now as it was a year ago, and

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BLUE POINTS

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during the past month. Most of the logging in Marquette county is confined to this branch of the industry, and for that reason the business of the operators in the district is but little affected in. consequence of the Iull in other lines. In fact, more money will be made than The Lake Superior and Southern rail- for some seasons past, because wages

Joseph Foraker may never be president; but these words of his are the words of truth and soberness. "With our surplus revenues diminishing, and our enormous expenditures increasing. it would be like adding the last grain of sand to undertake to tinker with the Tariff. Under the present Tariff laws we have had the greatest prosperity any country has ever enjoyed, and it has been because of the strength thus given us that we have stood up as well as we have under the decline in values amounting to billions of dollars that has at last brought business depression to employers and idleness to thousands of employees. It is to the beneficent results of that policy, as expressed in the struction of the line from Huron bay to Dingley law, that we must look for one of the necessary factors in the work of restoring prosperity. There will doubt- elected the following 'odge officers. ess come a time when changes in that T. D. Springer law can be made to advantage, but H Rosentlam that time is not now."

Surveys are now being made for the W. A Francisco third of the drainage canals provided C. A. Clark... for by A. L. Sawyer, Menominee county drainage commissioner. The new canal will be the longest yet planned. It will be between five and six miles in length and will range from ten to fifteen feet in width. The canal will start just north of Poplar point and will run along the bottom of an old creek in a northeasterly direction. By milding the canal, several thousand acres of land will be drained so that they will be available for agriculture. The first canal planned is being dredged this fall near Stephenson. It will be two and a half miles long and will drain a large amount of good farm land. The second canal is also being dredged at present. It is located near the Nelligan farm on the Menominee river. The posed new canals.

These, he thinks, are responsible for out in letters of gold: many mysterious deaths and disappeara team, finding it easier than crawling in legislation.' through brush by day. "In the above manner 5 or 6 such wolves killed 30 or patter." If to resolutely resist rash and River, during the summer and fall of 1906. All this can be and is done any Joe" may well be pround of the appelwhere in Delta, Menominee and Dickin- lation.—American Economist. ly any of the bigger operators have sus- son counties, with perfect security, as pended work entirely, and there are in all my experience I never encounterhundreds of small jobbers and settlers ed a game warden outside of city

TAX NOTICE

The tax roll for 1907 has been deliverd to me, and the taxes are now payable at the office of Mrs. J. W. Pennock, who is authorized to issue receipts. All taxes not paid before Jan. 10, '08, will incur a penalty of 4 per cent.

> ANDREW MARSHALL City Treasurer.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the B. L. E. elected last Wednesday:

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The F. & A. M. last Friday evening

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	Friday elected.	
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	P. R. Legg	Commander
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1	J. Gagner	Septinel
1	I. Mackin	
1	D. N. Kee, M. D	Physician
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A SOUND MAN.

The whole country is to be congratuwork of draining available lands in lated upon the re-election of Hon. Joseph Menominee county will be rushed dur- G. Cannon as Speaker of the House of office." ing the next few years. Farmers all Representatives. It is an honor well through the county are petitioning the earned and worthily bestowed. This conservative force whose value in times An article by Ole Harstad, of Bark like these it is impossible to overesti-River, on the destruction of the deer, mate. All industry, all business will be has been going the rounds of the press. the better for his retention as the sec-He says that wolves may fairly be oud officer of the Government. One sencharged with the extermination of deer, tence in Speaker Cannon's remarks in nerves, jars the shoulders and springs but the most dangerous and wily of accepting the honor of a unanimous re- the knees. these wear headlights and carry jugs. election by the Republican caucus stands

"We have been admonished by events ances of men and cattle. He says that that it is not a time for extravagance or these easily cover 30 miles a night with excursions into the realm of experiment

They call Speaker Caunon a "stand-40 deer at least, within six miles of Bark dangerous interference with wise laws is to be a "stand-patter," then "Uncle

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The Tenors' Parts.

Probably the composers are largely responsible for tenor worship. In Verdi's operas, with hardly an exception. the tenor plays a more important part than the baritone or bass, and the same is true of other opera write-Mozart's "Don Giovanni" being a notable exception. Wagner wrote one opera, "The Flying Dutchman," in which the baritone is king, whereas in six of his works the supremacy of the tenor is indicated by the very titles-"Rienzi," "Tannhauser," "Lohengrin," "Tristan und Isolde," "Siegfried," "Parsifal." This being so, we shall probably continue to be subject to the tyranny of one tenor or another, unless it be true, as was maintained at a conclave of French savants, that the tenor voice is a relic of barbarism, destined to become extinct.—Argonaut.

Poems, Pictures and Songs.

It takes all kinds of people to make up a world and all kinds of poetry to make up a world literature. Despite the efforts of the critics to lay down definite canons of judgment for the literary, pictorial and musical arts O. L. Mertz. most of us continue to like a poem, a picture or a song for no better reason than because we like it. It appeals to us, and if it does that it is for us a true poem, picture or song. Whether Senior Warden it is to be classed among the great Junior Warden products of art is another question. That depends upon the universality and permanence of the appeal it makes.-Current Literature.

Mrs. Jones-That old maid next door is the most brazen borrower I know! Mrs. Brown - Indeed! Mrs. Jones-Yes. Why, only yesterday she came over to inquire if she could borrow my husband for an hour to clean her sewing machine, thrash a man who had insulted her and discharge her cook.-London Scraps.

Pretty Bad.

"Well," asked Stinjay, "what do you think of the cigar? My doctor especially recommended that brand to me." "H'm!" coughed Knox. "So he wants to cure you of the tobacco habit, eh?"

Her Mission.

"She always reminds me of a public

"That's curious."

-Philadelphia Press.

"Not so very. She's continually seekcommission to begin work upon pro- grand old man of the Lower House is a fing the man, you know."-Chicago Record-Herald.

Horse Notes.

Of all the fools who drive horses the ones who rush a horse downhill are the worst. It weakens the tendons and A mare of any type bred to a horse

of an entirely different type may produce a good colt, but the chances are against it.

Teach the colts to walk fast. The walking gait is the best gait.

It takes much patience to teach a horse seven or eight years old to do new kinds of work, but let patience have her perfect work. The horse is not so much to blame, after all.

Dairy Wisdom.

Put the stables in order for winter now. See that the ventilators are in proper shape. See that no glass is missing from the windows, and that the putty has not crumbled off. Repair all worn floors and gutters. If you liquid manure, make one at once will pay the investment many over and in the first year. Preto draw the manure to the field from the stable every day during the coming winter. There is everything to be gained in this method. There will 1 almost no loss in fertilizing materia and a great economy in time an

XMAS "GOODIES"

labor.-Farm Journal.

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LIQUOR FOES GAIN IN MASSACHUSETTS

CITY ELECTIONS OF YESTERDAY SHOW SURPRISING VOTE FA-VORING NO LICENSE.

19,799 IS BALLOT INCREASE.

Republicans Carry Boston, Defeating Fitzgerald, and Here Anti-Saloon Movement Makes Progress, Too.

CHELSEA STANDS FOR LICENSE.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 11.-Comment on the result of the elections held yesterday in nineteen Massachusetts cities, including Boston, was devoted mainly today to expressions of surprise at the increased strength shown by the supporters of no license.

The total "yes" vote cast in thirteen cities last week and nineteen cities yesterday was 96,608, a loss of 2299 from the vote of the same cities a year ago. The total "no" vote in the nineteen cities yesterday was 93,333, a gain of 15,071 over a year ago.

Big Anti-Liquor Gain.

The figures show a total no license gain in the nineteen cities of 17,370. The "no" vote of Boston, to the surprise of many, showed an increase of 9000. In-cluding thirteen Massachusetts cities which had previously held elections this which had previously held elections this year, the result shows a total "yes" vote of 135,720, and a total "no" vote of 130,858. Compared with last year, the "yes" vote has decreased 425 in the thirty-two cities and the "no" vote has gained 19,374, making a total gain of 19,799 in the anti-license showing in the thirty-two cities.

Fitzgerald Is Defeated.

While the defeat of John F. Fitzgerald, the Democratic mayor of Boston, by Postmaster George A. Hibbard, a Republican, was not altogether unexpected, slight Democratic losses in the make-up of the common council caused some surprise.

The great surprises outside of Boston, were the election of former Mayor John F. Hurley, a radical reformer, in Salem, and the transfer of Worcester, Lynn, and Woburn from the license to the no license column. To offset partially this transfer Chelses yound for license after transfer Chelsea voted for license after having given no license a trial.

Gains for Republicans. While party lines were not drawn hard and fast, the Republicans were successful in the majority of the cities. The cities electing mayors are as follows: Twelve Republicans, five Inde-

REPUBLICANS ELECT MAYORS.

Carry Portsmouth and Keene, New Hampshire, by Good Majorities.

CONCORD, N. H., Dec. 11.-Two city elections were held in New Hampshire yesterday. In Portsmouth Mayor Wallace Hackett, Republican, defeated Samuel W. Emery, Jr., 1170 to 899. The entire council is Republican. Martin V. B. Clark, Republican, was re-elected Mayor of Keene over Albert E. Fish, Democrat, by 355 majority. The city government

HELD A COUNTERFEITER

ARTHUR J. LEIGHTON, SHEBOYGAN FALLS, IS ARRESTED.

Ten Dies Found in Valise of Wisconsin Man Taken Into Custody at Streator, Ill.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Dec. 11 .-[Special.]-Arthur J. Leighton of Sheboygan Falls, Wis., was taken into custody at Streater, Ill., on a charge of counterfeiting. He was observed playing slot machines with money that did not ring properly and Chief of Police Doyle arrested him. In a valise were found ten dies with the obverse side of a quarter of a dollar, together with other

equipment. It is declared that he purchased old type from a newspaper office to secure metal for his purpose. A number of letters written his mother from Sheboygan Falls established the identity of the prisoner. He was sent to Chicago for a hearing.

RECEIVER FOR EXPO.

Men Are Named to Settle Up the Affairs of the Unfortunate Jamestown Show.

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 11.-Judge Edmund Waddill of the United States court last night announced the receivers for the Jamestown Exposition company. They are Messrs. Alvah H. Martin, late director genera! of the exposition; Edward T. Lamb of Norfolk and William M. Geddes of Washington.

Harry St. George Tucker is appointed attorney for the receivers and the National Bank of Commerce of Norfolk is made the depository for all funds re-

A bond of \$50,000 is required of the receivers.

CZAR'S AID ASKS FOR \$93,000,000. Budget Received by Russian Douma in Conciliatory Spirit.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 11.-In making the budget statement in the Douma M. Kekovsoff, the finance minister, pointed out that to cover the extraordinary expenditure about \$93,000,000 would be needed, and, in the government's opinion, this sum could only be procured by credit operations. statement was received in a conciliatory

The Human Hair Crop.

The human hair crop is a profitable and expensive industry. Five tons of it are annually imported by the merchants of London. The center of the trade is Paris, where 200,000 pounds are har-yested annually, with a valuation of \$4,000,000.

An Alaskan Christmas Tree.

In the small Alaskan trading post where I spent two years the different holidays were oftentimes uniquely as well as appropriately observed and cele-

brated, perhaps in a crude though none the less samusing and interesting way. For instance, every one up there could afford a tree at Christmas time, the only difficulty being a scarcity of the usual trimmings. The old-timers, "sour-doughs" as they style themselves, ex-plain that in the early days they decoated these trees with paper chains made from the colored wrappings of the dif-ferent canned goods, the gifts themselves being the canned food, which thus robbed of their wrappers lent surprise as well as merriment to the festive occasion.— The Travel Magazine.

THIRTY NEGROES DIE IN RACE WAR

FIFTEEN ARE BURNED TO DEATH WHEN WHITES FIRE LODGE ROOM.

BLACK'S PLOT IS FRUSTRATED

Scheme to Start Uprising by Means of Secret Societies Is Discovered in Alabama.

TORCH IS FREELY APPLIED.

COLUMBUS, Miss., Dec. 11.-Twenty-five or thirty negroes are dead, five whites and many negroes are wounded, and five negro lodge rooms have been burned in fierce race war which is in progress in Pickens county, Alabama. adjoining Mississippi.

Owing to the discovery of a plot by very brief, simply directing the members negroes to rise against the whites of of the commission to proceed immediatethe country, every black is in danger. This plot was carried on by means of a secret society which had lodge rooms in remote districts of Pickens county.

Fifteen Burned to Death.

Fifteen negroes were burned to death in a lodge room near Reform, Ala., last night when whites attacked the place and finding a number of repeating rifles and shotguns fired the building. The blacks were penned in by the continual shooting of the whites and those who were not killed in attempting to escape were roasted alive.

Three Others Shot.

Near Gordo, three negroes were shot to death when a posse of white men attacked a lodge room. So far as has been learned the burning of the other lodge rooms was without fatalities.

Situation Grown More Acute Reports from the affected districts

are conflicting owing to poor means of communication. The trouble started Monday with the arrest of Tom Lowe, a negro on a charge of stealing cotton from Whig Lowe, a white planter, who is also a deputy sheriff.

DIVORCEES GAN MARRY

NEED NOT WAIT YEARS, AS DE-MANDED BY LAW.

Judge Brindley Decides Couple Can Wed in Another State-Notable De-

LA CROSSE, Wis., Dec. 11.-[Special.]-Ruling that divorced persons may go outside of the state and be married within a year after obtaining a legal separation and come back to Wisconsin and be recognized in law as husband and wife, despite a state law which prohibits marriage of divorced persons within a year, Judge Brindley has handed down a decision of importance in Wisconsin. The question arose on an appeal from the question arose on an appeal from the county court of Monroe county over the claim of Sarah Lanham against the estate of J. W. Lanham, deceased, whom the plaintiff married within a year after securing a divorce from her husband. S. Sherman, whom it is alleged, deserted

her seven years previously.

Mrs. Sherman and Mr. Lanham were married in Menominee, Mich.. returning to Wisconsin to live. After the death of Mr. Lanham the plaintiff filed a claim in the county court against the estate for her allowance and support during the administration of the estate. The children and heirs of the deceased set up as a defense the statute prohibiting the marriage of divorced persons within a year and declare the marriage null and void and that plaintiff is not entitled to any portion of the \$25,000 estate. The court's decision is to the effect that the Legislature of one state cannot pass a law of interstate effect on the question and that restrictive matrimonial statutes can be circumvented by removal to another state, even though it be but for a short period.

MESSAGES PICKED UP.

Russian Wireless Station Receives Word from Stations 3700 Miles Away.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 11.-The Kiev station of the wireless telegraph line which the Russian government is onstructing to connect Sebastopol with St. Petersburg, has succeeded in picking up Marconi transatlantic messages including a number of press dispatches sent from the American side. Messages transmitted from Paris and Casa Blanca lso have been picked up.

The wireless system employed has given excellent results. Mr. Taft, the American secretary of war, was approached while in this city for permission to install wireless com-munication between Shanghai and

Manila.

The distance to Kieve from Glace Bay. the point at which the Marconi wireless messages are started for Ireland, is ap-proximately 3750 miles. Stray wireless messages have previously been picked up at a distance of 2500 miles from their

BOWLER'S SUICIDE ODD.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.-Because he and his wife of two months quarreled over his desire to spend his evening at his bowling club, Jacob Victor killed simself last night. He rushed from the coom, ran up five flights of stairs of the fat building in which they lived, burst nto the apartments of a family he did not know, threw open the door of the lumb waiter and jumped in. His wife vas so close to him that she grabbed his oot, but he kicked himself free, plunging o the bottom of the shaft. He was instantly killed.

ROOSEVELT ACTS IN MINE CRISIS

SENDS NEILL AND SMITH TO GOLD-FIELD TO MAKE INVES-TIGATION.

FUNSTON IS OFF TO NEVADA

Operators Still Assert They Will Try to Work Mines and Situation Is Acute.

NO VIOLENCE IS YET REPORTED.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 11 .- Assistant Secretary Murray of the department of commerce and labor; Charles P. Neill, commissioner of labor, and Herbert Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations, left Washington at 3 o'clock this afternoon for Goldfield, Nev., to make a thorough investigation of the trouble between the miners and mine operators at that place.

Secretary Murray and Commissioner Smith made this announcement after a conference with President Roosevelt to-

Simply Wants Facts.

President Roosevelt is anxious to ascertain the exact conditions existing at Goldfield. He has given to the commission a letter of instructions which very broad in its character and will enable the commission to make any such investigation into affairs at Goldfield as it may determine upon. The letter is ly to Goldfield and to make an inquiry into affairs as they exist there and re-port to him personally. The letter also directs all civil and military authorities to furnish the commission with any information bearing upon the situation that they may possess. The members of the commission have

no idea at present how long they may be engaged in the making of the inquiry. Western Federation to Aid.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 11.—Official en dorsement of the miners' strike at Gold-field has been given by the executive board of the Western Federation of Miners. The following tenegram sent to Charles H. McKinnon, president sent to Charles H. Miners' union: "Execu-

Situation Grows More Acute.

GOLDFIELD, Nev., Dec. 11.-As the time set by the mine owners for the resumption of work draws near the sit-uation becomes more acute in Goldfield. The mine owners still assert the intention to reopen the mines Thursday morning will be carried out, and that enough men have already been secured to make the attempt. It is known that 500 men have been secured in the mining camps of California, principally in Calavaras county, through the agency of the Thiel detective bureau, and are being held in readiness to come to Goldfield on two days' notice.

Funston to Goldfield. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 11 .-Gen. Funston started for Goldfield at 8 this morning.

SAY RATE IS TOO HIGH. Western Lumbermen Ask Commerce

Board to Look Into Freight

Charges.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 11 .-Rate cases involving larger financial interests than any heretofore brought to the attention of the interstate commerce commission now are being heard by the commission. While only four complaints are included directly in the present hearing, several others are dependent upon the findings of the commission in the

pending cases.

The cases being heard are those of the Oregon and Washington Lumbermen's association and others against the Union Pacific Railway and others; the Pacific Coast Manufacturers' association and others against the Northern Pacific Railway company and others; the Western Oregon Lumber Manufacturers' as-sociation, against the Southern Pacific company and others, and the Southwest Washington Lumber Manufacturers' as sociation and others against the North-ern Pacific Railway company and others

The lumbermen assert that if an advance in rates promulgated by the roads is put into effect they will have to go out of business. In fact, it was stated in the hearing today that the lumber mills of Oregon and Washington had been compelled to close down, because they were unable to ship their products on account of the advance in freight rates. The advances are about 25 per cent.

W. U. PAYS A DIVIDEND.

Board of Directors Meets and Clowry Is Praised for Course During Strike of Operators.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.-The directors of the Western Union Telegraph company today declared a quarterly dividend of 11/4 per cent. payable in stock of the company. The company has \$2,630,000 2 of unissued stock and the dividend will be paid by issuance of this stock to the amount required.

The net revenues for the quarter to end December 31, are estimated at \$1,000,000. This is \$650,087 less than is required to pay the interest on the bond ed debt and the usual dividend of 11/4 per cent. A net deficiency of \$311,498 for the quarter ended September 30, 1907, also is noted. After paying interest on the bonded debt and the issuance of the new stock for the dividend, the surplus balance of the company is placed at \$14.273,112. This is a decrease of \$2,611,669 as compared with the surplus of July 1st, last.

The board adopted the following reso-

Resolved, that the appreciation of the board is due to Col. R. C. Clowry and the executive officers of the company for the tact, discretion and prudence w.th which they treated the situation ar-sing from the strike of operators.

found the parlor window open, and merely inserted his right arm and removed a few triffing articles. Now, gentlemen, my client's arm is not himself, and I The factories of Japan c fail to see how you can punish the whole 1st and 15th of each month.

individual for an offense committed by one of his limos." "That argument, said the judge, "is very well put. Following it logically, I sentence the defendant's arm to one year's imprisonment. He can accomplish it or not, as he

The defendant smiled, and with his lawyer's assistance, unscrewed his cork arm, and, leaving it in the dock, walked out.-Answers.

LATEST MARKET REPORTS.

MILWAUKEE, DECEMBER 11. EGG AND DAIRY MARKETS.

MILWAUKEE—BUTTER—Steady; Elgin price of extra creamery is 28c; local price, extra creamery, 28c; prints, 29c; firsts, 25@27c; seconds, 23@24c; process, 22@23c; darry, fancy, 24c; lines, 21@22c; fresh roll, 21@22c; packing stock, 17@18c.

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CHEESE-Steady: American full cream, new make, twins, 11½a12c; Young Americas, 12a12½c; daisles, 12a12½c; Young Americas, 12a12½c; low grades, 12a12½c; longhorns, 12a12½c; low grades, 12a12½c; longhorns, 12a12½c; low grades, 12a13c; imported Swiss, 27c; new, block, 15½a16c; found Swiss, new, 16a16½c; Sabsago, 22c.

EGGS — Market firm, The produce board's official market for strictly fresh laid as received, cases returned, 24a25c; high grade, recandled, strictly fresh, will bring 28a25e; April storage, recandled, 21a2c; miscellantous storage, 16c; seconds, 13a15c; checks, 12a13c. Receipts, 540 cases; Saturday, 160 cases

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 11.—Cheese—Steady, daisies, 11½a12c; twins, 11a12½c; young Americas, 11½a212c.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 11.—Butter—Steady: creameries, 20a25c; dafries, 11a25c; Eggs—Steady; at mark, cases included, fresh la distock, 24a25c. Others as low as 18c.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Eutter, firm, unchanged; receipts, 7628. Cheese—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 7628. Cheese—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 5213.

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SEYMOUTH, Wis, Dec. 10.—Twenty-five factories offered 1656 boxes of cheese.
Sales: 702 boxes daisies, 124c; 249 boxes twins, 114c; 26 boxes Americas, 12c; 128 boxes forns, 114c; 10 do, 11½c; 110 boxes square prints, 12c.

MILWAUKEE STOCKYARDS REPORT. MILWAUREE STOCK YARDS REPORT.

CATTLE — Market is lower; butchers steers, good to choice, 4.15@5.15; medium to good, 3.40@3.90; heifers, medium to good, 2.20@3.85; common to far., 2.25@2.75; cows. good to choice, 2.75@3.25; fair to good, 2.25@2.75; caners, 1.00@1.75; cutters, 2.00@2.5 , bulls, good to choice, 3.10@3.60; bologna balls, common to fair. 2.50@2.75; feeders, 3.00@3.60; stockers, 2.25@2.75; melkers and springers, common unsaleable except for canners, good to choice, 28.00@38.00.

SHEEP—Market seady: common to fair. SHEEP-Market steady; common to fair, 19963.00; good to choice, 3.25@4.25; lamos, onmon to fair, 4.00@4.75; choice to prime, 100@5.75; bucks, 2.25@5.00.

HOGS-20@25c lower; mix d and butchers, 50@4.85; packers, 4.50@4.40; rough neavy, 15@4.40; light, 4.65@4.75; pigs, 4.10@4.70; ulk, 4.65@4.75

bulk, 4.65@4.75.
CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 11.—Cattle—Receipts about 32,000; market 10s lower; beeves, 3.20@6.50; cows. 1.15@4.60; Texans, 3.00@3.75; calves, 4.75@6.75; westerns, 3.15@4.80; stockers and feeders, 2.20@4.20. hogs—Receipts about 30,000; market 10@15c higher, light, 4.20@4.67½; mixed, 4.25@4.75; heavy, 4.20@4.70; rough, 4.20@4.30; pigs, 3.70@4.50; bulk of sales, 4.50@4.60. Sheep—Receipts about 20,000; market steady; native, 2.00@4.85; western, 2.00@4.80; yearlings, 4.60@5.35; lambs, 3.75@6.20; western, 3.75@6.15.
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KANSAS CITY, Dec. 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 10.000; market steady; native steers, 4.00@6.75; native cows and heiers, 2.25@5.25; stockers and feeders, 3.00@4.75; calves, 3.50@6.50; western steers, 3.25@5.25; western cows, 2.22@4.00. Hogs—Rece pts 4.90@4.40; heavy, 4.30@4.50; packers, 4.25@4.50; pigs and light, 4.00@4.40. Sheep—Recepts, 6.600; market steady to strong; lambs, 5.25@6.15; sheep, 4.25@5.10.

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MILWAUKEE HAY MARKET. Choice timothy hay, 16.00@16.50; No. 1 timothy hay, 15.00@16.00; No. 2 timothy hay, 13.00@14.50; clover and mixed, 12.00@14.400; choice Kansas and Nebraska prairie, 12.00@12.50; No. 1 prairie, 11.00@11.50; No. 2 prairie, 9.00@10.00; Wisconsin marsh feeding, 8.00@8.50; packing hay, 7.50@8.00; rye straw, 8.50@8.75; oats straw, 7.00@7.50.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH. MARKEIS BY TELEGRAPH.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 11.—Close—Wheat—
Lower; No. 1 northern, on track, 1.08@
1.08½; No. 2 northern, on track, 1.06@
1.07½. Corn—Steady; No. 3 on track, 6.0.
Oats—Steady; standard, 52c; No. 3 white,
on track, 50@51½c. Barley—Dull; standard,
1.02. Rye—Lower; No. 1 on track, 80@81c.
Provis ons—Pork, January, 12.65@12.85;
lard, January, 7.82@7.90; ribs, January, 6.85
@6.95.

5. our quotations in carlots are: Hard ng wheat patents, in wood, 5.30@5.50; ghts, in wood, 4.90@5.10; export pat. in sacks, 4.20@4.40; first clears, in s. 3.66@3.90; rge, in wood, 4.45@4.55; stry, 4.00@4.25; sacks, Kansas, in wood,

Milistuffs are quoted in carlots at 23.00 for bran, 22.75 for standard middlings, and 24.50 for Milwaukee flour middlings in 10-lb sacks; red dog, 26.00; rye feed, 22.75; delivered at country points, 25c extra. NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Close—Wheat—May, 1.07%; July, 1.03%. Corn—December, 683/gc. May, 653/gc. May, 653/gc. 11.—Cash wheat—

68½c: May, 65½c.
CHICAGO. III.. Dec. 11.—Cash wheat—No. 2 red. 94%@95½c; No. 3 red. 93%g
94¾c; No. 2 hard, 9sc@1.03; No. 3 hard, 95½
@1.01; No. 3 spring, 98c@1.08. Corn—No. 2,
63¾c; No. 3, new, 51@53c. Oats—No. 2 and
No. 3, no quotations.
CHICAGO. III., Dec. 11.—Close—Wheat—December, 93%c; May, 1.00½s. Corn—December, 93%c; May, 1.00½s. Corn—December, 54%c; May, 56½@56¼c. Oats—December, 54%c; May, 12.82½; May, 13.22½.
Lard—January, 7.90; May, 7.95. R.bs—January, 6.92½; May, 7.10. Ryc—Cash, 77c.
Barley—Cash, 84@98c. Timothy—Cash, 3.60
@4.20. **Clover—Gash, 11.00@15.00.
ST. LOUIS, Dec. 11.—Close—Wheat—No.
2 red cash, 98½@99½c; No. 2 hard, 98e@
1.02; May, 1.00½s; July, 92½c. Corn—No. 2
cash, 51½@52c: December, 51%c; May,
53%c; No. 2 white, 53@58½c. Oats—No. 2
cash, 49½c; May, 51½c; No. 2 white, 53c.
LIVERPOOL, Dec. 11.—Closing—Wheat—
Spot weak; No. 2 red western winter, 7s.
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17s. 8½d; May, 7s. 8%d. Corn—Spot, quiet;
prime mixed American, 5s. 5½d; futures
quiet; December, nominal; January, 5s.
2½d.
DULUTH, Minn., Dec. 11.—Close—Flax—

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DULUTH, Minn., Dec. 11.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, on track, 1.04%; to arrive, No. 1, 1.03%; No. 2 northern, 1.00%; on track, No. 1, northern, 1.03%; No. 2 northern, 1.00%; No. 1 northern, in store, 1.01%; May, 1.08%; No. 1 northern, in store, 1.01%; No. 2 northern, in store, 98%; durum, on track, No. 1, 84c; No. 2, 82c; December durum, 83c; May durum, 89c. Oats—Te arrive, 48c; oats, on track, 48c. Rye—70@75c. Barley—65@95c. Cars inspected—Wheat, 202; last year, 72; oats, 10; rye, 1; barley, 3; flax, 68; last year, 15. Receipts—Wheat, 303,126; oats, 12,811; barley, 5455; rye, 3526; flax, 118,574. 8hibments—Oats, 5650; barley, 7765; 1ax, 10,720. DULUTH, Minn., Dec. 11.-Close-Flax-

W. W. Jacobs has said that it is only their surprises that make the stores take.

To illustrate what he means, he told a story of a lawyer defending a man accused a housebreaking, who spoke accused a housebreaking, who spoke accused a housebreaking, who spoke accused a housebreaking who spoke accused a housebre

Close Two Days Each Month. The factories of Japan close on the

BY AN EDITOR SHOT

"JUDGE" FRANCIS L. BURTON IS SHOT TO DEATH AT RAW-HIDE, NEVADA.

WANTED TO KILL WRITER.

Burton Cheated Guards of Penitentiary Out of Savings While He Was a Prisoner.

GOLDFIELD, Nev., Dec. 11.-Fran cis L. Burton was shot and killed yester day by Holman Buck, editor of the Western Nevada Miner.

Run Out by Vigilantes.

Last week Burton was run out o Rawhide by vigilantes. Buck was instru mental in warning the Rawhide people aginst Burton through the columns of the Rawhide Rustler, which he also publishes. Burton's policy was to engage in litigation by contesting homestead and mineral locations.

Yesterday Burton called at the editor's office in Mina for an apology. In the course of the dispute he threatened to kill Buck, but Buck shot first. Burton had a bad record as a pro-moter. He organized the Goldfield Bank

& Trust company, which he looted of \$35,000, but escaped prosecution through a technicality. Swindled His Prison Keepers.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 11.—Francis L. Burton, who was known here as "Judge" Francis Burton, was arrested in Boston in the summer of 1903 and sentenced on September 19, 1903, to eight-een months in the house of correction at Deer island on the charge of having secured from the New York Central railroad the sum of \$2500 on the pretext that he was injured in a railroad wreck.

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He gained the confidence of Supt.

James R. Garrish of the institution at Deer island and persuaded him to invest \$15,000 in worthless mining stock. He also secured the life savings of Thomas E. Bates, another prison official.

BLOWS HIS HEAD OFF.

T. OTWAY SALDEIR, MANAGER OF TRUST COMPANY BRANCH, A SUICIDE.

FRIEND UNDER INDICTMENTS.

Dead Man Very Close to J. Dazell Brown, Accused of Embezzling Bank

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 11 .-A tragedy has developed from the crash of the California Safe Deposit and Trust company. C. T. Otway Sadleier, manager of the west end branch of the defunct institution, blew out his brains last night while locked in his office. No examination has yet been made of his accounts, but it is known that he was heavily involved personally in the failure. Ever since it was known that the bank could not survive he has been

greatly depressed. Uses Shocking Method.

Sadleier's method of suicide was most sociation terday. ome. He made his preparations for death deliberately and used a sawed-off shotgun which was kept in the bank for protection against robbers. Both bar-rels, loaded with buckshot, were dis-charged and the whole top of the suicide's skull was blown away. The body was found by Special Policeman Pierce.

The victim was so badly mangled that he could scarcely be identified.

Close Friend of J. D. Brown. He was one of J. Dalzell Brown's most confidential employes and had full execu-tive authority of the west end branch of which he was made manager some time When Brown was arrested Sadleier was present and tried vainly to prevent the police from taking his superior to prison. So far in the investigation of the depositors association nothing im-proper his been discovered in Sadleier's

direction of the branch.

Superior Hears of Death. When J. Dalzell Brown, who is still in the city prison, was informed that Sad-leier had committed suicide, he threw up his hands and exclaimed: "My God! How did he do it? Did he shoot himself?"

himself? On being told that his surmise was correct, Brown said:
"I was afraid of that."

PAPER CONCERN KICKS.

Rhinelander Company Appeals to Interstate Commerce Commission Charging Pulp Rate Discrimination.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 10 .-[Special.]—The interstate commerce commission has received a complaint from the Rhinelander Paper company, a corporation organized under the laws of Wisconsin, against the Northern Pa-cific and Chicago & North-Western. The petitioner alleges that paper shipped from Rhinelander through Appleton to points east of the Mississippi is charged cents a hundred pounds in excess of he rate charged Appleton manufacturers, while on pulpwood, which is a short aul business shipped from Rhinelander from Duluth to Appleton, the Appleton manufacturer is charged the same rate as the petitioner, although the distance is 130 miles. The petitioner prays that an order be entered requiring the de-fendants to establish a reasonable joint tariff for shipment of pulpwood from Duluth to Rhinelander via Ashland, and hat a reasonable rate for such service established. Former Railroad Commissioner John

Barnes is appearing for the paper com-

GETS \$10,000 IN LIBEL SUIT.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.-Col. William Amory, former secretary of the Third Avenue railway, has been given a ver-\$10,000 damages in the third rial of his suit for libel against Herbert Vreeland, former president of the Metropolitan Street railway.

Get Policemen by Wireless.

An ingenious use for wireless telegraphy is projected in Berkley, Cal., says The Scientific American. A pole has been erected on the site of the new town hall and experiments are being made to test the feasibility of summoning policemen from their beats in the event of any emergency call. The receiving station will be placed in the helmets of the men. When a message is sent out a bill is rung in the patrolman's pocket and the message itself recorded in dots and dashes.

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WORK OF CONGRESS.

Senate.

The Senate convened at noon, December 5. William P. Frye being elected president pro tem. Senator Daniel got the Democratic complimentary vote. The resolutions of Senators Clay and Culberson calling on the secretary of the treasury for information concerning the recent bond issues were allowed to go over until Monday. Most of the session was taken up by the introduction of bills. At 1:30 o'clock adjournment until Monday was taken.

The Senate convened at noon on the 9th and the resolutions of Senators Clay and Culberson calling on the secretary of the treasury for information concerning the recent bond issues were called up. Owing to the absence of Senator Aldrich they were allowed to go over for another day, as was a resolution by Senator Tillman instructing the committee on finance to investigate the matter. A resolution calling on the secretary of agriculture for information concerning the reclamation of swamp land was adopted. At 1:15 p. m. the Senate adjourned until the 10th.

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The maiden speech of Senator Jeff Davis of Arkansas, bitterly denouncing trusts and urging the passing of his bill to do away with them, was the principal event in the session of the Senate on the 11th. Several bills were introduced, and after a brief executive session adjournment until the 12th was taken at 2:10 p. m.

House.

House. The House was in session only ten minutes on December 5, and transacted no business beyond agreeing to reply to the greetings of the new state of Oklahoma. Adjournment until Monday was taken at 12:10 p. m.

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SPORTING NEWS

George Slosson, playing 18-1 balk line to his opponent's 18-2, is still leading Edward McLaughlin in their 1200 point match at New York. The grand totals for the three nights are 900 for Slosson and 727 for McLaughlin.

Jacob Schaefer and George Sutton each won a game in an afternoon and evening billiard tournament at Trenton. J. Schaefer won 300 to 261, and Sutton was victor 400 to 125.

By agreement entries for stake races for the spring meetings in 1908 at the Gravesend, Sheepshead Bay and Brighton Beach tracks, New York, will be closed January 2.

Before the adjournment of the board of review of the National Trotting as-sociation at New York, a message was sent to the Victorian Breeders' and Owners' Trotting Horse association of Australia accepting the suggestion that that association be recognized in this country and that reciprocal relations be

established. A plan to raise \$10,000 to meet the expenses of the association for the coming year and thereby continue the grand circuit races at Readville, Mass., was laid before the stockholders of the New England Trotting Horse Breeders' association at a special meeting held yes-

"The Official Roller Polo Guide" is the current number of the Spalding Athletic Library. It is designated as Number 10 of Group 10 of this popular series, and is edited by Jacob C. Morse of Boston, the noted expert on the game. This number contains the playing and rink rules, a short sketch of the history of the game and another on how it is played, etc. The book is published by the American Sports Publishing com-

pany of New York. Frank Gotch, the American wrestling champion, added another victim to his list by defeating War Eagle, the Indian mat artist, in two straight falls in their match at Chicago on Dec. 6. Gotch punned the Indian's shoulders to the cauvas after they had been at it 15:21, the hold being a reverse Nelson and English crosslock. In the second fall the champion won in 8007 with an arm and body hold. The Indian was exhausted at the

Charles Olson defeated Emil Billy Whistler was given the decision over Harry Scroggs before the Broadway Athletic club of Baltimore at the

end of the fifteenth round. Millikin university of Macon county, Ili. present a junior student in the James Pan Moeller has forwarded his signed contract to Fred Clarke, manager of the Tittsburg Lationals, and will play his old position, right field. Moeller is at present a funior student in the James I present a funior student in the James I Kid Farmer of Chicago has received an offer from a Marysville, Cal., club to fight Dick Sullivan on December 18. The men will fight at eatch weights.

Ed Ashenbach, ex-St. Paul manager, has closed a contract to manage the Johnstown team of the Tri-State league for next season. Ed says the salary offered him is enough to make him forget all about St. Paul, and Ed will undoubtedly be as successful there as he

was at Scranton two years ago. Bobby Lowe's name is being menioned as likely manager for the Louisclub in the American association. While the position has not been tendered to Lowe, his name is being freely used in Louisville. The fans down there want a playing manager and not a bench di-

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(Russian Commander of Port Arthur Trial for Surrendering to Japs.)

141 BODIES ARE FOUND IN MINE

RESCUE WORK AT MONONGAH, W. VA., GOES FORWARD WITH GREAT BOUND.

FUNDS RAISED FOR RELIEF.

Italian Government May Send Money to Bring Home Widows of Explosion Victims and Orphans.

TRACING CAUSE OF THE DISASTER.

MONONGAH, W. Va., Dec. 10.-This afternoon 141 bodies had been brought to the surface from mines Nos. 6 and 8 of the Fairmount Coal company here. The work of rescue is progressing as rapidly as the necessary precautions for the safety of the workmen will permit and it is expected the mines will be cleared of their ghastly burden within the next

twenty-four hours. Rain Adds to Troubles.

A steady rain has fallen here since last evening adding to the discomfort of the rescuers and making the work of recovering the bodies more difficult. Of the fifty bodies taken from the mines early today, a majority are so mangled and de-composed as to render preparations for immediate burial imperative and many were sent direct from the mines to the

rescuers are working the right side of Mine No. 8, where it is thought a majority of the bodies yet in the mine

Many Thousands for Relief.

along rapidly. The relief work is well under way and will soon be systematized. There is now plenty of food, but there is urgent need of clothing in many families. Cash funds are being raised in many places. The coal companies of the district have contributed \$20,000 cash.

Probable Cause of Disaster.

Chief State Mine Inspector J. W Paul is quoted as saying he believed the explosion was started by an electric spark from cars in the main entry. string of these cars was piled up the entry at the bottom of a slope.

GIVE NOBEL PRIZES.

Italian and Frenchman Divide Peace Money This Year-Other Honors Are Announced.

CHRISTIANIA, Dec. 10.-At a meeting held here today of the Nobel institute, J. E. Loveland, the Norwegian premier, announced that the Nobel peace prize would this year be equally divided between Teodore Moneta of Italy, and Louis Renault of France.

The premier took advantage of the occasion to eulogize the late King Oscar of Sweden.

M. Renault is the permanent delegate of France to The Hague tribunal.

M. Moneta has been prominent as a worker for peace in Italy.

The prize for physics was awarded to Prof. Albert A. Michelson of the University of Chicago; that of medicine to Dr. Laveran of Paris, and the chemistry prize to Prof. Edouard Buchner of the University of Berlin; that of literature to

Rudyard Kipling.
In addition to the prize, which this year amounts to \$38,000, each recipient given also a diploma and a gold

NEW DIAMOND FIELDS.

Fortune Hunters Report Success on the Vaal River Near the Kimberly Mines.

LONDON, Dec. 10.-According to the newspapers and other advices just received from Cape Town, swarms of fortune hunters are reaching the diamond fields which have been opened to alluvial diggers at Pniel, on the Vaal river, not far from the rock diamond mines of Kimberley. A man recently arrived from Canada was lucky enough lucky e. work Canada was luck find a stone of eleven carats, which he sold for \$600. In his first week nine diamonds obtained as the result of three days' "washing." he cleared \$1250, and was able to show

A Button Hole.

At home stations the private soldier's washing is usually done by the married soldiers' wives, who are expected to sew on missing buttons and do little repairs, for which a small sum is deducted from

the private's pay.

Private McGinnis had a great deal of trouble with his laundress. Saturday after Saturday had his shirt come back with the neck button off, or else hanging by a single thread. He had spoken to her on the subject and she had promised to see after it: but still the button was not on properly.

He got out of patience one Sunday,

when the missing button had made him late for parade, and exclaimed: "Bad 'cess to the woman, I'll give her a hint this time, anyhow." He took the lid off his tin blacking box—about 3 inches in diameter—punched two holes in it with his fork and then tied it on the neck of the shirt that was next to be weaked.

Next Saturday when his washing came back the whole room gathered round him to see if she had taken the hint; she had—she had made a buttonhole to fit it!-Tit-Bits.

when the missing button had made him

NOT GUILTY" PLEA OF GEN. STOESSEL

PORT ARTHUR DEFENDER DENIES HE COULD HAVE RESISTED JAPANESE LONGER.

TRIAL IS WORK OF HIS FOES.

Officers Who Survived Terrible Siege Hardly Control Emotion When Their Leader Is Court-Martialed.

ALEXIEFF DODGES BEING CALLED.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 10.-Before a brilliant assemblage of his old comrades in arms, Lieut.-Gen. Stoessel was today placed on trial to answer with his life and reputation for the loss of Port Arthur on the 1st of January, 1905, and in firm tones and with confident manner the general pleaded not guilty to the charge of needlessly surrendering the fortress and thereby hu-

miliating the Russian army. The trial took place in the auditorium of the Army and Navy club. The room resembled more a social gathering of ofresembled more a social gathering of of-ficers of high rank than the scene of a court martial. Among the judges, spectators, and witnesses were Gen. Kuropatkin, Gen. Linevitch, Gen. Ren-nenkampf, Vice Admiral Wiren and scores of other leaders in the Russo-Japanese war. There were also present 200 officers and soldiers who had been at Port Arthur and who today were clad in their full dress uniform blazing clad in their full dress uniform blazing with stars and decorations.

Stoessel Proud in His Trouble.

Gen. Stoessel alone was in civilian atire, and this made him conspicuous. He wore proudly around his neck the cordon of the Military Order of St. George, which was conferred upon him by the Emperor during the siege, and on his breast was pinned the cross of George III., awarded for conspicuous bravery in frontier fighting. This same coveted decoration was worn by many of the witnesses and spectators. Empty sleeves and crutches, especially among the men who had been at Port Arthur, showed that many of them had seen hard service.

The other accused officers, Gens. Fock, Reiss and Smirnoff, came to the court clad in their uniforms. Gen. Smirnoff, who is a bitter enemy of Gen. Stoessel, stensibly seated himself as far away as possible from the central figure of the

600 Witnesses Called.

The court was convoked at noon by Vice Admiral Doubassoff. He declared t to be the duty of the court to proharged with the responsibility of surrendering the fortress on terms dising to the prestige of Russia. He then called the roll of 600 witnesses, includng Gen. Kuropatkin and Vice Admiral Several of the witnesses were Wiren. bsent, but the court decided to proceed with the trial.

entire afternoon was taken up vith the reading of the voluminous and letailed indictment. The recital brought he spirit of strife and war into the ourtroom, and the men who had de fended the fortress against the onslaught of the Japanese listened today with rapt ttention to the story of their work From time to time, when particular events were referred to a nervous mur-mur ran through the hali. Many of the witnesses still suffer from the effects of the siege, and it was clear that they

were controlling themselves with diffi-Court Acts Unfavorably.

culty.

One or two incidents showed the attiude of the court to be unfavorable to Stoessel. His personal request that two additional witnesses be called in was disnissed without ceremony. One of these witnesses. Dr. Rozanoff, who was chief of the Red Cross within the fortress, at the preliminary hearing testified that at time of the surrender Gen. Stoe ad at his disposal only 8000 able died men to defend the many miles of fortifications and that the bitter cold winds prevailing at the time made it dificult for the soldiers to even hold their rifles in their hands. Gen. Nadien, the other witness excluded, is the author of deposition similar to that of Dr. Rozanoff. The general commanded the firing line at Port Arthur.

Officers Are with Accused.

The correspondent of the Associated Press spoke with witnesses of all ranks From these conversations it was clear that the trial was making a most pain-ful impression upon them. They declared it to be an insult to Gen. Stoessel and to his army.

The defenders of the fortress, they said. were being thus ungratefully rewarded for having expended life and strength in the soul-racking defense. While the witnesses are not partisans Gen. Stoessel, they are plainly the opinion that the general's detractors and prosecutors, who personally took no part in the hardships endured by the de fenders of the beleaguered port, are now seeking to rehabilitate the sins of the var office at the expense of the Port Arthur garrison.

A colonel said to the correspondent:
"If Stoessel is guilty we all are guilty."
The absence of ex-Viceroy Alexieff
from the trial is interpreted to mean that the government is not willing to enhance the magnitude of the proceedings. Alex ieff escaped going on the witness stand with difficulty.

LACKAWANNA RIOTS.

River Goes Out of Its Banks and Several Pennsylvania Collieries Are Forced to Suspend.

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 10,-Rain for he last thirty hours had washed the nountains and hills of the Lackawanna valley clear of snow and sent a flood lown the Lackawanna river that is eausing much damage. At Mayfield the river is cutting a new

channel through the lowlands, and the langer of a sudden flooding of the Glenwood mine was so great that the min orkers were today ordered out of their vorkings. Other collieries have sus

Advertising pays. Try it.

SEEK MAN WHO KILLED

Waukesha Sheriff Floods Country with Description of James Baker, a Suspect.

WAUKESHA, Wis., Dec. 7 .- [Special.]-There are now rewards amounting to \$500 for the capture of the murderer of Eugene Courtney, who was found robbed and murdered in the stable at his farm south of the city Tuesday evening. The county offers \$200, the state \$200 and the family of the murdered man \$100. It is probable that the



JAMES BAKER.

state reward will be increased. Nothing as to the whereabouts of James Baker, the missing farmhand, has been learned the country with circulars containing his picture and description.

INDIAN CO-ED PLANS TO HELP HER RACE.

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 7 .- [Special.]-Believing that the conditions of caring for the Indians on the Oneida reservation by the government should be improved, Cornelius, an Indian girl, whose home is set to rise until light and bake. in Seymour, is at the university as a junior, preparing for her life's work.

"I am here at Wisconsin to interest the well known professors of sociology at the university in the settlement of the Oneida," said Miss Cornelius, in discussing her plans. Our school system needs reorganization. Our education of the children is being reduced to institutionalism; the work is not being done by real teachers. The superintendents generally are not collegebred men, a condition which unfortunately exists at most of the Indian reserva-

Start with Oneidas.

"I intend to begin at the Oneida reservation, where I am the most familiar with conditions, and what I accomplish there I shall repeat wherever Indians have land tenure. I am neither a missionary nor a philanthropist. I like any pepper and a spoonful of chopped garconstructive work, and it because of this lie and parsley. Thin with a little wathat I should advance the interests of my people, that I have begun this task.

"The Indian reservation system is rank to the core. People never can expect any civilization to come from it. I would reorganize them, not as reservations, but as modified bodies politic, a compromise between the reservation and American citizenship. I would not grant the Indians complete citizenship because they must come prepared to re-ceive it; otherwise they will lose what they have.

Hopes for Dairy Farms.

"As for the organization of industry which I consider the most essential, I hope to see a great dairy industry built up at the Oneida reservation and I expect the co-operation of the university in my efforts to firmly establish such an industry.

sending settlement workers among the Indians, giving lantern slide lectures on agriculture and dairy subjects and generally trying to interest them in the better life, I believe that an organization of industry may be effected at the Oneida reservation in a short time.

In Need of Money.

"The third step which I advocate to improve conditions is the establishment of local banks at each of the Indian reservations, so that money may be placed in circulation, as the Indian nations need money badly. My idea is to secure the consent of the government to have the principal of the Indian land fund paid over to the banks. Up to this the deep side down; when half cooked time only the interest on the fund has turn them. Serve on a hot plate with which might be used advantageously has not been circulated."

Miss Cornelius has completed two

years of work at Barnard college, the women's college of Columbia university anthropology under the celebrated Boaz. Before entering Barnard, Boaz. Cornelius spent a semester at Leland Stanford university, California. Her preliminary education was received at Grafton hall, Fond du Lac.

Now Have "Dinner-Tasters."

An out-of-the-way profession for a coman is that of dinner-taster. She is a spends a portion of each day visiting houses and tasting dishes. She suggests improvements, and shows the cook new ways of preparing foods.

Japan Importing Cows.

American blooded milch cows are being exported to Japan. The steamship Tango recently carried a shipment of fifty, mainly Jerseys, consigned to Yoko-



Sauce for Different Meats. Corned beef, mustard. Roast pork, apple sauce. Roast lamb, mint sauce. Roast duck, orange salad. Frizzled beef, horseradish. Roast chicken, bread sauce. Roast mutton, current felly, Lobster cutlet, sauce tartare. Roast goose, tart apple sauce. Port croquettes, tomato sauce. Roast ptarmigan, bread sauce. Fried chicken, cream gravy, corn fritters.

Pork sausage, tart apple sauce or fried apples. Roast turkey, chestnut dressing,

cranberry jelly. Roast venison, black currant jelly or grape jelly.

Veal sausage, tomato sauce grated Parmesian cheese. Roast canvasback duck, apple bread,

black currant jelly. Cold boiled tongue, sauce tartare or olives stuffed with peppers.

Roast quail, currant jelly, celery Sweetbread cutlet, sauce bechamel, Reedbirds, fried hominy, white cel-

With roast beef, grated horseradish. With roast veal, tomato or horseradish sauce.

Cheese and Tomato Omelet.

Beat six eggs very light and pour them into a buttered omelet pan and cook until set, sprinkling with salt and pepper. When ready to fold, lay on the omelet slices of tomato and sprinkle these thickly with cheese. Fold the omelet upon them, transfer since he was seen in the "bad lands" in to a hot dish and pour over and around Milwaukee Tuesday night, and it seems the omelet a white sauce into which that he has made good his escape at least two tablespoonfuls of grated cheese temporarily. Sheriff Dwinnell is flooding have been stirred. Serve immediately. have been stirred. Serve immediately

Currant Bread. Scald a pint of milk and beat into it a teaspoonful each of melted butter and salt. When the mixture is lukewarm add a half yeast cake, dissolved in warm water, and enough flour to make a good batter. Set in a warm place to rise for eight hours, then beat hard, adding a cup of flour. Work in and inspired with a zeal that their fu- a cup of stemmed currants well ture lies in education, Miss Laura M. dredged with flour, make into a loaf,

Waffles.

Dissolve a half yeast cake in a gil! We need an agricul- spoonful of sugar, three tablespoonfuls of Mrs. Anna N. Bradley for the mur- followed most carefully the growth of tural experiment station, organization of of melted butter, three cupfuls of flour der of Senator Arthur M. Brown were the science of brain diseases that industry, and a township organization. sifted with a half teaspoonful of salt, eliminated by direction of the court, scores of the deaths set down to other and, lastly, the dissolved yeast. Beat there was enough of the sensational long and hard, set in a warm place to rise, and when light bake in greased tion not only of Washington but of the ple that any one can readily underwaffle irons.

Kidney with Tomato Sauce.

Cut in small pieces a fresh kidney and fry in hot lard. When almost done add to it a sliced onion, half a cup of tomatoes and a slice of ham. Let all fry together and when done add a spoonful of flour, a piece of red fact, together with the feeling in me ter; season with salt and boil a fev minutes

Broiling Mushrooms. To broil mushrooms put them, after they are cleaned, gill side down in a wire broiler and keep them over the fire for about five minutes. At the end of the time turn them over, put a dot of butter inside each, sprinkle with salt and pepper and cook for five minutes longer. Serve cup side up en

Improving Apple Jelly.

Apple jelly is apt to be very flat and tasteless unless combined with some stronger flavoring. This may be varied to suit different tastes in the family by using in one lot lemon juice, in another pineapple an din a third quinces.

Chicken Loaf.

Cut a cold chicken or veal into dice, make a white sauce, into which slice two hard-boiled eggs, then add the chicken and pour into the loaf. which has been prepared, and bake.

Broiled Oysters. Lay oysters in shell on the fire, with

the deep side down; when half cooked a little butter and some little hot tea biscuit.

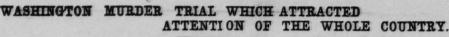
Short Suggestions.

To test a nutmeg prick it with a at New York, where a large portion of her time was devoted to the study of pin. If it is good the oil will instantly spread round the puncture.

A little milk added to the water in which muslins and prints are washed will generally prevent their color from running.

Save candle ends for, melted, and with an equal quantity of turpentine. they make an excellent polish for product of Parisian refinement, and floors, oilcloth, etc. This polish costs almost nothing and is often considered superior to beeswax and turpentine.

To clean ivory make a light paste of sal volatile, prepared chalk and oil. Dip a rag in the paste and rub it on the ivory; afterward put a little more on the ivory and leave it to dry. Then brush it off with a clean, rather stiff





Senator Brown of Utah, the presiding judge and leading attorneys in

tures which were looked for at the trial lieved by many scientists who have connected therewith to hold the attenusual interest.

ator by appointment of the Governor, does worry kill. was a close friend to Mrs. Anna N. Bradley. This was some years ago it creeps upon the brain in the form when the frail-looking defendant was of a single, constant, never-lost idea: robust of form and beautiful of face. and, as a dropping of water over a per-For Brown's sake she deserted her hus- iod of years will wear a groove in a band, and although he would not heed stone, so does worry gradually, imperher pleas to marry her, she clung to ceptibly, but no less surely, destroy the him. About a year ago Brown went brain cells that lead all the rest; that from Utah to Washington. Mrs. Brad- are, so to speak, the commanding offiley heard that he was going to marry cers of mental power, health and mo-Mrs. Anna C. Adams, mother of Maud | tion. Adams, the great actress, and she followed him. At his room in a Washington hotel they had a loud talk, the re- points, which produces little harm if sult of which was that she was said it comes at intervals or irregularly. to have shot him and he died five days | Occasional worry the brain can cope later. He refused to say anything with, but the iteration and reiteration concerning the tragedy. Mrs. Bradley, of one idea of a disquieting sort the it is said, never dented the shooting, cells of the brain are not proof against. pleading temporary insanity. Mrs. It is as if the skull were laid bare Adams has declared that there was no and the surface of the brain struck

to have married Brown. Washington Mrs. Bradley's story upon of a stroke. the stand was that Brown wen her love by protestations of undying affection and promise of marriage; that he not be done away with, strike or fall urged her to get a divorce and induced upon certain nerve cells, never ceasing, her to get her trousseau.

was Orlando W. Powers, a native of minute that they can only be seen un-New York, who went to Utah to live and is the leader of the Gentile party there. He was made associate justice of the Supreme Court of Utah by President Cleveland. He has sat in the State Legislature and has been an unsuccessful candidate for Congress. Once he declined a United States Senatorship for an unexpired term.

The jury brought in a verdict that she was not guilty of the alleged murder of former Senator Brown, The plea of temporary insanity at the time the killing took place won after an allafternoon and night deadlock of the jury.

WORRY CAUSES DEATH.

Brooding Over Trouble Injures the Brain Cells.

Modern science, says a German medical contemporary, has brought to light nothing more curiously interesting than the fact that worry will kill. More remarkable still, it has been able to determine from recent discoveries thing to do was to get thrown out."

Although some of the salacfous feat just how worry does kill. It is becauses are due to worry and that alone.

The theory is a simple one-so simentire country. The prominence of the stand it. Briefly put, it amounts to man and the attractiveness of the wom- this: Worry injures beyond repair ceran, together with the manner of the tain cells of the brain, and the brain, shooting, invested the case with un- being the nutritive center of the body. the other organs become gradually in-Arthur M. Brown, leading citizen of jured, and when some disease of these Salt Lake City, man of great wealth organs, or a combination of them, and for a brief time United States Sen- arises, death finally ensues. Thus

Insidiously, like many other diseases,

Worry, to make the theory still stronger, is an irritant at certain foundation for the report that she was lightly with a hammer every few seconds with mechanical precision, with When the case came up for trial in never a sign of a let-up or the failure

Just in this way does the annoying idea, the maddening thought that will and week by week diminishing the vi-The chief counsel for Mrs. Bradley tality of these delicate organisms, so der the microscope.

Attained His Object.

Mr. Chamberlain was once delivering rousing speech in Birmingham to an audience so tightly packed togeaher that no one could possibly get in or out. Suddenly in the middle of the hall rose a scowling man, relates the London Globe.

"What did Mr. Gladstone say in 1872?" he kowled.

"Turn him out!" shouted the audi-

Three men hurled the interrupter a few yards and others hustled him into the street. A friend who had been at the meeting came upon him later in the day.

"What did Mr. Gladstone say in 1872?" asked the friend.

"I don't know," said the man. "I haven't a notion. Only I'd got a terrible toothache, and couldn't butt my way through the crowd, so the only

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News Items That Are of General Interest to Gur Local Readers.

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State Treasurer Glazier will not resign, the papers say, because he is innocent of wrong-doing, and must be tried before he can can be bounced. So he is likely to serve out his term. It is said that he has not in any way violated the law and that negligence is the worst thing that can be proved against him. It is also remarked that if his negligence be what the law terms "gross"a negligence amounting to a misdemeanor-there are other officers invol- trade is not what it was. Delta county ved with him; for the treasurer is not an autocrat. It is certain that the predicament in which the state funds are now found will have much influence upon the fortunes of the next state election. The claim is made, upon the authority of Governor Warner, that nothing will be lost by the state, but but this remains to be proved; and in any event it will be a narrow escape.

Several Gladstone people drove to Escanaba Sunday night, in spite of the clammy weather, to see the Gingerbread Man.

The taxes are coming in well at the treasurer's office, over sixty persons having paid, as against twenty-five for the same time last year, although none of the large property owners are among them. The rate of taxation is 3.71 per cent, an increase over last year. The state tax is 50 per cent greater this year. The school tax is lighter, and the city tax heavier, as explained when the annual appropriation bill was

Crystal Falls has a tax rate of 4.83 this year, besides special sewer assess- sheriff. ments. The city treasury is empty,

erwise settle on the potatoes and cause them to rot. It is worth trying, and there are many householders in Gladstone who will adopt the suggestion. This year's potatoes are sounder than those of a year ago, and if stored in a place out of reach of frost and protected from dampness they will probably keep so well that the only trouble householders are likely to experience with them is the sprouting in the spring-if before that time they are not all eaten.

Marquette's water has caused that beautiful city much worry, and the council and the water board have been the pumping station be moved past Presque Isle.

The new M. E. church of Escanaba was dedicated Sunday evening, Rev. H. H. Harris and a number of his congregation attending from here. The new church has been practically freed from debt by the sums subscribed on Sunday.

Capt. Jack Hampel was generous with fresh meat, and his companions repay him with ingratitude. Some claimed that if it could be made softer and more flexible it would do for driv- land owners in the upper peninsula. Afing belts; and others think it should be firming the decision of Judge Stone in Wis. vulcanized and used for gun stocks.

Mrs. Brown, who has has been repairsome time, on Sunday opened it to the

loose. From now on the Christmas business will be vigorous, and the mera manner tempting to buyers.

George Rawson visited in the Soo this week.

tinee to work on the new railroad to the successfully are not nearly so good. Cobalt district. They were fed and exercised here before being sent forward.

aware that it is never so easy to get time. booze as it is when there ain't any to be

on the road to Bay Siding Sunday say few laborers from Europe spend their that they will equip with Marble com- vacations in this country. passes on the next trip.

Mrs. Frank Shanley.

The schools received last Saturday a arge bust of Lincoln, donated by G. R. Empson. It is now on exhibition in the superintendent's office, together with the Diana, the place for which will be on the upper floor. Minor contributions have been made to the art fund, and twice graduates have donattyred statesman, and has drawn great admiration from the pupils. There is also a sum in the art fund which will purchase a third excellent piece of statuary, if a choice can be made.

The skating on the upper bay was considerably shattered Monday evening by the gale. It was not a night for a

Escanaba has but ninety saloons this year; considerably fewer than in previous years, and indicating that the has altogether 157 to Marquette county's 151. Marquette supports 50 saloons Ishpeming 42, and Negaunee 30.

The crossing of an electric wire with the telephone system on Tuesday disabled a part of the service for about an hour and a half. The central girls received a severe shock.

A young fellow raised his check from \$6.05 to \$265.05 at Houghton. The amount was perforated into the check, and the word six had been clumsily erased and figures substituted. The amateur crook was taken up immediately and confessed that he did it little knowledge is a dangerous thing.

The upper peninsula mines demand a large tribute of life yearly, but they do small schoolhouse. not blow up with all on board, like the

West Virginian coal mine. A \$10 a plate banquet was served to the guests of the Houghton county jail Saturday, says the Gazette. There was noon nothing unusual about the food, but the fuel used to prepare it was a \$350 roulette wheel, destroyed by by the

Agitation for the establishment of a Plimsoll line for lake vessels is too late A dealer experienced in the storing of to be of any great service. During the potatoes advises the placing in each era of sailing vessels and small steamcorner of the cellar, a soap box half ers there was much overloading; but booked this week for Wasa. at Swenfull of lumps of lime. This, he says, the larger craft of today cannot over- son's. absorbs the moisture which would oth- load without inviting trouble in harbors | N. B. Brown returned Tuesday mornand interlake channels.

> The death of King Oscar of Sweden evoked considerable sorrow Monday in Gladstone among the large number of his fellow countrymen. Although most of them had long ago renounced

the passing away of the aged and res- railway mail clerk. pected monarch, after a reign of thirty-

The Newberry blast furnace will remain in operation this winter, but the wages will be reduced. The company's original order was that it should be closed this week, but the manager reat outs. Now Henry Nebel, who is the presented to the directors that great dissenting member of the board, sends hardship would be imposed upon the a communication recommending that employees. The wood and ore piles are large and sufficient to maintain operations for months.

The ore docks at Escanaba ceased operations for the season this week. The season ended poorly, because of frost and scarcity of boats; but the Mesaba strike during the summer caused a vigorous summer's business, through the press of shipments from the Michigan iron ranges.

The state supreme court has just rendered an opinion that will be of great interest to attorneys and many the case of Peter White vs. George Shaw et al., it establishes the proposition ing and fitting up the City Hotel for that the right of the owner of an undivided interest in lands to redeem from a tax title cannot be cut off until he and all others interested in the realty Tuesday was a pay day, and another have been served with the statutory tax very large sum of currency was turned notice. This ruling is of particular importance in upper Michigan, where so many lands are held by pools or other chants are bidding against each other in syndicated interests, and it will attract general attention.

But if, as has been asserted, a man who works for \$2 or \$2.40 a day is The batch of mules that occasioned just as honest as the bank president so much curiosity here on Tuesday, was who gets \$25,000 or \$30,000 a year, he a consignment of seventy from Billings, doesn't deserve so much credit for it. Montana, to North Bay, Ontario, des- His chances of being anything else

If you want a first class piano, from \$75 to \$150 less than the ordinary dealer The State grange has just declared can sell them for, Call and see the for prohibition. The foxy farmer is pianos in Scott's store. Cash or on

They tell us that many of our immi- ment. grants spend their winters in Europe, af-A party of sportsmen who were lost ter a summer of good earnings. Very

A son was born Sunday to Mr. and chimney fire at LaPine's barn at 11 p. ate them. Watch our window. m. Thursday evening.

The Mullins, expected at the coal dock, is unloading at Manitowoc, and the rigs have been dismantled for the winter. The shipments, as reported for this season, have been light on grain, amounting to but 1,181,579 bushels. Flour, 431,210 barrels, 62,677 tons of merchandise and 19,168 tons of steel rails

have been received. Dr. Björkman this week received a fine microscope, with which he promises himself much pleasure. He has taken considerable pride in showing it to his friends, with slides mounted by himself while a student. It is a powerful instrument.

16 inch Hemlock wood, full cord \$2.75, 16 inch Maple and Birch mill wood \$1.75 per single cord, \$5.00 per full cord delivered to any part of the City. Call up C. W. Davis, phone 7.

W. F. Hammel has traded his garage to J. T. Whybrew for the building used by the latter for cement storage, which Forsberg is fixing up. He will no longer have to dodge trolley cars and manhole explosions crossing Delta

Don't spend your money foolishly; buy Christmas presents.

Personals

T. W. McDonough came down from his camp for a short time Tuesday. The swamps are frozen to a depth that will bear a man, but not a team, and the snow is still very light.

J. W. Cundy left Tuesday for Omro,

H. W. Blackwell returned Monday morning from Chicago, by train instead of by automobile.

H. E. Hite painted and stained the interior of the Chaison schoolhouse this to raise money to see the sights A week. This building, a neat little piece of cement block construction, was finished this fall and is a model for a

> W. F. and Roy Hammel spent Sunday in Appleton.

The infant of Gabriel Carlson died on Monday and was buried Tuesday after-

James Buchan has been visiting in the city for a few days.

Carl, the little son of E. M. Johnson, died Friday after an illness of two weeks. His funeral was held Sunday from the mission church.

Fred Linberg and August Styres

ing from Salem, Oregon, to spend Christmas with his family. He says everything is not as dead as painted

Charles Peterson returned Monday morning from Rock Island and will their allegiance, they felt a shock at take the examination for the position of

Claud Hawkins leaves tonight to spend Christmas at his home in Fenton. Austin Farrell left Marquette for Chicago Wednesday evening.

Archie McLeod spent Wednesday and Thursday in Minneapolis.

Mrs. Peter Jordan has been elected delegate from the Escanaba lodge of Rathbone Sisters to the district con-

Fr. Fillion and Joseph Dugas of Perkins were in the city Thursday on

Roy Watson has resigned his position at Marble's, because of ill health and will probably leave soon for the South-

Mrs. John Williamson is on the st

Born, Wednesday, a son, to Mr. and

Mrs. Joseph Gagner. John Nass left Thursday night to spend a few days at his home at Merrill

E. J. Newman and Edward Eaton went in to Minneapolis Thursday.

O. L. Madirer and Sherwood Fisher return next week to Buffalo.

Wm. Landeen came down Friday from Negaunee to stay here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Marble are expected to return Sunday. F. W. Hinchey is on the sick list.

Percy Patterson, the well-known piano tuner, will be in the city next week. Orders left with G. R. Empson will receive prompt attention.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express our gratitude to our kind neighbors for their words and deeds of sympathy during the illness of our little son, and during the hours of grief. We desire most especially to thank the Ladies of the Modern Maccabees for their tenderness. It will lighten the memory of the hours of bereave-

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Oh, I can't begin to tell you all the poems she can quote; She knows more than half the lawyers do; but ma can't vote.

When my pa is writing letters, ma must always linger near
To assist him in his spelling and to make his meaning clear.
If he needs advice, her judgment, he admits, is always best;
Every day she gives him pointers, mostly at his own request.
She keeps track of legislation, and is taxed on bonds and stocks,
But she never gets a look-in at the sacred ballot box.

Ma is wiser than our coachman, for he's not a graduate,
And I doubt if he could tell you who is
governing the state.
He has never studied grammar, and I'll bet
he doesn't know
Whether Caesar lived a thousand or two

to help along,
Taking care of her six children, though her
husband's big and strong.
When he gets a job, he only holds it till he
draws his pay.
Then he spends his cash for whisky, or
else gambles it away.
I suppose his brain's no bigger than the brain of any goat, And he'd trade his ballot for a dirnk-but ma can't vote!
—Chicago Record-Herald.

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Bad Social Doctrine.

The women and girls over 16 engaged in gainful occupations in this country number 5,000,000 out of a total adult female population of 23,000,000 (vide 1900 federal census), which means that about one in nineteen is working outthe home. The proportion of girls who before they marry are wage-earners, according to the same census, is about one in four, so that first and last a very large percentage are acutely concerned in bread-winning for themselves, and in many instances for those dependent on them as well. Moreover, so far from there being any likelihood that this class of the economically independent will lessen, it has been increasing for some years and is still increasing faster than the feminine population of adult age. The wage-earning girl and woman therefore constitute a permanent element in mod-ern society that must be accepted, and the supreme service to be rendered them is to stimulate them to efficiency in their chosen lines of labor, and to afford them facilities for the acquirement of this

most necessary preparedness.

It is a safe estimate that hardly 10 per cent. of women wage-earners belong to that class voluntarily and this fact alone should restrain leaders of thought from should restrain leaders of thought from endeavoring to discourage them because they have been forced by circumstances to become self-supporting. Not only must many women be engaged in gainful occuis increasingly inevitable that a large proportion of them will not marry, and for this reason also is it incumbent upon moulders of public opinion to guard against preaching the gospel of discontent to those whose status in life is largely fixed beyond their ability to alter.

It should be said that these reflections

are suggested by a paper in a popular woman's magazine, in which business life for women, and success in it, are pictured as lacking in domestic happiness and as making for restlessness, selfishness and discontent. The finaicially successful bachelor girl in the dainty home created and maintained by herself, and in which she dispenses a refined hospitality, is pictured as inhabiting a whited sepulcher in which the starved soul of the woman sits alone weeping. Such sentimental stuff might be dismissed with their opinions from their favorite periodical, and that the influence of such views cannot but be undesirable for this improved their opinions from their favorite periodical, and that the influence of such views cannot but be undesirable for this improved the favority of the control of the pressionable class. In this age, the fundamental necessity for girls as well as men is that they shall be encouraged to an ennobled self-sufficiency, and to have an honorable business career thus misrepresented to them as developing ugly most unsocial qualities, and as resulting in mental misery, is to turn their thoughts to marriage at any hazard, since that is the only other way of gaining support. The undoing effect of such ill-advised doctrine is the more deplorable. able because it frequently happens that even those girls and women who marry will find themselves forced to self-support later, and that unless they are equipped with a trade or profession in which they are proficient, and in which they take pride, they simply add to the army of the unskilled and the little paid, which is the affliction and despair of large communities.

To sum up: for a large and increasing

proportion of women wage-earning is inevitable, and marriage increasingly unattainable. These incontrovertible facts suggest that what all girls need is efficient training in industry, commerce the professions and encouragement to believe that proficient, conscientious service in even the lowliest occupations brings with it poise, unselfishness and character development that s highly social in its manifestations .- Vogue.

-0-1-0-The Wife's Tears.

Harper's Bazar, which is settling all feminine problems these days, has turned its brilliant editorial attention to the subject of marital disagreements. This month's issue (December) gives the husband's opinion of his wife's tears— an opinion in which thousands of suffering husbands will concur:

One night he woke up and found her crying; nor will he, as long as he lives, forget the dismay that this caused him. The firm foundation of this little world shook under his feet. He so wanted her to be happy; as far as he knew he did everything to make her happy, and here she was awake in the night, crying. Nor would she tell him why. No woman fully understands the awful ship-wrecked feeling it gives a man to see his wife cry. He never gets used to it; he may get accustomed to anything else, but never to that. A man whose wife cries often may learn to put a stoical face on it—grit his teeth, and bear it without wincing outwardly, just as he cries often may learn to put a stoical face on it—grit his teeth, and bear it without wincing outwardly, just as he may learn to bear some ever-recurring pain; depend upon it, however, his heart is water within him. There is nothing that so sap's one's manhood as tears. Men have different ways of showing this. Some it makes brutal from sheer despair; others are dumb in the face of tears, unable to utter a

Ma's a graduate of college, and she's read most everything;
She can talk in French and German, she can paint and she can sing.
Beautiful? She's like a picture! When she talks she makes you think Of the sweetest kind of music, and she doesn't smoke or drink.

Oh, I can't begin to tell you all the poems she can quote;

cheering or sympathetic word; while, again, others take refuge in flight, since they can't bear the unnerving spectacle. However a man takes it, be sure he suffers all his worst enemy could wish him to. In cases where marriage is a warfare the woman has here a weapon at her command that can always rout her opponent and give her the final victory. tory.

Girls as Friends.

"You are so quiet!" exclaimed the lit-tle girl as she sat down in the chair bethe girl as she sat down in the chair before her room chum who was going to Marcel her hair. "You don't seem one bit like yourself. What is wrong?"

The girl threw down her comb and looked at her companion for a second and said: "Well, I am at a place where I

guess I am thinking too much. Say, did you ever have a girl friend—someone you just loved to desperation, a girl you would do anything on earth to make happy?"

Sure, and she was my friend as long as there was no man to be considered, and if a man loomed up, I lost that friend just as sure as could be. Is that

Whether Caesar lived a thousand or two thousand years ago.

He could never tell us how to keep the ship of state afloat, For he doesn't know there's such a thingbut ma can't vote.

Once when Mr. Jones was calling, they got up a short debate
That was on the tariff question; he surposed he had it straight.

But before they'd finished talking, he threw up his hands and said
That he'd not read much about it, nor remembered what he'd read.
He's too badly rushed to study how to better human lives,
Still he looms up like a giant when election time arrives.

Mrs. Gookins does our washing, for she has to help along,
Taking care of her six children, though her husband's big and strong.

When he gets a job, he only holds it till he

The could never tell us how to keep the ship of state a top human lives, and had an han homeded up, I lost that friend just as sure as could be. Is that what has happened to you?"

"I guess so. Hand me those invisible hairpins. I declared a year ago I never would confide in another female, yet I met a girl and loved her as I never loved any woman in my life, and—oh, it makes me furious!" She gave the Marcel curler another twist and continued: "I can make friends with men. I am a girl who seldom loses a man friend, but a girl friend is something I never had and never can keep. And I am true blue to a girl if I like her. What is it about me that keeps girls from me? I wouldn't take a girl's friend from her for any-thing, I would die of jealousy myself to make a girl happy, and I can't, I simply can't have a good true girl friend."

"You know I am your true friend."

"You know I am your true friend." "You know I am your true friend." exclaimed the girl, viewing the head of

massy waves in the mirrow.

"Well, I don't want your friendship!
I don't want anyone's friendship, man's or woman's," and the little chum sensibly left the room so the other girl could cry. for that was what was coming, and cry

This seems to be a common failing with girls. Are they never true to their friends? You would think the way they meet, kiss and embrace, exchange books, presents and music, that a mere man could not cause such an upheaval, yet let a man loom up and the best friend on earth gets so little you could take her up on a crumb tray!

Working for the Children.

Mrs. Lovell White, president of the Outdoor Art league of San Francisco, headed a courageous band of its members who worked at the polls during the recent election, in behalf of the amendment to provide playgrounds for the children. The women districted the city, and stood near every polling place—100 feet away, as prescribed by law—handing the voters cards asking them to vote for the amendment. One woman was threatened with arrest by a policeman for tacking up a card on a telegraph pole within 100 feet of a voting booth, but in the main the la-dies were treated most courteously. Some of them distributed cards in the street cars, and one had to make a speech in a crowded car. The amendment won. Mrs. White is reported in the San Francisco Call as saying: "This is a new experience here, but the women of England have done it, so we know it can be done. Personally, I am so much interested in the measure dren that nothing I could do to advance it would seem hard. The response of the women of the Outdoor Art league was beautiful. the most conservative, whom I hardly expected to take part in today's work, volunteered to take the hardest precincts." The women have worked faithfully for the last six months. They drafted the amendment, brought influence to bear upon the men who were to launch it, and persuaded all the political parties to make it a plank in their platforms. Honor to these women! But they would have found it easier to vote themselves than to stand all day at the polls.—Woman's

Something About Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish. Though her husband is justly celebrated at a railroad king and a defier of Harriman, yet his fame does not dom-inate in his family, says the New Broad-way Magazine, for his wife is the one whose name is most upon the popular tongue. Probably more is known of her character, customs, eccentricities, likes and dislikes of any other woman from coast to coast. She has an intense personality. If she enters a room, no matter how crowded every one knows it; when she leaves, she seems to take something with her out of the social atmosphere. She has individuality, is outspoken, capricious, witty and brilliant. Whatever the does or says is utterly unlike what anyone else does or says, and she is never ordinary. Yet it is almost certain that she couldn't be a supreme leader. She is reckoned too childlike to

Another thing that would handicap Mrs. Fish is the fact that her husband is not in sympathy with her social life. A man of letters who knows him well "Will you tell me one thing truly? Did

control others.

your wife really take a monkey to din-"I don't know what particular monkey she added to the list of dinner guests, they were all there," he replied.

If the set that must be amused at any cost makes Mrs. Fish its leader, there are chances that it may overrule the efforts and desires of the saner and better element. But here is, at least, a harmless set. The viciousness that has been imputed to it by preachments does not exist. There was no harm in giving that dinner, of which everybody has heard, at Mrs. Fish's house, burlesquing the Russian Grand Duke Boris and his pretensions. The same thing could have been done in any house, less conspicuous, to rounds of applause and laughter from even dignified people; but under the property of the property of

circumstances, it angered and irritated a great number of the New York set.

Mrs. Fish always gets the popular American vote, because she is the loyalest American of them all. She believes firmly that nothing on the other side of the water equals what is on this side; and it was this feeling, far more than any desire for revenge, that led her to give the burlesque Boris dinner. towing is not in her line.

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Woman's Normal State? The satisfactions which women most

cent times a very great development of cent times a very great development of other occupations for women—a for-tunate development, too—in almost all cases such things prove to be temporary or, if pursued in older life, have become only a path to the sources of higher satisfactions. With a man the profes-sion in which he preserves from day to sion in which he preserves from day to day contributes greatly to the durable satisfaction of his life. Among other things, it procures for him his home. It enables him to support "her." It gratifies also his desires for labor, competition and success. The great source of durable satisfaction in life is the home which the woman creates, which she illumines and blesses. It is the joy of children and grandchildren, the joy of that intimate and tender relation of "one to one," which is Emerson's definition of happy marriage. These are for educated as for uneducated women the source of the chief durable satisfactions of life.—By President Charles Elliott, Harvard, Home Magazine.

-0-1-0-Miss Beeks Investigated the Canal.

When Secretary Taft looked about for some one to investigate the social conditions surrounding the 35,000 men on the Isthmus of Panama, his eye fell upon a slight, delicate young woman, says the November Delineator. The war secretary knew he had made no mistake so he sent Miss Gertrude Beeks to the canal zone and there she spent long weeks in arduous work. Despite the torrid heat and the wet season in the tropics, Miss Beeks made diligent research into the manner in which the employes of Uncle Sam are housed, fed and amused while

Sam are housed, fed and amused while digging the huge waterway.

For the last ten years Miss Beeks has been at the head of the welfare work of the National Civic federation. In connection with this association she has travnection with this association she has trav-cled from one end of the United States to the other. In her work Miss Beeks has gone deeply into child labor. She was the means of arranging the joint meeting of the capitalists and labor men which was held last year in the Lake Shore drive castle of Mrs. Potter Palmer. Eight years ago when there was a strike at the McCornick report factory she

The Paramount Question.

A certain paragraph intended for our "Discovery" pages is so fraught with human interest, impinges so directly upon one of the most acute of domestic problems, that we have been moved to plunder. The paragraph comes from plunder. The paragraph comes from "A. L. W." of Ontario, Canada. Says the lady:
"If you have a good maid with a

weakness for melodramatic fiction, you will add to the probability of her remaining with you by throwing in her way papers and magazines containing way papers and magazines containing the type of serial she cares for. A girl who is following with breathless interest the careers of Lady Evelvn Eileen Peerlesspearl and Lord Cheeky Chump of Chump's Tower, will not lightly 'give notice' and forego the ecstasy of learning that these flowers of humanity married and lived happily ever after. I know of a maid who was always on the point of leaving till her mistress, two years ago, adopted the plan of nourishyears ago, adopted the plan of nourishing her on serials. The diet had more 'staying' power than most breakfast

The chirography of this paragraph is distinctly English. But "hearts are hearts the world around," and as against the fair Lady Evelyn we are ready to give our adherence to Tessie, the Beautiful Saleslady, or such other American heroine as the exigencies suggest, and put this great principle to the test. Once a week, we should say, is none too often for the recurrence of the romantic fic-tion, and we would see to it that the subscription be in the employer's name. Bulletins from the great experiment stations which our Good Housekeeping homes constitute will be eagerly awaited

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Women Physicians.

The New Orleans Picayune opposes admitting women to the medical depart-ment of Tulane university, unless in separate classes, on the ground that it "would strip them of the veil of their innate goodness, virtue and modesty.' The Picayune says:

"Whatever may be claimed for the intellectual, social and political equality of the sexes, and however we may propose to destroy all the barriers that prevent women from assuming all the rights they may claim, the fact of sex remains. and its recognition must be the basis of all sane and moral social organization, and until the dreams of communistic and anarchistic theorists shall be generally realized and accepted, society must rest on that basis."

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Meanwhile, in the medical schools of most of our state universities, and throughout almost the whole of Europe, women have been for years studying medicine without being "segregated," and the basis of society remains un-shaken.

A Woman and a Watch.

"Women don't deserve to own watches," recently remarked a jeweler. "They don't know how to take care of them. "A woman bought a watch from my firm recently and I gave her strict instructions to wind it every twenty-four hours and always at the same hour as nearly as possible. Two days later she came back with it and said it had

stopped.
"Well, I found it had run down. I told her, but she insisted she had wound "Two or three days later she came

back with the same complaint, and again I tried to impress her with the necessity for winding it. Again she inshe had done so and went away miffed "The third time she came I asked her

I made a peculiar discovery. The woman was left-handed, and in attempting to wind the watch she had been winding it the wrong way. I've had peculiar experiences with customers, but that beats all." to show me how she had wound it. Then

Whistler's Unmarked Grave.

Whistler is buried not in Chiswick churchyard, where Hogarth lies, but in the cemetery that adjoins it. No stone marks the grave of the artist, which is almost hidden by carefully tended flow-A little fence of wooden trellis pro

A little fence of wooden trellis protects it and over fence and grave trailing ivy, geraniums and honeysuckle grow laxuriantly. The grave is beside the high wall of the cemetery and partly sheltered by a wild plum tree, overgrown just now by creepers that have sprung up close to the boundary. Beyond the wall rise ancient yew trees and the more ancient tower of Chiswick church, but modernity asserts itself in the more ancient tower of Chiswick church, but modernity asserts itself in the incessant rattling and hammering from the torpedo boat works, whose long ranges of black buildings separate these peaceful acres from the adjacent river.—London Morning Post.

Government Money Redemptions. The money which the government is called upon to redeem in the course of the year reaches an almost fabulous amount. In 1904, for instance, it totaled \$912,000,000. This redemption is either for the purpose of securing clean, fresh notes or to get change of some other decomposition. The Spice of Life.

A couple of men were chatting in a club smoking room about a friend and his motor.

"He seems to be well as the seems to be we

"He seems to be very well catisfied with it," remarked one with it." remarked one.

"Oh yes. Hasn't paid a copper in repairs all the nine months he's had it, he tells me."

"H'm. I heard the same story from the fellow who'se done all the repairs.-

The Flour Was Tough.

"I want to complain of the flour you sent me the other day," said Mrs. Newlywed severely.
"What was the matter with it, ma'am?" asked the grocer.
"It was tough. My husband simply couldn't eat the biscuits I made with it!"-Judge.

The Time Limit.

Tommy-Does your ma hit your foot under the table when you've had enough?

Johnny—No: that's when I haven't had enough. When I have she sends for had enough. When I is the doctor!—Judy.

Too Tough to Kill. "Who was that, doctor, who spoke to you just now?"
"My first patient. I have been his

medical adviser for the last twenty "My goodness! What a splendid constitution he must have!"—Ally Sloper's Half-Holiday.

Took No Chances. A Billville citizen found the following notice posted on his door:
"You an' your'n must leave here this mornin'—an' durned quick, too?"
"John," said his wife, "I wouldn't go ef I wuz you, kase you hain't done nuthin' to go fer."

girls.

The missionary that Uncle Sam sent to the tropics is a Tennessee girl. She is still in the twenties, is handsome, with quiet manners, and her work proves her dauntless spirit.

The Paramount Court with 5000 in' to go fer."

"I know it, Molly," he replied, "but I reckon I'll go. I've been keepin' too still lately, an' I'm needin' exercise, an' lots of it. Gimme a clean shirt, and git on yer bonnet!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Little Ella-I'm never going to Holland when I grow up. Governess—Why not? Little Ella—'Cause our geography says t's a low, lying country.-Life.

Blind Cupid.

"How do you know he is in love with that red-haired, freekle-faced girl?" "Because," answered Miss Cayenne, "he refers to her hair as golden and says freckles indicate a fine complexion. Washington Star.

He Knew His Book.

"From a grammatical viewpoint," said he fair maid with the lofty forehead, 'which do you consider correct: 'Had ather go home,' or 'I would rather go

'Neither," promptly answered young man who was engaged in holding down the other end of the sofa, "I'd rather stay here!"—Life.

Then the Worm Turned. "There have been times in my life."

said he, gloomily, "when I was tempted to commit suicide."
"Oh, well," she said, "it's no use to grieve over the past. We can all look visits from a traveling theatrica back and see where we've made mis

Considerate. Clara-Coming home from the dance the other night, I met Charlie Spooner in a crowded car, and he didn't even ffer me a seat.

Maud—Perhaps he knew you had been sitting down all the evening.-Life.

His Line.

Gypsy (gazing at hand of bank cashier, about to tell his fortune)—Here, sir, I can see a line that will be of the utmost importance in your life.

Cashier—Yes, yes, I know; that's the Red Star line.-Megg Blaetter.

Vain Regrets. "Halloa! Where are you going with that large wreath of flowers?" "I am going to put it on my wife's first husband's grave. Oh, you needn't look at me like that! I am sorry he died, right enough."-Judy.

Amateur Theatricals. "A mere gallery play," declared the "Then you won't pay that fine."
"If we do, my boy, it will be with stage money."—Washington Herald.

An Exodus.

(With apologies to Ironquil.) A wave of prohibition is sweeping the south and west.—Daily Papers.

I see by the daily journals
That the Colonels are forlorn,
Though the corn is full of kernels
There are no Colonels full of corn;
And soon we'll hear a roaring As of armies setting forth: It will be the Colonels pour In legions to the North. -Town Topics.

Reversing the Usual.

"It's a shame!" cried the young wife. Not a thing in the house fit to eat! I'm going home to papa!"
"If you don't mind, dear," said the husband, "I'll go with you."—Answers.

Making Trouble in the Family. Mrs. Smith-My husband always says that I am his first thought.

Mrs. Jones—From all that I hear, he seems to think that second thoughts are best.—Town Topics.

On the Wedding Journey. She-Otto, I don't believe that true love waits for a tunnel!-Transatlantic

Groundlessly Scared.

"Mr. Richly, I have a very great boon to ask of you."
"Now, look here, young man, before you go any further I'd like you to understand that I never lend money, and I don't know you well enough to lend you money if I did, and—" "But I wish to marry your daughter?"
"Oh, why didn't you say so! Take her and be happy."-Houston Post.

Good Scheme.

"Your wife needs exercise; she sits still too much." "I'll get her a silk skirt."
"How will that help!" "She'll keep moving so as to make it rustle."—Houston Post.

Mrs. Gailey, "He's a member of your club, isn't he?" "Yes," replied Gailey, "but he has no

business to be."

"Why, what's the matter? Doesn't he drink?"—The Catholic Standard and Catholic Standard Times.

Literally True. "Yes; I frequently mind the baby."
"To mind," sneered the purist, "is obey."
"That's what I do."—Washington

A daring theft Jack wrought last night On daring little Rose; He stole some things he wanted, right Beneath her very nose. —Philadelphia Press.

'Tis to be hoped that if fair Rose Returned the blissful smack Jack dd not overlook a bet, But turned and kissed her back. —Houston Post.

SEARCH FOR LONG FELLOWS.

Recruiting" a Tall Shepherd-Giant in a Box of His Own Make.

The standard of height for West Point cadets has been raised 1 inch. At present the minimum number of inches de-

Everybody has heard of the King's giant regiment, the famous Potsdam Grenadier guards, "my blue children" and "my long fellows," the old monarch colled them.

His words are more fatherly than were his actions, for these beloved "boys" were often kidnaped in the most brutal

father in 1732, says:
"In know of a shepherd 6 feet 4 inches. The Only Reason.

"Does dentists go to heaven, Willie?"

"Sure. They lets 'em in so's they kin put gold crowns on the angels."—Denver

be taken. His majesty issued orders that this mar should be lured to the frontier, "where he may be taken quietly and without fuss." A gentleman kidnaped a joiner in a box of his own making, intending to pre box of his own making, intending to present him to the giant guards, but on opening the case the victim was found dead from suffocation. As some one wrote: "The time when giants were the terror of other men has gone by and instead of mankind being their victims they become the victims of mankind." they become the victims of mankind."
The King's mania for his huge soldiers lasted all his life. For one Irish soldier

of 7 feet \$9000 was paid. The monarch spent much time in painting the soldiers' portraits. When the result was not like the original he changed the original to resemble the portrait.—Youth's Companion.

PLAYS IN A FRENCH TOWN. Performance by a Traveling Theatrical Company a Great Event.

The town usually receives two annual pany, and to satisfy the tastes of all the connoisseurs three and sometimes four er another. It is therefore almost use-

Half an hour before the curtain rose people, all bending their steps in the same direction.

The theater itself is a curiosity. At one time it had been a grain storehouse, and even today it sadly resembles its original state. But if there is no carpet it is not missed, for the floors are pet it is not missed, for the floors are covered with sawdust. And if the seats are so narrow that no really robust peroccupied by the mayor and the under-

Once having paid for his seat the "provincial" never leaves the theater un-til the end of the performance, whether it interests him or not, and as he is not accustomed to go so long without refreshment he carries a basket of pro-visions on his arm and regales himself between the acts. Certainly there are numerous persons who "look down" on this "vulgar custom," but they belong to the "smart set" and sit in the orchestra stalls. Nevertheless, even they carry boxes of bonbons and candied fruits in a convenient pocket, and pass them discreetly to their friends and neighbors

during the entire evening.

It would be impossible to describe the performance given by such a company under such conditions. Suffice it to say that the actors are usually people who have chosen that profession for the lack of something better, and oftentimes to keep from starving. Many of them have heavy debts in almost every town, and it is not astonishing to see a creditor go to the theater and pay for his seat in order to publicly reclaim his money.—Scribner's Magazine.

Rode a Hippopotamus.

The meeting here of Lord Selborne, high commissioner of South Africa, and Luanika ,paramount chief of Barotseland, was full of quaint incident.

Nothing could be more picturesque
than Luanika's arrival. A fleet of some 250 native dugout canoes came up the broad Zambesi, led by the chief's own enormous boat, with its crew of thirty

paddlers.

There broke from the hundreds of women assembled on the shore the royal song of welcome as Luaniki's craft drew nigh. Dressed in every imaginable bril-liant color, black faces shining and black eyes sparking with excitement, the wom-en marched slowly forward to the rhythmical clapping of hands, chanting as they went, to the river bank; and as they went, to the river bank; and then, with wild shrieks and peals of laughter, broke their ranks and raced to

bathe their hands and faces in the water in which the King's boat swam.

In the evening the paramount chief presented Lord Selborne with a young hippopotamus. This beast, which is perfectly tame and about half grown, had followed the chief's canoes 300 miles down the river from Lialui, taking no "I'll get her a silk skirt."

"How will that help!"

"She'll keep moving so as to make trustle."—Houston Post.

Her Vicious Dig.

"Why do you dislike him so?" asked down the river from Liaful, taking no more than a passing interest in the herds of wild "hippos" on the way. It slept pleacefully through the greater part of the presentation ceremony, and was finally gallantly mounted and ridden out of the courtyard by a member of the Paris Missionary society.—Sesheke Cor. London Daily Mail.

THE DOMINANT RIGHT.

A "Sinister Superstition" and Its Effects Upon the Human Mind.

It took a whole generation time of experiments and mechanics to learn that the engineer must stand or sit on the right side of his engine or cab in order that he could look ahead with his right or dominant eye only, and without sticking his entire head out, as he would have to do if he sat or stood on the left side. The railroad men never learned why this is so, do not know why today, and to make the desirable change in two American left passing double track railroads, while it would finally avoid expense and accidents, would cost at once many millions of dollars. Thousands of years ago knights and men fighting on foot or horseback had to approach and pass each other on the left in order to strike or spear each other with the right hand while the shield hand held the shield or the reins. The railway engineer, civil or locomotive, does not know that the knight was his right handed and right eyed progenitor and endower. the engineer must stand or sit on the Many a cent that was laid up for a rainy day goes to buy a \$100 parasol for posterity.—Town Topics. and right eyed progenitor and endower.

A flood of light is thrown upon histry, sociology and medicine, especially upon psychology, neurology and psychiatry, by left handedness and its sequels. Of every million born at least 30,000, or every million born at least 30,000, probably more, are naturally left handed, so that in the United States there are nearly 3,000,000, and in the world more than 45,000,000, thus handicapped. ent the minimum number of inches demanded is 64 for a candidate of 17, 65 for one of 18 and over. That soldiership is not a matter of measurement is shown in the case of Gen. Sheridan, whose height, 5 feet 4½ inches, would under the present conditions, barely admit him to the army. Whether the tall regiment of King Frederick William I. of Prussia possessed valor in proportion to their extra inches is not recorded. Probably not, as their presence in the army was for the most part forced and spectacular.

Everybody has heard of the King's more than 45,000,000, thus handicapped. An indefinite proportion of these have been or are being doubly cursed by the efforts of the foolish parent or teachers om ake them right handed. Sad suggestions and illustrations of the baleful results of the work of these improvers of nature exist in such simple facts as that "right," which should mean only dextral or right handed, has come to mean good, moral, advisable; and "left." or sinistral, has become sinister, awk-ward, unlucky, to be avoided, both person and thing. "Dextertity" and "dextrousness," properly meaning only "dextrousness," trousness," properly meaning only "dex-trality," have become synonymous with expertness and exceptional proficiency, whereas everybody knows that the left handed person, if purely so, is as cunning of hand as the right handed. Even the superstition of the "evil eye"—the non-dominant one—teaches the same lesson. In all ages, and now surely, there were often kidnaped in the most brutal manner. Officers were dispatched all over the country to look for tall men. Height was a dangerous attribute to possess. Travelers were held up and fields, hills and villages scoured for recruits, who, if they would not enlist voluntarily, were taken by force.

Crown Prince Frederick, writing to his fother in 1732 says. and writing, or its pernicious double placing and maleducation and crippling by "ambidetralists," throws upon the origin and fate of many stutterers, and upon many of the "hopelessly stupid," the laggards in school! How many of the mediaeval court jesters and the derided, the town fools, the kyphotics and cripples were products of the "sinister" superstition of the right handed tyrants?
And how many of the morbid minded and insane?—Dr. G. M. Gould in The Medical Record.

KOWTOWING.

A Chinese Custom to Which Foreigners Have Objected.

The Chinese censor has memorialized the throne on the necessity of abolishing the degrading custom of high native mindressing or replying to their majesties on bended knees. Kowtowing has been a fruitful theme for discussion and contro-versy ever since the nations of the west first invaded the shores of the great cen-tral kingdom. Hitherto the question concerned only those who came from foreign lands on diplomatic or other missions. No one for a moment thought of suggesting that the kowtow was a degrading custom so far as the Chinese high officials themselves were concerned. The kowtow before the throne consisted in kneeling three times and touching the ground with the head thrice at each gen-

uflexion pieces are given in the course of a single evening. The night I was present the "Two Orphans," "Camille" and "The Bells of Corneville" were given one aft-Western diplomats and others in China er another. It is therefore almost use-less to say that the performance com-menced at 6:30 o'clock and terminated somewhere between midnight and 2 a. m. Half an hour before the curtain rose Half an hour before the curtain rose a small boy went through the town ringing a large dinner bell, and as if by magic the streets began swarming with people all heading their store in the Emperor. Over twenty years elapsed the Emperor. Over twenty yea sult of his refusal to perform the mony Lord Amherst was never officially received by the Emperor, who issued an imperial edict to the effect that the Brit-

rules of politeness in vogue in the Celes-The French ambassador sent to China in 1844 received special instructions not son can sit in them there are at least to submit to the kowtow. These instructions, however, he ignored, as he held the opinion that ambassadors must conduct themselves according to the usages of the court to which they were accredited. The whole question during the last half century has assumed an altogether different aspect. For over one hundred years prior to the establishment of permanent foreign legations in the Chinese capital in 1860 European representatives were not accorded an imperial audience. Since that date the kowtow has never

been insisted upon. — North China Her-ald. The Great Seal of the Confederacy.

Regarding the story about the "trusted body servant" of Jefferson Davis, who was intrusted with the care of the Great Seal of the Confederacy with instructions never to tell where it was and who has resisted all attempts to induce him to be-tray his trust, the Live Oak Democrat remarks that the story is generally discredited and says:

"And now comes Prof. E. A. Pound, superintendent of public schools at Way-cross, Ga., brother of Editor Pound of the Taylor County Herald, in this state, and a gentleman of the highest character, who was formerly superintendent of the East Florida seminary at Gainesville, who says that the seal is in possession of Miss Belle Blackshear of Waycross, and he has himself had it in his hand. This would seem to settle the controversy, up less the Waycross seal is a counterfent which is not probable, as there has been which is not probable, as there has been no sufficient motive to make a counterfeit. Now let Miss Blackshear tell how she got the seal so that its authenticity may be determined. The Great Seal of the Confederacy is a historical relic of much value and we should get at the truth about its present location. Its prop-er place is the Confederate Museum at Richmond, Va."

It is rather singular that the whereabouts of a historical relic of such interest should have remained unknown, except to a few persons, for forty years.
The "trusted body servant" story has done good service in awakening interest in the subject.—Florida Times-Union.

Has Mania for Camels.

The Czar's one and only great aunt, the Grand Duchess of Alexandra-Josefovna of Russia, bought two pairs of camels some years ago while on a visit to the Caucasus, and at her lovely place outside St. Petersburg she devotes much of her time each summer to her somewhat anoman nots. She has now more what uncommon pets. She has now no fewer than seventeen of the animals and several zoological gardens in various Russian towns have been presented with camels bred on the grand duchess' esA Discoverer.

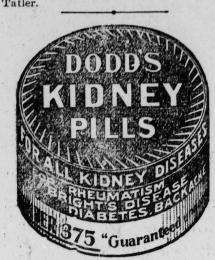
Bobby burst into the house in a state of high excitement. His hands and clothing were smeared with a liberal amount of some sticky substance, and his face were a glow of triumphant satisfac-

face wore a glow of triumphant satisfaction.

"I say, mamma, those new people across the way don't know much," he exclaimed. "They've got a sign on their front door that says, 'Wet paint."

"And you are covered with it. You ought to be ashamed of yourself," said his mother severely. "That sign was put up to warn people to keep away from it." "Yes, mamma," persisted Bobby, with the enthusiasm of a richly rewarded investigator, "but it wasn't paint and I knew it. It was varnish."

The mother's reply is not recorded.—Tatler.



A Gem from Indiana.

A reader for a New York publishing house gives the following, quoted from a story submitted by an Indiana authoress, as being about the choicest bit he has come across in many years: "Reginald was bewitched. Never had the baroness seemed to him so beautiful as at this moment, when, in her dumb grief, she hid her face."—Lippincott's.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever: and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the murous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Growth of Horse Power.

Steam and electric power employed in the manufactures of the United States amounted in 1905 to 14,641,544 horse

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS. PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded.

Was Rather Tame.



Grace-I heard that you were hurt in a football game recently? Harry-Oh! not of any account. I was only two days in the hospital.

A-1.

There recently entered the offices of the civil service commission at Washington a dashing young darky of perhaps twenty years of age, who announced to the oficial who received him that he desired to get papers for an examination. "From what state are you?" was the

nuestion put. The negro drew himself up proudly. "I am from the first state in the union. "New York?"

"No, sir; Alabama." "But," protested the official with a mile, "Alamaba is not the first state in

"Alphabetically speaking, sir, alphabetically speaking," said the negro.—Harper's Weekly.

BOTH GAINED.

Man and Wife Fatten on Grape-Nuts. The notion that meat is necessary for real strength and the foundation of solid flesh is now no longer as prevalent as formerly.

Excessive meat eaters are usually sluggish a part of the time because they are not able to fully digest their food, and the undigested portion is changed into what is practically a kind of polson that acts upon the blood and nerves, 'thus getting all through the system.

. "I was a heavy meat eater," writes an Ills. man, "and up to two years ago, was in very poor health. I suffered with indigestion so that I only weighed 95 pounds.

"Then I heard about Grape-Nuts and decided to try it. My wife laughed at me at first, but when I gained to 125 pounds and felt so fine, she thought she would eat Grape-Nuts too.

"Now she is fat and well and has gained 40 pounds. We never have indigestion any more and seldom feel the desire for meat. A neighbor of ours. 68 years old, was troubled with indigestion for years; was a heavy meat eater, and now since he has been eating Grape-Nuts regularly, he says he is well and never has indigestion. I could name a lot of persons who have really been cured of indigestion by changing from a heavy meat diet to Grape-Nuts.' "There's a Reason." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

DEN MOURNS HER DEAD KING Bernadotte, whose father was the peasant mayor of a little French village in the neighborhood of Pau, the cottage where the founder of the present reigning dynasty of Sweden was born being still shown to tour lists in the south of France. In addition to being short-sighted, Gustavus suffers from that curious physical defect known as barred teeth, which subject him at time to perfect martyrdom, and he is constantly in the hands of the most eminent dentists in Europe. Indeed, of all the royal patients of the late Dr. Thomas Evans, the Crown Prince of Sweden was the one who stood in the most frequent and constant need of his services. SWEDEN MOURNS

NATION BOWED IN GRIEF WHEN OS-CAR SUCCUMBS AND NEW

WAS MOST BELOVED MONARCH

Prizze Gustave a Strong-Minded Young
Man Upon Whom All Factions in
Kingdom Will Unite.

NO FUNERAL PREPARATIONS YET.

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 9.—Oscar II.,
King of Sweden, died at 9:10 o'clock Sunday morning. The death of the venerable monarch occurred in the royal apartment of the palace, where, surrounded by the members of his family, including the aged Queen Sophia and the crown prince, Oscar Gustav, and high ministers of state, the inevitable end-had been awaited, while outside the palace great crowds stood with bowed heads and tearful eyes long after the announcement came of the death of their well loved sovereign.

The whole country is bowed with grief. When the flag on the palace was dipped to half mast there was a moan of anguish from the assembled multitude any many cried, "Our dear old King is the death of his palace was a moan of anguish from the assembled multitude any many cried," "Our dear old King is the death of king is the death of king is the death of King is the server of the people.

Great Admirer of Kaiser.

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Son Becomes King in Fact.

The succession to the throne of Sweden has already passed to Oscar Gustav Adolphe, duke of Vermland, the oldest son of the late King.

At a meeting of the council of state the new King took the oath of allegiance under the title of Gustav V. and adopted the motto, "With the People for the Fatherland."

The princes then took the oath of allegiance and the new monarch accepted the homage of the state officials.

The last hours of the expiring monarch were passed in unconsciousness and up to the end he gave no sign of recognizing those about him. The Queen was grief-stricken because he could not bid her fareweil.

Has Support of His People.

Gustavus is the first of his line to enjoy the support and the consideration of the Swedish aristocracy. The latter is among the proudest, most influential and exclusive in Europe, but made a point of holding aloof from King Oscar and his three predecessors on account of the peasant blood in their veins and of their plebeian origin. They cannot forget that Marshal Bernadotte, the first King of the present line, owed his rise in life to the revolution, that he had taken part in the massacres of the French aristocracy and royal family, and that at his death the words "Death to the had always refused to allow his physicians to bleed him.

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In the palace courtyard in the dim cold gray mist stood a crowd of school-boys, King Oscar's most devoted friends. Here they had stood for hours, blue and shivering, watching the palace flagstaff. There also gathered many old men and women in rags, whom the King had always stopped to comfort with mild words and generous alms when he met them in the parks or streets, their faces tear stained because their beloved King and benefactor was dying.

Flag Falls as King Dies.

Suddenly the flag dropped to half mast and a wail of misery and sorrow arose.



NEW KING OF SWEDEN.

The old folk clasped their hands and prayed and wept aloud and the school-boys' lamentations were pitiful to hear. In a room near the death chamber the first marshal of the court read to the cabinet a draft of the new King's proclamation to the Swedish people.

One by one the ships in the harbor and the buildings throughout the city displayed the flag at half mast, and the people soon crowded the streets and open places near the palace, but all spoke in whispers, bearing witness to the kindliness of him who had departed and to the love they bore him.

In the death chamber knelt the heart-

In the death chamber knelt the heart-broken Queen, and gathered about her were her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren, praying for strength to bear their affliction. The church bells began to toll and the minute guns boomed. All Sweden mourned its loss.

SWEDEN'S NEW KING.

Prince Gustavus and His Views of Government and His Life.

Crown Prince Gustavus of Sweden ditfered from his father, King Oscar, in possessing little or no taste for literature or for science. Instead of being a theorist and a dreamer, he is essentially a man of action, all the romance that he may have inherited having been stamped out of his nature when he was forcedeas a young man to break off the engagement which he had made to marry the daughter of a Swedish country pastor with whom he had become infatuated, and to wed, not for love, but merely for state and dynastic reasons, the by no means attractive daughter of the Grand Duke and Grand Duchess of Baden.

The crown princess shares with her crown princess shares with her last the decision to make them Democratic chairman of the Kirby Risk, Democratic chairman of the Kirby Risk, Democratic chairman of the Crown Indiana district, who has in charge the organization of Bryan volunteer clubs in Indiana, is authority for unteer clubs in Indiana, is authority for the statement that within the next six ty days the states of Illinois, Wisconsin, Ohio and Michigan will be fully organized. It is the ultimate purpose to complete the organization of a national federation of Bryan clubs, but the decision to organize the states named indicates the decision to make them Democratic chairman of the Kirby Risk, Democratic chairman of the Crown base in Indiana, is authority for the statement that within the next six ty days the states of Illinois, Wisconsin, Ohio and Michigan will be fully organized. It is the ultimate, purpose to complete the organization of a national federation of Bryan clubs, but the decision to organize the states named indicates the decision to make them Democratic battle grounds in 1908. Indiana now has at least fifty Bryan volunteers. Grand Duke and Grand Duchess of Baden. The crown princess shares with her mother-in-law, the Queen of Sweden, the disadvantage of being subject to hypochondria. More or less imaginary aliments have ended by impairing not alone her physical condition, but likewise her mind, and for years she has been accustomed to spend ten months of every twelve either in the south of France or in Egypt, her husband, her children and the people of her adopted country seeing her but seldom. In fact, it is no exaggeration to assert that she is almost a stranger to them.

Gustavus a Big Fellow.

Gustavus is as tall as his father, though somewhat less broad and stalwart. That is to say, he stands considerably over six feet and would possess an imposing presence were it not for the shortness of his sight, which forces him to wear glasses, the latter naturally detracting from his military appearance. But for this he would present a striking resemblance to his greatgrandfather, the famous French Marshal

once," said a well known Baltimore

man, "and it was administered to me by

a native of the Cheat river region in

trict in question, and in the morning

was strolling about the place, asking all

sorts of questions. Presently I met a lanky mountaineer, who greeted me with

"I had stopped over night in the dis-

West Virginia.

A Gentle Hint. me, quite odd in a mountainous region, "I got a neat rebuke for my curiosity

I asked:
"Is it the custom of this country for the men to go without shoes?"
"'Waal,' the native drawled, 'some on us do, but most on us atten's to our own business."—Lippincott's.

Charms the Cobra.

Certain kinds of noises attract snakes. The whirr of the mowing machine is one. and in six months as many as 120 cobras 'Howdy' and passed the time of day alone have been killed on a grass farm in most pleasantly. Seeing that he was India by the advancing machine.—Medslone have been killed on a grass farm in barefooted, a circumstance, it seemed to ras Times.

OKLAHOMA ELECTS FIRST SENATORS

LEGISLATURE FORMALLY NAMES GORE AND OWEN TO THE UPPER HOUSE.

Great Admirer of Kaiser.

Has Support of His People.

New Queen of Sweden.

Pair Have Three Children, All Boys.

BIG LINER IN TROUBLE

KROONLAND BREAKS HER SHAFT

IN HEAVY GALE.

Kronprinz Wilhelm Brings News of Ac-

cident to Sister Ship Off

the Lizard.

telegram this morning from the Red

Star line steamer Kroonland saying that

this vessel had broken her shaft, at a

point to the westward of the Lizard,

during a heavy gale.

The Kronprinz Wilhelm arrived here

at 9:45 this morning from New York.

The Kroonland, Capt. Doxrud, left Ant

WISCONSIN BATTLE GROUND.

in Bryan Column.

LAPORTE, Ind., Dec. 9 .- [Special.

VILLAGE LEFT IN DARKNESS.

Fire at Iola, Wis., Destroys the Lighting

Plant.

REEDSBURG, Wis., Dec. 9.-[Spe-

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BOTH ARE DISTINGUISHED MEN

Last Named Is Blind, a Great Orator and Youngest Member of High National Body.

REPUBLICANS BADLY SWAMPED.

GUTHRIE, Ok., Dec. 10.-Robert Latham Owen of Muskogee and Thomas Prior Gore of Lawton, were formally elected to the United States Senate today by the Oklahoma Legislature. Both are Democrats.

The Republicans cast their votes for Charles G. Jones of Oklahoma City, Sunday. representative at large from Oklahoma county, and Clarence B. Douglas of

Owen was born at Lynchburg, Va., February 2, 1856. He is of Scotch-Irish ancestry with a mixture of Cherokee Indian blood. His father, Robert Owen, was a distinguished Confederate soldier and later became president of the Virginia & Tennessee railroad. The senator's mother was a daughter of Chisholm, the last hereditary war chief of the Cherokee nation. Senator Owen was educated at Washington and Lee universities. Since 1879 he has practiced law in the Indian territory. President Cleveland appointed him Indian agent for the five civilized tribes. He been active in the political affairs of the terirtory.

Gore Blind Man.

Senator Gore has the double distinction of being the first blind member of Victoria, as the consort of Gustavus, is as well fitted as her husband to play the part of a ruler. She had many advantages of education, being the favorite grand-daughter of the Empress Augusta, wife of Kaiser Wilhelm I. of Germany. The Grand Duchess of Baden, Victoria's mother, was the daughter of Augusta. Victoria is thus the cousin of the present ruler of Germany. the United States Senate and of being the youngest man in that body, being only 37 years old. His sight was de-stroyed during childhood when he was a page in the Senate of Mississippi, his native state. At that time he was boarding in the home of United States Senator J. Z. George and it is said these associations first inspired him with The new Queen of Sweden is a talented the dream of some day being United States senator, which has been his life's ambition. He was educated at Cumberland university at Lebanon, Tenn. He has great oratorical ability and is a law

TO PAY \$500 A MINUTE.

Penalty Imposed on Electric Company if It Is Tardy in Furnishing Power to Gotham Waterworks.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.-A penalty of \$500 a minute—the heaviest ever proposed by the city-is imposed in a contract just signed with the New York Edison company. The company must pay this if it fails within three minutes after a fire alarm is given to fur-The marriage of Gustavus took place or nish adequate power to operate pumps from the city's new high pressure water

September 20, 1881. Three sons were born to Gustavus and Victoria. Prince Gustavus and Victoria. Prince Gustavus Adolf, the present crown prince, was born November 11, 1882, being given the fittle of the Duke of Scania. The other two sons of the new King and Queen are Prince Wilhelm, Duke of Sodermaniand, born June 17, 1884, and Prince Erik, Duke of Vestmaniand, born April 20, 1889.

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The new high pressure fire service will be completed temorrow and John H.

O'Brien, water commissioner, has made a contract with the Edison company to supply the necessary power to operate water mains between Chambers and Twenty-third streets. a contract with the Edison company to the postmaster general, they will be the pumps. The new system has been installed at a cost of about \$2,500,000.

HOYT IS WITH BRYAN.

Senator Dubois and Mayor Dahlman of Omaha Also Talk Politics at Luncheon Party.

LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 10.—Senator Dubois of Idaho, Mayor Dahlman of Omaha, and Editor Hoyt of Milwaukee, today took luncheon with William J. Bryan. Senator Dubois arrived yester-PLYMOUTH, Dec. 9.-The steamer day afternoon. In company with Mr. Kronprinz Wilhelm received a wireless Bryan he met the others at the Burlington depot this morning. No statement was made of the matters under discussion, but it was not denied that the political situation was discussed. Mayor Dahlman and Mr. Hoyt will rediscussed. main in the city until tonight. Brown and a number of Lincoln Democrats met the visitors.

MILTON'S NAME FORGED.

Efforts to Be Made to Include Badgers Collector Who Paid \$1225 for Blind Poet's Bible Finds That He Was Taken In.

> NEW YORK, Dec. 10 .- The signatures of John Milton and his third wife, Elizabeth Milton on the fly-leaf of what has come to be known as the "John Milton family Bible," a book which was sold in New York the other day for \$1225, are forgeries, is now asserted by George H. Richmond, a dealer who was the purchaser of the book at the sale of the library of William H. Buckler of Baltimore, secretary of the American lega-tion at Madrid. Richmond submitted the signatures to experts in handwriting, in-cluding David N. Carvalho, who says the signatures are forgeries.

"GREENBACK" PLAN IS URGED. Thomas E. Watson, Populist, Airs Money Views Before President.

IOLA, Wis., Dec. 9.—[Special.]—Fire totally destroyed the planing mill and electric light plant of Frogner Brothers & Sons. The loss is partly covered with insurance. The company will sustain a WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 10.-The financial situation from the standpoint of loss of at least \$5000. As the company furnishes the business places with lights, an alvocate of the greenback system was an alvocate of the greenback system was discussed in a conversation between President Roosevelt and Thomas E. Watson, who was the candidate of the Populist party for the Presidency of the United States in 1904 and the Populist candidate for vice president in 1896 on the same ticket with William J. Bryan. To what extent he interested Mr. Roosevelt is not dvulged. cial.]—A \$7500 fire destroyed the entire stock of groceries, wall paper, paints and holiday goods of Charles Sommers. The building was owned by George Hilbert and was damaged \$1000 to \$1500. The

Paid for His Own Capture.

Several weeks ago the sherif of Payne county was notified that a reward of \$25 had been offered for the arrest of Thomas Smith and his return to Winfield, Kas. Smith was supposed to be in this portion of Oklahoma. Thomas Hoyt, a deputy sheriff, located Smith at the home of relatives near here and placed him in jail at Stillwater. Smith had a large sum of money in his posses-sion. The sheriff at Winfield was notified and came to Stillwater for his prisoner. "That's the man, all right," said the

Kansas sheriff. "I'll start back with him on the first train. When I get home I'll send you the money."
"Not if I know it," said Deputy Hoyt.

"I need the money now."

The Kansas sheriff was vexed.

"Why not borrow the money from
Smith?" suggested the Oklahoman. The Kansas grinned at this display of Oklahoma nerve and said he would try it. He went to the jail and in a short time returned with the money and paid the reward and started with Smith to Kansas.—Kansas City Star.

CHICAGO CLOSING SURE

HEALY TO GIVE NO QUARTER TO SALOONS ON SUNDAY.

States Attorney Makes Announcement After Issuing Warrants for Hotel Proprietors.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 10.-State's Attorney John J. Healy, announced last night that he would enforce the laws so as to close every saloon in Chicago on

This announcement came in an address he delivered at a meeting of the Muskogee, editor of the Phoenix. The former led the fight for a union of the two territories into one state, spending much time in Washington. He was assisted by Mr. Douglas.

The Legislature is overwhelmingly Democratic.

Owen Is Part Indian.

Owen was born at Lynchburg, Va., February 2, 1856. He is of Scotch-Irish ancestry with a mixture of Cherokee Inthe city that will result eventually not only in Sunday observance, but in shorter hours for the saloons and the wiping out of many disorderly places leagued with vice and crime.

NO MORE "BLUE" SUNDAYS.

New York Board of Aldermen Will Probably Modify Amusement Curb.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—There is every prospect that New York's intensely "blue" Sundays will end with the first one. The board of aldermen met today and there was introduced an ordinance which, insofar as the power of the board reaches, gives amusement seekers at least something to do on Sunday. The state law prevents "performances on the stage" but there seems to be no provistage" but there seems to be no provisions in the statutes or in the city charter, which prevents concerts, either vocal or instrumental. The ordinance allows concerts, such as those usually given at the two opera houses, the symphony concerts given by the Damrosch orchestra at Carnegie hall, and allows moving picture shows and arcades to run as usual. Even a modified sort of vaudeville is permitted.

SECOND CLASS MAIL

Congress is Asked to Amend the Law Governing the Rate of Postage.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 10.-The report of the third assistant postmaster general proposes that second class mail matter be subjected to the following changes and regulations:

That sample copies be restricted to 10 per cent. of the weight of the copies mailed, this privilege to be cumulative

during a period of one year.

The department heretofore has not attempted to deal with the practice on the part of some publishers of mailing for an indefinite period papers to per sons whose subscriptions have expired. and no rules upon that subject have been H. promulgated. It is now proposed to make such rules, and, with the approval of

somewhat as follows: somewhat as follows:
Subscriptions for daily newspapers will be regarded as expired subscriptions after the expiration of ninety days from the end of the term for which they were paid.

Those for semi-monthly, monthly, bimonthly and quarterly periodicals will be regarded as expired subscriptions after the expiration of four months from the end of the term for which they were paid.

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Expired subscriptions, as herein defined.

Expired subscriptions, as herein defined, will not be counted in the "legitimate list of subscribers," but copies may be mailed on account thereof at the transient second-

on account thereof at the transient second-class postage rate.

Hereafter, whenever any piece of domes-tic second-class matter, except that upon which postage shall have been prepaid by stamps affixed, remains undelivered at a postoffice for a period of thirty days, the same shall, under such regulations as the postmaster general may prescribe, be re-turned to the publisher thereof, charged with postage at the third-class rate—1 cent for each two ounces or fraction thereof. And provided further, that the failure of any publisher to pay such postage charges shall be deemed cause warranting the re-vocation of the publisher's privilege to mail such publication at the second class post-age rates until such postage indebtedness to the postoffice department is liquidated. Congress is asked to amend the law Congress is asked to amend the law governing the rate of postage on second class matter, so as to restrict the free county privilege to matter that is not delivered by city, rural, star route, or other carrier.

A reduction in the postage rate on books of the mailable class is proposed.

BOSTON HAS ELECTION. Mayor Fitzgerald, Democrat, Candidate

for Re-election-Independence League Vote Unknown Quantity. BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 10.—Boston will today elect a mayor, a street com-

missioner, two members of the school board, thirteen aldermen and seventyfive councilmen. Mayor John F. Fitzgerald, Democrat, is a candidate for re-election. Estimates at Democratic head-quarters predict for Mayor Fitzgerald safe plurality. Postmaster George A. Hibbard, the

Republican candidate, say there will be a landslide for him and the rest of the Republican ticket. The vote of the Independence league followers is an unknown quantity.

At the state election John B. Moran, the Independence league candidate for district attorney, received in the city a substantial plurality over the Republican and Democratic candidates, and John A. Coulthurst, the league's candidate for mayor, declares that he will increase the vote given to Moran.

KROONLAND NEARS SOUTHAMPTON. Disabled Red Star Liner to Transfer Passengers and Then Drydock.

SOUTHAMPTON, Dec. 10.-The Red Star line S. S. Kroonland, which yester-day sustained a broken shaft, is expected here this evening. She will be dry-docked for repairs. Her passengers will be transferred to the Majestic, which will leave here tomorrow for New York via Cherhoure

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"The late Sir William Henry Perkin, the inventor of coal tar dyes," said a Philadelphia chemist, "had a singularly lucid mind. I once heard him talking about the missionary movement.

"Sir William had been for years a warm supporter of this movement, and he praised it highly, but he condemned certain phases of it, illustrating the phase he meant by a quotation from a letter—a letter written by the notable Capt. Davis to Secretary Walsingham about the conversion of the Indians.

"The letter ran:

"If these people (the Indians) were "If these people (the Indians) were applied to the inventor of the conversion of the Indians) were anything, in fact, when they saw the red

"'If these people (the Indians) were once brought over to the Christian faith they might soon be brought to relish a more civilized kind of life, and be thereby induced to consume greater quantities of our coarser woolen manufactures."—Washington Star.

NEW STRENGTH FOR OLD BACKS.

No Need to Suffer Every Day from Backache.

Joannah Straw, 526 North Broadway, Canton, S. D., says: "For ceaseless aching in

the kidney secre-

gan with Doan's Kidney Pills and they certainly did wonders for me. Though I am 81 years old, I am as well as the average woman of 50. I work well, eat well and sleep well."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Sir Thomas Lipton's Shop Boy. Sir Thomas Lipton has committed many generous acts during his life, about which he can never be induced to talk. He is fond, however, of telling of an incident which happened in his early days, concerning an astute mother who forced him to raise her son's wages because Sir Thomas had presented him with a brand new suit of clothes. Sir Thomas started business with one assistant, a boy of 14, who was willing and honest. One day the lad was overheard complaining that his clothes were heard complaining that his clothes were so shabby that he was unable to go to chapel. Mr. Lipton, as he then was, was making every sacrifice to enlarge his little shop, but he took a sovereign from his carefully hoarded savings and bought the boy a suit of blue cloth. The next day the boy didn't come to work, and Mr. Lipton meeting his mother on and Mr. Lipton, meeting his mother on the street, asked her the reason. "Why, Mr. Lipton," she said, curtseying, "Jimmie looks so respectable, thanks to you, sir, that I thought I would send him round the town today to see if the couldn't get a better job." Sir Thomas meekly took the hint and offered another two shillings a week which was according to the same of the same of

Electricity and Vegetables.

er two shillings a week, which was accepted on behalf of Jimmie by his moth-

Considerable progress has been made in the use of electricity in cultivating farm and garden products. Sometimes a wire netting is stretched across a field just high enough not to touch the growing plants. Through this a current is circulated. Other experiments have circulated. Other experiments have made use of charged wires underground near the roots of the plants. By the overhead network method it is said that strawberries increased in product from 50 to 180 per cent., corn from 35 to 40, and other products in proportion. Some scientists claim that an average of 45 per cent, could be obtained with nearly all crops on fertile land by the electric current. Whether or not the current could be supplied and a profit maintained is questionable.—Pathfinder.

The Force of Habit.

The flames crackled omniously, the water bubbled in the great pot, and seated in the shade of . palm the naked savages began to sharpen their cruel

"Is there no hope?" murmured doomed commercial traveler.

"None," hissed the ebon chief.
"Then," said the young man, pointing to his sample case, "if you are determined to eat me, at least let me ask you, as a last favor, to try our brand of mustard with the feast. I am convinced that one trial will secure us your permanent patronage and I—" But strong arms seized him here, there

was a splash, and all was over.—Los An-

Save 40 Per Cent. of Your Fuel. Write for price list and testimonials. Economy Fuel Saver Co., Minneapolis.

Many Cheap Amusements.

New York city is making a marvelous growth in the direction of cheap amusements. There are now 400 one-cent, five-cent and dime places of entertainment, where there was not one ten years ago

Every Woman in town will be glad to know that local grocers now have in stock "OUR-PIE," a preparation in three varieties for making Lemon, Chocolate and Custard pies. Each 10-cent package makes two pies. Be sure and order to-day.

Cut Many Diamonds Annually. In Amsterdam there is a factory where 400,000 diamonds are cut annually. Most of the work is done by wom-

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Products of actual excellence and reasonable claims truthfully presented and which have attained to world-wide acceptance through the approval of the Well-Informed of the World; not of individuals only, but of the many who have the happy faculty of selecting and obtaining the best the world affords.

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OKLAHOMA AS A COTTON STATE.

It was along about 1890 that a negro, E. P. McCabe, ex-auditor of Kansas, with two associates, acquired 320 acres of land near Guthrie, laid out a town site, and induced some 2000 negroes from the south to settle there. But the town, having nothing to support it, was a failure; the inhabitants were scattered. Still three years I suffered everything with rheumatism in my limbs and a dull, ceaseless aching in ceaseless aching in the business men of that city a wondermy back. I was ful story of cotton. Recognizing in the weak, languid, bro-ken with headaches and dizzy spells and the kidney secre-tive weak, languid, bro-black-jack soil a close similarity to that of the Georgia cotton lands, some of them had planted a few seeds, which, somehow, had clung to their effects when the kidney secretions were thick with solids. I was really in a critical to Guthrie to solicit aid in sending south condition when I be- for seed enough to plant crops the follow-

ing spring.

No one knew about cotton in Oklahoma, and for a long time no one would listen to them. But at length they found a man who was interested. He drew others in, a carload of seed was bought and distributed among the negroes, and in the spring of 1893 the first cotton crop was planted in Oklahoma.—G. W. Ogden in Everybody's.

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Will Break Up a Cold in 24 Hours or Cure Any Cough that Is Curable.

Mix half pint of good whisky with two ounces of glycerine and add onehalf ounce Concentrated oil of pine. The bottle is to be well shaken each time and used in doses of a teaspoonful to a tablespoonful every four hours. The Concentrated oil of pine comes in one-half ounce vials packed securely in birchwood cases which are intended to protect it from light and retain all the original ozone. Don't use bulk oil of pine or imitations of Concentrated. They are insoluble and work havoc to the kidneys. Any druggist has the Concentrated oil of pine. It will also be found a most excellent remedy for mas tree. lumbago and all forms of uric acid rheumatism. For this purpose it is taken raw, a few drops on sugar at within. It can be removed when they have become accustomed to window night and morning.

Concentrated oil of pine is the results of many years' experimenting by one of Philadelphia's foremost doctors, who after endless research at last secured a truly soluble oil of pine, so cured a truly soluble oil of pine, so zling aspect, with a tendency to become make sure to get the real thing. It acute as the festal day approaches. also makes an excellent salve to be applied externally on the chest or saucerful of hot lard and applied hot

Where Snails Are Eaten.

France is the premier snail producing nation, although Austria, Bavaria and Switzerland have thousands of snail farms, where the famous escargots are raised and fattened on vine leaves. The demand for snails in France is far too great for the supply to be left to chance, and thus it comes about that snail farming is an important industry. Paris alone consumes millions between September and May, when these little creatures are at their best.

In great cities of Europe are stores devoted entirely to them, each ornamented by an immense gilt snail over the door as a sign. Huge tubs of snails in the rough are displayed, and there are besides dishes of carefully prepared mol-lusks all ready for eating. These have been cooked, extracted from their shells and minced. The meat is then mixed with butter, chopped parsley and herbs, and the shells, trimmed and made attractive, are refilled with this prepared

The most popular snails today come from Dijon and Macon, in Burgundy, where they are fed on vine leaves, and the parks, as the local snail farms are called, open their gates in the month of August, when the little creatures bestir themselves actively.—Chicago News.

ECZEMA COVERED BABY.

Worst Case Doctors Ever Saw-Suffered Untold Misery-Perfect Cure by Cuticura Remedies. "My son, who is now twenty-two

years of age, when four months old began to have eczema on his face, spreading quite rapidly until he was nearly covered. The eczema was something terrible, and the doctors said it was the worst case they ever saw. At times his whole body and face were covered, all but his feet. I used many kinds of patent medicines, to no avail. A friend teased me to try Cuticura. At last I decided to try Cuticura when my boy was three years and four months old, having had eczema all that time and suffering untold misery. I began to use all three of the Cuticura fund of information as to the best methods Remedies. He was better in two of promoting health and happiness and months; in six months he was well. right living and knowledge of the world's Mrs. R. L. Risley, Piermont, N. H., Oct. 24, 1905."

Not by Observation.

One question asked United States Senator Beveridge regarding his book, "The Young Man of the World," was: Young Man of the World, was:
"Senator, how did you learn all those things you tell young men in your book?"
"The constor's eyes twinkled. "What

The senator's eyes twinkled. "What is the best way to learn?" he asked. "Experience," hazarded his questioner. "Exactly," replied the senator. "But, senator, you point out all sorts of mistakes that it is wise for a young

man to avoid. "Yes?" "How did you learn about those mistakes?" "Well," replied the senator thoughtfully and conservatively, "it was not by observation."—Indianapolis Star.

England Builds Many Ships.

It appears that, excluding warships, there were 450 vessels of 1,080,087 tons gross, under construction in the United Kingdom at the close of the quarter ended September 30 last.

Christmas Reading

Christmas Puddin' Is O. K., Says Lancet.

The London Lancet has taken up the cudgels in defense of the Christmas pudding and entirely exonerating it from the charge of indigestibility so frequently hurled against it after the Christmas

The writer of an article which takes the form of an editorial argues that in such cases the correct diagnosis is "too many good things." Is Really a Star Food.

He observes that it is hardly possible to conceive of a more complete food than the Christmas pudding, for a glance at the ingredients shows at once that all classes of food material are abundantly

represented. The Christmas pudding is a meal for a hungry man and not merely a bonne bouche for him, who, by the time the pudding has come to the table, already has eaten enough of other strong foods. The procedure connected with the preparation and cooking of the plum pudding, the reader is assured, is physiologically sound.

Tis a Meal in Itself. After analyzing the favorite Christ-mas dish the Lancet concludes with the pointed comment:
"The Christmas pudding is eaten at the wrong moment—that is to say, when an already sufficient, not to say excessive, quantity of food has been taken, for it could form a complete and easily digestible meal by itself."

A Birds' Christmas Tree

Why not have a Christmas tree for the birds this winter? We put up such a tree every year, says a writer in Suburban Life. We made a broad shelf outside the window and fastened a small pine tree firmly upon it. As winter draws near, we fasten some

pieces of suct to trees about the house and scatter chaff and hayseed in the yard to bring the birds about. They soon gather to the feast.

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Then when it is almost Christmas time we put up our birds' tree and supply it liberally with suet. We cover the shell with burlap, which helps to hold the chaff we scatter there.

The birds soon fina this food, and as the supply is constantly renewed, the window becomes their favorite resort, particularly in snowy weather, when their usual fare is hard to obtain. Jays.

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chickadees, nut-hatches, woodpeckers, snowbirds, song sparrows, tree sparrows and myrtle warblers come to the Christ-If they are shy at first we use a lace sash curtain, for they cannot see through this, while they are plainly visible from

Christmas Gifts for 50 Cents.

For the woman with a lean purse, a large heart and many friends and relatives Christmas buying takes on a puz-

Hints for buying are appreciated dear-ly by this class. Here are some that are applied externally on the chest or sure to be helpful, any one of which bruised parts. For this purpose a teamay be purchased for 50 cents: For spoonful of the raw oil is added to a grandmother of the family, clock with white face, lace collar, work bag, fan, sofa pillow top, hemstitched collars and cuffs, a dainty handkerchief, a book, or a pretty shade for her lamp.

For grandfather, pair of slippers, to-bacco pouch, silver key chain, silk muf-

fler, book markers, magnifying glass, gloves, paper cutter, desk calendar, or a letter file.

For mother, growing plant, flowers, pretty fan, pillow top, hemstitched hand-kerchiefs, veil pin, collars and cuffs, calendar, a birthday book, a dainty piece of china, doilies, bureau scarf or a laundry book

dry bag.
For father, something for his desk, For father, something for his desk, cigar jar, shaving paper case, good almanac, paper cutter, silver key ring, wallet, ash tray or pipe, clothes brush or new photograph in a leather frame.

For elder sister, picture, candlesticks, card case, silver thimble, muff chain, monogram, stationery, belt buckles, Indian necklace, rose bowl, hat pin, seal, fan, belt pin, or a work bag. fan, belt pin, or a work bag.

For the young man of the family.

sleeve buttons, silver pencil, coat hanger, sofa cushion cover, penknife, cigar cutter, leather collar box, satchel tag, linen table cover or a photograph frame for his room.

For little girl, dolls, games, workbox,

skates, string of beads, or a music roll.

For small boy, baseball, games, studs, face mask, penknife, stamp book, skates, books, or a box of paints.

For smaller boy, train of cars, locomotive skates, transparent late. motive, skates, transparent slate, boat, hoop and stick, blocks, track, tin sol-

diers, humming top, a small tent, or a pair of rabbits. For baby, dress studs, carriage boots, rag doll, flannel kimono, woolly dog, bib pin, lace bib, silver rattle, or a woolly

Presents for the minister, wallet, sil ver key ring, stamp case, sermon case, card case, book rack, calendar.

For sick friend, flowers, fruit, pretty tray, bed slippers, cracker jar, night

lamp, crystal vase, piece of china, silver or glass, or a humorous book.

For the servants, gloves, handkerchiefs, workbasket, belt, underclothes, writing tablet, neck ribbons or a pretty handkerchief or muffler.

The postman, the policeman on duty in your vicinity, the newsboy, the woman who comes in occasionally for a day's work, the seamstress, the teacher of your children should also be remembered with some pretty little trifle that will show your thought of each at holi-day time.

The Christmas Spirit.

That the Christmas spirit is abroad in the land is beyond contradiction. The season of gift-giving is at hand and the people are moved thereby. It will be a great Christmas this year, the greatest ever known in this Christian land, for the country is greater this Christmas than ever before. With the feeling that permeates the atmosphere, one can almost pardon and accept the extravagance of the dear old lady in the anecdote who declared: "I have known thousands declared: and thousands of Christmases, but I never knew one like this." Truly, this never knew one like this." Truly, this country has never known a Christmas season when plenty, peace and prosperity were so general. Stand on the mountain top of Good Will and look about. We are at peace with all the world, and as a nation we are admired by all the world. As a people we lead in the achievements of the world, and in industry art science literature the endustry, art, science, literature—the entire range of man's work—we are foremost. As individuals we are busy and prosperous. There is no bloodshed on the battlefield; there is no war between labor and capital; the wheels of indus-try are "working overtime." and men and women are working all the time. The barns and granaries are full, and no man in the land who is willing to

work but has a good coat on his back and money in his pocket. These mate-rial things have much to do with the Christmas spirit, but love in the hear!

and a song in the soul have more.

There are "Tiny Tims" amongst us. it is true, with their frail bodies and their crippled and iron-braced limbs, and here and there we meet "Old Scrooge;" but "Tiny Tim" sings us a song and the "Cheerible Brothers" meet us at every turn and greet us at every soing and the "Cheerible Brothers' meet us at every turn and greet us at every corner. And even "Old Scrooge," as we all remember, yielded to the Christmas spirit and raised the wages of his clerk and dined with the nephew to whom he had been unkind. Let us so nourish and cherish this Christmas spirit that it may not be the companion of an hour or a day; rather make it the welcome guest in the home of our hearts for the year. day; rather make it the welcome guest in the home of our hearts for the year to come, and other years; so welcome that it will be loath to depart, but will prove itself the true Christmas spirit, the spirit of Christianity, that abideth for all time and even unto enternity. May we, every one of us, be so embraced by this Christmas spirit that each may joyfully sing to all his brothers: "God rest you, merry gentlemen; let nothing you you, merry gentlemen; let nothing you dismay."

IN THE LABOR WORLD.

Unions affiliated with the American Federation of Labor public 245 weekly or monthly papers devoted to the cause

The second quarter of this year resulted in an increase in wages for 7640 men employed in the building trades of

The International Brotherhood of Teamsters has spread over the United States and Canada and has an agregate membership of over 125,000.

A settlement of the boilermakers' strike on the Pacific division of the Harriman roads, which threatened to extend to all roads in which Harriman is interested, has been made.

Martin Fox, whose death was an-Martin Fox, whose death was announced recently, was the president of the Iron Molders' union from 1900 to 1903, and to him is attributed a large share of the credit for the upbuilding of

The new death benefit system of the Hatters' Internation union calls for \$100 for the first five years or less and increases at the rate of \$10 for each year the man has been a member of

Labor organizations in New York state have a membership of more than one-fourth of the total number of votes. The aggregate membership of the 2459 unions is 414,712, including 12,515 women members.

The typographical union of Denver has taken steps to have sanitary rules carried out in printing offices in that city. It will, through a committee, pay particular attention to light and ventila-

President Davis of the Alaska Mine Workers' union has succeeded in his effort to form an alliance with the Western Federation of Miners, and it is said that there will be a renewal of the war-fare between the miners' union and the operators in the Tanana (Alaska) dis-trict when the sluicing season begins next April.

Why Mr. Spooner Left Public Life. (Minneapolis Tribune.)

None of the explanations of the resignation of Senator Spooner of Wisconsin was satisfactory. He was perhaps the foremost member of the most important legislative body in the country. He remained a popular idol in his state in spite of loss of power by the men with whom he had been associated. He could have been returned indefinitely.

He was not a poor man and his sim-ple tastes and modest life contradicted the perfunctory explanation that he re sumed practice to make money. The reason for his refusal to be a candidate six years ago was removed before his election. Why, then, did Spooner leave

election. Why, then, did Spooner leave the Senate?

The reason begins to appear. He desired to recover his freedom of speech. He was a responsible leader, not only in the Senate, but in the party. He felt the obligations of that position most solemnly. He had been the representative and defender of three Republican Presidents in the Senate. He could not abdited. dents in the Senate. He could not abdicate that position and remain.

He served Roosevelt as he had served McKinley and, in his previous term of service, Harrison. Roosevelt used him, as the others had used him. The value as the others had used him. The value of such a supporter in Congress is appreciated by the most self-confident President. Spooner had nothing to complain of in his treatment by the President, nor had the President anything to complain of in him.

But the men drifted apart, as the President drifted apart, as the President drifted apart, as the

President drifted away from other Republican leaders. Spooner differed from the rest in unwillingness to continue lip service against his convictions, to laud the President in public and criticise him in private; even to preserve a sullen silence when he was attacked by the Democrats. To the end he was the President and the statement of the president and the statement of the statemen

dent's champion on the floor.

Now we can measure the strong sense of duty to party that made him so by the freedom and keenness of his public cr.ticism. In private life it is his care to defend the constitution; it is no longer his duty to defend a nominal party head. He resigned, not to get money or to escape defeat, but to regain the right to speak his mind. This is un-usual in public life.

A War of Extermination.

Denmark has begun in good earnest its war of extermination against the rat.
The killing of rats is stimulated by the government's offer of a bounty for every rat killed. In eighteen weeks the slaughter of rats in the city of Copehagen amounted to 103,000, and the bounty amounted to 103,000, and the bounty paid for them to \$3680. It is calculated that allowing half a cent a day for the value of the food consumed and the destruction of property accomplished by each rat, the killing of 103,000 rats effects a saving of \$195,000 a year. It is more than this, for rats breed four or five times a year, and the 103,000 rats would have had a numerous progeny whose consumption of food and destruction of property would have been added

tion of property would have been added to theirs, but is now prevented.

However, it is not the waste which rats accomplish with their teeth that has occasioned the Danish campaign against them. It is the recognition of rats as spreaders of disease. Years ago the declaration was made by scientists that rats play an important part in spreading the germs of pneumonia. More recently the germs of pneumonia. More recently the dissemination of the bubonic plague has been laid to the rats. Now they are charged with responsibility for carrying the terrible scourge of trichinosis. The rat is declared to be the primary host of trichina spiralis, and it is conceived that getting rid of the rat will protect the pigs and also protect the human beings who use the flesh of swine. numan beings who use the flesh of swine

The campaign against the rats is there-fore a part of the campaign of sanitation. It is expected that Germany and other nations will soon join Denmark in its war of extermination against the rats. Evening Wisconsin, Milwaukee.

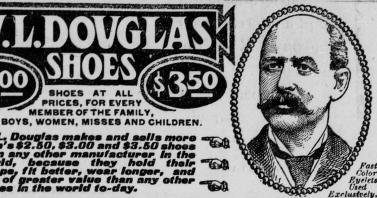
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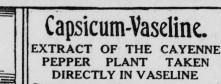
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Immense figures were handled easily at the general convention of the Episcopalians, it being shown that the total resources of the church for 1907 for all purposes were \$52,257,219, as compared with \$47,005,405 in 1904.

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Rapid River Locals.

Charles Bellstrom had a hair raising interview with a big bear at Lathrop last week. Several have been sighted there lately. Mr. Bellstrom met this one at close range and decided that he was too raw to be good eating.

The only load of Christmas trees shipped this year was taken by Dave Shampo and William Rushford to Milwankee last week.

The U. & I. club will give the Christmas dance at Hocks' Hall Friday, December 27. It will be a masquerade, and prizes are offered for the best characters.

Rev. H. F. Sayles is holding religious services at the Congregational church this week and next. The discourses are illustrated with stereopticon views.

John Kniskern, Jr. and Mary Whaples were married Tuesday by Justice

Mrs. Johnson, who has been quarantined for smallpox, will be released this of the necessity of conserving the tim-

Jerry Madden Co. John Darrow transacted business in

Gladstone Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Viets drove to Gladstone Thursday. Lester White and Blanche Boyer

Milton Buchanau of Gladstone visited here Sunday.

were married Saturday by Justice

Mrs. R. Houston is very ill.

Miss Vicery's room was closed for repairs for a few days.

The Maccabees will serve an oyster supper next Wednesday, for the benefit

The R. N. A. have elected officers as Mrs. D. D. Perry Vice Oracle____Miss Elizabeth Hruska Recorder Mrs. Hamilton Chancellor Mrs. Cardin Receiver ____ Miss Anna Buchman I. S. Mrs. Thompson O. S.Mrs. G. Darling

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The bureau of forestry at Washington calls attention to the plan of a lumber company operating in Sonora and Chihuahua, Mexico, which sets an example worthy of emulation by other large corporations that are denuding forest lands. It states that this company is cutting timber from holdings which aggregate 2,564,000 acres. As rapidly as the trees are felled the tops are made into fuel and the slashings are burned; and then, when the inflammable material is disposed of the denuded area is replanted with trees of the same species as those cut. It is figured that by this process the company will always have a crop coming, and instead of skinning the land for all time and abandoning it to fire and erosion will insure certain profit for the future. This wise handling of timber lands is cited as an example of the highest importance, as it reveals an appreciation ber supply and making provision for Mike Schraw has gone scaling for the the future wherever lands are denuded.

> The Cleveland-Cliffs Iron Co. has been putting in practise scientific forestry in this peninsula for several years, and there is a proposition on foot to have the state reforest a portion of its waste lands. The science is almost a new one in America, but it has great

-Evening Wisconsin.

WILL USE CASHIER'S CHECKS.

While the date of the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company's payday has not yet been announced it is expected that' the first will occur on Monday the others following daily. The cashier's checks will be us d again this month by all of the local mining corporations, the percentage of cash distributed being the same as that given out last month. It is reported in financial circles that money is much easier now than it was a month ago, when the mining companies were obliged to pay from 2 to 3 per cent for currency given in exchange for their checks. The average rate prevailing at this time is 1 per cent. Should the mining companies be obliged to pay even the latter amount for the use of the currency the aggregate would be considerable where the pay rolls are large .-

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puts into the hands of the executive officers of the government a tremendous range No. 23 west, and will offer proof to show authority. There is no king, no emperor, autocrat in the world who wields and to establish his claim to said land before such authority, such power, as the pre. Clerk of the Circuit Court at Escanaba, Mich. sident of the United States. We will on Friday the 27th day of December, 1907. suppose the time should come-God forbid that it ever should come—that there | Adelor Leduc, Fred Gerou, John Gerou and Frank Klotz, all of Perkins, Mich. should be in the post of president a man should be in the post of president a man who has gained such influence over the hearts of the whole people that they behearts of the whole people that they become deaf to the suggestions of wisdom, and give to his ambition a free sway and an open field. Suppose that he sets aside, little by little, the restraints of TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878. the constitution. Suppose that he tramples upon that great principle of personal liberty which is the noblest inheritance that our fathers have left us because it is the very life of the republic; suppose that he tramples down that principle; the executive power is in his hands, even the courts incline to subserviency, the army follows and obeys him. Where, then, is the safeguard of this day filed in this office his sworn statement the public liberty against his ambi-

-- From Charles A. Dana's lecture before the Wisconsin Editorial association at Milwaukee on Tuesday July 24, 1888:

First publication Nov.30, 1907. CONTEST NOTICE.

> Department of the Interior. LAND OFFICE AT MARQUETTE, MICH. Nov. 25, 1907

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Joseph Anderson, contestant, against Homestead entry No. 9051, made Nov. 26, 1898, for sw 1/4 of nw 1/4, section 26, their claims in this office on or before said 4th township 40 north, range 21 west, by Wilhelm Lindgren contestee, in which it is alleged that Wilhelm Lindgren has wholly abandoned said land and changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making his entry and next prior to the date herein; that said tract is not settled upon, improved or cultivated by said entryman, as required by law, and that that said entryman has not resided upon. improved or cultivated said land for a period of five years, as required by law; and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer seaman or marine during the war with Spain, or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged; said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said day filed in this office his sworn statement allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 9, No. 1827, for the purchase of the n1/2 of ne1/4 of 1908, before Clerk of the Circuit Court for section No. 1, in Township No. 41 north, range Delta County, at Escanaba, Mich. and that No 26 west, and will offer proof to show that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on January 16, 1908, before * the Register and or stone than for agricultural purposes, and

Marquette, Mich. The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed November 25, 1907, 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.

JAMES J. DONOVAN, JOHN JONES,

above-described lands are requested to file day of February, 1908.

JAMES J. DONOVAN,

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,

He names as witne

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 27th day of December, 1907.

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First publication November 9, 1907. TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.—NO-TICE FOR PUBLICATION. UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE.

MARQUETTE, MICH. November 2, 1907. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of ine 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale o mber lands in the states of California, Ore gon Nevada. and Washington Territory," xtended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892, Ludvig Brandso, of Escanaba, unty of Delta, state of Michigan, has his day filed in this office his sworn statement No 1852, for the purchase of the nw ¼ of se ¼ of section No. 14, township No. 43 north, range No. 25 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to stablish his claim to said land before Register nd Receiver at Marquette Mich., on Thursday, e 16th day of January, 1908.

He names as witnesses John A. Metzger, of Masonville Mich, Wilam Luce, of Rapid River, Mich, Patrick Lamau, of Escanaba, Mich, and John Nilsen of Escanaba, Mich.

Any and all persons claiming adversely th pove described lands are requested to file heir claims in this office on or before said 16th y of January, 1908.

JAMES J. DONOVAN,

First publication October 19, 1907. IMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, MARQUETTE, MICH. October 12, 1907. Notice is hereby given that in compliar te the provisions of the act of Congress of

Tune 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale 0 timber lands in the States of California, Oregon. Nevada and Washington Territory," a extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, William Klotz, of Perkins county of Delta, State of Michigan, has this "In this free country our constitution No. 1826, for the purchase of the nw 1/4 of se 1/4 of section No. 4, in Township No. 41 north, that the land sought is more valuable for its

He names as witnesses

JAMES J. DONOVAN, Register.

First publication Nov. 30 1907. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Marquette, Mich, Nov. 23, 1907. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Ore gon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892, Andrew M. Skaug, of Stoning ment No. 1864 for the purchase of the Lot No of Section No. 28 in Township No. 40 north, range No. 20 west, and will offer -proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Clerk of the Circuit Court at Escanaba, Mich., on Tuesday the 4th day of February, 1908.

He names as witnesses: Hans Simonsen of Milwaukee, Wis., Chris tian Skaug of Stonington, Mich, Peder O. Pederson, of Stonington, Mich., Charly Johnson, of Stonington, Mich.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the

First publication October 19, 1907,

MARQUETTE, MICH. October, 17, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress o June 5. 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Ore gon, Nevada and Washington Territory," a extended to all the public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Arthur Menard, of Groos county of Delta, State of Michigan, has thi the land sought is more valuable for its timber Receiver at the United States Land Office in to establish his claim to said land before Clerk of the Circuit Court at Escanaba, Mich., on Friday, the 27th day of December, 1907.

> Moses Garner and William Garner, of Newhall, Mich., and Napoleon Jeatceart and Neph tile Menard, of Groos, Mich.

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