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No. 18

BARGAINS

FOR

SATURDAY

MAY 8.



LADIES' GAUZE VEST'S
5, 9, 13, and 18c

MISSES' TAN HOSE CHEAP
AT 15c, SALE PRICE 11c

ALL LINEN CRASH 22 INCH
12c QUALITY AT 8c

LADIES' HDKF. 25c QUALITY
19c

5 PIECES FANCY SATEENS
LIGHT SHADES 8 1/2c

MEN'S SUSPENDERS GOOD
VALUES AT 20c

F. G. Jackson.

Business Pointers.

For Sale.

Choice Timothy Hay for sale. enquire of
SILAS SWARTHOUT.

All kinds of Job Printing done at this office. Call and get prices.

Notice.

Cuban giant fodder seed corn for sale at 60c per bu., JOHN W. HARRIS.

WANTED!

1,000 bu. corn, 1,000 bu. oats at highest market price. C. L. BOWMAN.

Notice.

We will grind Feed Tuesday's and Friday's. Feed Brand and Corn Meal for sale. C. L. BOWMAN.

Wool. Wool.

I am in the market for all kinds of wool. Bring it in and get full market price. THOS. READ.

NOTICE.

All persons who have not paid us all or nearly all of their accounts within six months, please call and do so.

BARNARD & CAMPBELL.

For Sale.

or to trade for small place of village property, a 160 acre farm, 1/2 mile west of Wright's Chapel in the town of Unadilla. Inquire on the premises of J. W. Shost.

For sale.

The American Banner oats for seed, at 35 cents per bushel. Last year I sowed 10 bu., which I received from Ohio, on 4 1/2 acres of ground and harvested 200 bu. A No. 1. oats.

S. A. DARWIN.

T. Chilton has just returned from the city where he purchased a new line of spring goods. Call and see them before purchasing elsewhere.

Local Dispatches.

Council proceedings on page 4.

Dr. H. F. Sigler was in Detroit last Monday.

Work has begun on the Geo. Reason block.

Our morning train is five minutes earlier now-a-days.

Edward Mann and son, Edson are in Saginaw this week.

H. W. Crofoot and E. W. Mann were in Howell Tuesday.

Mrs. M. C. Wilson is spending the week with relatives in Mason.

Miss Kate Farnan is home from Ypsilanti for a week's vacation.

Some new trees were planted on the village square the first of the week.

Fred Fish went to Detroit the first of the week, to learn the barber's trade.

The Quarterly conference will be held Friday morning, May 14, at 10 o'clock.

H. G. Briggs and wife are moving back from their farm to their home at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Docking's little daughter A. Z. has been very sick with pneumonia.

Mrs. Mart Willson was called to Lansing the first of the week to care for a sick uncle.

Henry Barton and wife entertained a couple of his cousins from Waterloo several days last week.

Mr. Gerin, of Detroit, and Mr. Cook, of Dexter, were guests at the home of H. F. Sigler on Thursday.

Portage lake must have an extra supply of fish this spring, since the mill pond from here took up its abode there.

Mrs. Gene Bennett of Ann Arbor and Will Tredo of Saginaw attended the funeral of Mrs. M. B. Haynes on Friday last.

Topic for the Epworth League at the M. E. church next Sunday evening May 9 is "A Wise Son." Everybody invited.

Sherman Sackett and wife of Dexter are occupying the rooms over Barnard & Campbell's store while he is building T. Read's house.

An error occurred in the obituary of Mrs. Maria Haynes last week. In place of their coming to Michigan in 1824 it should have read 1854.

The 3rd Quarterly meeting of the M. E. church will be held next Sunday May 9th. Love feast at 9:30; preaching 10:30, followed by the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Everyone is cordially and especially invited to attend the services at the Congregational church next Sunday morning and evening. The subject for morning service is "Higher Liberty." Evening, "The Greco Turkish Question." Topics in which all should be interested.

This is to certify, that we have reason to believe that another party, and not Lewis Pergo, took from our premises last winter, some turkeys; said parties having acknowledged the same to us in writing.
Dated, May 3, 1897.
Signed, S. A. COLLINS.

OBITUARY.

BESING.

Mrs. Eliza Besing died April 28, 1897, aged 74 years.

Miss Eliza Burden was born in Shellockway Co., N. Y., May 3, 1823, was married to N. Besing Oct. 27, 1850 and has lived on the farm where she died ever since. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. W. H. Chambers, and two adopted daughters, Mrs. Gottlieb Dinkel and Mrs. Frank Backus and an aged husband to mourn the loss of a true wife and a loving mother. The funeral was held at the late residence Sunday at 2 o'clock, Rev. M. H. McMahon officiating.

Work is steadily progressing on the race track.

Will Crofoot and Eugene Mann are in Detroit.

Saturday and Sunday were genuine rainy days.

Mrs. Ira J. Cook spent Sunday with relatives at Howell.

Mrs. Andrew Bates has been on the sick list the past week.

C. D. Bennett of Howell spent Sunday with "friends" in West Putnam.

For some reason, neither saloons presented bonds at the last council meeting.

Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Brown of Stockbridge spent Friday with Chas. Love and family.

Supervisor McIntyre has been busy the past week taking the assessment of this township.

Miss Nora Ruen went, first of the week, to Monroe to take up life duties in the convent there.

It has become necessary to again take Edward Glover to the E. M. A. at Pontiac for treatment.

Stephen Finch and wife of Waterloo spent several days the past week as the guest of relatives at this place.

Sime Brogan has bought the Dunlavey house, east of the Catholic church, and moved his family there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McPherson of Howell visited Mrs. Percy G. Teeple at the home of her father a few days ago.

Topic for the Christian Endeavor at the Cong'l church next Sunday evening May 9 is "Why I Love Jesus." Everybody invited.

Mrs. L. Kennedy, who has been spending the past few months with her daughter in Conway, returned home the past week.

The Pinckney school celebrated Arbor Day on Friday last and after appropriate exercises in the upper rooms a number of fine trees were planted.

F. A. Sigler is paying and cementing a part of the store basement, preparatory to moving his fine stock of crockery and glass-ware down there.

Mrs. K. H. Crane has been spending the past week with her parents near Hartland. K. H. Crane spent Sunday there and they returned home Monday.

The entertainment at St. Mary's church last Thursday evening was excellent. The busy time of the year made the attendance much smaller than it should have been.

'Tis said that the sidewalk ordinance in regard to bicycles is being broken nearly every day and by those who should be the first to enforce it. We hope that the new council will not think of allowing the ordinance to become of no avail.

On Saturday last, Dr. Maclean, of Detroit, and Drs. H. F. & C. L. Sigler, of this place, performed an operation for Appendicitis on the 9 year old son of Floyd Reason. The case was an unusually severe one, but we are pleased to say that the operation was successfully performed and the little fellow is progressing finely, and if no unseen difficulties arise, will soon recover.

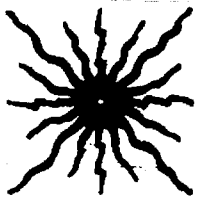
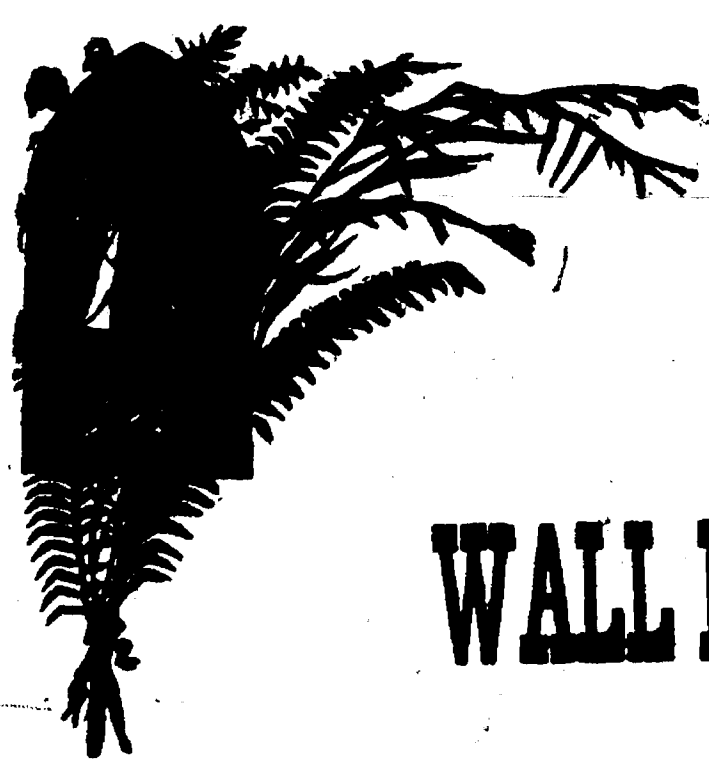
Card of Thanks.

To those who have been so kind during the illness and burial of my beloved mother, I extend to you my sincere thanks. May you be blessed with such friends in your time of trouble.

MRS. L. C. BENNETT.

Card of Thanks.

Mr. N. Besing and daughter, Mrs. W. H. Chambers, wish to express their sincere and heartfelt thanks to their neighbors and friends for their kindness, and the many tokens of friendship shown during the sickness and burial of their dear wife and mother. Also to the choir for their excellent singing.



WALL PAPER.

As spring approaches the thrifty housewife makes up her mind some

PAPERING

Must be done and goes at once to find the best place to make her selections.....

We Have A Larger And Finer Stock Of

WALL PAPER,

than ever before

and prices to meet the times. Call and get prices before buying elsewhere.

F. A. SIGLER,

PINCKNEY, MICH.

When making your

HARDWARE PURCHASES

Don't forget that we always carry a full line on hand.

All Kinds of

Farming Implements.

Don't Forget

that the Bicycle Season is close at hand.

Respectfully Yours,

TEEPLE & CADWELL.

SPECIALS

FOR

Saturday, May 8, and continuing one week.

1,000 yds. of best Print at 4 1/2 per yd.
All Light Prints at 3 1/2 per yd.



We will still continue to sell SHOES regardless of wholesale prices.

All package coffee at 12c per pound.

Remember the dates..... Produce taken

BARNARD & CAMPBELL.

PENINSULA MATTERS

RELATED IN A BRIEF, CONCISE MANNER.

Arenac County Visited by a Destructive Cyclone—Marshall of Wakefield Kills a Desperate Fiend—Awful Deed of an Insane Woman.

Deadly Cyclone in Arenac County.
A terrible cyclone struck Arenac county, demolishing buildings and uprooting trees, and at Omer three people were fatally injured, and several more wounded. The worst damage was done at Omer. The general store of W. R. Clouston and the residence of Fred Hagley were totally demolished. The barn of W. R. Clouston was torn down and the shingle mill almost wrecked. Mr. and Mrs. Hagley, who are very old, were caught by the full force of the cyclone and hurled over 60 feet into the air and both received fatal injuries. W. R. Clouston was standing in front of the store when he was caught. He was thrown violently to the ground and received a wound that may prove fatal. Mrs. John T. Baikie and her brother, John Cannally, of Port Huron, were in the upper portion of the Clouston building when it collapsed. They were thrown under the debris and buried out of sight, but strange to say, they escaped without a scratch.

The damage to Clouston's building and stock is \$4,500. The Presbyterian church was damaged \$300; John Campbell's dwelling in process of construction was blown down, and fences, trees, smoke stacks and chimneys were blown down, causing an estimated loss in the village of about \$10,000.

Wild Times at Wakefield.
A number of Pindlanders became engaged in a quarrel in a saloon at Wakefield and Gust Rom drew a knife and seriously stabbed one man. Rom then went home, but soon returned with a rifle and expressed an intention of killing the whole party. Village Marshal Gust Miller arrived at this point and attempted to arrest Rom, but the infuriated man turned his rifle upon the officer and fired. The result was a slight flesh wound and as Rom tried to fire again Marshal Miller pulled his revolver and shot Rom in the abdomen, killing him instantly. The other Pind became terribly excited and would have mobbed the marshal had not Sheriff Kalandar and a force of deputies arrived promptly and taken him to the jail at Beasemer for safe keeping.

THE TWO PENINSULAS.

A syndicate of Kalamazoo celery growers are prospecting for a big celery farm in Gladwin county.

Bay county advises say the winter wheat crop there is a failure owing to cold rains and the late spring.

Mrs. A. H. Rowe jumped into the canal at Benton Harbor and was drowned. She was mentally unsound.

The barn of Emory Bull, of Cassio, was struck by lightning, killing two horses and seriously injuring Mr. Kelly.

The Bay theater block at West Bay City was scorched and Wagner's Turkish bath rooms gutted. Total loss \$3,000.

A gasoline stove explosion burned the grocery store and home of A. M. Copeland at Benton Harbor. Loss \$2,000.

T. M. Shepherd's sawmill burned at Shepherd. Loss about \$2,000; no insurance. The mill had not been run for six months.

The weekly weather crop bulletin says vegetation continues backward, but drying winds and weather helped plowing and seeding by taking up considerable surface moisture.

A severe storm did much damage in Ross and Bedford townships, Calhoun county, blowing down orchards and fences. George Brown's barn was demolished and 16 head of sheep killed.

Genson Judd, a fireman on the Ann Arbor pile driver at work at Alma, was run over by a north bound freight. His skull was badly crushed and his arm mangled. He lived about one hour after the accident.

The large barn of John King, farmer of Macomb county, was struck by lightning during a terrific thunder storm. Two cows were killed, the barn badly shattered and King and his little boy severely shocked.

Enoch Chamberlain, a farmer three miles east of Willow, lost five large hams by fire; also two sheds, about 4,000 bushels of corn, considerable hay, grain, farm implements and 10 head of cattle. The cause of the fire is unknown. The loss is about \$5,000.

A. B. Clapper, night dispatcher for the D. & G. W. railroad at Plymouth, was found by the crew of a train lying unconscious, and perhaps fatally injured, upon the floor of his office. He had been sandbagged and robbed.

The specific charge on which ex-Congressman Waite, of Port Huron, has been convicted was embezzling \$380, which amount Waite drew from the bank the day of his disappearance. Sentence was deferred and Waite was released on \$3,000 bonds.

John Tacey, of Epsom, was fatally injured by the bursting of a shotgun while shooting ducks. He had loaded the gun with powder, sand and matches.

T. A. Lawrie, deputy state game warden, made four arrests near Clare. Harry Crill, John Tweedy, James Frisell, all of whom pleaded guilty and were fined and James Austin got 30 days in the county jail, for catching trout out of season.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Richards, of Exeter, near Monroe, were surprised by a visit of nearly 50 of their descendants, who assembled to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding, but found they had made a mistake of a year. They will celebrate next year.

William Kane, an old soldier, and his wife died at St. Clair, from drinking wood alcohol. Mrs. Cou Burk, who also drank the stuff with them, was made very sick, but will probably recover. It is supposed that they had been drinking and other liquor being exhausted, they took the wood alcohol as a substitute.

Fred Markey, of Hudson, lost his voice when he was a little boy. One day last week, while plowing, he struck a snag and got a poke in the ribs that made him yell with pain. This surprised him greatly and he yelled for joy, forgetting all about his lacerated rib. Since then he has used his voice without trouble.

Fred Hendricks, son of Postmaster Hendricks, of Stanton, was found in an unconscious condition near his home late at night. He was taken into the house and upon examination was found to be pounded and cut with a knife in a frightful manner, one stab of the knife going into the mouth and coming out through the cheek.

C. W. Shoemaker, representative of A. Colburn & Co., of Philadelphia, was arrested at Bay City on the charge of selling adulterated mustard. It is understood that 30 other warrants are ready. Shoemaker says his company will fight the case to the bitter end. The mustard, as analyzed, contained 30.90 per cent of wheat flour.

Capt. Porter of the U. S. secret service captured a complete counterfeit outfit in the basement of A. Farley's house at Benton Harbor. It has been in operation for three years, and the most dangerous counterfeit dollar of 1881 has been made by Farley. Capt. Porter says the government has spent \$5,000 in searching for the outfit. Farley has not been captured.

Quartermaster-General William L. White, of the Michigan National Guard, spent a day in Detroit and during an interview said there was little doubt that the state militia encampment would be held this year on the old camping ground at Island Lake, as it would be practically impossible to secure new grounds and prepare them in time for the encampment.

Mrs. H. M. Lewis, wife of a prominent grocer at Ionia, was found dead on Rich street, about 10 o'clock at night. She was subject to attacks of heart disease, and at such times had to have fresh air. She had evidently gone out to walk on an attack, but became bewildered and fainted. She took her shawl off, made a pillow of it, unloosened her dress and corsets, and lay down on the walk and died.

Three miles of street railway tracks on Portage avenue, Sault Ste. Marie, which had not been used for several years caused great inconvenience to the public. Several attempts had been made to tear it up, but were always frustrated by the owners of the line. Mayor Webster hired a gang of men on Saturday night and tore up every rail before Sunday morning dawned. The people are greatly pleased.

Mrs. Mary Kent, of Franklin township, Lenawee county, had formed the habit of placing her feet on a chair during a thunder storm and it has probably saved her life. The house was struck by lightning which went down the chimney, passed across the floor and tore up the carpet just beneath the chair on which Mrs. Kent was sitting. It then went through the side of the house. Mrs. Kent was severely shocked and is still almost dead in consequence.

The three-story summer hostelry, Hotel Iroquois, owned by Phillips & Rexford, of Detroit, was burned to the ground at Sault Ste. Marie. The lease, Guy D. Welton, of Detroit, with his wife and child, were asleep on the second floor when the fire was discovered, but they were rescued as were the servants. The hotel had just been repaired and refurnished at considerable expense for the summer business. The building and contents were valued at \$40,000, and insured for only \$15,000.

The suspicion has arisen at Atlix, that William Hodgson who was found hanging did not suicide, but was killed and then strung up to hide the crime. Hodgson had made grave charges against a number of married ladies even making affidavits and refused to retract, and it is alleged that certain persons were looking for him the night of his death; also that they met and quarreled. The face of the dead man was not the least distorted nor discolored, as is the case of death by hanging. These facts have led to a demand for an investigation, which has been started by the authorities.

TERRIFIC FIGHTING.

NUMEROUS BATTLES BETWEEN THE GREEKS AND TURKS.

Two Battle Grounds on the Eastern and Western Ends of the Thessalian Frontier—Greeks Driven From Larissa—Turks Defeated in Epirus.

The fighting between the Greek and Turkish armies on the Thessalian frontier has been of a character to hold the breathless attention of the whole world. Undoubtedly when Turkey started the affray she thought she could overcome all the forces Greece could muster with great ease, but she has found herself greatly mistaken. The first great battle at Miloussa pass, when the Greeks, with a much smaller force and less advantageous positions than the Turks, held the pass for two days before retreating, was followed by a heavy Turkish defeat at Mt. Anaplis. The Greeks however retired toward their headquarters at Larissa and took up their positions at Reveni, Tyrnovo and over minor points between the plains of Larissa and Damasi. For three days the battles raged right royally about these places the Greeks astonishing their opponents by their stubborn stands against greatly superior numbers and their ferocious assaults upon seemingly unassailable Turkish positions. Then it was that Edhem Pasha appealed to the Turkish government for 40,000 more troops.

A peculiar and incomprehensible feature of the fighting at Tyrnovo and Reveni was that when the Greeks at various points gallantly repelled the Turkish army and followed up their successes, orders were invariably received compelling them to stop just short of the complete occupation of the conquered positions. These orders in many cases involved the abandonment of the fruits of much fighting with heavy loss and the spectacle was repeatedly witnessed of a victorious force retiring to its old positions. The result of this was that the Greeks finally were compelled to retire from their positions and retreat upon Larissa, the headquarters of the Greek army.

Then came the most serious blow the Greek arms had yet sustained. Dispatches from Athens say: Larissa has been completely evacuated by the Greeks, who spiked their guns in position and carried away all of the movable cannon and munitions of war. The wounded remain at Larissa under the protection of the Red Cross flag. The news created considerable excitement at Athens.

Later dispatches say that, after a most desperate battle at Mati the Greeks were outnumbered, retreated with heavy loss, abandoned Tyrnovo and Larissa and removed their headquarters to Pharsala, a small town 20 miles due south of Larissa. Although it is said the Greeks carried off all their guns from Tyrnovo and Larissa, and also destroyed the provisions at both places, they could not transport the guns to Pharsala. It is reported on good authority that the retreat was very disorderly and that the column of Gen Smolnetz was in great peril but finally reached Pharsala in safety. Ex-Minister Ralli, who was at Larissa, has returned to Athens and placed the responsibility for the Greek reverses upon the staff of Crown Prince Constantine. Ralli denounced their fighting tactics and declared that the sudden abandonment of Tyrnovo and Larissa was due to their cowardice and incapacity. These charges created great excitement at Athens and resulted in King George recalling the staff and appointing Ralli and three of his nominees to replace them. King George also announces his intention of going to the front. The Greeks will make a firm stand at Pharsala, which is a far stronger defense than the frontier. But should it become necessary to abandon that position a final stand will be made 20 miles south in the Othris mountains, at the famous pass of Thermopylae.

Greeks Victorious in Epirus.
While this disaster was being visited upon the Greek troops in Thessaly, Gen. Manos with a force of 25,000 Greeks had marched from Arta through Epirus and continually drove the Turks before them toward Janina, which place is now practically in a state of siege, and is expected to fall into Greek hands. Pentapogonia, an important Turkish stronghold near Janina has been captured after a ferocious battle. As a result of the Greek successes the Albanian battalions of the Turkish troops have melted and threaten to join the Greeks. Constantinople advises acknowledge that the news from Epirus is serious. A Greek division defeated the Turks at Filiopoula, and is continuing its march on Janina, near which place a strong Turkish force is gathered and an important battle will most likely be fought. The Greek government has decided to send the force of engineers and gendarmes just organized to Epirus instead of Thessaly. The government considers the troops already in Thessaly sufficient to maintain the position at Pharsala, while it is regarded as highly important to support Col. Manos in his march on Janina.

MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

The Anderson bill regarding railroads to carry Michigan baggage was passed by the Senate. This measure has now passed both houses and been given immediate effect and only requires the governor's signature to be in operation. Other bills passed by the Senate: Designating the apple blossom as the state flower; providing that graduates of Detroit College of Law may be admitted to practice without examination; for return by asylum authorities of patients to their homes when such patients are cured; for the licensing of insurance companies to insure against loss or damage resulting from burglary, also the loss of securities or money in transit by registered mail; for the taxation of 3 1/2 per cent on the gross earnings of plank road companies; for the relief of Mrs. Margaret Helmes, of Calumet, on account of the death of her son while in the line of active military duty; for the care of young children by women while being transferred from the Coldwater public school to homes provided for them. Rep. Elkhoff succeeded in getting his bill through the House to prohibit corporations paying its labor in any other manner than by money, check or draft. This is principally to prevent the store order system. The House passed several other bills, among them the following: To enforce making of factory improvements ordered by factory inspectors, by fixing the responsibility upon the owner of the building unless a contract makes the tenant responsible, but in case the owner lives in another state, the tenant is to make the charges and deduct the cost from the amount of his rent; permitting fourth-class cities to collect taxes twice a year; requiring that printing of tax sale notices shall go to newspapers established at least one year; requiring that bondsmen shall consent to the appointment of deputy township treasurers; to prevent the debauching of boys under 15 years of age; and fixing a penalty of five years' imprisonment for persons of either sex found guilty under this act; providing that county treasurers shall separate moneys collected into proper funds; to prohibit combinations of fire insurance companies; prohibiting the charging of fees in probate courts for preparation of executor's bonds; to prevent forest fires; prohibiting the keeping of toll-gates within a half mile of any city or charging toll for the half mile; permitting hotel or boarding house keepers to sell luggage held for board; prohibiting killing of prairie chickens for five years; for the incorporation of electric lines to do a freight business. The Senate committee on finance cut \$20,750 from the mining school appropriation, making it \$115,000. The public health committee of the Senate opposed the House amendment to the anti-cigarette bill, placing the age of persons to whom the sale of cigarettes and tobaccos are prohibited at 21 years, and the committee has cut off four years. The House had another struggle over a resolution offered by Rep. Chamberlain, of Gogebic, to adjourn May 31, but it was defeated. The consideration of railroad legislation in the House was postponed to May 11.

Gov. Pingree's latest appointments received more respectful treatment from the Senate than previous ones. Joseph L. Cox, of Battle Creek, was confirmed as state labor commissioner without his appointment being referred to a committee. A batch of minor selections went to the committee on executive business. Prize fights and glove contests are to be prohibited, in all forms, in the state by a bill passed by the Senate by a vote of 17 to 9. Senator Warner offered a concurrent resolution to bring express companies to time in the matter of taxes. It directs the attorney-general to collect from the express companies a one per cent upon the gross moneys collected by them in the state instead of collecting one per cent upon the gross earnings within the state. The Senate also passed the bill to pension Detroit firemen totally disabled while on duty at the rate of \$72 per month. It provides that those totally disabled previous to the passage of the bill are entitled to a pension. The anti-cigarette bill was passed by the Senate as were the following measures: Prohibiting the killing of prairie chickens for five years; to prevent the forfeiture of any insurance policies by the violation of any condition of the policy when such violation has been without prejudice to the insurer; providing that the bodies of the paupers of the Saginaw valley be sent to the Saginaw Medical college. The House helped Gov. Pingree by killing the bill which provides that the government make appointments to all official vacancies that exist during the legislative session. Game laws were altered considerably by the House in committee of the whole, the principal changes being: To prohibit hunting of quail with dogs; making the open season for deer Nov. 1 to 20; permitting any one hunter to kill only four deer in a season; prohibiting hunting of deer with dogs and making possession of boards in woods, timber camp or club house prima facie evidence against the owners of violation of the law; open season for bird game Oct. 1 to Dec. 1; including squirrel as game and making a closed season.

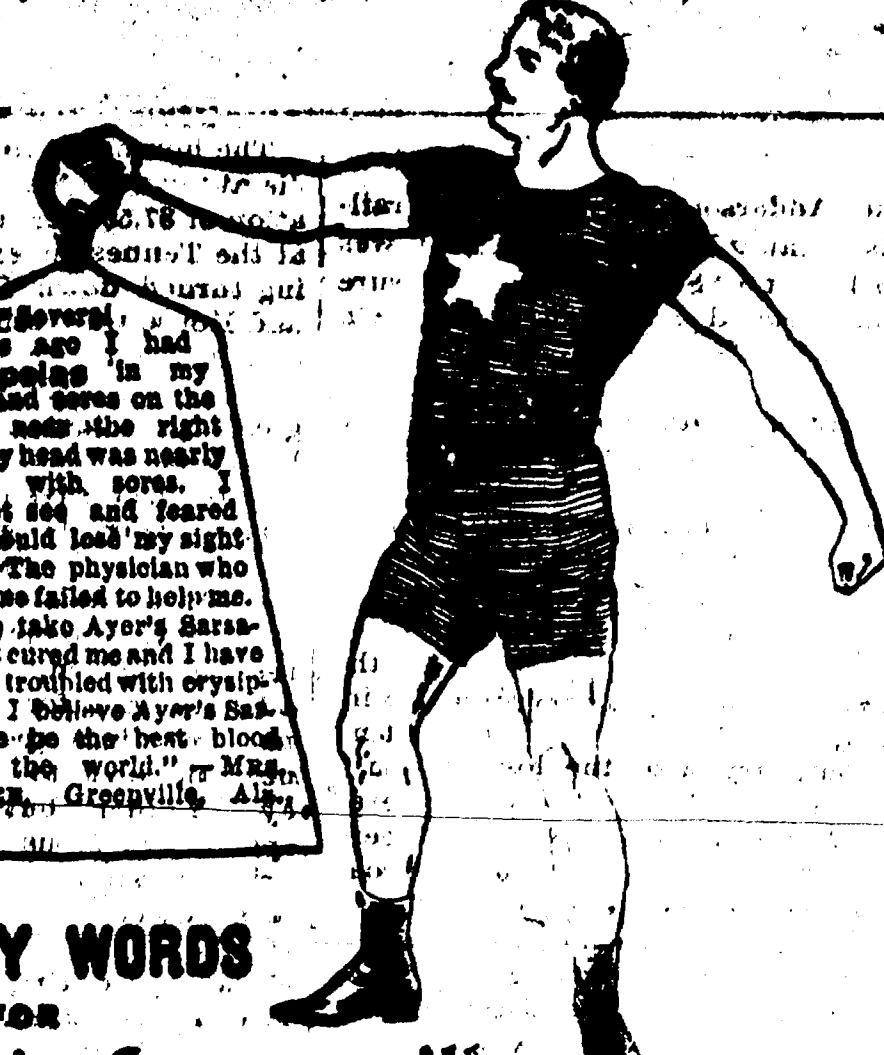
The house has voted to adjourn sine die at noon on May 31. The appropriation of \$7,500 for a Michigan exhibit at the Tennessee exposition after being turned down in both the Senate and House was reintroduced in the form of a concurrent resolution and passed through the House after a hard struggle. The surplus bill which both houses passed has been vetoed by Gov. Pingree who says he is opposed to interference on the part of the state in matters of purely domestic concern, or the interposition of police for parental authority. He opposes the idea of arresting children, and says the arrest of a boy or girl for being out at night may put a blot upon an entire life. It not only tends to disgrace one in the eyes of others, but to destroy self-respect. The House passed a bill appropriating \$81,913 for special improvements at the Newberry insane asylum, and \$3,000 for maintaining the U. of M. hospital during the summer months. The House concurred to the Senate amendments to the anti-cigarette bill and it now goes to the governor. Senator Robinson made a hard fight to carry the bill making the railroad passenger fare for the upper peninsula three cents per mile, but it was defeated by a margin of two votes. He secured a reconsideration, however, and the bill was tabled. The bill to prevent the spread of the San Jose scale in peach trees was passed by the Senate. The rumors that an attempt had been made to push the medical league bill through the House by the use of boodle caused nearly a whole day to be consumed over medical legislation. The medical league bill has already passed the Senate and upon reaching the House was referred to the committee on public health of which Rep. Edgar is chairman. The committee gave a lengthy hearing on the bill and then reported out a substitute for it. Medical league lobbyists then began to hustle and an attempt was made to force the committee to report the original bill. Rep. Edgar made the assertion that boodle was back of the bill, but the House finally discharged the committee from further consideration of the bill and set May 5 apart for action upon it by the House. A resolution to investigate the boodle rumors was referred to the committee on state affairs.

Russia and Germany Backing Turkey.
The Berlin Tageblatt announces that a definite agreement has been reached between Russia and Austria concerning Turkey. The terms of the agreement, it is said, are that the sultan shall renounce Crete, that the czar shall be given a coaling station at Suda bay in that island, and that in return Russia shall guarantee the integrity of Turkey. Russia will thus be greatly strengthened in the line of her coveted advance toward the south. Turkey will have secured an alliance which will place her beyond the possibility of disaster. To this agreement Germany, Austria and France will, it is understood, give their consent. England alone has not made known her views, and it is believed a very strong protest will come from the court of St. James.

Cubans Starving to Death.
A special from Havana says: Private letters from the interior report wholesale starvation. Some of the cases are especially heartrending. Children are dying in the streets of Matanzas, and babies have been found dead in the arms of their exhausted mothers. The correspondent has been through the province of Pinar del Rio, and has seen whole villages of living skeletons in bark huts, praying for death to release them from their suffering.

A serious flood has occurred in the vicinity of Ottumwa, Ia., the Des Moines river breaking through the levees. In Ottumwa over 200 families were compelled to leave their homes, many having to escape in boats. At Eddyville 150 families are homeless. Fairview, South Ottumwa and other points are inundated and the loss will be very heavy.

THE MARKETS.
Wheat—Cattle—Sheep—Lamb—Hog
Best grades... 4.00 5.00 5.00 5.00 5.00
Lower grades... 3.50 4.50 4.50 4.50 4.50
Chicago—
Best grades... 5.00 5.00 5.00 5.00 5.00
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CHAPTER XVIII.—(Continued.)
Had I had my right senses I should have known instantly—having seen such things in other places—that what I was looking on was seaweed that had grown in great strong masses among the rocks, and was eternally tossed hither and thither fantastically by the action of the waves; but I was in so nervous a condition that my imagination colored everything before my eyes, and made it different from what it was.

Knowing that if I wished to keep my reason I must school myself into a calmer state, I sat down on a rock, with the intention of giving myself a chance of sleeping. My tired body, grateful for the opportunity, may have slept, but my mind was so excited by recent events that no effort on my part could soothe or quiet it. Every moment a new picture presented itself. I had given no thought to the tide coming in, and it was the rising of the waves that, after the lapse of I know not how many minutes, aroused my body to consciousness. At that moment I was snatching in my dreams the scene of the burial of my poor little Bob. The men were standing around the grave with the lighted torches in their hands, and I was speaking from what I remembered of the service of the dead: "I am the resurrection and the life," saith the Lord; "he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live; and whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die."

CHAPTER XIX.
WITH these words very clear in my mind, I woke—to find that the moon had risen and that the tide was coming in fast. Straight before me, stretching almost from my feet, was a long rippling line of light on the sea, with the stars shining and playing in it—a beautiful and familiar sight. But it was not the glittering line of light on the sea, nor the shining of the stars, nor the creeping of the waves against my legs, and made me leap to my feet with something in my throat that might have been a scream, if it had not frozen before it reached my lips. Floating on the water, straight before me, in the very center of the flashing diamond lights, was a spar with a body lashed to it. I could not distinguish whether it was man, woman or child, but I saw clearly enough that the spar, as it floated slowly ashore, was being sucked in the direction of the sunken rocks, against which, when it reached them, it must surely be dashed to splinters. I did not wait to see more. I ran like mad to the fire, where the two men were on watch.

"Where's the rope?" I cried.
"Where's the rope?"
They stared at me, and thinking I had gone crazed, laid hands on me. "For the Lord's sake, don't stop me!" I cried. "Where's the rope? There's a spar in the water, with a body lashed to it, and it will be dashed to pieces against the rocks if we don't save it. There isn't a moment to lose!"
My earnestness drove the truth into their souls, and they became as excited as myself. Without more ado, they aroused the men who were sleeping, and we all raced wildly to the beach, dragging after us the rope which, by good luck, had been put into the boat from the Rising Sun; and in less time than it takes to tell it, I was standing with one end of the rope round my body and the other end held by my mates. The next moment I was in the sea, swimming toward the spar. As I neared it, I saw by the trailing of the fair hair in the water that the body was that of a girl; and I called out—innocently enough, I must confess, for a moment's reflection must have convinced me that she could not be conscious: "Keep up your heart, my dear; keep up your heart!"

Of course she did not answer me. There she lay, motionless, with her white face to the moon. The chill of the water was nothing to the chill that that stole upon my heart, when, reaching the spar, I recognized the face of the child.
"My God!" I groaned. "Tis my Bob's friend, little Pearl!"
I along the rope round the spar, and throwing my arm over it, was drawn ashore by my mates, at a safe distance from the treacherous rocks. Then, kneeling on the beach, I unlashed the body, and heard my mates asking in whispers whether she was dead.

Ay, she was dead, poor little darling, there could be no doubt of it. The light of the dear innocent child lying on the sand, white and cold and still, made babies of all, and the tears ran down our beads.
"Come," said one, more practical than the others, "what are we standing like this for? There may still be life in the little thing. At all events, we are going to try if there isn't."
It was like an angel's voice, speaking to us. With Pearl in my arms, I walked swiftly to the fire.

"Mate," I said, as I laid her with her feet to the fire, "if you've never prayed before, pray now. If we can save the life of this dear angel, it will surely be a sign, that the Lord will be merciful to us in other ways. You, Starley, and you, James Bowden, kneel down and help me. You are fathers of children, and you will deal by this little one as if it were one of your own. Nay, my lads, stand aside; three of us will be enough. And if there is a drop of rum or brandy among you which you intended to keep to yourself, hand it over, for charity's sake."

With a face that rivaled the bright glow of the fire in redness the most careless and drunken fellow in our crew, Tom Wren, pulled a flask of spirits from the bosom of his shirt and placed it on the ground.
"Bravo, Tom Wren!" said I, "and thank you, my lad. There is not much I'll not forgive you for this."
Tenderly, and with all reverence, we commenced our task of endeavoring to bring life into the unconscious body, and those whose assistance was not needed stood apart watching us, with their hearts and souls in their eyes; and some of them prayed, I am sure. Around the little girl's neck was an oilskin bag, so securely fastened that the water had not been able to get to the contents. This was the first thing I removed from her, and Tom Wren, opening the bag, called out that there were books inside. Patiently and with all the gentle skill we could command, we pursued our task, with heaven on our side; for we had not been at work half an hour when Starley, with his ear to the child's heart, screamed like a man in a frenzy:

"Her heart beats! She lives—she lives!"
"No noise, no noise!" I cried, as the men began to huzza; "you might frighten the life out of her. Fall on your knees, rather, and thank the Lord in silence for his mercy. Ah, my girl! If I had been so blessed with Bob, and if the two of you had lived—"
The eyelids quivered and slowly unclosed, and then, with a faint sigh, closed again. I mixed some water with brandy, and placed it to her lips.
"Drink, my child," I said.
She drank gratefully, and ate a little biscuit I soaked for her. We continued our task until the blood began to circulate freely, and then she opened her eyes again, and gazed before her with a vacant wonder in her face.

"Pearl," I said in a whisper, with my face to her lips, "do you know me?"
She raised her weak arms, and I placed them round her neck. She lay in my lap, restored to life, with the warm blood flowing through her veins.
"Do you remember little Bob?" I whispered again.
"Bob?" she replied, after a pause, and speaking very slowly and softly. "Where is dear Bob? Oh, I have been so cold, and it is so warm here. Yes, mother; I won't forget. God protect those who are sailing on the sea. Oh, the cruel, cruel sea! I want to go to sleep. May I go to sleep?"
"Yes, my child."
All of the men bent over us with tender, wistful looks, and some ventured to touch her face softly with their lips. I did not restrain them. She seemed to sleep, but consciousness had not quite deserted her; and presently her lips moved, and she murmured dreamily, in her sweet child-like voice, the dear familiar prayer:
"Our Father which art in heaven—"

At these holy words, falling softly and sweetly from one who had been snatched from death within the last hour, and who now floated into a heavenly sleep, the thoughts of every man present flew back to the days of his childhood.
"Our Father which art in heaven," said Tom Wren, in an awe-struck tone; and we all repeated the words solemnly.
"Hallowed be thy name," continued the child more softly and dreamily still.
"Hallowed be thy name," Tom Wren repeated, and we followed him. Silence ensued. Exhausted nature was struggling for supremacy, and between every word the child thereafter murmured there was a pause of a moment or two.
"Thy—kingdom—come."
"Thy kingdom come," said we, with clasped hands, and heads bent in reverence.
"Thy will—be done—on earth."

"Thy will be done on earth."
"As it is—as it is—in heaven."
"As it is in heaven."
And with these last words, so softly uttered that they died away like an angel's whisper, the moment they reached her lips, Pearl turned slightly in my arms, so that her face was hidden on my breast, and, with her arms still clasped about my neck, fell into a calm and peaceful sleep.
Tom Wren, stooping over us, his shadow stretching behind him like a weird, fantastic monster, waited a moment or so, and then saying, "World without end. Amen!" burst into a violent fit of weeping.
"Hush, my lad!" I whispered, with my finger to his lips; "you'll wake her!"
He checked himself suddenly, and sobbed: "God bless her, and you, and all of us. Good-night, mate!"
"Good-night, my lad. Go you, and rest. There's work before us to-morrow."

CHAPTER XX.
HE land on which we had found refuge was an island, and the waters round about, fortunately for us, were a favorite moustering ground for seals. On the day following our landing, my first duty, as chief of the party, was to ascertain what kind of a place we were shipwrecked on, and what chances of escape were open to us. A brief reconnaissance convinced me that this would be the work of days. It was necessary that I should make myself acquainted with the nature and resources of the island, and I selected two of the steadiest of the crew to accompany me in my explorations, and told the main body of men that we should be absent probably a week. Before doing this I had satisfied myself that these I left behind would have no difficulty in obtaining food. The rocks and shore abounded in shell fish, and Tom Wren had already succeeded in snaring a dozen or so birds, spurred on thereto, as I rightly enough devined, by a desire to obtain something palatable and tasty for little Pearl. He having prepared the fire, while I was engaged giving the men instructions as to their conduct and proceedings. Having been appointed commander I was resolved, for all our sakes, to enforce some kind of discipline. I hesitated as to whom I should delegate the command while I was away, and my choice fell on the oldest man in the company, James Bowden. I placed in his hands the list of names I had written down on the previous night. He stared at it with puzzled looks and shaded his eyes, and turned the paper round, and upside down.

"Can't read, perhaps?" said I.
"Right you are, skipper," he replied. I took the paper from him, and looked from one to another; and in a comically sheepish way every man in the company strove to evade my eye. James Bowden gave a consolatory chuckle.
"They're all in the same boat, skipper," said he. "You're the only scholar among us."
Pearl, naturally weak and low after her long peril in the sea, was lying on a bed of leaves and dry moss. A happy thought occurred to me.
"You can read, Pearl!" I asked.
She nodded, "Yes."
"Then I appoint you commander in my absence, and you, Bowden, her lieutenant. Men, I place our little girl in your charge, and you in hers."
A flash of pleasure came into Pearl's cheek, and I saw by the men's faces that I had done the right thing. The precise kind of moral restraint required by the men was now supplied through their affections, and I was satisfied that all would go well during my absence.

TO BE CONTINUED.
Precious Stones Facts.
The powerful chemical effects of the sun are felt even by precious stones. The ruby, sapphire and emerald suffer less than other colored stones in this respect, but it has been shown by experiment that a ruby lying in a shop window for two years became much lighter in tint than its mate kept in a dark place during that period. Garnets and topazes are more easily affected. Pearls are said to show deterioration with age, but if they are not worn constantly they will regenerate wonderfully during brief vacations spent in quiet and darkness. The only species of unalack which the practical person believes the opal will bring to its owner is that of loss if the stone is exposed carelessly to heat. It is liable to crack, being composed principally of silicic acid, with a small proportion of water.

Pinkney Dispatch

F. L. ANDREWS, EDITOR.

THURSDAY, MAY 6, 1897.

Council Proceedings.

May 8, 1897.

Council convened and called to order by Pres. Sigler.

Present; Trustees, Reason, Murphy, Jackson, Wright, Brown and Grimes.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Following bills presented and accepted:

P. Monroe, April service \$6.25
F. Carr, lighting, matches \$7.54
Inling Bros, Vill. Roll, express \$2.35
Wm. Moran, plastering hall \$1.00

Bid for marshal service for one year, Bernard Lynch for \$50.

Appointment of marshal held over for one month.

Moved and carried that a street lamp be placed at Monks' bridge.

Moved and carried that F. A. Siglers bonds be accepted. Bondsmen, J. A. Cadwell and H. H. Swarthout.

Murphy and W. A. Carr appointed as board of assessors.

The following resolution was adopted; that the board of assessors be in one day only this year.

Adjourned.
R. H. TEEPLE, CLERK.

The Arbitration Treaty.

The Anglo-American Arbitration Treaty, which provides for the settlement of differences between the two countries by a tribunal of arbitration, is before the U. S. senate for consideration, and as American citizens we are more or less interested in its success or failure.

It is only the truth to say that the past treaties with Great Britain, as a rule, have not been creditable to American diplomacy, and the reason is, perhaps, plain; our country has had but the service of untrained men, while England has always had ablemen who were experienced in the diplomatic affairs of their government. For instance, the settlement of the Alabama claim is commonly considered a great diplomatic triumph for us, when in reality, the very same treaty of 1871, provided for the payment of millions of dollars to England and to Canada in settlement of war claims and in remission of duties, by the decision of an "impartial" umpire, urged upon us by England.

When England deals with the weak or helpless she makes them acquainted with might of her armies and her ships; when she has differences with us she talks of the blessings of peace, and deplores the possibility of war between "the two great english-speaking people."

Some of our ablest men have been badly worsted in diplomatic encounters with her; our soldiers and sailors she has not found to be so easy.

These are some of the reasons why we should desire the failure of a treaty whereby England may gain over us without chance of loss, but which offers to us nothing but possible defeat and disgrace. XYZ.

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What He Did for a Poor Old Veteran.

One summer morning, shortly before the close of the civil war, the not unusual sight in Washington of an old veteran hobbling along could have been seen on a shady path that led from the executive mansion to the war office, says Harper's Round Table. The old man was in pain, and the pale, sunken cheeks and vague, far-away stare in his eyes betokened a short-lived existence. He halted a moment and then slowly approached a tall gentleman who was walking thoughtfully along. "Good morning, sir. I'm an old soldier and would like to ask your advice." The gentleman turned, and, smiling kindly, invited the poor old veteran to a seat under a shady tree. There he listened to the man's story of how he had fought for the union and was severely wounded, incapacitating him for other work in life, and begged directions how to apply for back pay due him and a pension, offering his papers for examination. The gentleman looked over the papers and then took out a cord and wrote directions on it, also a few words to the pension bureau, desiring that speedy attention be given to the applicant, and handed it to him. The old soldier looked at it, and, with tears in his eyes, thanked the tall gentleman, who, with a sad look, bade him good luck and hurried on the walk. Slowly the soldier read the card again, and then turned it over and read the name of the owner. More tears welled in his eyes when he knew whom he had addressed himself to, and his lips muttered: "I am glad I fought for him and the country, for he never forgets. God bless Abraham Lincoln!"

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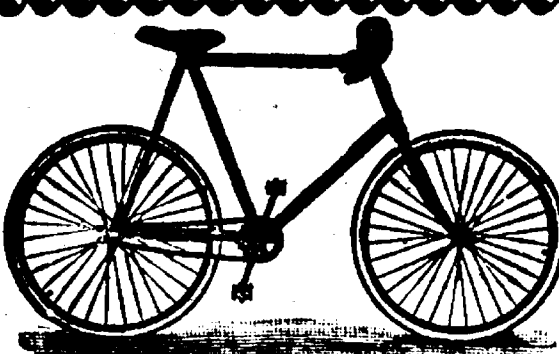
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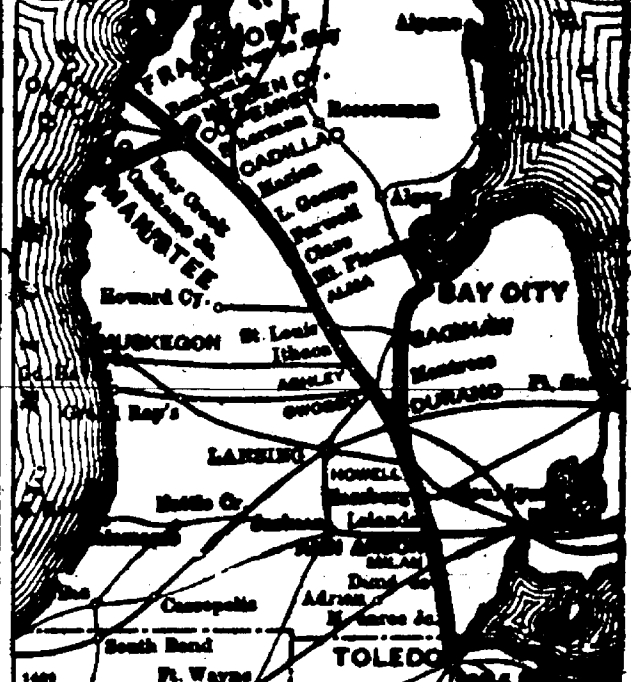
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TO HIS FINAL REST

GEN. GRANT'S BODY LAID IN THE TOMB

Imparting Ceremonies Mark the Dedication of the Monument in Riverside Park, New York, to the Memory of the Greatest Soldier of America.

New York, April 27.—When the sun rose over fair Manhattan on this day of days in her history of patriotic pageants he found a cloudless dome awaiting him. Flags there were by the hundreds of thousands, flying from tenement windows and on the staffs of



GEN. GRANT.

public buildings; from the stalls of street vendors and the facades of mighty hostleries and loftier office buildings; from the spars of merchant ships and from the bows of the humblest of canal boats.

The ceremonies proper began at sunrise, when from the tall flagpole near the tomb was flung the immense American flag furnished by the Daughters of the Revolution. "There it will fly night and day, in fair weather and foul, until the winds have torn it away and the suns have faded its colors.

The Fifth Avenue Hotel was the scene of hustle and excitement during the early morning. The broad corridors were filled with native and foreign dignitaries, and almost every second person blazed with bullion and military trappings.

Loud shouts of the people announced the arrival of the president at 9:20. He rode in a carriage with General Porter and Mayor Strong. His reception was flattering in the extreme and he bowed repeatedly. Vice-President Hobart joined the president and General Porter and the mayor, and the open barouche in which they were seated drew up in the center of the plaza, where it took its place at the head of the line.

General Butterfield, in his uniform of a retired general of the army, rode at the right of the barouche, which was preceded by a picked force of mounted policemen. The military escort included one sergeant and ten men of Troop A.

The Grants left the hotel by the Fifth avenue entrance a few minutes ahead of the president's party. Mrs. Grant leaned on the arm of her son, Colonel Fred D. Grant, and the others followed.



THE MAUSOLEUM.

Altogether they occupied eight carriages.

The initial step in the parade was made almost on schedule time, and by 9:40 o'clock the presidential procession was on the move.

Cheers greeted the distinguished party as it moved through the decorated streets. Mrs. Grant and her family to the third generation were objects of special attention, and the widow of the hero was visibly affected at the great popular demonstration.

The arrival of the official portion of the procession at the tomb was the signal for a stupendous outburst of patriotic cheering from the 50,000 people in the grandstands and on the lawns around the monument and on Claremont Heights. The president and other guests alighted from their carriages at the monument stands and took the places assigned to them in readiness for the oratorical and musical ceremonies at 10:36 o'clock, and stillness reigned in place of the noisy enthusiasm that marked the arrival of President McKinley.

The war ships which lay at anchor in sight of the tomb claimed the attention of the crowd before the arrival of the dignitaries and the commencement of the services of dedication. The merchant marine division was located in the lower bay.

At 6 o'clock orders flashed from the flag ship for the fleet to dress for the

day's festivities. A few minutes later a rainbow of colors began going up from the bow of the New York. Immediately every vessel in the fleet followed suit. The big ships made a magnificent showing in their gala attire, with rainbows of bunting from bow to stern.

The Sons of Confederate Veterans, who were to arrive at the tomb at 9:30 and place a floral wreath with crossed swords on the sarcophagus, were an hour late in reaching the scene. They were headed by James R. Branch, commander-in-chief of the Sons of Confederate Veterans. The tokens were reverently laid on the sarcophagus by General J. B. Gordon, while his comrades stood by with uncovered heads.

It was precisely 10:39 o'clock when the carriage bearing the president and vice president and the members of Grant's family and the foreign representatives arrived at the grand stand. As the carriages containing the distinguished party passed between the wall of people on the roadway the air resounded with cheers. The president acknowledged the ovation by smiling and bowing. The party ascended the stage on the west side of the tomb and the band stationed near by played patriotic airs.

President McKinley's tribute was as follows:

Fellow Citizens: A great life, dedicated to the welfare of the nation, here finds its earthly coronation. Even if this day lacked the impressiveness of ceremony and was devoid of pageantry it would still be memorable, because it is the anniversary of the birth of one of the most famous and best beloved of American soldiers.

Architecture has paid high tribute to the leaders of mankind, but never was a memorial more worthily bestowed or more gratefully accepted by a free people than the beautiful structure before which we are gathered. In marking the successful completion of this work, we have as witnesses and participants representatives of all branches of our government, the resident officials of foreign nations, the governors of states, and the sovereign people from every section of our common country, who joined in this august tribute to the soldier, patriot and citizen.

Almost twelve years have passed since the heroic vigil ended and the



MRS. GRANT.

brave spirit of Ulysses S. Grant fearlessly took its flight. Lincoln and Stanton had preceded him, but of the mighty captains of the war Grant was the first to be called. Sherman and Sheridan survived him, but have since joined him on the other shore. The great heroes of the civil strife on land and sea are for the most part now no more. Thomas and Hancock, Logan and McPherson, Farragut, Dupont and Porter, and a host of others have passed forever from human sight. Those remaining grow dearer to us, and from them and the memory of those who have departed generations yet unborn will draw their inspiration and gather strength for patriotic purpose.

A great life never dies. Great deeds are imperishable; great names immortal. General Grant's services and character will continue undiminished in influence and advance in the estimation of mankind so long as liberty remains the cornerstone of free government and integrity of life the guaranty of good citizenship. Faithful and fearless as a volunteer soldier, intrepid and invincible as commander-in-chief, of the armies of the Union, calm and confident as president, of a reunited and strengthened nation which his genius had been instrumental in achieving, he has our homage and that of the world.

But brilliant as was his public character, we love him all the more for his home life and homely virtues. His individuality, his bearing and speech, his simple ways, had a flavor of rare and unique distinction, and his Americanism was so true and uncompromising that his name will stand for all time as the embodiment of liberty, loyalty and national unity.

Victorious in the work which under Divine Providence he was called upon to do, clothed with almost limitless power, he was yet one of the people—patient, patriotic and just. Success did not disturb the even balance of his mind, while fame was powerless to swerve him from the path of duty. Great as he was in war, he loved peace, and told the world that honorable arbitration of differences was the best hope of civilization.

With Washington and Lincoln, Grant has an exalted place in history and the affection of the people. To-day his memory is held in equal esteem by those whom he led to victory and by



PRESIDENT MCKINLEY.

those who accepted his generous terms of peace. The veteran leaders of the blue and the gray here meet not only to honor the name of the departed Grant, but to testify to the living reality of a fraternal national spirit which has triumphed over the differences of the past and transcended the limitations of sectional lines. Its completion, which we pray God to speed, will be the nation's greatest glory.

It is right, then, that General Grant should have a memorial commensurate with his greatness and that his last resting place should be in the city of his choice, to which he was so attached in life and of whose ties he was not forgetful even in death. Fitting, too, is it that the great soldier should sleep beside the native river on whose banks he first learned the art of war, and of which he became master and leader without a rival.

But let us not forget the glorious distinction which the metropolis among the fair sisterhood of American cities has honored his life and memory. With all that riches and sculpture can do to render the edifice worthy of the man, upon a site unsurpassed for magnificence, has this monument been reared by New York as a perpetual record of his illustrious deeds, in the certainty that as time passes around it will assemble with gratitude and reverence and veneration men of all climes, races and nationalities.

New York holds in her keeping the precious dust of the silent soldier; but his achievements—what he and his brave comrades wrought for mankind—are in keeping of seventy millions of American citizens, who will guard the sacred heritage forever and forevermore.

Mayor Strong accepted the monument on behalf of New York's citizens.

The oration of the day was delivered by General Horace Porter.

THE TOMB'S HISTORY.

How the Money Needed for Its Erection Was Raised.

New York, April 27.—It was by popular subscription that the fund necessary for the erection of the tomb of Gen. Grant was raised, and it is estimated that 90,000 people contributed sums, ranging from 1 cent to \$5,000. In all, \$559,000 was secured.

The unexpended balances were kept in trust companies and drew 3 per cent interest, so the sum increased until it now amounts to about \$600,000. With the exception of about \$50,000 the entire fund was raised in New York city.

Sixteen days after the death the body of Gen. Grant was laid, Aug. 3, 1885, in the temporary vault in Riverside Park. The event was a solemn and imposing ceremony. From all points people flocked into the city by tens of thousands. At least half a million spectators gathered in the streets to watch the long procession escorting the body to the tomb. The republic had never seen so great a funeral cortege as that which assembled to do honor to the remains of the dead commander and president.

The old tomb of Gen. Grant—a squat little brick-built affair which was intended as a temporary resting place for the body and held it for almost twelve years—stands as a woeeful contrast to the new tomb in which the remains are to rest for all time.

With the old tomb, the thousands who stood before the grated door each year thought only of the dead man of war; with the new tomb that feeling must in part give way before the magnificence of the artistic structure which has been reared to preserve the memory.

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It is no doubt that next to the great discovery of the year from which the world has derived so much benefit, the discovery of the Kava-Kava shrub is the most remarkable. It is a native of the East Indies, and is a powerful remedy for diseases of the kidneys, rheumatism, or other ailments caused by uric acid in the blood. It is, therefore, with great pleasure we commend to our readers the recent discovery in East India of the Kava-Kava shrub, which has proved a most powerful remedy for diseases of the kidneys, rheumatism, or other ailments caused by uric acid in the blood. It is, therefore, with great pleasure we commend to our readers the recent discovery in East India of the Kava-Kava shrub, which has proved a most powerful remedy for diseases of the kidneys, rheumatism, or other ailments caused by uric acid in the blood. 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Blood Poison

Confined to his bed for five months. The blood was so thick and sticky that it could not be moved by the hands, and the burning and itching were terrible to bear. A lady told us to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. He began taking it and soon improved. After taking a few bottles he was entirely cured. That was three years ago, and there has been no return of the disease. —A. C. BRYAN, East Leroy, Mich. Get only

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It is sold by all druggists. Price, \$1.50 per box.

Hood's Pills are prompt, efficient and may be taken at any time. 25 cents.

Webster Statue Defaced.
Daniel Webster's statue at the capitol is having a hard time of it, and the police are scurrying about in frantic endeavor to suppress a new form of defecating the marble representation of the great orator, says the Pittsburg Dispatch.

When it was put in position the representatives of his native state were delighted over the fact that although the statue is a small one, because Daniel himself was undersized, it was advantageously located at the very entrance to statutory hall, the large room which was once the house of representatives, which echoed to his eloquence prior to his senatorial days.

Unfortunately for the friends of Daniel, the statue was altogether too conspicuous, and it became a favorite point of attack for straggling visitors with unlighted cigars. Not long ago some vandal scratched a match on the tail of Daniel's coat, and later another mark of sulphur was discovered across his foot. Both of the offenders were arrested and released on payment of a small deposit, which they promptly forfeited, but the attention of the police has at last been diverted from the Pere Marquette statue, which now rests in all its marble loveliness free from attack by religious fanatics, and they give all their time to watching people with unlighted cigars as they pass Webster's statue, and the man who incautiously draws a match from his pocket at the critical moment is pretty certain to be pounced upon by one of the blue-coated guardians of the capitol and warned that it is forbidden to scratch a match on even the innermost recesses of the clothing or limbs of the great expounder of the constitution.

A LETTER TO WOMEN

From Mrs. James Corrigan.

For seventeen years I have suffered. Periods were so very painful that I would have to go to the doctor every month.

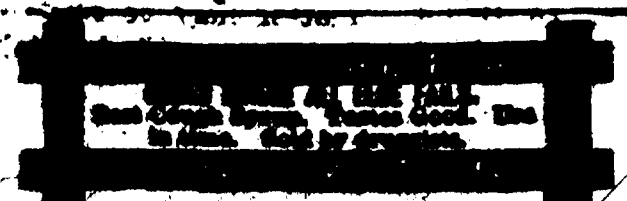
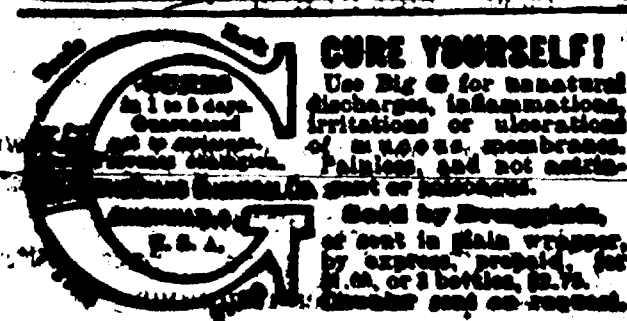
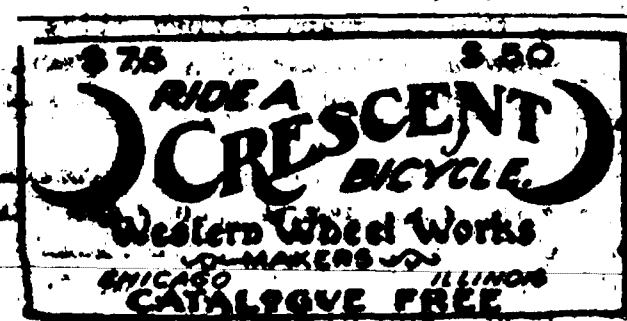
He said that I had an enlargement of the womb, and told my husband that I must undergo an operation, as I had tumors in the womb, and it was a case of life or death.

I was operated upon twice, but it did not seem to do me any good, it made me very weak. I was troubled with the leucorrhoea a great deal.

I also suffered with the sick headache, vomiting, spells, back-ache all the time, terrible pain in my left side, chills, loss of appetite, and could not sleep nights. After taking several bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, some Liver Pills, and using your Sanative Wash, I recovered.

I can eat well, and every one that sees me tells me I am a different person. I can do all my own work, sleep well and feel well. I am growing stronger every day, and am able to go out and enjoy a walk and not feel all tired out when I return, as I used to. I doctored for sixteen years, and in all those years I did not feel as well as I do at the present time. I wish that every woman that is troubled as I was, would try that medicine. Oh! it is so good to feel well, and it is following to Mrs. Pinkham's kind advice and medicine.

—MRS. JAMES CORRIGAN, 304 Center St., Washington, D.C.



CLOUDBURST IN OKLAHOMA.

Awful Devastation, Nearly 100 Dead at Guthrie and Near There.

Following quickly upon a storm of cyclonic proportions, a mighty wall of water six feet high and a mile wide, caused by a cloudburst, rushed upon West Guthrie, Okla., with a frightful roar, sweeping all before it with a fury that was resistless. Death rode rampant on the wave and scores of people were whirled away by the merciless flood. The number who lost their lives will not be known for weeks but it is thought that over 60 people were drowned.

Every movable thing was swept before the deluge which passed on into the valley with resistless force, wreaking terrible destruction to life and property wherever it reached. Hundreds of houses were wrecked; for miles farms were completely ruined, bridges and tracks were washed out, and railway traffic in every direction brought to a standstill.

It is believed that great loss of life has also occurred south of Guthrie, along the Cottonwood river. Many farm houses in that district are reported to have been swept away.

At El Reno the death list is not large, but a great amount of property was destroyed.

Kentucky Legislature Names a Senator.

State Senator Deboe, Republican, was elected United States senator by the Kentucky legislature to succeed Senator Blackburn, Democrat. The fight which culminated in Deboe's choice was one of the bitterest political contests in Kentucky's history. Several prominent politicians have been indicted on bribery charges. What made the fight especially bitter was the factional war in the Republican party, led by Gov. Bradley, a half-avowed candidate, and Dr. Hunter, one of the men now under indictment. The struggle just ended, lasted through two legislative sessions, through 112 ballots, and at a cost to the state of more than \$100,000. Tremendous excitement followed the end of the contest.

THE 55TH CONGRESS AT WORK

Twenty-ninth day.—No session of the Senate. HOUSE.—The consideration of the Senate amendments to the Indian appropriation bill was completed and the bill sent to conference. Rep. McGuire, of California, introduced a resolution declaring that the war between Turkey and Greece was a war between Moslem and Christian civilization, and directing that the sympathy of the United States be extended to Greece with the hope that her struggle may be successful. The resolution was referred to the committee on foreign affairs.

41 Persons Killed by Hailstones.
The Rieeverde valley in the state of San Luis Potosi, Mexico, was visited by a terrific hail storm, which not only ruined the growing crops, but caused great loss of life. Reports have been received of the killing of 41 persons by hailstones. On one hacienda alone 12 farm hands were killed. Some of the hailstones weighed over three pounds.

TELEGRAPHIC TICKINGS.

The House taxation committee favors taxing bank stock where the bank is located.

While Tom Darben, a logging man, was absent, his mountain home near Pineville, Ky., burned and his wife and four children were roasted alive.

An electric car was thrown from the track at a corner at Portland, Ore., and plunged into a slough 25 feet below. Four persons were drowned, and 15 passengers were injured.

A party of Greeks arriving at New York were hooted and stoned by the resident Greeks who called them cowards and a disgrace to leave their country when it needed every man.

If the Greek government will accept their services, six of the trained nurses of Grace hospital at Detroit, will go to Greece this summer to serve as volunteer nurses at the front in the Grecian-Turkish war.

Lamberton creek, running through the Soldiers' home grounds, near Grand Rapids, broke through the upper dam, took away the railroad dam and covered the road bridge and deer park with sand and debris. The water works and electric light plant were flooded. Total damage \$2,000.

Judge Wm. R. Day, of Ohio, will not go to Cuba as a special commissioner of the United States as was proposed, but has been named by President McKinley as assistant secretary of state and, in view of the continual rumors of Secretary Sherman's ill health, will be virtually the secretary of state. Bellamy Storer, of Ohio, who was first booked for the state department will instead go to Belgium as U. S. minister.

Street cars killed three persons in one day at Pittsburg. John R. McKelvy, aged 27, was killed by a Consolidated traction car on Forbes street. He was dragged 300 feet and was horribly mangled. Later in the day while Christian Wachter was driving with his wife and two children, his horse became frightened and jumped in front of a traction car. Mrs. Wachter and her 2-year-old babe were killed almost instantly.

The invention of Alabastine marked a new era in wall postings, and from the standpoint of the building owner was a most important discovery. It has been a small, beginning, brushed out into every corner of the civilized world. The name "Alabastine" has become so offensive to property owners that manufacturers of cheap Alabastine preparations are now calling them by some other name, and attempting to sell on the Alabastine company's reputation.

Through extensive advertising and personal use the merits of the durable Alabastine are so thoroughly known that the people insist on getting these goods and will take no chance of spoiling their walls for a possible saving of at the most but a few cents. Thus it is again demonstrated that merit wins, and that manufacturers of first-class articles will be supported by the people.

Where you are is of no moment, but only what you are doing there. It is not the place that ennobs you, but you the place.—Petrarch.

We cannot conquer fate and necessity, yet we can yield to them in such a manner as to be greater than if we could.—Lander.

I've never any pity for concealed people, because I think they carry their comfort about with them.—George Eliot.

Avarice, which too often attends wealth, is a greater evil than any that is found in poverty.—Fielding.

There is a Class of People
Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1/4 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

It is better to lock the stable door after the horse is stolen than not to lock it at all. It may save the cow.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Cascarets, cure constipation forever. No. 10 C. C. Co. fail, druggists refund money.

Arithmetical notation by the nine digits and zero was used in Hindostan in the sixth century.

Allen's Foot-Powder, a powder for the feet. It cures painful, swollen, blistering feet and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It is the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Powder makes lightening of new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, chafing, hot, itchy, aching feet. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. By mail for 25 cents in stamps. Trial package FREE. Address Allen & Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

When lightning strikes the Sahara desert it vitrifies a small portion of the sand, making a sort of glass.

Poor relatives are always delighted to have a rich connection who is possessed of a willing mind.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away. To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1.00. Guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Ad. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

It is well to remember that the laying hen is always the working hen.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25 cents a bottle.

An honest horse, like an honest man, is something to stand by.

Seegman's Camphor Ice with Glycerine. Cures Chapped Hands and Face, Tender or Sore Feet, Chills, Piles, Etc. C. G. Clark Co., New Haven, Ct.

There is no fruit that can be grown as rapidly as the grape.

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 50c. If C. C. Co. fails to cure, druggists refund money.

Improper shoeing will often cause lameness in a horse.

I believe Pilo's Cure is the only medicine that will cure consumption.—Anna M. Ross, Williamsport, Pa., Nov. 12, 1893.

There is 10,000 union seaman. China has one railroad.

SPRAINS AND PAINS
St. Jacobs Oil the foil. Use it and promptly feel the cure. That's all, but that is something sure.



FOUND DEAD.

Why did he do it? He had everything to live for—happy home, wife, friends, money; but he shot himself through the heart. Why?

He couldn't have given a good reason himself. But everything looked gloomy to him. He was in a gloomy frame of mind. It was the way he looked at life that day. He had been living in too much of a hurry, rushing and driving at business, hustling through his meals, cutting short his sleep. His nerves got on edge; his stomach and liver got out of order; he grew despondent and melancholy.

When the digestion is out of order there is little use trying to look on the bright side of things, practically there isn't any bright side. This is a dangerous condition to get into. Yet it is easy to get into and mighty hard to get out of it, unless you go about it in the right way.

There is a remedy that has pulled thousands of people right out of this depth of despair. It is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It acts directly upon the stomach and liver. It restores their natural capacity to nourish and purify the system. It purges away bilious poisons, feeds the nerve-centers with healthy, highly vitalized blood, and drives out the "blue devils" of melancholy and nervousness.

J. L. Warner, No. 1900 O Street, Sacramento, Cal., writes: "During the last five years I have been doctoring with as many as six different doctors here and in San Francisco for diseased stomach; but none of the doctors gave me even temporary relief. Two years ago I completely collapsed, and had to give up all work. I have had many times that I would like to leave the world. In looking over the ads in the San Francisco Examiner I ran across yours, and I now owe my life and present good health to Dr. Pierce's medicine. I have taken fourteen bottles of the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and four little tins of 'Pleasant Pellets,' and I am entirely well of all stomach trouble. Can sleep nine hours every night, and am now ready to go to work again."

W. N. U.—DETROIT—NO. 18—'97

When Answering Advertisements Please Mention This Paper.

Why Don't You Lighten the Load?

A smiling face and joyful manner often cover many troubles—an effort perhaps to hide them. Because a man looks the picture of health is no sign his back is burdenless. The most common affliction found "in every walk in life" is a bad back. There is more misery in every household through the back than from any other cause. Of course it's harder on the poor man, he must furnish the bread for "the little ones," and day after day he struggles along with a weak, lame or aching back. If everybody knew why the back was lame and how to cure it, happiness would reign supreme in thousands of worrying homes. Michigan people are learning fast, are finding out the secrets of the back. Since the advent of "the little conqueror" it has become plainer that a "bad back" means "sick kidneys." That Doan's Kidney Pills make "sick kidneys" well, and healthy kidneys mean a good back. Doan's Kidney Pills have lifted the burdens from more backs in Michigan and cured more kidney ills than all other kidney remedies combined. Here are Michigan cases:

[A Bay City Echo.]
Mr. H. G. Miller is a resident of Bay City; his home is at 219 Fraser street. He says: "Stretching over a period of 15 years, I have suffered more or less from kidney complaint. I have tried almost everything, porous plasters, electric plasters and such remedies, and physicians as well, but I failed to get anything like permanent relief until in a lucky moment I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills. Oh! what suffering my back has caused me at times. I could scarcely turn over in bed, the seat of the pain was right over my kidneys, above the hips. The urine became unduly frequent; it would cause me to get up 10 to 25 times during one night, and was very dark colored. I had been this way for some time, getting no better, when I decided to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and got a box; for the first few days after taking the pills the urine became thick and contained brickish-colored matter; however, I kept right on taking them regularly, and at the end of the third day I could see an improvement, and from that day on I continued to improve and feel better. The urine was soon clear, and the pain across my back and kidneys left entirely. That was months ago, and I have never had a pain or an ache since. To me it is simply wonderful. Doan's Kidney Pills have made my kidneys as sound as a bell. I now feel as good when the day is over as when it is but beginning. There is no words that can properly express my gratitude and the praise I would bestow on Doan's Kidney Pills. In the list of kidney medicines their position is at the top."

[A Keeper at the State Prison.]
Mr. A. E. Wing is a keeper at the state prison and resides at 613 N. Jackson street, Jackson. It is a peculiarly bad case, well told, and carries its own moral. He says: "Some months ago my attention was attracted by a swelling of my groins; the swelling began to increase to such an extent that I was alarmed. It spread down my legs, right into my feet, so bad I could not get my pants or shoes on. I had to open my shoes a distance of fully two inches. My condition was very bad; my face even puffed up and my whole system seemed affected; I could hardly walk up stairs to unlock my men. I went to a physician, one of the ablest in the city. He said the swelling was caused by my kidneys, and I commenced treatment with him, but my condition did not change and I seemed to be getting worse. About this time a friend strongly urged me to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and I finally consented to let him get a box for me. After the first week of their use I commenced to notice a change, and I continued taking them. Five boxes in all, with the happy result that I was completely cured. I must confess I was surprised at the result. I have never heard of any medicine which seemed to have such a radical effect and yet leave the system in such a good condition. I feel better now than I ever did. After the effect was once established the swelling gradually disappeared until it was gone. I consider Doan's Kidney Pills simply wonderful as an agent in curing any form of kidney disorders."

All druggists keep DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS, price 50c. per box. Remember the name DOAN'S and take no substitute. Foster-McMurray Co., Buffalo, N. Y., Sole Proprietors.



PETTEYSVILLE

A. Manzer moved his family to Sumpter last Thursday.

Chas. Travis of Owosso visited relatives here last week.

C. O. Burgess of Howell called on relatives here Sunday.

Miss Jennie Weller returned from New Jersey last week.

Will Mercer has moved into the Schuller house at the Junction.

Mrs. Eva Wines is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Blade.

About forty people from Cincinnati are camping at the Junction.

Arbor Day exercises were held at the Cordley school house last Friday; a number of trees were planted and also some flowering shrubs.

PARSHALLVILLE

Miss Effie and Minnie Cole are visiting in this vicinity.

William Wolverton has been repairing and enlarging the mill dam.

Will Cornell and wife of Iowa spent last week with friends in this vicinity.

Miss Grace Wakeman spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Highland.

The Ladies' Aid society met at the home of Mrs. William Wolverton Wednesday afternoon.

Quarterly meeting was held at the M. E. church May 2. The Presiding Elder preached in the evening.

The Ladies' WCTU will give a ten cent tea in the basement of the church from 5 until 7. Then at 7:30 there will be a program after which cake and ice cream will be served on the evening of May 14.

MAY

Eldred Basing erected a wind-mill recently.

Eight children in one family had the measles at one time.

A great number of our young people are having the measles.

Jas. Fewless, of Iosco, spent a part of last week with friends in town.

Frank and Roy Haynes have recovered from an attack of the mumps.

J. Musson has erected a new Aremoter wind-mill in place of his old one that had worn out.

Some of our good farmers are having bad luck with their pigs, as some are losing from half to all of them.

J. E. Haynes has set out 5,000 strawberry plants this spring, to grow for market. He also has a fine patch to sell from this season.

It is reported that F. E. Love has a sheep that does not like to see the lambs with long tails, so she details them, or in other words eats them off. Who can beat that for a sheep.

E. S. Nash received a barrel of seed potatoes, Tuesday, of Barry Hammond, the great potato raiser, consisting of Carmen No. 3 and Uncle Sam, both claimed to be the finest table potato grown.

Program Cards, School Cards, Envelopes, Letter Heads, Note Heads, Auction Bills, etc. Call and get samples.

The Reason.

Mr. Blimmer—"Going to the ball tonight?" Miss Antique—"No, I don't dance the new dances." "Why not?" "Not asked."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Additional Local.

A continuous rain of over two days caused the month of May to come in with dripping garments.

There is talk that the Ann Arbor wheelmen will build a track to Whitmore Lake. What's the matter of Livingston county wheelmen doing the same.

Henry Ward, owner of the Pontiac sheep ranch, has 200,000 pounds of wool which he has accumulated from his flock. He has been offered \$20,000 for the lot, but is holding for \$25,000.

Our Weather Bureau seems to be more of an "ornamental piece of furniture" than otherwise. It being so behind the time and very expensive, it had better be sold as an old relic and we can take the weather as it comes.

The Ann Arbor railroad put newly painted and refurbished passenger coaches on its road last Saturday. All the coaches are equipped with extension steps thus doing away with the unsightly boxes now in use.

Mrs. L. D. Brokaw returned from Ann Arbor Saturday evening with her daughter Kitay. The daughter has been suffering from some trouble with her lower jaw, supposed to come from a tooth that was extracted some time ago. Dr. Herdman discovered trouble with another tooth and had it extracted. The tooth was badly ulcerated and is thought to have been the real cause of the trouble.—Livingston Republican.

Mrs. Davis of Ada, Mich., was arrested in Pontiac, Saturday, for canvassing from store to store for money on a petition setting forth that she was the widow of a Freemason and had been burned out of house and home. The petition was headed by a mythical contribution for \$18 made by a lodge in a neighboring city. She was accompanied on her rounds by a seven year old boy. She had obtained contributions from 40 merchants when arrested. Mrs. Davis gathered in considerable money in Ann Arbor, Chelsea, and other places recently by the same method. South Lyon was in it too.—Oakland Excelsior.

General W. E. White is in favor of the "canteen" system at Island Lake during the encampment. He says, that it is his opinion, the establishment of a canteen would diminish intemperance in the ranks; yes place a loaded revolver in the hands of a fool and the number of deaths by accidental shooting will be diminished. If the boys were compelled to stay on the camp ground or be punished, then keep liquor (of which they have no use) away from them we would have better defenders of our country; but as it is, what protection would a drunken soldier be. Give the brave boys liquor, by all means, they would suffer and die to be deprived of it for one long week, then what would we do for "those dead heroes of ours."

Twenty Years....

For more than twenty years we have been telling how Scott's Emulsion overcomes the excessive waste of the system, puts on flesh, nourishes and builds up the body, making it the remedy for all wasting diseases of adults and children, but it isn't possible for us to tell the story in a mere stickful of newspaper type.

We have had prepared for us by a physician a little book, telling in easy words how and why Scott's Emulsion benefits, and a postal card request will be enough to have it sent to you free. To-day would be a good time to send for it.

SCOTT & BOWNE, New York.

Extirpation of Birds.

The Pallas cormorant, largest of all known cormorants, used to be found on Bering Island, in the north Pacific; it has disappeared and only four specimens remain in museums. The Carolina eagle, which bred on the island of Guadalupe, off the coast of California, is gone. Only a few living specimens of the California condor, the largest bird of flight in the world, remain. This gigantic vulture has been nearly exterminated. Two well-known Carolina parakeets, the only parrots native to the United States, are near to final extinction. Formerly they ranged all over the eastern part of this country, as far north as New York and westward to Texas. At present the few survivors are confined to remote parts of southern Florida and the Indian territory. These little birds sleep inside of hollow stumps, hanging by their beaks, which are stuck into crevices. A while ago the so-called "passenger pigeon" flew by millions in the Ohio valley as far east as Massachusetts. Now only a few of them are left.—Washington Post.

Browning and His Autograph.

Dean Farrar tells the following story: I once asked Browning what he did in answer to the numerous requests which I felt sure he must receive, for autographs. "Oh," he said, "I always send my autograph to those who write to me for it." "What do you do when, as is often the case, the admirer does not even inclose a stamped envelope?" "Oh," he replied, "I always send the autograph all the same; but then I do not prepay the letter, because if he thinks my autograph worth writing for, he will probably not think it dear at twopence."

A Way to Make Money.

From the Sparta (Wis.) Democrat: The following is by an unknown hero, but is nevertheless a good way to make money: "Take a dollar bill and fold it several times each way. Then unfold it and you will find it in creases." Keep the increase but send the original bill to the printer who put you on to the scheme. Then "take a silver dollar and drop it on the counter" and notice the ring it makes. Send the ring to your best girl and the \$ to the printer and everybody will be happy.

PROBATE ORDER.—State of Michigan, County of Livingston, SS.—At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Howell, on Monday the 12th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.
Present, Albion M. Davis, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the Estate of Daniel F. Webb, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of George W. Teeple, praying that a certain instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate.
Thereupon it is ordered, that Friday, the seventh day of May next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be assigned for the hearing of said petition.
It is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published in the Pinckney Dispatch, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
ALBION M. DAVIS, Judge of Probate.

PROBATE ORDER.—State of Michigan, County of Livingston, SS.—At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Howell, on Tuesday the 13th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.
Present, Albion M. Davis, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the Estate of Albert S. Noble, deceased.
Now comes Frank A. Barton, administrator of said Estate, and represents to this Court that he is ready to render his final account in said Estate. Thereupon, it is ordered that Monday, the 10th day of May next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be assigned for the hearing of said account.
And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the Pinckney Dispatch, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
ALBION M. DAVIS, Judge of Probate.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage (whereby the power of sale therein contained to sell has become operative) made by Michael Lavey and Jennie Lavey, his wife of the township of Dexter, Washtenaw county, Michigan to William Clark of the place aforesaid and dated March 19, 1897 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Livingston state of Michigan on the 21st day of March 1897 in liber 59 of mortgages on page 166 thereof, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of four hundred and fifty-one dollars and sixty-eight cents (\$451.68) and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been commenced to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof: Therefore notice is hereby given that on Friday the 10th day of July A. D. 1897 at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day at the west front door of the court house in the village of Howell in said county (that being the place of holding the circuit court for the county in which the mortgaged premises are situated, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public vendue to the highest bidder of the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage with interest and legal costs, that is to say: All those certain pieces or parcels of land situate in the village of Pinckney, Livingston county, Michigan and described as follows to wit: Lots four (4) and five (5) in Block four (4) according to a plat and survey of said village as recorded in the office of Register of Deeds of said Livingston county.

Dated Howell April 29 A. D. 1897.

WILLIAM CLARK,

Register of Deeds, Attorney for Mortgagee.

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We are now showing the most complete line of cheap and medium priced Bedroom suits in the history of our establishment. A nice suit for \$13.00. Still a little better one for \$14 or \$15. We have them in different finishes antique oak and birch finished mahogany. An endless variety of those popular, white enameled, beds nothing cleaner, prettier or more durable in the bed line

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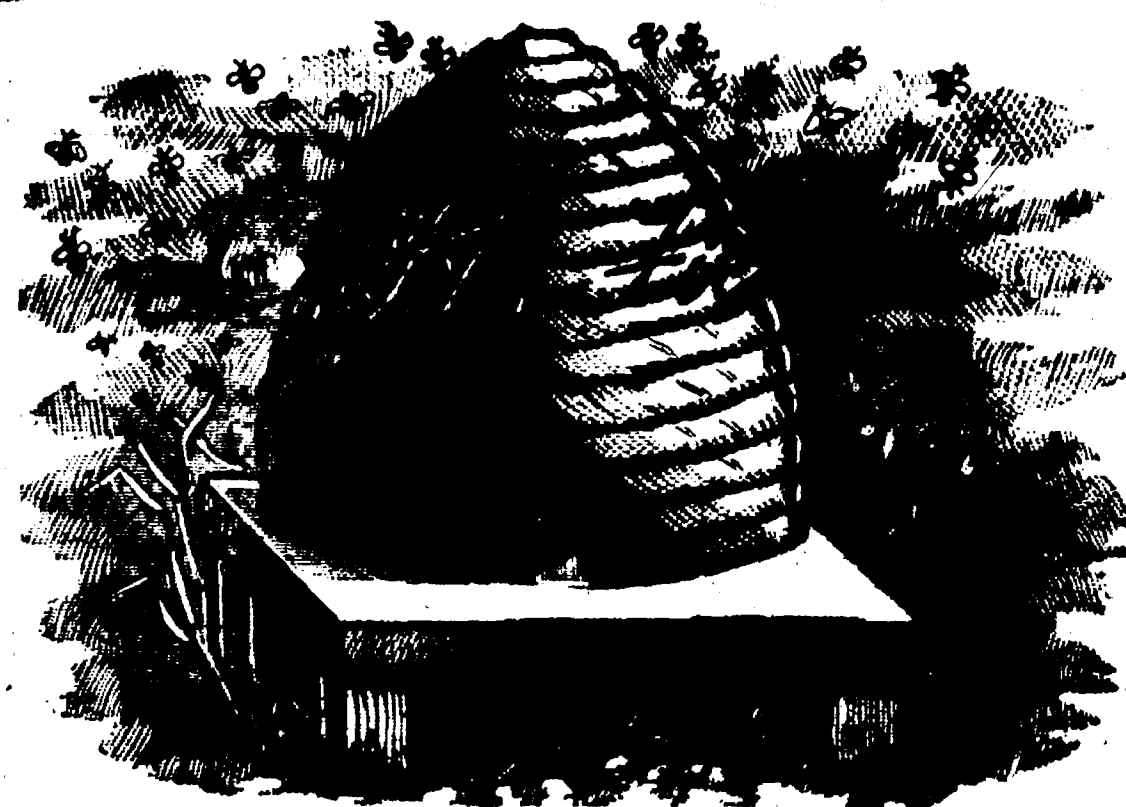
In style, quality, patterns, and colorings our .50 all wool extra super ingrain carpet beats them all. We have already received our second shipment of straw mattings.

This season the patterns and colorings are up-to-date and prices the lowest. Our \$1 and \$2 a pair lace curtains are good values.

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These Suits are some of the now displayed in our windows, but for a better idea of them they need to be seen singly in our department for these goods.

RESPECTFULLY YOURS,

L. H. FIELD.