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G LADSTONE POSTOFFICE.

east....9:00 p.m

ed.

FIRST CONG'L CHURCH.

DIRECTORY.

ARRIVAL OF MAILS.

From south, .. 12 m. | From north, 5 p. m.

CLOSING OF MAILS.

For south. . 3:45 p.m | For north, .9:45a.m. " east....9:00 p.m | " west, .9:00 p.m.

7:30. Sabbath 10:30 and 7:30. Sabbath

school 11:45. Prayer meeting Thursday

evening 7:30. Everyone is corrially invit-

7:00 p. m. Sabbath school \_t 11:45 a. m.

Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30, p. m.

Servicos every Sabbath at 10:30 and

ESTMINSTER PRES'Y CHURCH.

Sabbath services at 10:30, a. m. and

REV. WALTER JOHNSON, Pastor.

REV. F. E. CARTER, Pastor.

" west 11:25 p.m

### GLADSTONE, MICH., MARCH 23, 1889.

#### Councils Proceedings. (Official.)

Special meeting held March 12, 1889. All members present except Alderman Allen.

Chairman of auditing committee preented report of city treasurer, clerk, marshal and Aaron Miller and A. P. Smith, justices of the peace, and reported favorably on the same. Also presented report of street comissioner.

Reports accepted and clerk instructed to file the same. Moved by Alderman Tice that F. W. McKinney be allowed \$18.20 for percentage on money collected as

The following bills were allowed: F. W. McKinney exchange, etc.,.. \$14.20

Railway avenue..... Thos. W. McDonough, labor .....

regard to site for pumping station for en-

horses and outfit; the business is paying Richard Mason Esq. for services in regard H. P. Gillingham service election to site for water works. Council adjourned. JAS, J. MILLER,

Mayor. Clerk.

18, 1889.

One seven rooms and one nine rooms, well Gormsen, Lightfoot, McCarthy, Nelson, Patton, Young and Zierath.

March 12 read and approved.

The mayor announce the following standing committees for the current year: Ways and Means: Ald. Young, Lightfoot and McCarthy.

Finance: Ald, Patton, Zierath and

to be approved by council, carried on call meat in every community, large or small, of ayes and nays as follows: Yeas, Ald. in the state.

Nelson, Patten, Young and Zierath.

give bonds to the city in the sum of \$500. been an authenticated case of disease or next meeting which motion prevailed.

Bridges.

Bill of Peck & Patterson amounting to ized. \$270.27 was referred to Finance committee. accounts:

A. L. Collins, professional services

15.00 E. S. Tice, services.....

A. C. Zierath one day registration board, \$2.50, room for election and registration, \$10.00, meals \$4.50. Total..... Chas. E. Mason, printing ..... Wm. Buchanan, labor, etc.,.... J. E. Thomas, ballot boxes..... inspector..... ROBT. W. DAVIES, G. C. Davis services election ins... C. A. Pierce " C. A. Clark " b'd regirtration .. D. Danforth 2 days service as inspector of election..... J. E. Hoyt 2 days service on board

of registration and inspector of election ..... On motion of Ald. Patton, the mayor was tendered a vote of thanks for the offer of his safe for the use of the city.

Council adjourned until Monday evening March 25th. ALFRED P. SMITH, City Clerk.

#### LIVE INSPECTION.

placed at \$40,000 with sufficient sureties ble the systematic control of the price of

\$1.50 PER YEAR.

Collins, Gormson, Lightfoot, McCarthy, The cost of inspection for the whole state, if thoroughly done, will be great, On motion the marshal was ordered to and practically useless, as there has never Ald. Lightfoot moved that the salaries death from eating dressed beef. In 1884 of the officers be laid on the table until there were 153 incorporated cities and villages in the state, containing 720.302 of Petition of David Danforth and others a total population of 1,853,658. The exrelative to improvement of streets in the pense of the small army of officials must 4th ward was on motion of Ald. Zierath be paid by the people. For what object? referred to committee on Streets and To increase the price of beef if the real purpose of the inspection should be real-

If beef producers should be benefited The following bills were received and beef consumers would be injured. There referred to the committee on claims and is no such thing as legislating money into the pockets of one class, by direct or indirect methods, without tading it from other classes who have already earned it. If beef should be increased in price to con-2.00 sumers in cities and villages by the proposed legislation that would lessen consumption, which would again reduce the 17.00 price. 59.30

Moreover, there is another difficulty to 7.70 10.00 be encountered. Congress is vested with 3.50 the power to regulate commerce, and it will be found to be almost impossible, by 3 00 3.00 any trick of legislation, to prevent com-2.50 merce between the states in wholesome

3.00 articles of food. And, furthmore, if possible, is it desirable? Would not Michi 6.00 gan's attempt to legislate against Chicago beef, as Germany legislates against Amer-5.00 ican pork, do more harm than good?

#### Minnewasca Cemetery.

The Minnewasca Cemetery Association was organized this week the corporators being several gentlemen of Gladstone and Escanaba. The association will plat forty acres adjoining the city limits on Lake Minnewasca and fence and adorn it. This will make a beautiful and

M ETHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH Services every Sundar et 10-20 All Services every Sunday at 10:30, a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school after morning service. REV. JAS. PASCOE, Pastor. THE LONG SHOREMEN'S UNION. Regular meetings second Monday in each month. Thorpe's hall, Delta avenue, G LADSTONE TENT No. 3, K. O. T. M. Meets first and third Tuesday in each

Com. Jas. Wilson; L. C., A. E. Johnson; R. K., J. H. LeClaire.

G LADSTONE TEMPERANCE ASSOCIATICN. Meets every alternate Tuesday in one of the three churches.

### BUSINESS CARDS.

CHAS. E. MASON,

Counsellor At Law. Office in The Delta Building MICHIGAN. GLADSTONE,

W. McCALLUM, M. D.,

Physician and Surgeon,

Save Money by Buying of US. Thos. W. McDonough, labor.....

A snap for a short time, we will offer at a bargain a livery stable together with well and increasing in trade rapidly. Best location in the city.

Johnson & Colwell,

-AND-

\$650 takes a five room, two story house near the depot, well finished and papered throughout, good pump and other improvements, will sell for one-third cash balance on time.

Two houses on Wisconsin avenue at a bargain short distance from the Postoffice. finished and warmly built. Good wells, sheds, and etc., will sell at \$1,600. Onehalf cash, balance on three years time.

One two story dwelling on Wisconsin avenue between 8 and 9 streets one block from business center. Lot 56x140, will sell house and lot at \$1,000 or house and one half lot at \$800. One half cash and balance two years time.

Two good store building on Delta aven-

INSURANCE. treasurer for last year. :-: LOAN AGENTS :-: Thos. Dolan, 2 months salary as

gine house.

marshal and stationery..... 102.00 F. W. McKinney for grading 75.00 election and labor..... 6.50

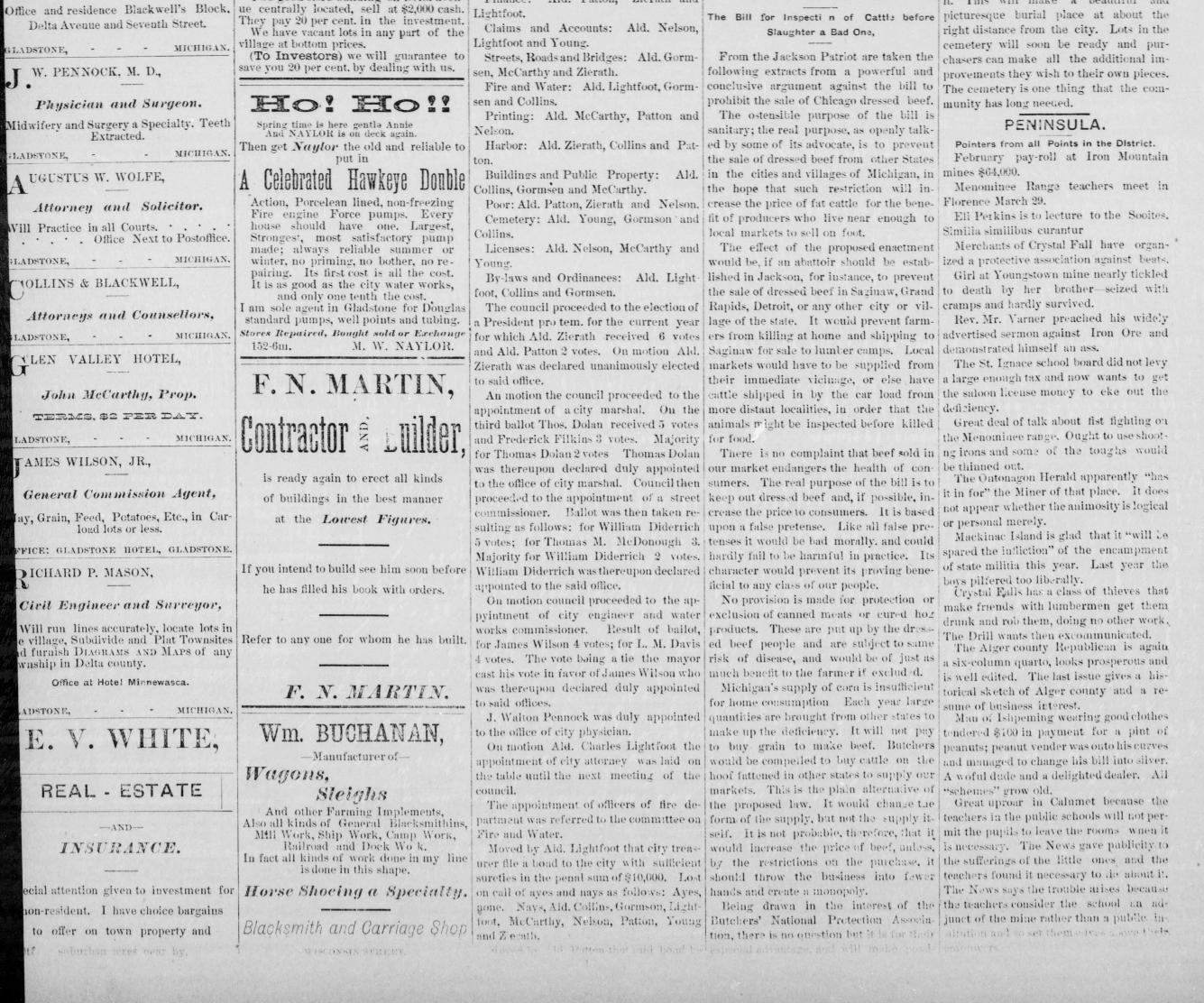
Alderman Wilson presented report in

On motion a vote of thanks was given

Council met in adjourned session at the council rooms on Monday evening March

Present Mayor Miller, Aldermen Collins,

Minutes of preceeding meeting held on



THE DELTA.

GLADSTONE, MICHIGAN.

### THE LATEST NEWS

Wheat and Barley Burned.

At Davenport, Ia., on the 13th, the grain elevator of Finch & Havwood anchored a burned; including 12,000 bushels of Miller left. wheat and 6,000 of barley. Total loss, \$40.000.

#### **Prohibition Which Prohibits.**

W. J. Joyce was convicted in the district court at Seneca, Kas., on the 13th of selling Jamaica ginger in violation of the prohibitory law. The case has been on trial in the justice, probate and district courts and has caused bitter contests.

#### **Big** Liabilities.

W. B. Brown, boot and shoe manufacturer of Ottawa, Ont., has been arrested. charged with unlawfully conveying H. R. Turney, aged 81, and they went stock to the value of \$20,000 with intent to Beloit and were married by a justice. to defraud his creditors. He has assigned, and it is thought his liabilities will reach \$150,000.

#### Gen. Sherman's Son.

Gen. Sherman's son, Thomas Sherman, who has become a member of the Society of Jesuits, is to be ordained priest in Philadelphia. Arrangements are to be made under which the cere-mony of ordination will take place in der date of February 7, says public July in the cathedral.

#### **Coal Production.**

Charles A. Ashburner has just submitted to the United States Geological Survey a preliminary statement showing that the total production of coal of all kinds increased from 129,975,557 short tons in 1887 to 145,363,744 tons in 1888. The value in 1887 was \$182,556,-837, which increased to \$208,129,806 in 1888.

#### He Had Money.

A few days ago George C. Hayden, a miser of 75 years, died at a cheap boarding-house on Franklin Avenue, St. Louis, where he had lived many years. He was supposed to be very poor, but the public administrator visited the Safe Deposit Company's vaults, and on opening Hayden's box, discovered more than \$60,000 in cash, stocks and bonds.

#### Only One Injured.

During a performance by the Stetson "Uncle Tom's Cabin" Company at Lafayette Hall, Martin's Ferry, O., on the 15th, a large center lamp, holding half a gallon of oil, fell to the stage and exploded. A panic resulted at once and the audience made a mad rush for the doors. All escaped serious injury except a lady, who fainted and was trampled upon.

#### \$200,000 Fire in Denver.

Fire occurred in the three-story King Block, Denver, Col,, on the 13th. The

steamer left. The unfortunate wretches, had been prisoners for some months. Sympathizers with Legitime has endeavored to get the men released and Hyppolite had become distrustful of many of his officers. He therefore had them put to death at once. Capt. Miller said that Cape Haytien was filled | They were: with Legitime's spies. According to one of the officers of the Caroline Miler, a transport about the size of an rdinary tug, was permanently engaged n carrying arms and other implements of war from Monte Christi to Cape Havtien, for the use of Hyppolite's men. The United States steamer Galena was anchored at Cape Haytien when the

#### Wanted a Wife Bad.

K. D. Burdick, aged 84, came from Connellsville, Pa., to Rockford a few wee's ago, and went to the house of Mrs. Mary Delee, whom he expected to marry. He was broken-hearted to find a funeral in progress, the prospective bride lying dead. He burst into a paroxysm of grief and said: "I have come all the way from Pennsylvania to marry her. What shall I do?" The next day he went out and proposed marriage to several widows. He was finally accepted by Mrs. The old lady said she wanted to marry him in order to secure a gardener. When she went to introduce her husband to some friends she had to ask him what his name was.

#### Australia's Attitude Toward Samoa.

Frank McCoppin, United States commissioner to the Melbouane Exposition. opinion has been aroused there by the conduct of Germany toward Samoa, and federal council sitting in Hobart, Tasmania, have adopted an address to Queen Victoria in which they say: "We view with deep anxiety the course of events in Samoa, and favor maintenance of existing treaties and making of new ones, if necessary, guaranteeing independence of Samoa." They regard the dominion in the South Pacific by a foreign power as dangerous to the safety of Australia. The writer says that if England continues her double dealing policy in regard to those lands she will soon have to face her angry colonies. who are in full accord with the United pendence.

### FOUR RAILROADS UNITE.

#### Proposed Consolidation of Important Ohio and Indiana Interests.

CINCINNATI, O., March 18 .- Steps are being taken to consolidate the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Davton system, 324 miles long, running from Cincinnati to Toledo and to Indianapolis: the Toledo, St. Louis & Kansas City, 450 miles, Toledo to East St. Louis; the Wheeling & Lake Erie, Toledo to Bowerston, 175 miles, with a twelve-mile branch from Norwalk Junction to Huron, O., and an extension from Bowerston to Wheeling via Steubenville, now in course of construction, making a total mileage of 237 miles. The fourth line is the Day-ton, Ft. Wayne & Chicago with 258

### PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENTS

Names Sent to the Senate and Its Action Thereon.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 13 .- Only three nominations were received from the President by the Senate to-day.

Eugene Schuyler, of New York, to be assistant secretary of state, vice George L. Rives, resigned.

Walker Blaine, of Maine, to be examiner of claims for the department of state, vice Francis Wharton, deceased. Cyrus Bussey, of New York City, to be assistant secretary of the interior, vice David L. Harkins, resigned.

The Senate, after disposing of some unimportant business, went into executive session, and confirmed the following appointments: A. C. Mellette, to be governor of Dakota; L. B. Richardson, to be secretary of Dakota; Cor-nelius H. Hanford, of Washington Territory, to be chiet justice of the supreme court of the territory of Washington: George W. Irwin, of Montana, to be marshal of the United States for the out through trade circles. The name of territory of Montana; Smiley N. Chambers, of Indiana, to be United States attorney for the district of Indiana: George S. Batcheller, of New York, to be assistant secretary of the treasury, vice Hugh S. Thompson, resigned, Albert G. Porter, of Indiana, to be envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States to Italy; John plants. Stock in the new compa-A. Enander, of Illinois, to be minister resident and consul-general of the United States to Denmark; Walker Blaine, of Maine, to be examiner of claims in the State Department; Richard Root to be postmaster at Keokuk, Ia.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 14.-The nominations sent by the President to the Senate included the following:

John S. Clarkson, of Iowa, to be first assistant postmaster-general, vice A. E. Stephenson, resigned.

Louis Wolfley, of Tucson, Ariz., to be governor of Arizona.

Rathbone Gardner, of Rhode Island, to be United States attorney for the dis-

trict of Rhode Island. William L. Dunlap, of Indiana, to be United States marshal for the district of Indiana.

Elbert D. Weed, of Montana, to be United States attorney for the territory of Montana.

Also the following to be commissioners to represent the United States at States in desiring to preserve their inde- the conference to be held in Berlin concerning affairs in the Samoan Islands.

John A. Kasson, of Iowa. William Walter Phelps, of New Jersev.

#### Geo. H. Bates, of Delaware.

A list of postmasters was also sent in, including William Wallace, at Indianapolis, Ind.; John J. Cutler, at Parker, Dak.; W. S. Case, at Sturgis, Dak., and Jittiel O. Walders, at Minot, Dak.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 18 .- The President sent the following nominations to the Senate to-day: Smith A. Whitfield, of Ohio, to be

second assistant postmaster general. Abraham D. Hazen, of Pennsylvania,

John W. Mason, of West Virginia, to from their comrades. be commissioner of internal revenue.

Michael, to be ma lius H. Patzki. to Otho E. be major; Julius H. Capt. be surgeon, with rank of major; First Lieut. Gilbert P. Cotton, to be captain; Second Lieut. Chas. H. Hunter, to be first lieutenant. And the following postmasters: Wm. S. Chase, Sturgis, D. T.; John Cutler, Parker, D. T.; James M. Kellogg, Wickes, Mont.; Wm. Wallace, Indianapolis, Ind.

### THEY CONSOLIDATE. Three Steel Concerns at Chibago Form a

### Combine.

A Chicago dispatch of the 14th says: The most important deal in the steel trade ever made in Chicago was announced to-day in the consolidation of the North Chicago Rolling Mill Company, the Joliet Steel Company and the Union Steel Company. Negotiations o this end have been going on for two months and they were practically concluded last week. The news was kept very quiet, and only leaked the new company has not yet been decided upon, but it will be an en-tirely new one. The capital will be \$20,000,000, of which between \$5,000,000 and \$6,000,000 will be issued for the cash now in the treasuries of the respective companies, and the balance will represent this valuation of the three ny will be distributed to the shareholders in the old ones upon the basis agreed upon in their consolidation. The combined works will form the largest steel plant in this country, and will probably rank second only to the establishment of Krupp in Germany.

Steel rails are the principal product of the mills, and in rail-making the new company will find no competitor in the West worth speaking of.

#### ENTOMBED IN A MINE.

Six Men Imprisoned in the Black Dia-moud Colliery at Mount Carmel, Pa.

A dispatch of the 14th from Mount Carmel, Pa., says: Intense excitement prevails at the Black Diamond colliery, where six miners have been closed in. Workmen are driving a heading for the purpose of liberating their imprisoned companions, but several hours must elapse before it can be learned if they are alive.

The men imprisoned are Patrick Leonard, Michael Buggy, Peter Nearsheliskia and Vincent Rucush, of this place, and John Hall and an unknown Hungarian miner, of Mount Carmel. About 10 o'clock this morning, while they were at work mining coal. the cracking of timber in the gangway gave warning that a fall of coal was about to take place. The miners dashed down into the narrow tunnel endeavoring to escape. Nearsheliskia and Rucush were ten feet in advance of the others, when suddenly a mass of rock and coal fell in front of them, choking up the entrance to the main gallery. As the men turned about to escape, another mass of rock and timber dropped, stopping their reto be third assistant postmaster general. treat and completely isolating them

The alarm J. Granville Leach, of Pennsylvania, to mines and the work of rescue was soon was given through the begun. At 4 o'clock this afternoon the laborers heard faint sounds of voices. They pushed on with their work, and hours later were enabled hold a conversation with to Rucush. He informed them of his own and his companion's safety. A be envoy extraordinary and minister mass of ragged top-rock is hang-plenipotentiary of the United States to ing directly over the men's heads and ing directly over the men's heads and may fall at any moment. The fate of the men in the second fall remains unknown at 10:30 to-night. The work of liberation continues, and snifts of ten men are put on every few minutes. The mouth of the mine is thronged with excited people and tearful relatives. It is thought that the last two men may be reached before morning.

### WHAT IT COST THE -Q."

Directors' Report on the Figures of the Great Strike.

Boston, Mass., March 19.-The annual report of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad for 1888 shows comparatively as follows: Gross earnings, \$23,789,167; decrease from last year, \$3,-786,910. Expenses and taxes, \$18,882,-459; increase, \$2,784.546. Net earnings. \$4,906,708; decrease, \$6,571,457. Total net earnings, adding interest, exchange and other income, \$5,076,309; total decrease, \$7,260,910. Fixed charges, \$5,-996.712; Increase, \$710,628. Dividenda \$3,819,578; decrease, \$2,291,486. Deficit. \$4,739,980; increase, \$5,680,051. Land receipts, \$408,555; decrease, \$158,528. Miles operated, 4,917; increase, 224. Capital, \$76,393,505; increase, \$3,205. Debt, \$99,665,988; increase, \$8,399,281.

The miscellaneous income was reduced by reason of the strike on the Hannibal & St. Joe and the Council Bluffs roads, so that they returned no dividend to the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, while in 1887 they paid \$618,-764. The operations of these and other outside lines of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy are given more fully than usual. These controlled properties consist of 1,115 miles of standard guage, 218 miles of narrow gauge, and 95 miles jointly operated. The total debt of these properties outstanding, and not owned by the "Q." is \$16,460,000. Their comparative reports are: Gross earnings, \$6,041,996; decrease, \$1,402,487. Expenses and taxes, \$4,738,951; increase, \$151,063. Net earnings, \$1,303,045; decrease, \$1,553,550.

The directors say: "After many pros-perous years the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Company has experienced a year of serious reverses. After paying fixed charges, including \$700,000 contributed to sinking funds, and dividing 5 per cent. upon the capital stock, the accounts show a deficiency for the year of \$4,331,425, which it has been necessary to take from the accumulated surplus of the company. Chief among the causes of the falling off in net revenue from the operations of the road was the strike in February. This was not the only cause, however. There has been a diversion of traffic to other roads, and a decline in rates. A decline in rates has been due to the difficulty of self-regulation among the railroads without the right to pool, which was taken away by the inter-state commerce law. An effort is now being made, among railroads west of Chicago, to provide, through an association, for maintenance of uniform rates, which it is hoped will be successful.

"The directors find it difficult to understand what serious evil the recent railroad laws are designed to remedy, and say that it cannot be denied that much the most serious feature of the railroad situation is the attitude of the law-making power both national and state.

"The increase in expenses during the year is due partly to the fact that we have operated an average of 4,859 miles, as against 4,239 in 1887, the new mileage being unproductive. A large part the increase in expense is due to the strike of the 2,500 trained men, which destroyed a large part of the great machine, the task of reconstructing which had to be undertaken and performed without allowing the machine to stop or become impaired. This involved and still involves extra expense. To make the force equal to the old in all respects is merely a question of time."

lower floor was gutted. The losses fol-low: Knight, McClure & Co., mu-sic, \$100,000; insurance, \$50,000; Calloway Bros. & Dingwall, queensware, \$15 000; insurance, \$13,000; Schiff, Carleton & Co., groceries, \$5,000; insurance, \$1,500. The upper floors were occupied by offices and as apartments. Their ag-gregate loss is about \$25,000. The building is damaged to the extent of \$50,000.

#### For the Confederate Home.

Secretary Oliver Downing, of the New York Citizens' committee to aid the Na-tional Confederate Soldiers' Home, at Austin, Tex., has received a letter from Gen. Alfred Fleasanton containing money. Another letter, from Mrs. Gen. Grant, encloses a check for \$25. The letter is as follows: "Gen. Grant's kindly feelings toward the Southern people, though they were once his enemies, is Mrs. Grant's reason for sending the enclosed check. She wishes you success in your efforts."

#### Wreck of the Agnes Barton.

The American bark Agnes Barton, pound from Nassau to Baltimore with a cargo of phosphate rock, was driven ashore on the Virginia coast on the 14th during a heavy northeast gale, about a mile north of the Dam Neck life-saving station. Of her crew of ten men only four were saved. Capt. Benjamin H. Knight, of Baltimore; Second Mate James Richards, of Philadelphia; Peter Florida, John Smith, Ned Forbes and Charles Hobbs, seamen, are thought to be lost.

#### Hotel Burned.

On the evening of the 13th, about 6 o'clock, the Granite Hotel at Wellsburg, W. Va., was entirely destroyed by fire. When the alarm was sounded there was a panic among the guests, and there were usuy narrow escapes. Some in the third story of the building were rescued by ladders only a few moments before the walls fell. Several panic-stricken men jumped from the third story windows to the pavement below and were badly injured. Six or seven ladies who were in the upper stories of the building had their hair badly scorched. There were no lives lost. The damage was small.

#### Shot by a Prisoner.

Chief of Police Phillip Paul, of Renova, Pa., was bratally murdered about 12 o'clock on the night of the 13th while in the act of arresting Charles Cleary. As the officer was about to unlock the door of the jail, Cleary turned on him with a revolver and shot him in the back of the head, near the left ear, the bullet lodging in the base of the brain. The dying policeman was first discovered by John P. Dwyer, editor of the Evening News, who was attracted to the spot by the firing of the revolver. The murder has cau-ed great excitement. The murderer is but 19 years of age and the murdered man was not over 29. He leaves a wife and one child.

#### The Row in Hayti.

The steamer Caroline Miller arrived at New York on the 17th with news from Cape Haytien. Capt. Miller said that twelve of Legitime's soldiers who had been taken prisoners by Hyppolite were shot in the public square

miles, the main line running from Dayton to Ironton, O., and the Chicago Division from Dayton to Delphos, O. The plan contemplates the building of about forty miles of road between Indianapolis and a point on the Toledo, St. Louis & Kansas City road, which will give a through line from Cincinnati to St. Louis.

#### TRUST FORMED IN SALT.

#### Michigan Manufacturers Join the Great Combine.

EAST SAGINAW, Mich., March 18 .- The Michigan salt men have decided to enter the salt trust. The combination starts with a capital of \$20,000,000.

The basis of the trust is the purchase of all plants operated independently of saw mills, the product controlled by the Michigan association, and manufactured in connection with mill plants, to be turned over to the national trust at stipulated prices. This proposition was laid before a secret meeting of Michigan manufacturers in this city, and the members voted to go into the trust on the basis proposed. The idea is to shut down all works where fuel costs so much that there is only a narrow margin of profit, and the product of each district to be regulated by the area it can control, this being, of course, regulated by freight rates.

### ONE FROM EIGHT.

## A Handsome Daughter of Chief Justice Fuller Elopes.

Something of a sensation in Chicago society circles has been created by the announcement of the marriage of Paulina Fuller, one of the many daughters of Chief Justice Fuller of the supreme court. The mere fact of the marriage of one of so large a family of girls was not the cause, but the manner in which it was done. It appears that the parents and friends of the young lady objected to the match, and the young couple took a train for Milwaukee, where they were joined in a perfectly legal though unostentatious manner by a justice of the peace. The name of the groom is J. M. Aubery, Jr.

#### HIDING IN BERNE.

#### Davis, the ex-Tory Member of Parliament, in a Place of Safety.

LONDON, March 15.-Gen. Davis, the ex-Tory member of Farliament, whose resignation caused the election being held to-day, and who fled the country as soon as it had been presented to the House, has been traced to Berne, Switzerland, where, for the present, he is safe. He is living with a London woman of unsavory character, for whom he de-serted a young and beautiful wife. The amounts which he obtained by giving bills of sale upon his a ready mortgaged furniture to his personal triends aggregate \$15,000.

### MAYOR ROCHE RENOMINATED.

Chicago Republicans Again Select Him to Head Their Ticket. CHICAGO, Ill., March 16 .- The Repub-

square lican city convention this afternoon reat Cape Haytien the day before the nominated John A. Roche for mayor.

be appraiser of merchandise in the District of Philadelphia, Pa.

William W. Thomas, Jr., of Maine, to be envoy extraordinary and minister two plenipotentiary of the United States to weden and Norway.

Samuel R. Thayer, of Minnesota, to the Netherlands.

Charles E. Mitchell, of Connecticut, to be commissioner of patents.

Nathan O. Murphy, of Arizona, to be secretary of Arizona.

David M. Limes, of Louisiana, to be special examiner of drugs, medicines and chemicals in the District of New Orleans, La.

John P. Ward, of Oregon, to be appraiser of merchandise in the District of Willamette, in the state of Oregon and erritory of Washington.

W. Budd Deacon. of New Jersey, to be marshal of the United States for the District of New Jersey. John S. Burton, of Mississippi, to be

marshal of the United States for the Northern District of Mississippi.

Edwin I. Kursheedt, of Louisiana, to be marshal of the United States for the Eastern District of Louisiana.

Brad D. Slaughter, of Nebraska, to be marshal of the United States for the District of Nebraska.

William H. Whiteman, of New Mexico, to be associate justice of the supreme court of the territory of New Mexico. WASHINGTON, D. C., March 19.-Presi-

dent Harrison to-day sent to the Senate the nomination of Whitelaw Reid to be envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to France.

The nomination of Eugene Schuyler. of New York, to be assistant secretary prohibition has been largely a failure, of state, was withdrawn, he having declined the appointment.

The President to-day sent the following nominations to the Senate: Andrew that we can conceive." C. Bradley, of the District of Columbia, to be associate justice of the supreme court of the District of Columbia: John R. McFie, of New Mexico, to be associate justice of the supreme court of the territory of New Mexico, and Frank R. Aikens, of Dakota, to be associate justice of the supreme court of the territory of Dakota. Postmasters appointed: James S. Brailey, at Wauseon, O.; Charles S. McCoy, at Cadiz, O.; John A. Fellows, at Pontiac, Ill.; Mrs. Lucy Bowers, Sarah Earthman, at Griswold, Ia.; Frank T. Piper, at Shendon, Ia.; Ed-win O. Shaw, at Newaygo, Mich.; Edward McGlachlin, at Stevens Point, Wis.; Wm. E. Culver, at Las Anamas, ol.; Henry R. Snyder, at Waverly, O.; delman M. Andrews, at Plankinton,

In executive session this afternoon the Senate confirmed the following nominations: Rathbone Gardner, to be district attorney for Rhode Island; Elbert D. Weed, to be district attorney for Montana; James C. Perry, of North Carolina, and Alex. C. Smith, of New York. to be assistant surgeons in the marine hospital service; Wm. W. Thomas, Jr., of Maine, to be minister to Norway and Sweden; Lieut.-Col. Adelbert R. Buffington to be colonel; Maj. Joseph P. serious was thought of it Farley, to be lieutenant colonel; Capt. day, when Harrison died.

#### FINDS IT UNSCRIPTUAL.

A Pennsylvania Preacher's Reason for **Opposing** Prohibition

The Daily Spirit, of Chambersburg, Pa., publishes a letter from the Rev. Cyrus Cort, pastor of the Reformed Church of Greencastle, and one of the ablest ministers in the southern portion of the state, in which he clearly defines his position on the prohibition amendment question. He writes: "As long as I hold my present orthodox views respecting the inspiration and integrity of God's work, I must regard prohibition as unscriptural and wrong in principle. I could not consistently endorse prohibition without nullifying many parts and passages of the sacred scriptures, and at the same time running counter to what I consider the genius and aim of free and constitutional government. As a practical measure of temperance reform and tends to create a community of spies, informers and hypocrites-the most abominable state of society that

### BOUND FAST TO A CHAIR.

#### A Night Watchman Overpowered and a Safe Oracked.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 16.-H. J Brown is night watchman at the Pittsburg Sewer Pipe Works, situated in a lonely place on Block House Run, about | also one mile back of New Brighton, Pa. About 1 o'clock this morning, having at Tipton, Ia.; Charles H. Ever-itt, at Atlantic, Ia.; William sat down in the engine room to read F. Carpenter, at Manning, Ia.; Mrs. a paper, when he was surprised by the entrance of four masked men carrying revolvers, who ordered him to throw up his hands and keep his mouth closed. Three drilled the safe and obtained money and valuables amounting to about \$100.

#### A Murderer Aged 6 Years.

NORFOLK, Va., March 15.-Wm. Buffalo, colored, but 6 years of age, has been arrested, charged with the murder of Riddick Harrison, 10 years old, also colored. While the two boys were playing together, on February 18, a dispute took place between them, when Buffalo

### SKELETONS IN THE MERRIMAC.

#### Bones of Two Men Discovered in the Sunken Confederate Ram.

RICHMOND, Va., March 19.-Private James K. Bolton, an inmate of the Confederate Soldiers' Home, near this city, tells the startling story of the finding in the hold of the old Confederate ram Merrimac, the skeletons of two men. According to Bolton's story he was engaged as a wrecker in 1873. The person with whom he was engaged at that time was employed in getting the old copper off the Merrimac. While engaged in this work Bolton says that on one occasion he dived into the forecastle of the Confederate gunboat. There he found the skeletons of two men manacled to the floor. He supposed that they were members of the crew who were incarcerated for the violation of some rule of the navy, and when the craft was sunk were forgotten by their comrades and went down to their watery graves.

#### THE YORKTOWN COMPLETED.

#### Final Inspection of the New Cruiser to be Made at Once.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 19 .- The contractors for the gunboat Yorktown having reported her completed, Secretary Tracy has ordered the board, of which Commodore Fitzbugh is president, to reassemble at Cramp's shipyard to-morrow, for the purpose of making such further examinations as may be necessary, and to report whether or not the unfinished work has been completed, and whether the hull and fittings, and the machinery, boilers and appurtenances have been completed in strict conformity with contract. The board the will report whether she sufficiently strong to carry the armament, coal stores and machinery indicated in the plans and in the specifications. This board is the same one which conducted the recent official trial of the vessel.

#### RESCUED ALIVE.

#### The Entombed Miners at the Black Diamond Shaft All Right.

MT. CARMEL, Pa., March 15 .- Five of the six miners entombed by a cave-in at the Black Diamond colliery, were rescued this atternoon, alive and well, and the sixth will soon be brought to the surface.

The scene of the accident is in the slope, 1,000 feet below the surface. Mining experts say the Black Diapulled a paling from a fence near by and struck Harrison with it. A nail in the end entered his skull. Nothing serious was thought of it until yester-Buggy, Peter Nearshalsky, Vincent Buggy, Peter Nearshalsky, Vincent mond was a very safe mine, and that Buggy, Peter Nearshalsky, Vincent Rukush, John Hill and Nicholas Revels.

THE DEAREST TIES OF HOME.

'The Hand that rocks the cradle," a power that rules the world.

The voice that sings its sweetest songs in lov-ing lullaby,

The banner, bearing child-love, in flowing folds unfurled-A hand, a voice, a banner, whose memories never die.

The heart that beats in unison with child-like

The heart that beats in this of while of the fear faith and fear, The eye that marks child-coming, and grows brighter when they come, The ear that opes to childhood charms and holds them ever dear— The heart, the eye, the ear that know the Dearest Ties of Home. —Good Housekeeping.

-Good Housekeeping.

#### INTENDED TO BE FUNNY.

IT is the noble Kentuckian who never misses the water when the well runs dry .- Rochester Post-Express.

An "accessory after the fact," William Henry, is nothing more or less than a common, every-day newspaper reporter. -Practical Farmer.

THE word "most" means cider in the German language. No relation to Herr Most, for cider will work if not prevented.-Terre Haute Express.

LAURA-Do you know Flossie's favorite color? Jennie-As she is going to marry that septuagenarian for his money, I suppose it must be old gold .--New York Sun.

CRANK-Can you direct me to the hall of the Christian Anarchists? Citizen-No-o; don't know where they meet. Inquire of some white black man .- Philadelphia Record.

MISS LOVELORN-The professor says I have the inventive genius. Miss Caustique-Perhaps you misunderstand him. No doubt he meant you were full of new wrinkles.-Evening Sun.

"LETTING down a drop curtain be-tween acts is suggestive," remarked Squaildig. "So it is," replied McSwilligen; "let's go out and take a drop ourselves."-Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

BANGLEY (after a three years' absence from home) - Has Miss Lamson got that fellow Dacey on the string yet? Tooler-Yes; she married him. He's on the apron string now .- Burlington Free Press.

A NEW vintage-Old soaker (at the club, dreamily)-I say, waiter. That's the best wine I've had for ages. Bring another bottle. Waiter-You have had no wine, sir. What you drank was the Worcestershire sauce.

Gor it at last: The little boy had been told to spell rats, and got as far as r-a. Pausing for reflection, his mother said: "What do we drink at the evening meal?" "Beer," said the little boy, and the spelling was done.-Judge.

"You newspaper men would be ruined by the millennium, because there would be nothing to write about." "You are entirely wrong. When the millennium comes our columns will contain nothing but paid-for ads."-Harper's Bazar.

JINKS (at a party)-I don't see what's the matter with that pretty woman over there. She was awfully flirty a little while ago, and now she won't have anything to do with me. Stranger-I have just come in. She's my wife .- Providence Telegram.

ALMOST a Hint.-Boarder Jones-Mrs.

of you, Robert! Can you think of one chicken cholera, instance in which water judiciously ap-plied, has caused death?" "Well plied. what's the matter with the flood ?"-Life.

"WHAT is the matter ?'' said the traveling man, who had invited a customer to his house for dinner. "Don't you enjoy the wine?" "Oh, yes; but it set me thinking." "Your reflections did not seem cheerful." "Well. they were not exactly." "May I ask what they were?" "Certainly. I was thinking that it was a great pity to cut the wine off in the flower of its youth this way." -Merchant Traveler.

CIVILIAN-"What do you think of the new dynamite cruiser, the Vesuvius?" Naval officer (dubiously)-"Well, she's a pretty fair sort of a vessel." Civilian (testily)-"Why, what's the matter with Naval officer-"The cruiser is her?" swift crough and all that sort of thing, but I give you my word as a gentleman, that her dancing accommodations are simply wretched, shamefully inade-quate."-Lowell Citizen.

A LIMIT to his ambition.-Female friend-Young Smithers, who is paying you attentions, is one of the most promising young men in this city. Miss Lively-Yes, I know him. Female friend-He is ambitious, too. He is a man who will always aim higher than the mark. Miss Lively-Aim higher than the mark? Well, I don't know about that. He has never kissed me on the nose yet .- Texas Siftings.

TRAMP (thinking to obtain sympathy) -"I say, mum, I an't got nowhere that I kin call a home, and I an't eat nuthin' all day. Would you mind it, mum, if I slep' in the snow here until mornin' ?" Lady of the house (who knows 'em)-'No, I an't got any objections. You can drop down there anywhere, only remember that as I don't charge you anything for your lodgin', I shall expec' you to shovel the snow away from the house in the mornin'."-Life.

AUNT (to six-year-old Willy)-"Now, Willy, if you were to save up one cent each day in the coming year, how much would you have on the close of the year in dollars and cents?" Willy (after a long consideration)—"\$3.15." Aunt— 'But, Willy, how do you figure \$3.15? Don't you know there are three hundred and sixty-five days in the year?" Willy-"Well, I got to give 50 cents to de schoolma'm's birthday present every year. or she keeps me in late every day. Don't yer see de point ?"-Puck.

Woman's Companion? Mrs. De Letter -Yes; I have had exclusive charge of that department for ten years. "I am so glad we are near neighbors. I'm sure you won't object if I run in once in a while for a little practical help about there. in whenever you please—that is, after next week. My cook is away tempor arily, and my husband and I are taking our meals at a restaurant."-New York Weekly.

"WHAT are the four great lakes between Canada and the Gulf of Mexico ?" asked a Lewiston mother of her youngest and only, whose geography she was conning. "Water," said the boy. The mother pondered a moment, and then looked into the geography again and found herself in error. She should have asked, "Which are the four great here and there, gathering leaves in fall lakes, etc. !" This question repeated, and muck in winter to add to his mathe boy answered correctly. It's a smart 7-year-old who knows the difference between what and which .- Lewiston Journal.

distributwere ed freely about among others not so tainted. Then bunny was set free among them, and fell to feeding with his usual avidity. So far as the investigations of the commission go, those rabbits which ate of the poisoned vegetables died; but others, apparently selecting their food among the untainted, survived, and, together with s ill others forbidden access to the field of trial, but put in the same pen with those which had died of the disease, were in nowise affected. In other words, there was no proof of the assertion that those taken with the disease would carry it to others; no signs of contagion.

#### A Sea of Seltzer.

#### From the Boston Transcript.

A company has purchased the Seltzer spring, Saratoga, and will utilize its waters for the purpose of liberating and storing in liquid form the carbonic acid gas with which it abounds. To do this, extensive arrangements are being made upon a large amount of invested capital. This seltzer spring, located on Spring Avenue, was developed by Dr. Haskins less than three years ago. The drill was put down to the depth of 500 feet. At this depth an abundant supply of water was found flowing from a crevice in the rock bottom. A few days ago, to assure himself of the depth of the spring, Mr. Brunler sounded it with a line and plummet; but instead of resting at 500 the weight sunk the whole length of the line-900 feet. Other soundings have since been made, the weight used being a piece of inch gas pipe filled with lead and weighing thirty-four pounds, until a depth of 3,300 feet has been reached, and yet without touching bottom or any obstacle. No further soundings will be made until instruments expressly designed for the purpose can be procured. Prof. Brunler admits it as possible that the line and weight could have been carried away by some powerful current, but he holds to his original belief in the existence of a subterranean sea of greater or less extent, and that there is undoubtedly some connection between it and the water of the ocean. In other words, that Saratoga is over a vast water-filled cavern, the root of which is about 500 feet thick. He also thinks it probable that at a given depth and temperature carbonic acid gas may be found in a liquid form. The specific gravity of the liquid gas is about nine degrees lighter Young wife—Are you the editress of than water, which would readily cause the Household Department in the the water to climb 300 feet above the ocean level. Should the existence of a subterranean sea be established, it would put to flight many theories and scientific speculations as to the source and course of the many mineral springs

### A Connecticut Farmer's Success.

From the Hartford Courant.

Speaking of "little things," I have in mind now a man who fifteen years ago bought a farm here in Connecticut for \$8,000, paying down what cash he could, and giving a mortgage of \$4,500 for the balance. The general line for his farm been looking about the farm for brush to cut and stone to nick up, touching up the pastures with a little top dressing nure pile. With a good dairy, pigs and poultry, and a large fruit and vegetable garden, and the other "iittle things' that can be picked up about the farm from time to time, he is marketing something in the village two or three days in the week all through the year, and thus always has cash to meet, the daily expenses. A family of five have been well educated, the mortgage paid off, many improvements made on the place, and he is several thousand dollars ahead in money safely invested. His neighbors who have been only able to just make a living, will tell you he spends too much time "fussing with little things," yet after all has been "mighty lucky."

#### THE RADIANT WEST.

BY GEORGE W. BUNGAY.

The radiant west with her mantle of green, And bonnet of sky on her beautiful head, Wearing garlands of flowers appears like

queen, Now scole dead. scolding old stepmother winter

Her breath is the balm of broad prairies of flowers.

She smiles on the lakes that lie shining in glee; Her diamonds are drops of the white-beaded

showers; Her arms are the rivers that reach to the sea.

#### ALL SORTS OF ITEMS.

ENGLISH fakirs paint sparrows yellow and sell them for canaries.

DAMASCUS has 150,000 inhabitants and neither gas nor street cars.

LONDON is to have a Mining Exchange separate from the Stock Exchange.

For slapping a female other than his wife a Sedalia (Mo.) man was fined \$2.50.

THE bill to plant the American flag on every school house in Pennsylvania is dead.

A GERMAN peasant has been detected in tapping a telegraph wire to cure his rheumatism.

A BILL "to regulate the sale of horseflesh for human food" is before the English Parliament.

It is estimated that foreign artists in the past ten years have taken out of this country \$10,000,000.

A NO-TABLE feature at an oriental lunch is that they take it from the floor. - Washington Critic.

WOMEN have got 65 per cent. of the 329,000 divorces granted in the United States in the past 20 years.

CYCLING has become the rage in parts of Spain, and large number of machines are being shipped to Barcelona.

A BILL to stop billiard playing in saloons was defeated by the Minnesota Legislature by the vote of 55 to 34.

AT an auction it is naturally the hammer that rivets attention and clinches bargains.—Binghampton Republican.

A PRINTER's toast-"Woman, the fairest work of creation. The edition being extensive, let no man be without a copy."

CAPT. R. B. HUGHES, of Big Rapids, Mich., is the owner of a horse, "Don," that served all through the war, and is vet alive.

In Paso del Norte, Mexico, they have inaugurated a series of Sunday bull fights to raise money with which to purchase a town clock.

Four young men in St. Petersburg intend riding horseback to the Paris exhibition. They intend to make the trip in seventy-five days.

THE essentials of a watering place may be alliteratively summed up thus: Sea, salt, sun, sand, shells, shrimps, steamers, ships, sailors and shingle.

THE first religious newspaper ever issued was the Herald of Gospel Liberty, which was published by Elias Smith, of Portsmouth, N. H., in 1809.

A South African chief sold a gold mine to an English speculator for a hand-organ and a rug. It was a pretty near approach to "a kingdom for a horse."

DENTISTS in Cedar Falls, Ia., are likely

won the heart of the young lady of the house, and eloped with her while the company were at dinner. She wore only a mackintosh over evening dress, and had no money, while he owes his landlady two weeks' rent, and isin debt to all the neighborhood; but neither of them has yet been heard from.

GEORGE GRANGER, of Allaben, Ulster County, New York, has a Leghorn hen which has three legs. On the third leg there are six toes. Mr. Granger has named the three-legged hen "Tim." When it hears that name it walks out from the flock and will follow the person who called it.

THE United States pays \$900,000 a year for its weather service, Great Britain \$80,000, Germany \$56,000, Russia \$65,-000, Austria \$10,000, Switzerland \$6,000, France \$60,000. And, though no European nation attempts to do as much as we do, or takes general observations more than once a day, the percentage of verification of predictions is rising there, which is hardly the case in this country. Our weather service, with its great cost and thorough organization, ought to be the best in the world.

About twenty-five years ago Charles Noyes, the veteran keeper of the Latimer Light, opposite Stonington, Conn., lost a prized ring on the beach. Every day for years he rowed to the shore, and walked up and down the beach looking for the heirloom, but his trouble availed him naught. Last week a lady, while walking along the coast, had her attention attracted by a shining object in the sand. It proved to be the long-lost ring, and she restored it to the keep. er.

A short time ago H. Herman, of New York City, sent an agent to Scottsburg, Ind., to purchase a large white oak tree, which measured 27 feet in circumterence. He paid \$75 for it, and at once set to work to get out as large a board as possible. The tree was ripped up by means of a crosscut saw, and Friday a board 10 inches thick, 5 feet 21/2 inches wide at the butt, and 5 wide at top, and 32 feet long, was hauled to the depot and loaded on a flat car. It required two yoke of oxen and eight horses a whole day to move it  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles on a broad-tread wagon. The board will be shipped to New York.

MRS. MALAPROP has come to town as usual this season, and is getting in her work with the same disregard of English as always characterizes her. Society circles are now laughing over a lapsus linguæ originating with one of the Mrs. M's, who is quite well known. One of her daughters, a beautiful girl, had been sitting to a sculptor, and some one asked the lady what was being done. "Oh," she replied. "my daughter is having a bust made of her hand."-Washington Critic.

ELIAS HAFSAS, of St. Paul, went to an asylum after a severe illness, thinking he might be a little crazy. The doctors thought so, too, and kept him until his sausage business was ruined and his wife took up with another butcher, whom his little girl was taught to call "papa." When at last he convinced the doctors he was not crazy any more he tried to straighten the domestic tangle with a revolver, and now he is in a fair way of going back to the asylum,

Flaplack, cant t you put a stop to your two daughters playing four-handed at the piano?" Mrs. Flapjack—Why don't you marry one of them? That will put a stop to it right off .- From the German, in Texas Siftings.

Two advertisements appeared in a daily newspaper. One read: "Wanted -A female servant in a medium-sized family." The other: "Wanted - A young lady to do housework." The latter brought sixty replies, the former only two. Wonder why ?-Drake's Magazine.

MR. HENPECK (meaningly) - Ella Wheeler Wilcox says all girls should be sunny. Mrs. Henpeck-Huh! Most girls are sunny. It's after they become women and begin living with a husband that all the sunshine goes out of their life. Mr. Henpeck subsides.-New York Weekly.

A NEW idea in Paris is a kissing school. Unless it will show girls the advantage of holding still when a kiss is about to be imprinted on the lips or on the cheek, so that it will not light on the ear or on the back of the neck, it is impossible to see how it can teach girls anything new about kissing.-Norristown Herald.

A MAN of experience: Stranger-"Is the fighting editor in?" Editor-"No, sir." Stranger—"Sure? Honest Injun, now?" Editor—"Honest Injun. He won't be back for a week." Stranger— "Well. I have a little poem that my little daughter wrote. It is not very legi-bly written so I'll just read it myself." -Terre Haute Express.

A PHLEGMATIC Dutchman, when din-ing at a restaurant, detected one of your professional overcoat snatchers in the act of walking off with his new garment, and stepping up to him as he was going out of the door, he tapped him on the shoulder, saying: "Perhaps you will just allow me to get another cigar out of my pocket?"-Charivari.

STILL a widow: Two ladies from the West happened to scrape an acquaintance while waiting for connecting trains at the Broad Street Station yesterday. "How long has your husband been dead?" asked one. "About a year," was the reply. "And you are still a widow?" "Yes. His estate ain't settled yet."-Philadelphia Record.

IN 1889: Tramp-"Please can you give me a quarter? I've had nothing to eat for three days." Gentleman—"You ought to know better than to lie like that. I gave you a quarter to get a meal myself only twenty-four hours ago.' Tramp-"Perhaps you have forgotten that there ain't but eight hours to a day nowadays."- Terre Haute Express.

BOBBY had slipped back into the dining room, and was hurriedly discussing a second piece of the apple pie when his mother came in. "You said I could, ma," he replied, in answer to her re-proof. You told me I mustn't go over to Willie Waffles' until I was in applepie order, an' a boy can't get in apple-pie order on only one piece."-New York Sun.

"I TRUST, Robert, when you grow up you will show yourself on the side of

#### The Forests of Alaska.

#### From the Scientific American.

The prevailing forest tree of Alaska, says George Davidson, of the Coast Survey, is the Sitka spruce, growing to great size, covering every part of the ground, and climbing the steepest mountain sides to the height of 2,000 or 2,500 feet above the sea. This tree resembles in form and foliage the silver firs of California. In the Archipelago Alexander, with a shore line of more than 7,800 statute miles, the land is densely wooded from the water's edge. It can never be devastated by forest fires, because the carpet of wet sphagnum over the surface of the country effectually prevents fires from spreading. We measured telled spruce trees that were 180 feet long and 4 feet thick at the butt; while adjacent standing trees teresting data for the Society for Psychmeasured over 6 feet in diameter, were branchless for over 50 feet, and estimated to be 250 feet high.

Hemlock, alders, and willows are to him that it would be the easiest thing found; but the most remarkable wood of | in the world to take off his head, and, the country is the yellow cedar, with fine, even texture, fragrant smell, good size, and greater strength than the spruce. It is readily worked, takes a smooth surface, and is remarkably durable. It is a valuable addition to the cabinet woods, and is superior as a ship timber to any on the coast. It can be obtained of ample size for frames and his head was missing. He looked at the knees of ordinary sized vessels. We measured one 18 feet in circumference, and estimated it to be over 125 feet in height. We collected part of the keelson and frame of a Russian vessel built of this wood thirtytwo years before, and which had been lying a wreck on the beach for several years. It exhibited no signs of decay nor of teredo attacks, and the wood around the copper and iron bolts is nearly as well preserved as on the day they were driven. On Kadiak Island the forests cease toward the south. The yellow cedar does not grow on the northeast part of the island; but the average size of the spruce is less than two feet in diameter. Hemlock is found in abundance, and has it value for tanning purposes. When the for-ests of Washington Territory and Oregon are exhausted, Alaska will be the great and our almost inexhaustible resource in the future.

#### Chicken Cholers and the Rabbit Pest.

Pasteur's method for ridding the Ausstralian fields of the swarms of rabbits center), and beyond this some food was that infest them has not proved altogether successful; at least in the experi- liking. They could only get to this by mental tests. At Rodd Island, Port walking over the door, and in order to Jackson, New South Wales, pens were entice them, the door was fixed for built of close wire netting, and a large about a week; then the bolt was drawn, number of rabbits collected within; and for several nights a plentiful supply temperance and morality, by voting the Prohibition ticket." "Oh, rats! Wby, Aunt, water's killed more folks 'n liquor ever thought of doing." "I am ashamed with liquid containing the microbes of pastures new."

### Lost His Head in a Dream.

#### From the New York Star.

A prominent Worcester business man passed through an experience in dreamland a few nights ago that is puzzling the local psychologists, and will add inical Research. He had an idea he ought to shave, and proceeded to do so. Just before he began work it occurred placing it on the table, facilitate mat-ters. It seemed in the dream that this was allowable for a certain number of minutes without endangering life. So he hung up the watch to count the minutes. The operation continued till some errand called the man across the room, and he returned to find watch and found the time was near when he must have his head in its proper place if he cared to keep it. Then "he lost his head" in two ways, and rushed frantically about the room looking in every available place. Just as the minute hand was about to cross the fatal point the Worcester man woke up and felt for his head, and was relieved to find it there.

#### A Trap for Rats,

A writer in last month's Chambers' Journal repeats the method which is in quite general use here for the extermination of rats. These animals are the wisest of domestic vermin, and any means taken for their destruction is, as a rule, quickly discovered by them; if not, the terror alone engendered by the ever-diminishing tribe is sufficient to cause them to flee the mysterious power which haunts them. Taking advantage of this trait, the writer in question constructed a trap for the rats. This was a water barrel carefully concealed. On the top was a trap door (simply balanced by a pivot in the placed for which the rats had a strong about a week; then the bolt was drawn,

to have an opportunity to go fishing. An Indian "doctor" visited the town. and during a few days' stay extracted nearly 1,000 teeth.

THERE is only one prisoner in the jail of Hughes County, Dakota, and he would be promptly released if it was not necessary to keep the insurance good by having somebody in the jail.

THE results just published of the census taken on December 1, 1888, show the population of Switzerland at that time to have been 2,934,057, an increase of more than 100,000 since 1880.

JOE AVERY, a small boy of Cornwallis, Ore., while sick and delirious, swallowed a thermometer which the doctor placed in his mouth to test his temperature. He suffered terribly, but may recover.

A CALIFORNIA paper remarks that it's likely, if Santa Cruz gets a new jail, "the present practice of the prisoners climb. ing out and going down town to find the sberiff when they want him, will probably be discontinued.

A GENTLEMAN was arrested in New York a day or two ago for assault. His defense was that he had merely defended himself from an assailant who had threatened to kick a lung out of him. "As I ain't got but one lung," he fur-ther explained, "I ups and hits him in the rib." On this showing the rib-hitter very properly was discharged.

"MEMORY hoops" are the latest fad in Kansas City. A memory hoop is about ten inches in diameter, and will hold from thirty to forty bows or knots. And the thing for the male friends of a young lady to do is to give her a handsome piece of colored silk, which she ties on the hoop. The girl who covers the most hoops in this way is considered the reigning belle.

MRS. MARY ARNDT, a lady about 30 years old, living at Calhoun, Ind., a small station on the Lake Shore Road was taken sick several days ago, and was confined to her bed. The second night of her illness her hair, which was jet black, began to whiten, and by morning it had turned completely white. The woman has recovered, and is an object of considerable interest.

DR. J. M. EDMUNDS, in a paper in a dental monthly, advocates the implanting metalic roots in the jaw, and the building of artificial teeth upon them. He believes that this method opens new possibilities for dentistry. By planting two metalic capsules in the rear of the jaw and two in the forward portion, he thinks it practical to lay a foundation for a complete set of permanent teeth.

A DEERSKIN mantle which belonged to King Powhatan is preserved in the Ashmolean Museum, mantles of furs and feather work brought with it from Virginia by the first colonists having been destroyed. The mantle is formed of two skins, has no hair, and is decorated by an upright human figure, divided by the seam, a pair of animal figures and thirty-two spiral rounds of shell work. The embroidery is of beads and shells.

A PARIS gentleman engaged a cafe concert company to entertain his guests at a recent reception, and before the evening was over a handsome baritone of 30 Young People.

while all the others concerned are happy.

THE following are the latest statistics concerning Niagara Falls: The outline of the American Falls is about 1,000 feet, and the height about 165 feet. The descent in the rapids above the American Fall is about 40 feet to the half mile. The outline of the Horseshoe Fall is about 2,600 feet, the height about 158 feet, and the descent in the rapid above about 55 feet to three-quarters of a mile. The volume of water passing over both falls is about 15,000,000 cubic feet per minute, or about 1 cubic mile per week, or 54 cubic miles per year.

AT Fientsin, China, two neighbors, who had been on the most intimate terms, had a little spat, and afterward one of them, Mrs. Wang, threatened to commit suicide. The Shio Pao, which has the curious story, tells of what followed in this manner: Mrs. Feng, upon hearing of this threat, and fearing lest she should be helplessly implicated should her enemy carry her threat into execution, resolved at once to take time by the forelock and steal a march upon her enemy by taking her own life, and thus turn the tables upon her. She accordingly threw herself into a deep ditch with the intention of drowning herself. Fortunately a countryman who was passing by rescued her, and, taking her back to her home, attempted to affect a reconciliation, with put partially successful results.

#### The Quiet Old Quaker in the West

Joaquin Miller in the Independent.

It is something to know that a gentle Philadelphia Quaker, the lover of peace, a Mr. Cooper, of Santa Barbara, led Calfornia into the very general cultivation of the olive as a source of commercial profit. True, the old monks had many olive trees, and some of the adobe Catholic missions have olive trees about their doors that are many a century old, but it was only when this Philadelphia Quaker took the matter in hand that California saw money in the olive branch. This man has operated very quietly for more than ten years, and no one seemed to know what a demand there was for olive oil till the New York clubs got to quarreling among themseives in their desire to monopolize all the oil that the old Quaker could prodnce. Then the gentle old lover of peace, in order that there should be no more strife doubled the price of his olive oil. But this seemed only to double the demand. The demand for California olive oil is so great, indeed, that the good old Quaker said last year, in an address on olive culture, that he might even now quadruple the price and still not be able to fill the orders .or oil from his olive groves.

TEACHER (to history class)-"Where did George Washington live after he re-tired from public life ?" No one seemed to know. Teacher—"Was it at Wash-ington or at Mount Vernon?" Still no reply. Teacher—"Come, children; some of you must know?" Smallest scholar —"I know, teacher; he lived in the hearts of his countrymen."—Harper's

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The Gladstone Delta.	Election Notice.	MCCULLOUGH BROS, —Proprietors of the—
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Printed at The Delta Printing Office, corner Delta Avenue and Seventh Street. GLADSTON 2, MICHIGAN.	SIR:—You are hereby notified that at the election to be held on the first Mon- day of April, 1889, in the state of Michi-	Brass and Gray Iron Castings a Speci- alty. Columns, Crest Rail, Iron Fencing, Sash Weights. Saw mill mork and steam
Number of the section	gan, the following officers are to be elect ed. viz: A justice of the supreme court in place	fitting. Building castings a specialty. Es- timates quickly made and correspondence solicited. 196tf GLADSTONE, MICH.
REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET	of Thomas R. Sherwood, whose term of office will expire December 31, 1889. Also two regents of the university in	
For Justice of the Supreme Court, CLAUDIUS B. GRANT, Of Marquette.	place of Charles S. Draper and Austin Blair, whose terms of office will expire December 31, 1889.	AARON MILLER,
For Regents of the University, CHARLES S. DRAPER,	IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have here unto set my hand and atlixed the great seal of the state of Michigan, at Lansing,	
Of Saginaw. WILLIAM J. COCKER,	the day and year first above written. F. B. EGAN,	
Of Adrian.	Deputy Secretary of State. MICHIGAN, DEP'T OF STATE.	······································
THE police commissioners of Detroit, according to the papers of that charming	LANSING, March 11, 1889	Ingtion of the Degoo
DEMOCRATIC OPPOSITION to Judge Graut	To the Sheriff of the County of Delta: SIR:—You are hereby notified that at the general election to be held in this state	Justice of the Peace,
can go no further. An off-color journal	on the first Monday of April, 1889, the following proposed amendments to the	
of democratic proclivities has called him "shyster". This should insure his elec-	constitution of this state will be submitted to the people of the state for their adop- tion or rejection, viz;	
THE Soo Herald clamors for a "reduc-	An amendment to Section 6 of article 6 relative to Circuit Courts, provided for by	
tion of the surplus." The Herald has not yet discovered that "There ain't no sur-	Joint Resolution No. 1 Laws of 1889. SECTION 6. The state shall be divided into judicial circuits, in each of which the	
plus." Wait until you hear from Secre- tary Windom.	electors thereof shall elect one circui judge, who shall hold his office for a term of six years, and until his successor is	Gladstone, Mich.
THE unanimity which the democratic press condemns Secretary Blaine before-	elected and qualified. The legislature may provide for the election of more than	· · ·
hand, is good evidence that he's all right. The Delta has never been a Elaine paper,	one circuit judge in the judicial circuit in which the city of Detroit is or may be sit- uated, and in the judical circuit in which	
but Blaine stock is looking up in this office.	the county of Saginaw is or may be situat- ed, and in the judical circuit in which the	All Matters Given Prompt Attention.
THE Ishpeming Mining Journal says	county of Kent is or may be situated. And the circuit judge or judges of said circuits, in addition to the salary provided	BAY VIEW HOUSE,
that an effort will be made to draw party lines at the city election and that such a	by this constitution shall receive from their respective counties such additional	
state of affairs "would be undesirable for many reasons." Chief among which, pre-	salary as may from time to time be fixed and determined by the boards of supervis- ors of said counties. And the boad of	
sumably, is this that, the republicans would undoubtedly win.	supervisors of each county in the upper peninsula is hereby authorized and em-	
WALTER THOMAS MILL, one of the lead	powered to give and pay to the circuit judge of the judicial circuit to which such	BY HENRY BARSTAAR,
ers of the prohibition party, has an article in the Chicago Statesman on the third	county is attached, sucn additional salary or compensation as may from time to time be tixed and determined by such board of	
party movement, in which he says in ef- fect, that the third party as at present or-	supervisors. This section as amended, shall take effect from the time of its adop-	
ganized has about reached the end of its	tion. Also an amendment to Section 1 of Ar- ticle 9, relative to the salary of governor,	IS THE PLACE TO
rope. A rational view of the situation. Ниси license has pretty effectually	as provided for by Joint Resolution No. 2, Laws of 1889.	
weeded out the liquor saloons of Boston and filled the coffers of the city. Last	SECTION 1. The governor shall receive an annual salary of four thousand dollars;	
year the fees charged ranged from \$400 to	the judges of the circuit court shall each receive an annual salary of two thousand five hundred dollars; the state treasurer	
\$1,000 and 2,600 licenses were granted. This year the fees range from \$1,000 to	shall receive an annual salary of one thousand dollars; the superintendent of	BOARD BY DAY OR WEEK.
\$1,500 and only 790 licenses will be granted.	public instruction shall receive an annual salary of one thousand dollars; the secre-	

mates quickly made and correspondence licited. 196tf GLADSTONE, MICH. AARON MILLER, the Peace.

### BY HENRY BARSTAAR,

NEW LINE



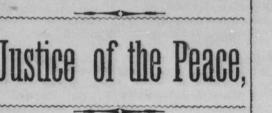
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For we will have

Something to say.

Blackwell Bros. Nicholas.

IT looks as if the free traders would tary of state shall receive an annual salary have a hard winter in New South Wales, of eight hundred dollars; the commission-



too. It was briefly announced the other al salary of eight hundred dollars; the atday that the colony had gone against pro-tection. So it did-68 to 69-a loss for salary of eight hundred dollars. They the free traders of 7. That is how it went shall receive no fees or perquisites what-"against protection." It it will only go connected with their office. It shall not "against protection" like that once or be competent for the legislature to intwice more the protectionists will have crease the salaries herein provided. nothing to complain of.

THE other day a panic-stricken employe in the postoffice department wrote out his resignation and took it to Mr. Wanamaker. and the postmaster general promptly declined to accept. "Go back to your work," was his reply. "When I get time I will look into your case in its turn. If you have been faithful and efficient you will not be disturbed. If you haven't you needn't go through the formality of resigning." That's business, and business, not politics, is what is wanted in the postoffice department.

DURING the four years of Cleveland's administration, or Democracy in power, it capital stock, the legislature may provide cost a vast amount more money to run the the mauner in which such corporations government than it did during any previous administration except in war time. In view of these facts the Democrat watch- the state of Michigan, at Lansing, the day word of "retrenchment and reform" does not seem to sound as sweetly to the public tympanum as it might. It shows that the Democrat party is strong in promises and very weak in performances. Hereafter when it talks about Republican extravagance it will be "confronted by a condition" and its own recent record. And that will Le enough.

THE new editor of the Soo Herald thus outlines the advantages of Ilis new residence. Imprimis, there is the ship canala big thing, though not new. Then there is the water power canal "which will afford the largest amount of power for the least money of any canal in this or any other country."

Besides these canals, there is another great attraction here, and that is, its beauty and desirability of location. There is no swamp here-there are no towering, rocky hills which require a fortune to prepare a lot for a residence; but there is a broad ex- Finnegan either by notes or book accounts panse of earth with a gentle slope from are requested to call at once and pay the from bluff to river, that is unequaled for same. the establishment of healthy abodes. Last, and not least, the water cannot be excelled.

The new editor is struggling hard not to bocm. He confines himself to facts, and he says, says he, in conclusion "Dost like like the picture?" Speaking for this community, we like the picture better than the poems hitherto offered us.

ever for the performance of any duties

salary of one thousand dollars; the secre-

Also, an amendment to Section 10, of Article 15, relative to the duration of corporations, as provided for by Joint Reso lution No. 3, Laws of 1889.

SECTION 10. No corporation except for municipal purposes, or for construction of railroads, plank roads and canals, shall be created for a longer time than thirty years; but the legislature may provide by general laws applicable to any corporations while such term is running, not exceeding thirty years for each extension, on the consent of not less than a two-thirds majority of the capital of the corporation; and by like general laws for the corporate re-organization for a further period not exceeding thirty years, of such corporations whose terms have expired by limitation on consent of not less than fourtifths of the capital: Provided, That in cases of corporations where there is no

may be reorganized. In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the great seal of

and year first above written G. R. OSMUN, Secretary of State. MITY CLERK'S OFFICE,

GLADSTONE, MICH., March 19, 1889. TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF GLADSTONE:

Notice is hereby given that agreeable to the foregoing notice an election for the above officers and proposed amendments to the constitution of the state will be held in the several wards of the City of Gladsione on Monday, April 1st, A. D. 1889. The polls of said election will be opened at 8 o'clock in the forenoon or as soon thereafter as may be on said date and continue open until 5 o'clock in the afternoon and no longer. The polls of said election will be held at the following places:

First ward at the office of Davis & Mason. Second ward at the Engine House.

City Clerk.

Third ward at the Hastings House. Fourth ward at the Railroad Eating ALFRED P. SMITH, House

Notice.

All persons who are indebted to A. W. E. V. WHITE.

Their Business Booming. Their Business Booming. Trobably no one thing has caused such a general A.vival of trade at A. H. Powell's Drug Store as their giving away to their customers of so many free trial hottles of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Their trade is simply enormous in this very valuable article from the fact that it always cures and never disappoints. Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup, and all throat and lung discases quickly cured. You can test it before buying by getting a trial bottle free, large size \$1. Every bottle warranted. \$-1



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Time Table.

For Trains on the C. & N. W. R'y.

Leave Gladstone, 7:40 A. M. GoingSouth. 9:45 A. M. North. South. 3:50 Р. м. 5:00 P. M. North.

> Leave orders at the Livery Stable. Half block West of Postoffice, Delta Ave.

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RICHARD MASON.

GLADSTONE, MICH.

#### HAPPENINGS OF A WEEK.

Events of a Local Character Occurring in and Around Gladstone.

Nouget at the postoffice.

D. J. Kennedy is in the city.

Have you tried Mertz's Nouget?

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Neat nobby suits at Van Atta & Cook's.

The report about Henry Henke is untrue.

mumps.

What's the matter with Gladstone? She's

Laing Bros. grocery store is out in a new suit of paint.

For Rent, offices in The Delta building. Good, well-lighted rooms.

John M. Beattie was a visitor at Gladstone Wednesday.

Best line of work also dress gloves, in the city at Van Atta & Cook's.

Talk of grading Eighth street; alderman McCarthy talks of paving.

Thomas H. Smith, of Iron Mountain. visited with Laing Bros. this week.

The city drug store, Gordon Goodwin & Co., is the latest venture in the city.

Wisconsin people want their thoroughfare sidewalked. So does everyone else.

The largest and most complete line of hats, you will find, at Van Atta & Cook's.

Chas. Nebel is moving Dr. Pennock's building to a lot opposite the postoffice on Delta avenue.

Frank Pendleton, of Oconto, is engaged in grading for Mr. Collom on Tenth street with several teams.

WANTED to trade lot in Gladstone for a good team of horses. Will give good trade; call on A. E. JOHNSON.

One hundred dollars expended on the hill where the road to Mason intersects it would make a good highway.

T. H. Hancock is now a resident of the fourth ward, and will be eligible as a candidate for alderman next spring.

The social held at Mrs. W. L. McCul lough's on Wednesday evening was a success both socially and financially.

Many teams have been in town this week bringing the outfits of camps out of the woods. This is an early spring.

The merits of broken stone as a covering for our side streets are being canvassed. It is a material readily available.

satisfaction.

north of the equator.

Gladstone is happy and prosperous and the fame of her enterprise and progress is is flying thoughout the land. It is the old case of keeping quiet and sawing wood. T. I. Van Atta is ill with a bad attack of Great is the reward of the virtuous.

> In conversation with a Skandia gentleman yesterday the reporter learned that the people out there are counting on having a branch of the Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sanlt Ste. Marie railroad built through rent resolution was referred to the committhat place in the near future, with an outlet at Gladstone, and that preliminary surveys have already been made .-- Marquette Journal.

Lew. A. Cates, editor and manager of The Escanaba Calumet, the new journal that is waking the echoes all through the peninsula, was lost for a moment in the bustle and confusion of Delta avenue yesterday. Mr. Cates is profoundly impressed with the business-like aspect of Glad stone and returned to his underground retreat to rest his eyes from the glare of Gladstone's bright prospects.

The republicans of Gladstone, for the sake of harmony, declined to put a party ticket in the field at their late charter election. The result was a natural oneevery man elected, says the "Delta," is a democrat. Democrats never fail of having an understanding among themselves, and they always vote for one of their own party, and in this case they duped many republicans into voting with them. The republicans of that city deserve no sympathy.

-Manistique Pioneer.

The fourth ward is after an expenditure of highway money already. As the fourth ward has had all, all of the highway money of the town of Minnewasca while the village-the other three wards-had none, it seems that some highway of general benefit, at least, should take precedence. Put the first job of work on the road to Mason station. That will benefit every citizen of Gladstone. Everybody at some time or another uses the road and our mails must come over it; it is the one highway that should be put in good order at once.

tion on the 5th inst., and J. J. Miller was on the incorporation of the village was, chosen the first mayor of the city. The elected president by a small majority over total vote cast was 312, showing a popula- his competitor. He has been identified tion of from 1500 to 2000-pretty small

Van Atta & Cook make a specialty of tion of a ship canal connecting Lakes Merchant Tailoring and guarantee entire Michigan and Superior, commencing at a point on the Little Bay de Noc, Lakes Gladstone's motto, No Boom, Simply Michigan. up the White Fish River to the Business, is now glittering like a star of divide between said lakes, thence down the celestial dome, visible to all points the Au Train River to or near Au Train Bay on Lake Superior, thus saving to commerce over five hundred miles in the round trip between Chicago and Duluth, and saving to the general government great expense in naval operations on the upper lakes in case of war.

Resolved further, That the Governor be and he hereby is requested to forward copies of the foregoing resolution to our Senators and Representatives in Congress On motion Mr. Blackwell, the concur-

tee on federal relations.



### GLADSTONE'S FIRST MAYOR.

HON. JAMES J. MILLER, now chief magistrate of the greatest and best little city on the terrestrial globe, was born in Canada of Scotch parents in 1854. His family removed to Bay City, this state, while he was yet young, his father serving through the civil war in the naval branch of the service. Mr. Miller learned the butcher's trade in Bay City, where he is known to all. He was married in 1875 to Miss Lydia R. Powell, daughter of Martin Powell, Esq. now of Gaylord, Michigan. Mr. Miller removed to Gaylord in 1881 and began the meat business which has earned for him, through his own energy and progressive enterprise, a very considerable property. In July, 1887, he came to Gladstone, instituted a market to which he soon added another, and continued to prosper as be-Gladstone held its first municipal elec- fore. He acquired great popularity, and,

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At the House Furnishing Emporium of

SCOTT & MASON.

Everything in these Lines Selling at Bottom Prices for Cash.

It is all very well to pay as you go, but for a city of four wards. But if Gladstone if you have no baggage the hotel proprie- is not great in population it is great in extor would rather you'd pay when you arrive.

Van Atta & Cook guarastee everything to be exactly as represented. Anything of population is truly great for a city withnot found so can be returned and money in whose limits not a soul resideded less, will be refunded.

Mrs. McKesson has refitted her millinery store on Delta avenue and it now presents a smiling and cheerful face to the genial spring sun.

Town full of people from all points. Boys coming out of the woods and life airing itself on the warm corners makes all nature cheerful.

The man who wrote "nothing is impospossible," never tried to find the pocket of his wife's dress when it was hanging up in the clothes-press.

MoCullough Bros. have completed the job of putting steam heat into the addition to the Oliver House, Escanaba, the best hotel in the peninsula.

The Osceola Mills Company have begun business in The Delta building carrying a full line of flour, feed, hay, grain and so forth. The company deals wholesale and retail.

This is the season for marbles. All the boys have them. Even the merchants de not all disdain the genial game. One of our best known, iron clad dealers in ribbons and laces and feminine gear was ob served to spiel a couple of mibs on Thurs-day-for keeps, too.

ed a home in Washington, and will reside sixty days. Senator Blackwell introduced there in the future. The governor intends to be in Alaska most of the time for united survey of the territory above menthe next five years, looking after business interests, but his wife and family will re- \$5,000,000. Senator Stockbridge will main at the national capital.

It is now announced that "the" hote', meaning the one long promised by the Soo Improvement Company, will be built and in operation by July first. The plan is to build a portion costing \$20,000 this year and add as much more to it next season. Block thirty-fou: is the site decided upon:

the effect of the malaria on the workmen and ward off disease equal to Dr. Fenner's W. Davies, drug store. 2

pectation, and we hope its expectations may be realized.-Iron Mountain Journal. According to the Journal this showing plainly the resolute lines of our chief of

much less than two years ago. It beats Iron Mountain.

HE MAY FOOL US.

Mr. Morrell is Still Taiking Canal. In Lansing Now.

Mr. W. H. Morrell, whom our readers all know as a mugwump and a canal architect is still on deck. The daily papers say that he was in Lansing Monday to urge the legislature to grant a charter for a ship canal company. The enterprise is a mammoth one, but Mr. Morrell speaks of it in a quiet matter of fact way and says that eastern capital in abundance stands ready to carry it out. The plan is to cut a canal across the upper peninsula, beginning at Bay au Train in Lake Superior, a few miles east of Marquette, and terminating in Little Bay de Noc near Gladstone. The canal will be only thirtysix miles in length. By connecting Lake Superior and Lake Michigan it will lessen the distance for ship commerce between Duluth and Chicago 271 miles. The canal will require but two locks and its projector asserts that the total cost of construction will be less than that of the proposed government improvement of the Sault Ste. Marie canal. Mr. Morrell states that if the legislature grants a charter the Gov. Swineford, of Alaska, has purchas- company will be fully organized within a resolution this afternoon asking for a tioned. The estimated cost of the work is

> push the matter in Washington. There is no doubt that the canal will be built, and The Delta, as foster father of the scheme hopes Mr. Worrell may be the man to build it.

> The following is the resolution introduced by Senator Blackwell which passed the senate Tuesday.

Concurrent resolution relative to the survey of a ship canal connecting Lakes When Colonel Higgins of Fredonia, Michigan and Superior. Be it resolved by was building the Louisiana and Texas the Senate of the State of Michigan (the Railroad, nothing was found to prevent House concurring), That our Senators and Representatives in Congress be and they are herely requested to use their best en-Capitol Bitters. Use his Blood and Liver deavors to secure such legislation by Con-Remedy and Nerve Tonic in all blood, gress as will result in the making of a surskin and nerve disorders. For sale at R. vey und r direction of the Secretary of War of the United States, for the const. uc-

with Gladstone's growth and progress an when it was incorporated as a city thr weeks ago he was chosen mayor by a lar majority. The picture at the head of th article is an excellent likeness, showin cial's well-known countenance,

Get a souvenier at the Rainbow, Marc 17th, at Opera House building.

### THE BELT LINE

And Terminal Transfer Railway Compary Gladstone

This important corporation is organizin and will be fully in operation within a fe weeks. The corporators are the owners the property on the south shore lying 1 tween the city plat and the shore of B de Noc, who take stock in proportion the amount of acreage they own. T belt line railway will have right of w from the Soo track at South Gladsto along the bay shore to the end of Saunde Point, again connecting with the Soo sy tem. The line will give track facilities the docks already built on the south sho and to such as may be erected in the ture. It is a line of great importance the city and it is in good hands. The pense of track-laying will be comparativ y light as the amount of grading to done is small. When, in time, much shi ping and manufacturing is done on t south shore, this line will be indispensab and the foresight of the corporators will amply rewarded.

Half-Fare Excursions to Detroi The railroads of Michigan have agreed to run two half fare excursions Letroit during the April 2, 3, 4 and 5 Fl ral exhibition. The first will run April & the tickets being good to return on the 4t The second will be upon the 4th, to retu the 5th of April. The tickets will conta a coupon for admission to the Floral hibition. The new exhibition at the I troit Museum of Art, which opened Mar 13th, will also be open to visitors. The desiring to keep posted as to the details the Floral enterprise, will find daily stallments of flower show gossip in t Detroit Journal, which public-spirited per, we believe, originated and organiz this novel and beautiful enterprise, which promises such successful results.

#### For First Place.

A great amount of political engineering will done by friends of candidates to secure for the man the first place on the ticket, and the best mi-will probably secure the coveted place. Then indorsed by the majority of the people, the ele-tion is assured. Electric Bitters has been put the front, its merits passed upon, has been in dorsed, and unanimously given the first plac among remedies peculiarly adapted to the reli-and cure of all Diseases of Kidneys, Liver a Stomach. Electric Bitters, being guaranteed, is eafe investment. Price 50cc. and 31 per bottle A. H. Powell's Drug Store. safe investment. Price 500 A. H. Powell's Drug Store. and SI per botti

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### WILL DIG THE DITCH.

Capitalists Ask a Franchise for a Lake Superior Ship Canal.

LANSING, Mich., March 18 .- W. H. Morrell, of New York, arrived here today, to endeavor to induce the Legislature to grant a charter for the proposed ship canal across the Upper Peninsula, connecting Lakes Michigan and Superior. The route selected is thirty-six miles long, and begins at Bay Au Train, about fitteen miles east of Marquette. Its southern terminus will be Little Bay De Noc, near Gladstone. Two locks will be necessary. It will save to ship commerce a distance of 271 miles between Chicago and Duluth. Mr. Morrell says that he has an abundance of New York and Chicago capital interested, and that the company will be organized within sixty days after a charter is granted. The estimated cost of the work is \$5,-000,000.

#### THE JURY PLAYED POKER.

### A Prisoner Convicted of Murder Gets a New Trial for a Good Reason.

The fact was brought to light in the criminal district court at New Orleans on the 15th, that the jury in the case of George Dunn, tried for the killing of Jas. Weir, when locked up for the night after the case had been given into their hands played poker for four hours. Judge Evans, counsel for the accused, who was convicted of manslaughter, in making an appeal for a new trial, by testimony offered in open court showed how the jurymen had passed their time. In deciding the application Judge Baker said that twelve men, sup-plied with a quart bottle of whisky, a deck of cards and a handful of beans, who played poker from 12 o'clock at night to 4 o'clock in the morning, holding a man's life in their hands, could not possibly give the prisoner a fair trial. As long as he presided over a court he could not sanction such a thing, and, therefore, he granted the prisoner a new trial.

#### NOT CONSTITUTIONAL.

### New Mexico's Law for Keeping Out Dressed Beef is Void.

In a lengthy opinion given to the meat inspector of Santa Fe County, relative to the new law regulating the sale of meats and providing for the inspection of cattle and hogs prior to slaughtering, which practically prohibits the bringing into New Mexico of dressed beef and pork, the acting solicitor-general of the territory says that the act is unconstitutional and void so far as its effect on shipments into the territory for purposes of sale and public use are con-cerned. He holds that dressed beef and pork are commodities of interstate commerce, and that the law is an attempt under cover of police power to keep out all foreign dressed or uncured meats. Large quantities of these meats are shipped to the city butchers, hotels and railroad eating houses.

#### THE RECORD CORRECT.

The "Anarchist Case" Disposed of for Good by the Illinois Supreme Court. The supreme court of Illinois has de-The supreme court of Illinois has de-nied the motion to correct the judgment of a negro preacher named Arthur Assaulted a White Woman.

#### RESISTED TO THE DEATH. An Old Man Shot by a Posse of Special

Officers. Los ANGELES, Cal., March 18 .- Consta-

ble Harnishfeger went out to Garvanza village vesterday, to arrest an old man named B. S. Sprague for the beating of his little girl. Sprague shot Harnish-leger through the head, inflicting a mortal wound, and then opened fire on Deputies McCutchin and Jones. The deputies returned to the city and gave the alarm. Several parties then started out to capture Sprague. One party overtook him between South Pasadena and Alhambra. Sprague turned on them, and fired shot after shot from his revolver. The pursuers replied with several volleys. Finally H. W. Patton, registrar of the land office, succeeded in heading off the fugitive, and called upon him to surrender. Sprague replied by firing two shots at Patton, both of which missed. Patton then shot Sprague through the abdomen with a rifle.

#### American Pilgrims in Rome

ROME, March 18.-Archbishop Stonor celebrated high mass in the Irish College yesterday. Cardinals Schiaffino and Bianchi, Archbishop Stonor, and Bishops Keane, McQuaid and Wigger, were present at dinner in the college. Mgr. Grasseli celebrated mass at the Church of the Irish Franciscans, where Father Locke Church of the preached a powerful sermon. Cardinal Jacobini and Mgr. Revell entertained the Americal pilgrims and the Irish Augustinians later in the day.

#### Anti-Chinese Law.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 18 .- Late hibiting the emigration of Chinese into agents in Europe, authorizing them to give free passage to all who desire to emigrate to Chili, where on ar-rival they will receive board and lodging for fifteen days.

#### Taken From Lake Michigan.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 14 .- The body of a man, supposed from a card found in a pocket of the clothing to be that of P. Keller, maker of ladies' fine custom boots, was found floating in the lake today. It had evidently been in the water a long time, and was unrecognizable. Mrs. Keller says she has not seen her husband since New Year's Eve.

#### Blaze at East St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 15.-Fire in the McCarthy Packing and Provision Company's establishment in East St. Louis, at 2 o'clock this morning, completely destroved the building. A two-story wooden hotel adjoining was also burned. The loss is estimated at \$40,000, only partially covered by insurance.

Triple Hanging in Arkansas, LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 15 .- Willis Green, Anderson Mitchell and Daniel Jones, all colored, were hanged at Ark-

### ENDED FOUR LIVES.

#### A Terrible Tragedy Reported from Austin, Tex.

AUSTIN Tex., March 15.-A terrible tragedy occurred at Italian Canyon, twelve miles from here, yesterday afternoon. Samuel Rundle killed his fatherin-law, George Hoskin, and his brotherin-law, aged 15, by shooting them with a shot gun, the charge of shot entering the neck and severing the jugular vein of the former, and tearing away the face of the latter. A boy named John King, hearing the shot, came toward the house. He was met by Rundle holding the gun. The latter asked the boy to shoot him. The boy refused. Rundle then took the boy's horse and rode three miles to the lower ranch, entered the kitchen of the house, and with a pistol shot Mrs. Hos-kin in the head and then shot himself in about the same spot. The four bodies were found at the two ranches, lying at right angles, forming a cross. The shooting was the result of a iamily quarrel over a division of prop-erty. The four bodies were brought here last night, and an inquest held. The quadruple burial will take place tomorrow.

#### IMPORTANT WATER POWER SUIT

## Litigation at Sault Ste. Marie for the Possession of Valuable Property.

Testimony has been completed before Judge Grant in the circuit court at Sault Ste. Marie, in the case of W. P. Spaulding vs. Wm. Chandler, for the possession of the best water power property in the city and the land upon which the Edison water power canal is situated. The result Chilian advices state that the Chilian of this suit is being anxiously Government has issued a decree pro- watched, as it will settle the title to considerable other property in the republic. The Chilian Government the city. Mr. Chandler has been pos-has sent orders to its immigration sessed of the property since 1882. At that time he received a patent from the government, he having filed Porterfield scrip on the land. Spaulding's claims board date from 1820. An old soldier by the name of Adsit pre-empted all the property along the rapids, built a shanty and lived there, finally paying the \$1.25 per acre required by law, and received a receipt from the United States land office. The government, however, refused to give a patent, as they claimed the land had been reserved by the government as a national park. Adsit sold the property to Spaulding, who constructed a dock on the land and made two applications for a patent, but was again refused. The property remained in statu quo until Mr. Chandler filed scrip on it and received a patent from government.

This is the beginning of a number of important law suits. The land in litigation in his suit is a half mile of water frontage on the rapids, and the best water-power property in the city. It extends from the head of the government canal to the locks, and lies between the new locks and the rapids. The Edison Canal constructed on the property cost \$100,000.

### JUDGE LYNCH HOLDS COURT.

### HATS FULL OF GOLD. ....

Treasure Left by an Eccentric Hoosler at Huntington, Ind.

Joseph W. Griffith, who died recently at Huntington, Ind., was one of the most eccentric characters in Northern In-diana. He lived sumost entirely alone, and had a great aversion to women. Alter his death the undertaker, who took charge of the remains, found in Mr. Griffith's trousers pocket the sum of \$4,700 in currency. In various places about the store were found hats iull of silver and gold, all covered with dust, having apparently been undisturbed for years. Promisory notes executed by leading business men, running far up in the thousands, were found among the effects of this most singular man. Mr. Griffith having refused accommodation to no one whom he deemed worthy and responsible. His entire property amounts to over \$50,-000, and it is not thought that he left a will. For a week before his death Mr. Griffith was almost totally blind, but despite his infirmity, he insisted on remaining alone and taking care of him-self, refusing bluntly all proffers of aid from his friends and relatives. William Griffith, a brother, will inherit all the property.

#### FOUR NEW WAR VESSELS.

#### Orders Issued To-day for the Construc tion of the Ships.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 19.-The chiefs of the bureaus of ordnance. equipment and recruiting, construction and repair and steam engineering, have been directed to proceed, without delay, to prepare plans for the construction of the new vessels authorized by the naval appropriation bill of the last session of Congress, namely: One armored steel cruising monitor of not less than 3,000 tons, at a cost not exceeding \$1,500,000 (plans designed by John R. Thomas, of Illinois); two steel cruisers or gun boats of the most approved type of 800 to 1,200 tons displacement to cost in the aggregate, exclusive of armament, not more than \$700,000, and one ram for harbor defense, of the general type approved by the naval advisory board November 7, 1881, of the highest practicable speed.

#### Big Fire at Peoria, Ill.

PEORIA, Ill., March 18 .- Fire this morning destroyed the large four-story brick building on Adams Street, occupied by Comstock & Avery as a furniture store. The loss is roughly estimated at \$100,000. The insurance is unknown.

#### Justice Matthews Much Better.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 18.-A call this morning, elicited the information from a colored servant that "Mrs. Matthews instructs me to say to callers that the Justice is ever so much better."

Discovery of a Bomb Factory. ZURICH, March 19.-The police here the manufacture of bombs on an extenbeen arrested for connection with the

fastened to their belt. They wear no diving dress. but have a large stone attached to one foot by a loop of rope. When the diver gives the signal, by pulling the rope, he is quickly hauled up with the net and its contents. The best divers cannot remain below more than eighty seconds, and few are able to exceed sixty seconds, without "a breath of fresh air."

#### How to Wash Blankets.

The following directions for washing plankets are given to the Public Ledger: Put a pint of household ammonia in the bottom of your tubs, having had the blankets well beaten to remove all clinging dust before you get the tubs out. Then lay the blanket lightly on over the ammonia, and pour upon it a sufficient amount of warm water to cover the blanket entirely. Then with a stick or the hand flop the blanket about in the solution, pressing all the water that will come out of it against the side of the tub without wringing, as you re-move to the rinse water. You will be amazed to see the dissolved dirt coming out through the fibres, as no washing or rubbing with soap-suds will bring it out. Rinse in the same way, in the same moderately warmed water (not boiling water,) and by simply pushing the blankets about the tub. Press through the wringer, and hang out to dry in a windy place, not in the sun. As the blanket hangs there drying, a little water will collect in the corners, which is rather an amusement to squeeze out to help the drying process. If you do not wish to put a second blanket in the first ammoniated water, which must be done promptly, as the ammonia evaporates quickly, divide the quantity, taking half a pint for each one of the two tubs, and wash two blankets at once. The evaporating ammonia, released by the warmth of the water, can only escape through tha blanket, which is laid over it in the tub before the water is applied. Hence you get the value of every drop of it. In ordinary cleaning with ammonia, for paint, brasses, silver, etc., mix it with cold water first, and then add a little warm water to the pail.

### No Leap Year in 1900.

#### From the Raleigh News.

Although the year 1900 will be divisible by four with no remainder, it will not be leap year. Twelve years must elapse before the interesting event takes place, but it was just the same in 1800 and 1700, but not in 1600, for that was a leap year, and the year 2000 will be a leap year also. Why this should be is a problem. To explain in detail would be a tiresome task, but it rests on the principle that a difference of

11 minutes per day exists between at the residence of Justice Matthews, actual time and calendar time. Thus a year is computed at 3654 days, three years being 365 days long and the fourth year 366 days. In fact, the year is 365 days, 5 hours and 45 minutes long, or 11 minutes short of 3651 days. The leap year every four years is said to have been an invention of Julius Cæsar. To have discovered an establishment for allow for this difference of eleven minutes per year, one leap year was dropsive scale. Two more Russians have bed every hundred years. But this been arrested for connection with the was found not to be exact, and Pope Gregory XIII, in 1582, made an improvement and decreed that every fourth centurial year should be a leap year. Thus, by omitting the leap year for three centurial years and letting it remain as usual on the fourth centurial year, a system is obtained so close that it would take thousands of years to make up another day's difference in time. The calendar time is still not exact mathematically, but as no change will be necessary for 4,000 years, it will not fall to the share of the presand we nearly always had several pairs ent generation to correct the discrepancy.

in the case of Fielden and others against Horton, May 21, 1888. The execution the people, and at last the "Anarchist case" has been disposed of so far as the supreme court is concerned. The partiular portion of the judgment sought to be corrected is the wording of the first part of the order, "Now on this day again came the said parties," etc., etc., the defendant's atparties, etc., etc., the defendant's at-torney urging that the parties were not, in fact, present as recited in the order. The court in denying the motion, holds that the parties ap-peared in this court by attorney. It would be impossible under the law, the court says, to bring parties convicted of a crime from the penitentiary or jail to this court to be personally present when the record of their trial was reviewed and passed upon.

#### BIG MUSIC HALL.

#### New York Singers to Erect a Hall to Hold 3,000 Persons.

NEW YORK, March 15.-It is now announced that Morris Reno, one of the directors of the New York Oratorio and Symphony Societies, has bought nine lots on the corner of Fiftyseventh Street and Seventh Avenue, for a company which is to be incorporated from the directors of the Symphony and Oratorio Societies, and some other gentlemen interested in music, and which is to build a music hall on the site. Andrew Carnegie, the president of the two societies, is the principal promoter of the scheme. The actual work of designing and building will soon be begun. The large hall will seat over 3,000 people, and combined with this will be several smaller halls for chamber music and lectures.

#### WAR SHIPS FOR TANGIER.

#### British Cruisers Ordered to Proceed to Morocco at Once.

LONDON, March 19 .- In the House of Commons, to-day, the Rt. Hon. Sir James Fergusson, parliamentary secretary for the foreign office, announced that certain serious questions between England and the Sultan of Morocco had not been settled, and that a portion of the British Channel squadron had consequently gone to Tangier.

#### Fatal Dynamite Explosion.

CUMBERLAND, Md., March 19.-An explosion of dynamite occurred at No. 2 tunnel of the Cumberland Hydraulic Cement Company, at noon, fatally injuring Joseph Hammer-smith and Joseph Wyman and seriously wounding Noah Long and Solomon Moore. The men were engaged in drilling out an unexploded blast when the accident happened.

#### Cut His Wife's Throat.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 15.-C. E. Ham ilton, a railroad man, cut the throat of his wife, in the Kimball House, this morning. He has proof of his wife's infidelity, and fol-lowed her here to get their child. She refused to give up their child, and he cut her throat with a razor. There is a bare possibility that she may recover, ests in railway lines e but not likely.

was private.

#### Swept Away by a Flood.

DAGGETT, Cal., March 18 .- Five bents of the Mojave River bridge near Barstow, have been washed away, and the water is still rising. It will take several days to repair the damage. The whole bridge is likely to go. The same bridge was unsafe for several weeks five years ago.

### Turns State's Evidence.

BISMARCK, D. T., March 14.-The jury in the case of Curran, the opium smuggler, disagreed. The case against him was then dismissed on his agreeing to turn state's evidence and expose the opium ring, whose stealings amount to millions.

#### Immense Game Preserve.

NEW YORK, March 14 .- The Paradise Club of Anglers, of this city, have just decided to purchase 70,000 acres of forest and fifty trout lakes in various parts of the country. This will make the largest fish and game preserve in the world.

#### Cleveland's Name Was Forged.

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 14.-The officers of the Buffalo Athletic Club this morning received a brief letter from ex-President Cleveland, in which he states that the signature to his supposed application for membership was a blun. dering forgery.

#### Dacosta Succeeds Morton,

CHICAGO, Ill., March 14 .- The stockholders of the Illinois Central Railway reconvened this morning, and elected E. M. Dacosta, of New York, to fill the vacancy in the board of directors caused by the resignation of Levi P. Morton, vice-president of the United States.

#### Chloroformed and Robbed,

CINCINNATI, O., March 14.-Burglars last night chloroformed and robbed James Carlin, who was postmaster at Cleves, and also township treasurer. Mr. Carlin has not yet recovered consciousness, and it cannot yet be told how much money was taken.

De Freycinet as Minister of War. PARIS, March 14 .- M. De Freycinet, minister of war, has assumed the Pon duties of the office of minister of marine, made vacant by the death of Ad-miral Jaures. M. Freycinet will retain the position until a new minister is appointed.

#### Buying Up Coal Lands.

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., March 15.-A number of Philadelphia capitalists will buy 10,000 acres of coal land in the vicinity of Lowsville, and will in that event erect a bridge across the Monongahela for convenience of shipping.

Mr. Huntington Has Not Sold Out. NEW YORK, March 15.—The report that C. P. Huntington has sold his interests in railway lines east of the Missis-

TASLEY, Va., March 14.-The negro, Magruder Fletcher, who criminally as-

saulted Mrs. Obediah McCready several days ago, was lynched about 3 A. M. to-day by a party of about sev-enty-five men. Jailer Samuel Met-son was aroused at about 1 o'clock by a party of masked men who demanded the keys of the jail. The lynchers went to the cell of Fletcher and carried him out. The negro was hurried off and hung to the limb of a tree on the edge of the road about one and a half miles from here. The body was cut down at about 9 o'clock by Magistrate Higgins, and a coroner's inquest was held. A verdict was rendered that Magruder Fletcher came to his death by being strangled and shot by persons unknown to the jury. Fletcher had four bullet holes in him.

#### Big Pine Timber Sale.

EAST SAGINAW, Mich., March 14 .- Burrows & Rust, of Saginaw, have pur-chased of Ludington parties 40,000,000 feet of pine on Lake Superior, about twenty miles north of Duluth. Consid-eration \$20,000 eration, \$80,000.

#### Furniture Factory Burned.

CINCINNATI, O., March 14 .- The furniture and mattress factory of H. Rikoff & Co., 111 Franklin Street, was burned out to-day. Loss, \$30,000; insurance, \$20,000.

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MILWAUKEE.	
FIOTE Petents high grade	
FLOUR-Patents, high grade 6.00	
Superfines 4.00	@ 4.25
WHEAT-Spring, No. 2 Cash	@ 861/8
Spring, No. 2 seller May.	@ 87%
CORN-No. 3.	@ 31
OATS-No. 2 white	@ 271/2
BARLEY-NO. 2.	<b>@</b> 56
RyE-No. 1 new	@ 44
PORK-Meas	@12.00
LARD.	@ 7.00
CATTLE-Good to Choice Steers 3.25	00 2100
Hogs-Good to Choice	
SHEEP-Good to Choice	
BUTTER-Good to ChoiceCream'y. 24	@ 26
CHEESE-Cheddars. 10	@ 12
Eggs—Prime 14	
PORK-Barrels	@ 95
LARD-Tierces	@ 1.10
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OATS-No. 2	@ 241/
BARLEY-NO. 2.	@ 57
RYE-No. 2	@ 43
PORK-Mess.	@12.00
LARD-Steam	@ 7.00
BUTTER-Good to Choice C'm'v 20	@ 27
Good to Choice Dairy 15	@ 21
Eggs	(a) 14
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NEW YORK.	
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WHEAT-No.2 Red. CORN-No. 2. OATS-White Western..... BYE-Western... Pork-New Mess..... LARD ..... ST. LOUIS. WHEAT-No. 2 Red ..... CORN-NC. 2.. OATS-NO. 2..... RYE-No. 2. ..............

#### TOLEDO. WHEAT-No. 2 Red..... OATS .....

#### manufacture of the explosives. Shoes for the Queen.

### From the Washington Critic.

"There are two or three shops in London," said Shoemaker Grace, "that make nearly all of the shoes worn by the English aristocracy. They have that class of trade and don't care for any other, as it is permanent, and it pays. The place where I worked had several members of the royal family as customers, on the lasts. I remember making a pair of ball shoes for the Princess Beatrice just before I left. She had a foot something like her mother's, the Queen. It was short and fat, the ankle being what you might call boxed just a little. Her number was a four, and she wore "Did you ever make shoes for the

"No, I never did. The man whose bench stood next to mine made nearly

all of them, and had done so for years. I suppose her number is at least a six, and she wears a very sensible shoe, long and broad, with low heel and plenty of room at her toes. She has several bunions and corns, you know. I suppose her common-sense ideas about shoes didn't come to her until late in life."

### Oil of Sassafras.

From Garden and Forest. The manufacture of the oil of sassafras is becoming an important industry in some parts of the country, especially in the Southern states, where this tree is also very largely employed in the South America. manufacture of several popular proprietary medicines. The importance of this industry may be expected to in-crease rather than diminish, as the sassafras and persimmon are the two trees which are spreading most rapidly over the old and abandoned fields throughout the Southern states outside of the pine belt proper; and at present prices good wages can be made in digging out the roots.

### The Pearl Fisheries of India.

There are extensive beds of pearloysters in the Gulf of Manaar, between India and the Island of Ceylon. The 9 441 811/2 57 oysters cover an area of coral reef five miles long and about two miles wide, and in some places are clustered one above another knee deep. It is esti-mated this year the Ceylon banks will contain 200,000,000, and the Indian banks 900,000,000 pearl oysters. The divers go down to a depth of eight fathoms, or forty-eight feet of water, where they remain for nearly a minute

### The Need for Salt.

#### From Good Housekeeping.

The importance of salt as an article of diet, according to a scientific writer, is overrated. A continued use of large quantities of salt produces scurvy. The popular belief that an appetite for salt is universal among the lower animals is without foundation in fact. Dogs. cats. and other carnivorous animals show no fondness for it, and the same is true of the fruit-eating animals. Even herbivorous animais do not eat salt regularly with their food, but only at long intervals, which suggests the thought that perhaps they take it as a vermifuge. In certain parts of the world, where salt is unknown, antelopes abound in countless numbers, and in parts of Africa where salt is abundant, the antelopes show no fondness for it. There are many in-stances in which flocks of sheep, and herds of cattle have been reared successfully without salt. In certain parts is common. Only the roots are used; of Central Africa salt is more scarce they are chopped up into small pieces than gold, and to say that a certain man by a machine constructed for the pur- eats salt is to say that he is very rich. pose, the oil being then distilled from | Yet the people living there have existthe chips by the aid of steam. About ed for ages, and have enjoyed the best one gallon of the oil, weighing nine of barbarous health, without a taste of pounds, is obtained from 1,000 pounds salt from infancy to old age. Salt is not of the chips. The uses for which the oil of sassafras can be employed are numerous and varied. In the North American Indians previous to It is a favorite perfume for soaps and the discovery of the continent by Eucandies; it is used as a solvent for ropeans, and for many years after, and different gums, and as a linement. It is still true of the Pampas Indians of

#### The German Minister's Turnout.

#### From the Washington Post.

The appearance of Count d'Arco Valley, the German minister, who was making a round of cabinet calls last Friday afternoon in his elegant coach, created quite a furor among the gay crowd of promenaders who happened to be on the avenues. The minister was accompanied by his sister, the Countess Leopoldine d'Arch Valley, who is as handsome a woman as he is a man. The effect of the turnout was heightened by the rig of the footman, whose gaudy livery was resplendent in gold and lace, and enveloped the entire figure in a darkblue coat of broad-cloth, with a double row of silk buttons down the front. Heavy rows of gilt cord were caught across the breast from the left shoulder and finished at the right side, upon which was worn a handsome sword. The tall blue chapeau was decorated with a feather plume and cockade of the German colors.

and pick up as many shells as possible, putting them into a small net which is York and San Francisco in 113 hours. MAIL is now carried between New

# STEAM'S DEADLY FOWER

### A Pipe Factory Wrecked by a Boiler Explosion.

#### MANY MEN KILLED AT PITTSBURG.

· Four Bodies Taken From the Ruins-Several Others Known to be Under the Debris - Heartrending Scenes Around the Fatal Spot.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 14.-A battery of boilers at the West Point Boiler Works, of R. Monroe & Sons, on the corner of Twenty-third and Smallman Streets, exploded shortly after 12 o'clock this afternoon, completely wrecking the plant, and burying a number of men in the ruins. Four have been taken out dead and three badly injured, and there are still a number in the ruins. A dozen others were quite seriously injured, many of them, it is thought, .fatally. The names of the dead already removed from the wreck are:

August Lindebaugh, engineer; frightfully mutilated; single; resided on Howard Street, Allegheny.

Charles Allenbacke, laborer, head and body boiled.

Daniel Clark, boiler-maker, mangled and scalded.

John Remheimer, boiler-maker, badly scalded.

Martin Connors and one other were taken from the ruins alive. Howard, however, it is thought will die before he reaches the hospital. The names of the other injured are not yet known.

The explosion occurred just after the noon whistle had sounded and, many of the workmen had left the works to get their dinners. The concussion shook buildings for several squares. In a few minutes a large crowd had gathered about the wreck, and the scene was most agonizing. Wives, mothers and children ran about wringing their hands and crying, eagerly searching for their loved ones.

The first body removed was that of the engineer Linebaugh. He was almost unrecognizable. Allenbacke's remains were next taken out, and in a few minutes the mangled body of Clark was found. Remheimer, Howard and an unknown were next removed. The work of rescue is going on vigorously. but at 2 o'clock no more bodies had been recovered. Four are believed to be still buried beneath the debris, and it is feared many more were caught in the wreck.

The cause of the explosion has not been learned. The building was a large one story brick structure, and was formerly occupied by Wm. Smith & Sons, pipe manufacturers. The plant

#### CHICAGO DETECTIVES. It is Asserted That They Have Captured

#### THE NIPSIC SAFE. Denial of the Story of an Encounter

Tascott Again. A dispatch of the 15th from West Selkirk, Manitoba, says: Tascott has been captured at Lake Winnipeg. No particulars are given. It is probable that the right man has been captured at last and that Snell's murderer will be brought to justice. Amos J. Stone, the dead millionaire's son-in-law, and a party of four detectives from Chicago have been here for nearly three weeks working on the varions clues. It is a

positive fact that Tascott was at work near here for some time, but he got a tip in the way of a telegram from Chicago just after Mr. Stone left there and skipped out. A vigorous search was made of the country for miles around, but ap-parently without picking up the slightest trace of the fugitive. An effort was made to interview Mr. Stone, but he

gave the reporters the slip and got away. A special from Winnipeg gives the following more definite statement of the capture of Tascott: "Some Indians arrived by dog train at 2 o'clock to-day at West Selkirk, a place twenty miles from this city, conveying the news that Tascott. the murderer of Snell, the Chicago millionaire, had been captured on Lake Winnipeg by the Chicago detecives, who, accompanied by relatives of the murdered man, had been following a strong clue, with the result stated, for the past few weeks. They arrived here just after Tascott left his work to go, as he said, to Dakota. However, they are now reported to be on their way to this city with the captured murderer." A dispatch received at 10 o'clock on the night of the 15th, from Selkirk, says the Indians who brought the information from Lake Winnipeg have gone to one of the lodges at the reserve for the night and cannot now be located. Great excitement prevails among the villagers at Selkirk, but many are disinclined to believe the report brought by the Indians. The man who was traced to Rat Portage by the Chicago party and supposed to be Tascott is reported to have gone North from that place, and would undoubtedly strike Winnipeg on his journey, as the country on the east of the lake is almost impassable.

### FOR KILLING HIS DAUGHTER.

Arrest of a Chicago Man on the Charge of Murder.

CHICAGC, Ill., March 15.-A warrant is out for the arrest of John Jones, a clerk

in a large grocery store, charged with criminal abuse of his own daughter and her subsequent murder. The girl, Nellie, 17 years old, died at the county hospital shortly before 1 o'clock this morning, the physicians think of arsenical poisoning. Jones is a widower and had seven children. Three of them are in an orphan asylum, while he has kept the other four, including the dead daughter, in the most squalid poverty and neglect. Four days ago the Humane Society began an investigation. Nellie, when closely questioned, told the story that led to her father's arrest. Further she stated

Near Apia. AUCKLAND, N. Z., March 14 -- Advices received to-day from Samoa show that there is no basis for the sensational rumor of an engagement between the United States man-of-war Nipsic and the German corvette Olga.

Far from this, the German officials on the island have entirely given up their aggressive policy. The proclamation of martial law has been publicly withdrawn, and the Germans have abandcned all claim to the right of searching incoming vessels for contraband of war. Both these steps have met with the hearty approval of all foreign residents

at.Apia, and have had a quieting effect. Unusual tranquility prevails throughout the island. Mataaia, however, has a force of troops estimated to be 6,000 strong. Tamasese's army consists of about 700 men.

The men-of-war, both German and American, still remain at Apia, ready for any emergency that may arise.

#### **BID FOR A BIG BREWERY.**

#### Eight Millions Offered for the Anheuser Plant at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 16.-It is announced here to-day that on Wednesday last an offer of \$7,000,000 was made for the Anheuser-Busch brewery property in this city, and was promptly rejected. Thursday, James M. Camp-bell, a wealthy banker and brokbell, a wealthy banker and broker er of St. Louis, acting for Mr. Underwood, a banker of New York, house of Baron Rothschild, offered Mr. Busch \$8,000,000 in cash for the property, and this was as promptly declined. A forfeiture of \$1,000,000 was put up as a proof of sincerity of the offer, and the only condition proposed was that Mr. Busch should remain here one year and give the new management the benefit of his knowledge of the details of the business; but he would not listen to the proposition.

Ellis Wainwright was offered \$100,000 if he would make a written proposition to sell. That is \$100,000 would be given him to simply state in writing what terms he would sell on, the money to be paid regardless of whether his proposition was accepted or rejected, but he declined the offer, and so far as he knows all trades for St. Louis brewery property are off.

#### LOST IN THE PACIFIC.

Three Stout Ships that Will Never Return to Port.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 18 .- The steamer Zealandia, arriving from Australia, brought R. W. Gifford, captain of the brig Champion, which was driven when the black cap was adjusted. In ashore on the rocks at Ponapie, in the fact a smile appeared to hover about Carolinas. The vessel and cargo of cocoanuts are a total loss. The crew escaped to Ponapie, where they lived three months, but were finally taken by strangulation. the missionary ship Morning Star to Honolulu.

The bark Carrie Winslow, which ar-

### FOLLETT ESCAPES ARREST.

Cleverly Deceiving Detectives Be Sails for New South Wales.

A man was arrested at Helena, Mont. March 5, on strong suspicion of being Lyman D. Follett, ex-judge of probate of Kent County, Mich. Judge Follett was one of the most prominent Democrats of Grand Rapids. He was probate judge of Kent county until April of last year, when he created a great sensation by decamping, taking with him money to the amount of \$40,000, which was in his keeping ss indge of probate. He also borrowed large sums from everyone around town, and forged the name of the present judge to a check. He falsified records and deeds in the most elaborate manner, and after his departure a reward of \$1,000 was offered for his capture. He was traced to New York, but eluded the detective there and went to New Orleans, taking a steamer there for Honduras, where he worked for the I. M. Western syndicate. After a while he was lost sight of. Some months ago a man in Helena, Mont., aroused the suspicions of the detectives there by his striking resemblance to Judge Follet. He was arrested, and a picture sent to Grand Rapids was recognized by his wife. The Kent County sheriff went

to Helena after him, but so well did the prisoner act that he was released as remarkably like but not Judge Foltett. He made tracks for the coast as fast as possible, thinking he would be safer in a country where he would not be worth \$1,000. A private dispatch received in St. Paul from Tacoma, W. T., states that the jugitive sailed from there on a ship lumber laden for Sidney, N.S. W., and that he confessed to the pilot before the latter debarked that his real name was Follett.

### SMILED ON THE GALLOWS.

#### Virgil Jackson Takes the Fatal Drop With Perfect Calmness.

UTICA, N. Y., March 14.-The crime for which Virgil Jackson was hanged to-day was the murder of Norton Metcalf in Augusta Centre. The murder was committed Sunday afternoon, January 29, 1888, and grew out of criminal relations between Jackson and the wife of his victim. Metcalf had ordered Jackson to keep away from Mrs. Metcalf. Jackson however refused, and followed her to church that Sunday afternoon, returnfatal ing in company with her. As they neared Metcalf's home he came out of the house and met his wife and Jackson in the road. Words passed between the two men and then they partially clinched. Immediately afterward three shots were fired by Jackson in quick succession, and Metcalf fell to the ground dead, all three shots having taken effect. Not a tremor was noticeable the mouth at the time. The trap was sprung at 9:15<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>. Jackson was pronounc-ed dead at 9:37<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>. Death ensued from

### STRIKERS GAINING STRENGTH.

### DUE TO CARELESSNESS.

Coroner's Verdict in the Hartford Hotel Horror-Two Men Responsible.

HARTFORD, Conn., March 14.-Coroner Sperry to-day published his report on the recent Park Central Hotel disaster. in which twenty-three persons were killed. He examined fourteen witnesses, holding a private and personal examination in each instance. He finds that the building was of frail construction, but is unable to say whether this had anything say to do with increasing the loss of life, as no building probably could have resisted the boiler explosion. The boiler was well built and was six years old. It was left unattended from midnight until 5 A. M., except that George Gaines, the colored night porter who was killed. was expected to have charge of the furnace.

The coroner finds that there was plenty of water in the boiler at the time of the explosion, and that the disaster was due to overflow pressure, the valve being out of order, so that the pressure could not be relieved. It is clear that the outlets of the boiler were closed that night, and that some person turned on the drafts in the early morning,

probably the porter. The coroner finds that the engineers Thuer and Risley were legally responsible for the care of the boiler, and he concludes "I am forced to the conclusion that the explosion was caused by the willful negligence of Alex. Thuer and Amos Risley, and that they thereby wilfully and negligently caused the death of the twenty-three persons." Thuer and Risley are now under \$1,500 bonds each for trial.

#### MOSES FIELD DEAD.

#### The Nestor of Greenbackism in the West -A Detroit Millionaire.

DETROIT, Mich., March 14 .- Moses Field died this morning at 1:30 o'clock. surrounded by his entire family. Mr. Field was the original greenback advocate in Michigan, and the man who called the greenback movement into political prominence in the United States, and suggested the convention which nominated Peter Cooper for president. Mr. Field was prominent in business and political circles for many years. He was Republican member of Congress from the First Michigan District in 1873-1875, and was beaten for a second term by Gen. Alpheus C. Williams. He was always a protectionist, and during the late campaign got Gen. Ben. F. Butler to come here to speak on the tariff, which had much to do with rolling up the big Michigan majority for Harrison. Mr. Field was always a public-spirited man, and gave to Detroit Linden Park, on the East Side.

#### WHY RATES ARE CUT.

Reductions in Export Schedules Made to Retain Business.

WASHINGTON, D. C. March 18 .- The inter-state commerce commission to-day resumed its hearing in the matter of export rates, and the methods adopted by the trunk lines in computing them.

was a valuable one, and will prove a complete loss. Nothing remains but a mass of brick, mortar and timbers. The firm was unable to approximate the loss, but it is safe to say that it will reach \$20,000.

The concussion shattered windows, and damaged houses for three blocks. and it is a miracle that more people were not killed or injured.

At 2 o'clock the body of James Carton, a helper, aged about 22 years, and unmarried, was taken out, making five dead bodies removed from the ruins. Martin Connors, who was so terribly scalded that he will die, is 24 years of age, and unmarried. He came to this city a short time ago from Baltimore.

The names of the most seriously injured are: John Forest, a helper, aged 26 years; Harvey Barr, a helper, aged 25 years; William Kelly, John Barber, and James Cartney, boiler makers. Cartney was recently married. The others are single men.

The boilers were inspected six months ago, and were thought to be in firstclass condition. The real cause of the explosion will probably never be known, as the engineer was killed outright, and no one else has been found who was in the engine room at the time the disaster took place.

#### THE SAMOAN TROUBLE.

#### Correspondent Klein Thinks the Germans Respect Our Navy.

J. C. Klein, the correspondent of the Post Dispatch and the New York World, who recently became a conspicuous fig- telegram from Commander Kempff, arough St. Louis on the 18th. After reciting his experiences in Samoa, follows: "Capt. Schoonmaker reports which have already been related in Associated Press dispatches, Mr. Klein said: "The Germans make light of the American navy, but I tell you they were not very agressive when the stars and stripes were waved in their faces. Why, when they took Gillan off the Richmond, on the ground that he was a spy, Capt. Goetioson and Capt. Hand sent word that, if he was not returned at once, they would board the Adler with an armed force and take him, Chilian minister of foreign affairs, in and Gillan was promptly restored. Dr. Knapp, the German consul, used to walk up and down the beach every day and inspect Mataafa's boats. Oh, how they wanted to blow them up, but they did not dare to. They were in neutral waters, and they knew that to touch those boats meant a fight Their manner towards every one and every thing that was not German or allied to the Germans, was as offensive as it could be. They would scowl at any one they saw about the American consulate, and make all sorts of offensive remarks about them."

#### A HERMIT'S FATE.

#### Identity of the Man Who Floated Away to Death on Lake Huron.

CHEBOYGAN, Mich., March 19.-The man seen floating down Lake Huron on an ice floe, recently, is supposed to be Tom Curtis, who has lived a hermit's life in a small shanty on the shores of Hammond's Bay for a number of years. He fished through the ice near here, and has been missing since the ice broke up some time ago. He has no relatives here.

that a young married man named Richard Betting, living in the neighborhood. had also abused her. Jones and Betting were arrested immediately. Jones gave bail and has disappeared.

Yesterday afternoon an office of the Humane Society went to Jones' home and found the girl lying upon the floor suffering from severe pains in the stomach. She was taken to the hospital and grew rapidly worse until death ensued.

#### FORTY-TWO LIVES LOST.

#### A Spanish Steamer Sinks and Many Persons are Drowned.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 19 .- China mail advices to-day, per the steamship City of Peking, report the loss of the Spanish steamer Remus among the Phillipine Islands, January 30. Fortytwo lives were lost out of 169 people on board. The Remus was engaged in the coasting trade, but at the time was taking out reliefs of soldiers to their various stations on the Phillipine Islands, and struck a reef near Point Biliaram, about two days voyage from Manilla, sinking in thirty-five fathoms of water. The surviving officers and passengers were picked up by the gunboat Argus.

rived yesterday, 136 days from Baltimore, passed the wreck of an iron ship, British built, in the Straits of Lemaire, but could not make out her name. No white men were aboard, but a number of Indians were on deck.

The British ship Bay of Cadiz is now out 147 days from Sydney, Australia, for this port. She is commanded by Capt. Davidson, and is a steel ship of 1,626 tons net, owned by J. Bullock, of London. Ninety guineas premium is being offered on her in London.

#### GREAT STEAMSHIP LINE.

#### Arrangement for a System Under the Control of Canada.

LONDON, March 14 .- The Canadian Gazette publishes details regarding the new mail subsidies which the Dominion government has decided to secure. The service proposed is quite equal to the New York service. The an-nual subsidy asked is £100,000 for ten years. The British and Do-minion government will join in subsidizing a fortnightly service from Vancouver to China and Japan. Australia and New Zealand will also subsidize this service in order to secure its extension to Australasian points. The aggregate subsides for Atlantic and Pa-

cific services will be £250,000 per annum. It is proposed to form an independent

#### HE HAS THE GOLD FEVER.

Why C. P. Huntington Sold His Eastern Railway Property.

VICKSBURG, Miss., March 14 .- A syndicate composed of C. P. Huntington, Mrs. Hopkins, wife of the late millionaire, and Leland Stanford, have bought 1.000,000 acres of land in Lower California, and are buying more. Their object is said to be to develop that section of country, and a part of the scheme is the building of 1,300 miles of railroad. When the engineering party were surveying the route they struck gold on this property, and this, it is alleged, decided Mr. Huntington to dispose of all his railroad property east of the Mississippi River and concentrate all his interests in the far West.

#### IN THE MOONSHINERS' LAIR.

A Posse of Officers Threatened With Death by a Gang of Desperadoes.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., March 18 .-News reached here that Detective Baldwin and an armed posse, who went of 100 distillers, have been surrounded. and that their lives are threatened. The moonshiner band is made up of noted desperadoes, and for three years they have defied the United States authorities. Thirty have been jailed, and it was while attempting to arrest forty more that the officers were entrapped.

#### Engineer Cook Not Guilty.

MAUCH CHUNK, Pa., March 16 .- The jury in the case of Engineer Cook, charged with criminal negligence, which resulted in the collision at Mud Run, in Two Thousand Men Join the Idle Weav ers at Fall River.

FALL RIVER, Mass., March 14 .- The fourth day of the weavers strike opens without any appreciable change in the situation. The weavers still present an unbroken front, and the number out to-day is larger than yesterday. The shut-down of the King Philip and American Linen Mills has added 2,000 to the number of idle operatives, and has brought the strike home to the great body of operatives outside the weavers. There was a meeting on the park this morning, attended by over 4,000 strikers, who manifested the same enthusiasm as at the begin-ning. The members of the executive committee urged the strikers not to go back until all were ready to go. The visit of Mr. Barry, of the state board of arbitration, yesterday, was referred to. and members of the executive committee reiterated it was not their fault the strike had not been settled by arbitra. tion. The appeals of the speakers to stick together were answered by cheers.

### CANADIAN CUTTERS ON DUTY.

Patrolling the Fishing Grounds to Ward off Yankee Fishermen.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., March 14 .- Reports from Newfoundland say that the issue of licenses to American vessels for the purchase of bait and other necessary outfit will be refused this season. and that the government will coincide with the Dominion government in its policy. The reason alleged is that American vessels last season violated the licenses given them, and bait purchased in Newfoundland was sold to the French at St. Pierre. The fishermen who have recently returned trom Fortune and Placentia Bays say the cutters are already patroling the coast, and every port is strictly guarded, so that no violation of the bait act can be accomplished.

#### JAILED BY SPECULATION.

Arrest of a Prominent Massachusetts

Man for Embezziement.

BOSTON, Mass., March 16.-Edgar swan, of Lynn, paying teller of the Naional City Bank, of Lynn, was before Commissioner Hallett this forenoon on complaint of Bank Examiner Gatchell, charged with being a defaulter to a very large amount. The total amount is reported to be \$68,595. Of this, however, Mr. Swan has recovered \$33,450. Swan is 35 years old, and has into the wilds of Wyoming and Mc-bitherto borne a good character. He has a wife and two children, and has lived beyond his income in the endeavor to support them in style. As far back as two years ago he was badly in debt, and thinking he saw a chance to get out of it by speculation, he invested in Atchison stock, but in the tumble that followed he dropped \$25,000. Loss followed loss.

#### Union Pacific Earnings.

Boston, Mass., March 15.-The January earnings of the Union Pacific Railway's entire system, including lines in which the Union Pacific has a half in-October last, by which sixty persons were killed, returned a verdict of not guilty at 6 o'clock this morning, after a deliberation of 21 hours. Which the Onion Factor has a half the terest, were \$2,457,675; increase over same month last year, \$289,132; ex-penses, \$1,930,419; increase, \$156,607; surplus, \$527,256; increase, \$7,132,526.

The gist of the evidence was that with few exceptions the inland published rates had not for some months been maintained. Some of the roads had made an effort to maintain them, and in consequence had practically lost their export business. The Lake Shore & Michigan Southern had in a very few months, from carrying 35 per cent. of the export business, dropped to 7 per cent. Other roads had suffered quite as severely.

#### BLESSED BY THE POPE.

#### Miss Caldwell Rewarded for Her Catholie University Gift.

ROME, March 16.-The Pope to-day gave a special audience to Bishop Keane, who is to be rector of the Catholic University which is to be erected at Washington. Bishop Keane presented Miss Caldwell, her sister and her aunt, to the Pope, who specially blessed Miss Caldwell for her generosity in endowing the university, and promised that he would assist in the services of a private mass, to which His Holiness invited the ladies and the Bishop. Bish-op Keane will leave Rome on Wednesday. The papal brief approving the statutes of the proposed university has been issued.

COPPER BULLS IN GREAT LUCK.

#### The Anaconda Plant in Wyoming Burns With a Loss of \$1,000,000.

HELENA, M. T., March 14 .- The lower works of the Anaconda Smelting Company, at Anaconda, have been destroyed by fire. The loss is \$1,000,000. The plant was one of the most complete in the country, and was filled with costly machinery. The Anaconda Company is a member of the copper synd cate, and the fire is believed to have been caused by an incendiary. Bull opera-tors in copper seem to be working in great luck, as this fire and that in the Calumet & Hecla Mine, Northern Michigan, came at opportune times.

#### MARY ANDERSON VERY ILL.

She Will be Unable to Leave Her Hotel for Two Months.

PHILADELPHIA, March 18 .- While the condition of Mary Anderson is serious, yet it is believed she will eventually recover. There are reasons to believe that the actress has been delirious. She has taken to heart the criticisms made upon her in the West. The physician has declared that she must not be removed from her hotel here for two months to come, and that at the end of that time, if she is able, she must be taken to Europe.

#### Counterfeiters Arrested.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 16 .- Chief Bell, of the secret service, has received information of the arrest of a gang of counterfeiters in New York City, who for several weeks past have been successfully putting spurious silver dollars in circulation.

#### Local Option Law Repealed.

TRENTON, N. J., March 19.-The As-semtly this afternoon passed the Werts bill repealing the local option portions of the high-license bill passed by the last legislature.

Senator Chace's Resignation. PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 16.-Gov. Taft to-day received a letter of resignation of his office of United States senator from the Hon. Jonathan Chace. It will be read to the General Assembly on Monday.

ALL QUIET AT SAMOA. The Vandalia Reaches Apia Safely on company. February 22. WASHINGTON, D. C., March 19 .- The

secretary of the navy to-day received a follows: "Capt. Schoonmaker reports by letter dated February 25, the arrival of the Vandalia at Apia on the 22nd. "Matters there quiet, all on board well. Trenton not arrived."

#### Chili and Bolivia Fall Out,

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 18 .- The Bolivian and Chilian governments are engaged in a dispute over the action taken by the latter in Antofagasto. The reply to a protest from Bolivia, says Chili considers as annexed to her territory all land south of parallel 23; that Chili exercises determined jurisdiction over the rest of the coast; and that, while Chili entertains the most of friendly intentions towards Bolivia, it does not accept the conditions of the coast to be such as claimed by Bolivia.

#### Ordered to Cruise.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 15 .- Orders have been given to prepare the Adams, at Mare Island, Cal., for a year's cruise, and the Iroquois, at the same yard, for a three years' cruise. Orders have been given to the commandants of yards to notify all suspended per diem employes to consider themselves discharged.

#### INCREASE OF INSANITY.

A Noted Specialist Discusses the Subject in an Instructive Way.

A very interesting inquiry is that regarding the occupation of those who become insane. . Taking, for example, the 450 cases admitted to the State asylum during one year, this table is obtained:

 Housekeepers.
 130
 Cooks.

 Houseworkers.
 131
 Physicians.

 Farmers and farm
 Music teachers.

 laborers.
 75
 Brakemen.

 Laborers.
 35
 Painters.

 Workers in wood...
 18
 Brick-maker.

 C'erks and salesmen
 4
 Basket-maker.

 Merchants.
 7
 Agents and commer 

 Workers in iron.
 9
 cial travelers.

 Teach'rs and govern Entomologist.
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3 Gardener ..... esses.... Factory operatives. Workers in leather. 5 Miller ..... 6 Inventor ..... dress-makers...... Hotel and saloon-2 Cigar-makers..... 1 Baker.... keepers..... Locomotive engin'rs 2 Masons... Contractor..... 4 Civil engineer..... Printers..... Students and school-Prostitute..... 2 Night watchman.... Bookkeepers ..... Miner. 1 1 Jeweler. 1 2 Glass-makes. 1 4 Cheese makers. 2 No occupation. 10 Butchers .... Peddlers..... Tinsmiths..... Barbers and hair-

At the Hudson river asylum out of 2,973 cases admitted, there were 14 barkeepers, 13 book-keepers, 16 blacksmiths, 14 butchers, 56 carpenters, 10 cigar-makers, 89 clerks, 9 clergymen, 19 dressmakers, 10 engineers, 29 factory operatives, 277 farmers and farm laborers, 12 gardeners, 10 grocers, 791 housekeepers, 330 who did housework, 356 laborers, 13 lawyers, 27 sailors, 18 masons, 50 merchants, 25 painters, 15 physicians, 21 seamstresses, 21 shoemakers, 21 tailors, 38 teachers, 3 editors. Of this number the cause of insanity of 1,515 was not ascertained, but of the remainder 23 were made insane by business troubles, 174 by epilepsy, 200 by ill-health, 202 by intemperance, 96 by loss of sleep, 85 by anxiety and grief, 64 by old age, 37 by overwork, 52 by sunstroke, 11 by the opium habit, 9 by religious excitement, 15 by apoplexy, 84 by injury to the head, and 7 by poverty and privation.

Dr. Smith made the statementsomewhat surprising in view of the frequent outcry on the subject-that he had not found any one wrongfully detained in the asylums of the State on a careful examination of all the facts in each alleged case. He added:

"Nothing is more surprising, on first entering the wards of an asylum, than the universal claim and often vehement assertion of patients that they were never insane, that they were committed through frauds and conspiracies, and hence are wrongfully detained in the asylum. The stories of wrong and abuse which they relate vary but little in their general character. The object

Look for the Rainbow Mauch 27th. Bay Shore Ad. ition. J. F. Collom has platted the Bay Shore Addition to the City of Gladstone, a tier of blocks lying south of Minneapolis Ave. on the bay shore. The street south of the addition, Lake street, runs nearly parallel GIVI with the beach and will be graded and gravelled. This is destined to be the best residence street in the city for many years to come. Registration Notice.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, GLADSTONE, MICH., March 19, 1889. To the Qualified Electors of the City of

Gladstone: Notice is hereby given that the Boards Townsites Platted, Lots of Registration of the several wards of the City of Gladstone under and by virtue of "An act further to preserve the purity of elections and to guard against the abuse of the elective franchise by the registration of electors" and all acts ammendatory thereof will meet on Saturday, March 30, 1889, from 8 o'clock in the forenoon until 8 o'clock in the evening at the following places in their respective wards for the purpose of making a perfect list as near as may be of all persons residing in such wards qualified as electors under the constitution and for the purpose of performing such duties as devolve upon them by law. First ward at the office of Davis & Mason.

Second ward at the Engine House. Third ward at the Hastings House.

Fourth ward at the Railroad Eating House.

When and where all persons not already properly registered must register their names to entitle them to the privilege of voting at the ensuing election. ALFRED P. SMITH, City Clerk.

A great variety of attractions at the Rainbow, March 27th.

Van Atta & Cook have rented the rooms in the Costello block Manistique; lately vacated by Charly Parker, and will open a merchant tailoring establishment there.

Articles of association have been filed at Lansing for a company to build a street railway at Gladstone. That city is bound to keep up the boom even if it does cause oppressive taxation .- Manistique Pioneer. What connection has the street railway

with taxation? ESCANABA.

The question of gas is now agitating the city.

A base ball association, capital \$5,000 is organizing.

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sought by their enemies has uniformly been, as they allege, to incarcerate them in order to consummate some villainous purpose which their presence would prevent. One is thus committed that others may secure his property; another alleges that he alone knew of the frauds of officers of corporations, banks or other institutions. Whatever form it may take, all the facts are narrated with great minuteness, and with an apparent candor, which often leads the inquirer to doubt and hesitate whether, after all, the patient had been the victim of a gross conspiracy. Careful and patient inquiry into all the facts of hundreds of cases has failed to prove that, in a single instance, the conduct of the friends of patients has been governed by improper intentions and motives. That conspiracies may form for the purpose of securing the commitment of sane persons to insane asylums is undoubtedly true, and is never fost sight of in these official examinations. Every effort is made necessary to discover the real facts in each case, and to arrive at a just conclusion as to the mental condition of the complainants. In the vast majority of instances the evidences of insanity are apparent on entering the ward. In a large number of cases a moment's conversation determines the mental condition of the patient. In a few cases a longer and more varied conversation is necessary to discover the more obscure evidences of mental alienation. Where there is any doubt as to the insanity of an individual further inquiries are made by examining the attendants and the physicians, and by examining the recorded history of the case, and the certificates of the physicians who made out the commitment papers. In some instances I have not formed my opinon altogether upon this evidence, but have corresponded with persons familiar with all the facts in the antecedent history of the patient, and have even personally visited the locality of his former residence in search of more.exact information. In some instances it has been found that patients have so far recovered that they were capable of complete care of themselves, and could do much useful work. But it was found on inquiry that they were not yet as firmly established in health as to make it proper to allow them to return to their homes. Such persons were rarely impatient, and were quite willing to remain under treatment until they were pronounced recovered by the superintendent." -- Cloveland Lexdor.

-According to report, there are 2,432 physicia: and suggeons, 105 ministers and 75 lawyers in this country who are Women.

