

Pinckney Dispatch.

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PINCKNEY, LIVINGSTON CO., MICH., THURSDAY, JUNE 24, 1897.

No. 25

PRE-INVENTORY SALE.

Our Semi-Annual stock taking will occur on July 1st. Previous to that time we propose making such keen reductions on many lines thus placing the stock in better invoice trim, and making it ready for the Autumn buying, that it will make the month of June a memorable one for economical purchasers. A stock that is right in every way full and complete every detail of quality and style the best at the lowest prices.

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Butter & Eggs Wanted.

F. G. JACKSON.

Frank Moran, who has been working in New York for some time returned here on Friday.

Strawberries have been selling in this place for four cents per quart the past week.

All of the surrounding towns that celebrate will do so on the 3rd of July instead of the 5th except Mason. Well (?)

F. A. Sigler, has had a very fine cement floor put in his cellar at the drug store. S. Grimes and John Mortenson have been doing the work.

Business Pointers.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of the village of Pinckney that the village assessment roll is now in my hands and I am ready to receive taxes. From now until July 15, only two per cent will be charged and after that date a charge of four per cent will be made for collection.

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Local Dispatches.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Briggs visited Howell relatives Saturday.

Mrs. J. Wright and daughter of Lake City are guests of Mrs. Hattie Decker.

The C. E. society will serve ice cream, cake and lemonade during the day and evening at the opera house July 3rd.

There will be a strawberry social at the home of I. J. Abbott, of Marion, on Tuesday evening, June 29, for the benefit of Rev. M. H. McMahon. All are cordially invited.

The 2nd division of the Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church will hold an ice cream social at the home of Dr. H. F. Sigler, 21425 Friday evening, June 25th. All are cordially invited.

We received a change of time and price on the Grummond line of steamers this week too late to make the change in the table. They leave Detroit daily at 11 p. m. instead of 9 and the price is 25 cents instead of 50.

Children's Day exercises at the Congregational church last Sabbath morning passed off very pleasantly. The church was very nicely decorated with ferns and flowers, and the children did credit to themselves and teachers.

Pinckney is a very lively place these days. Two brick blocks going up on Main st., St. Mary's parsonage on the church property and T. Read's residence on Mill st., serve to keep most of the people busy. Good. Let the good work go on—there is no better or finer village in the country.

The members of the Livingston Lodge, F. & A. M., are requested to meet at the lodge room, in Pinckney, on Sunday evening, June 27th, at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of attending Divine services in a body at the M. E. church. The members of Pinckney chapter, O. E. S., are also invited to meet at the same time and place.

H. F. SIGLER, W. M.

The Christian Endeavorers will hold a sun rise prayer meeting July 4 led by the pastor. Topic, "Consecrated patriots, what will they do?" Deut. 32:1-18. We most cordially invite every one to attend this meeting and see how delightful it is to meet together in the early quiet Sabbath morning to worship the Great Ruler of the Universe.

FIELD DAY AT PINCKNEY.

SATURDAY, JULY 3, 1897

TO BE A DAY OF SPORTS.

The race track being completed and a good diamond made on the grounds, the Driving Club have decided to hold a day of sports on Saturday, July 3rd, and have made great arrangements for a grand time on that date.

At 10 o'clock a. m. there will be a good ball game and foot races and at 2:30 the game of the day will be called—Stockbridge vs Chelsea. As these teams are rivals a good game may be looked for.

During the afternoon \$25 worth of blankets will be given to the winners of the horse races. There will be a 3 minute pace or trot, 2:40 pace or trot and a 2:30 pace or trot, also a running race. Bicycle races will take place also and liberal prizes will be given for a ladies' half mile race, boys half mile race and a one mile race, free for all.

Do not miss this day of sports but join in the races as there will be foot races, fat man's race, lean man's race, sack race, etc. A dance will be given in the hotel. Admission to the race course grounds 15 cents. Children under 12 free.

OBITUARY.

Joel R. Dunning died at his home in this place Monday evening June 21. Mr. Dunning was born in Saratoga county, N. Y., July 4, 1815. Here he lived for twenty-five years. On Nov. 18, 1840 he married Miss Louise Miller. They lived in N. Y. for ten years then came to Michigan in 1855 settling on a farm four miles north-west of Pinckney. In 1870 they moved to Pinckney. Mr. Dunning leaves a wife and three daughters to mourn their loss. Funeral will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence.

JUNIOR BANQUET.

On Saturday evening of last week the Juniors of the Pinckney High school held their second annual banquet at the home of their supt., W. A. Sprout. The guests began assembling about 8 o'clock and in a short time a happy party to the number of about fifty were enjoying themselves in the best manner possible. Early in the evening the assembly was called to order by Mr. Percy Swarthout, Pres. of the class of '98, and the program was opened with an instrumental solo by Miss Ethel Read. Mr. Swarthout then gave an address of welcome and in behalf of the class of '98 he extended a cordial welcome to the invited guests. The response was given by Miss Anna B. Miller, Pres. of the class of '97. Miss Maude Teeple then read an essay entitled "Should Education be Compulsory?" which brought out many points concerning the necessity of obtaining an education. A duet was rendered by Messrs Martin and Swarthout after which Miss Alma Sheehan gave a select reading entitled "Time." An essay on "Grinders" was then read by Mr. Fred Sprout, and after listening to solos by Miss Nellie Gardner, Lucius Wilson and Percy Swarthout, the program was concluded by a few remarks by Mrs. W. A. Sprout.

The party then retired to the dining room where refreshments were served. Too much cannot be said of the host and hostess for they did justice in entertaining their guests. All enjoyed a very pleasant evening and regretted that the happy school days were nearing an end. Though the days of school are one of toil and strife, yet in the end they are priceless treasures and can never be forgotten. In the future many of us may look back upon our school days and regret that our time had been so idly spent.

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F. L. ANDREWS, EDITOR.

THURSDAY, JUNE 24, 1897.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

Washington, D. C., June 18, '97.
The most important event of the week in Washington was the sending of the treaty for the annexation of Hawaii to the United States as a territory to the Senate. There is jubilation among those who believe that the true policy of this government is to get control of all outlying islands in both the Pacific and Atlantic oceans. There is some talk about ratification of this treaty being made a party question in the senate but it is hardly likely any considerable number of Senators can be found who will acknowledge themselves to be so short-sighted as such an act would proclaim them to be. This is not a party question; it is an American question, as President Grover Cleveland quickly learned when he thwarted the last attempt at annexation. The Japanese minister has been asking some questions about the annexation treaty which indicate an intention on the part of his government to make a protest against a treaty. It is not now certain that the treaty will be ratified by the Senate at this session of Congress, but a protest from Japan would make its ratification not only certain but speedy. Senator Kyle, who strongly favors annexation, says he has made a poll of the Senate and that fifty-five Senators have declared for annexation and twelve are in doubt how they will vote. Sixty votes will be needed to ratify the treaty. In order to be prepared for any contingency, it is understood that the friends of annexation will introduce a joint resolution in both House and Senate annexing Hawaii. In case there is a disposition on the part of the opponents of annexation to filibuster against a vote on treaty in the Senate this resolution will be put through and annexation will be accomplished just the same as though the treaty were ratified. Texas was annexed by a joint resolution after a treaty had failed of ratification.

Senator Pettigrew doesn't think that the fact that sugar stock did not rise as many points during the consideration of the sugar schedule of the present tariff bill as during the tariff debate on the Wilson bill, gives the present Senate any cause for pride. When Mr. Pettigrew referred to the rise in sugar stock he was interrupted by Senator Gear who said that the sugar debate in the Senate three years ago sent up sugar stock 40 points and he exclaimed in reply: "I think that the two debates on sugar—now and three years ago—justify the existence of a new political party. Petitions asking that the Senate speedily dispose of the tariff bill are pouring in upon that body in a steady stream and from almost every section of the country."

The sugar fight ended as far as the Senate is concerned when the sugar schedule was this week adopted, but the final round will not be fought until the entire bill has been passed by the Senate and sent to a conference. Then the House conferees will make a decided stand for the cutting out of the Senate amendments to the original House sugar schedule and if the talk of members is lived up to, they will maintain it until they carry their point.

Interesting Items.

By actual count there were 579 bicycles in the parade at Ann Arbor on Tuesday night of last week although the claim is made that there were 700 bicyclers present.

A new industry is being practiced in the southern part of the state by a party of men who are going about catching turtles from the lakes and pond. The reptiles are shipped to the cities where they find a good market price among the hotel and restaurant keepers.

Chas. Lattie of Corunna got drunk last Saturday night and slugged his wife with the house dog as a club, the dog's tail answering the purpose of a handle. He was arrested but claims only a very hazy recollection of the fracas.—Bancroft Commercial. That's a dogon tale.

The Ann Arbor railroad now sells 500 and 1,000 mile mileage books, for \$10 and \$20 respectively good for two years. This is a decided move in the direction of a two cent a mile fare as the 1,000 mile books are good for the use of the family of the person to whom they are issued.

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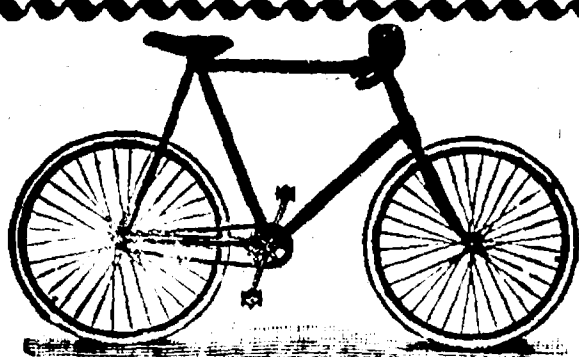
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EASTBOUND.

Pontiac Detroit—Gd. Rapids and Intermediate Sta. 10.30 p.m. 10.44 p.m.

Pontiac Lenox Detroit and Intermediate Sta. 11.55 a.m. 12.09 p.m.

Mich. Air Line Div. trains leave Pontiac for Romeo Lenox and Intermediate Sta. 10.30 a.m. 10.50 p.m.

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Saginaw Gd. Rapids and Gd. Haven 10.00 a.m. 10.20 p.m.

Saginaw Gd. Rapids and Gd. Haven 11.00 a.m. 11.20 p.m.

Chicago and Intermediate Sta. 10.00 a.m. 10.20 p.m.

Gd. Rapids Muskegon 12.10 a.m.

EASTBOUND.

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Detroit East and Canada 11.05 a.m.

Detroit East and Canada 12.05 p.m.

Detroit Suburban 11.05 a.m.

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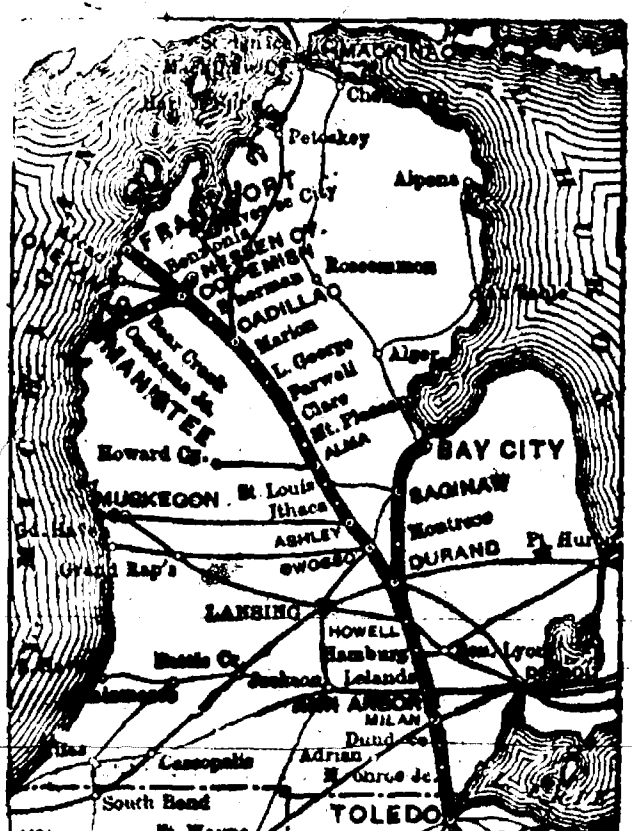
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Fenton has another bank failure
and on Monday morning of last
week the Fenton State Bank closed
its doors and hung up this
notice: "In the hands of the bank
commissioner." It is claimed that
the bank had made too heavy in-
vestments in the Electric Light
Co., of Fenton.

Helen Constantinedes, a Greek
maiden, nineteen years of age, has
organized a company and started
for the front to fight against the
Turks. Her brother will accom-
pany her. She declares that she
will fight in the front ranks, and
has no fear of death. Thousands
of her enthusiastic countrymen ap-
plauded her departure and hail
her as the Greek Joan of Arc.—
New Ideas.

One or two important bills—
important to taxpayers at least—
have become laws, among them
being an act providing for the
publication of the proceedings of
annual school meetings, and an
annual financial statement in grad-
ed school districts. Also for the
printing or writing of financial
statements of township for distri-
bution at the annual town meet-
ing.—Ann Arbor Argus.

G. A. R. Posts throughout the
country are passing resolutions
indorsing Judge Tourgee's sug-
gestion that Memorial Day be
changed to always fall upon the
fourth Sunday in May. The grow-
ing tendency of young America to
make Memorial day one of sport
and frolic, to devote it to picnics,
base ball games, etc., is becoming
so common that it is feared the
beautiful intent of the observance
will be lost unless some change is
made.—Ex.

An exchange says an old Ger-
man had a son whose future he
was anxious to forecast. He placed
upon a table in a room a Bible
and a bottle of whiskey while he
contrived to have his son go in,
while he stood behind a curtain to
watch the result. He said to him-
self, "If my boy dakes de Bible,
he will be a breacher; if he dakes
de whiskey, he will be a sport."
The boy came in, put the Bible in
one pocket and the whiskey in the
other. "Mine Got!" exclaimed
the old man "he's going to be a
bolitician!"

The summer season at the lakes
is beginning to open up, and every
day people are driving through
town either on fishing excursions
or for a few weeks camping. Sev-
eral new houses will be put up on
both Base and Portage lakes and
improvements are being made on
the old ones. Some years ago it
was predicted that the lakes would
become a famous summer resort
and that too without aid of a sea
serpent. The prediction is being
rapidly fulfilled.—Dexter Leader.

In a historical article recalling
the destruction of our National
capital by the British forces in
1814, Clifford Howard in the July
Ladies' Home Journal will show
that Dolly Madison, the most pop-
ular and beloved woman of her
day, was courageous and fearless
in the face of grave danger. In
the mad stampede from Washing-
ton, that preceded the invasion
by the British troops, Dolly Mad-
ison was the last to seek safety in
flight, and her final act before
quitting the White House, as the
enemy advanced, was to seize the
declaration of Independence and
carry it with her to a place of
safety. As the White House was
immediately afterward looted and
burned by the British, Mr. How-
ard declares that but for brave
Dolly Madison the priceless parch-
ment would have been destroyed.

Last year Ingham county bor-
rowed \$30,000 to run the current
expenses; this year the county
treasurer has been ordered to bor-
row \$40,000.

The Grand Trunk has issued an
order that with June 1, section
foreman must dispense with the
services of all relatives working
under them and must not in future
engage any relative to work on
the section in their charge.—
Lansing Review.

The dog poisoners have got in
their work in great shape. We
understand that over 40 of How-
ell's canines are dead. Whoever
has done this nefarious act, if
found out, would doubtless be
punished to the full extent of the
law.—Liv. Herald.

Mistaken Goodness.
We have become eclectics, observing
only those portions of the moral code
that are agreeable to us, and by zealous
devotion to pet commandments we
hope to atone for our failure to keep
disagreeable ones. The drunkard
thinks by being good hearted, he is ex-
cusable for his drunkenness. The man
to whom chastity is irksome takes
refuge in the fact that he pays his bills.
And he who votes the prohibition tick-
et is apt to think he has merited heaven
thereby. "Know ye not that whoso-
ever shall keep the whole law and yet
offend in one point is guilty of all?"
—Rev. William Hick.

He Was In.
Giltmore—You were not in yesterday
when I called. I wanted to borrow \$10.
Givum—Yes, I was; I was in \$12.—
Roxbury Gazette.

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Scientists who do not want to go after the Pole can try to get to the summit of Mt. St. Elias, Alaska, nobody having yet been able to get up there. There is always a chance for the earnest man of science.

It will be sad for some of our ambitious hedges as if Labouchere's mischievous scheme to do away with titles should be adopted. He proposes that every child that is baptized be endowed by its parents and sponsors with the name of "duke," "marquis," "earl," "viscount," "lord," or even "sir" preceding the other Christian name. With titles in every family, they should become too common even for foolish Americans to buy.

Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania has raised a new issue at Washington. He has refused to tip the waiters employed in the hotel where he boards, and everybody at the national capital is laughing at this new declaration of independence. The waiters were not quick to draw the line. They waited weeks after the senator's appearance before they adopted extreme measures. Then, after there was no longer room to doubt that the Pennsylvanian would not "tip," they resolved to punish him. Accordingly at dinner one day last week four waiters in succession refused to serve the senator. A fifth was finally ordered to serve him, and obeyed, but resigned immediately afterward, and the white aproned brotherhood, making common cause with him, resigned that night.

The newspaper that hesitates to publish an account of the occurrence or discovery of a secret marriage is a cowardly, yet aside from actual crime few evils are the cause of so much regret and misery. The young man who moved by romantic ideas or by any other motive, urges a young woman to agree to a clandestine marriage usually proves by that very act weakness and lack of character; while statistics assert that the majority of such marriages result in divorces. The papers have recently given with a fullness of detail which has brought shame to a large circle of innocent relatives, the revelation of a secret marriage, six months before, of two college students, the subsequent discovery of which, with its attendant shock, notoriety and wounded pride, was the direct cause of death to a devoted parent. How impossible, on such a foundation of memory, to build any happy, sacred family life.

**"THE FIRST WOMAN" LAST
SUNDAY'S SUBJECT**

LIVE the last Saturday afternoon in the world's existence—since sunrise, a team has been working the brilliant pageantry of wings and scales and clouds, and in his first lessons in

I make me a garden: I mlay the paths with mountain moss, and I border them with pearls from Ceylon and diamonds from Golconda. Here and there are fountains tossing up the sunlight and ponds that ripple under the paddling of the swans. I gather me lilies from the Amazon, and orange groves from the tropics, and tamarind from Goyaz. There are woodbine and honeysuckle climbing over the wall, and starred spaniels sprawling themselves on the grass. I invite amid these trees the larks, and the brown thrushes and the robins, and all the brightest birds of heaven, and they stir the air with infinite chirp and carol. And yet the place is a desert, filled with darkness and death as compared with the residence of the woman of my text; the subject of my story. Never since have such skies looked down through such heavens into such waters! Never has a river wave had such curve and shimmer, and bank as adorned the Pison, the Havilah, the Gihon, and the Hiddekel, never the pebbles being bdellium and jasper stone! What fruits, with what succulents to sting the rind! What flowers, with no slug to gnaw the foot! What atmosphere, with no frost to chill, and with no heat to consume! Bright colors tangled in the grass: Perfume in the air. Music in the sky! Great scenes of gladness and love and joy.

and fall of play put forth claw, and
 biting, and tooth, and tank. Birds whet
 their beak for prey. Clouds troop in
 the sky. Sharp thorns shoot up through
 the soft grass. Blasting on the leaves.
 All the shards of that great harmony
 are snapped. Upon the brightest home
 this world ever saw our first parents
 returned their back and led forth, on a
 path of sorrow the broken-hearted my-
 riads of a ruined race.

Do you not see, in the first place, the danger of a poorly regulated inquisitiveness? She wanted to know how the fruit tasted. She found out that six thousand years have elapsed since that unwholesome curiosity. Her curiosity has done a great deal for letters, for art, for science, and for religion. It has gone down into the depths of the earth with the geologist and seen the first chapter of Genesis written in the book of nature illustrated with engraving on rock, and it has stood with the antiquarian while he viewed the fragments of reconstruction overburied Herculaneum and Pompeii, and from their sepulchre there came up shaft and terrace and amphitheater. A faithful curiosity has enlarged the telescopic vision of the astronomer and unfolded worlds hidden in the distant heavens. It has searched forth and have joined the

I say nothing against natural curiosity. May it have other Lardens jars, and other electric batteries, and other voltaic piles, and other magnifying-glasses, with which to storm the barred castles of the natural world until it shall surrender its last secrets. We thank God for the geological curiosity of Professor Hitchcock, and the mechanical curiosity of Liebig, and the zoological curiosity of Cuvier, and the inventive curiosity of Edison; but we must admit that unhealthful and irregular inquisitiveness has rushed thousands and tens of thousands into ruin.

curious to find out how it tasted, and that curiosity blasted her and blasted all nations. So there are clergymen in this day inspired by unhealthy inquisitiveness who have tried to look through the keyhole of God's mysteries—mysteries that were barred and bolted from all human inspection, and they have wrenched their whole moral nature out of joint by trying to pluck fruit from branches beyond their reach or have come out on limbs of the tree from which they have tumbled into ruin without remedy. A thousand trees of religious knowledge from which we may eat and get advantage; but from certain trees of mystery how many have plucked their ruin! Election, free agency, trinity, resurrection—in the discussion of these subjects hundreds and thousands of people ruin the soul. There are men who actually have been kept out of the kingdom of heaven because they could not understand who Melchisedec was not!

by an unhealthful inquisitiveness! It is seen in all directions. There are those who stand with the eye-stare and mouth-gape of curiosity. They are the first to hear a falsehood, huff it and other story, high and two wings to it. About other people's apparel, about other people's business, about other people's financial condition, about other people's affairs, they are over-anxious. Every nice piece of gossip stops at their door, and they fatten and luxuriate in the endless round of the great world of tittle-tattle. They invade and suspiciously entertain at their house Colonel Twaddle and Esquire Chit-chat and Governor Smalltalk. Whoever hath an innuendo, whoever hath a scandal, whoever hath a valuable secret, let him come and sacrifice it to this Goddess of Splutter. Thousands of Adams and Eves do nothing but eat fruit that does not belong to them. Men quite well known as mathematicians failing in this computation of moral algebra: good sense plus good breeding, minus curiosity, equals minding your own affairs!

Observe also in this subject how repelling sin is when appended to great attractiveness. Since Eve's death there has been no such perfection of womanhood. You could not suggest an attractiveness to the body or suggest any refinement to the manner. You could add no gracefulness to the gait, no lustre to the eye, no sweetness to the voice. A perfect God made her a perfect woman, to be the companion of a man in a perfect home, and her entire nature vibrated in accord with the beauty and song of Paradise. But she rebelled against God's government, and with the same hand with which she plucked the fruit she launched upon the world the crimes, the wars, the calamities that have set the universe a-rolling.

ness. We are not surprised when we find men and women naturally vulgar rising into transgression. We expect that people who live in the ditch shall have the manners of the ditch; but how shocking when we find sin appended to superior education and to the refinements of social life! The accomplishments of Mary Queen of Scots remain her patronage of Darnley, the intrigues, the mere appalling. The genius of Catherine II. of Russia only serves forth in more powerful contrast her unapproachable sanctity. The transition from the Greek and the Latin Elizabeth, and her wonderful qualities.

manner or exquisiteness of taste, or
superiority of education etc. is an
wise apology for ill-temper, for a
oppressive spirit, for unkindness to
any kind of sin. Disobedience God-
ward and transgression manward can
give no excuse. Accomplishment
heaven-high is no apology for vice held
dear.

the regal influence of woman. When I see Eve with this powerful influence upon Adam and over the generation that have followed, it suggests to me that great power all women have for good or for evil. I have no sympathy now with you, with this hollow flattery showered upon women from the platform and the stage. They mean nothing; they are accepted as nothing. Woman's nobility consists in the exercise of a Christian influence; and when I see this powerful influence of Eve upon her husband and upon the whole human race, I make up my mind that the frail arm of woman can strike a blow which will resound through all eternity down among the dungeons of our among the thrones.

representative women—of Eve, who ruined the race by one fruit-picking; of Jael who drove a spike through the head of Sisera the warrior; of Esther, who overcame royalty; of Abigail, who stopped a host by her own beautiful prowess; of Mary, who nursed the world's savior; of Grandmother Lois immortalized in her grandson Timothy; of Charlotte Corday, who drove the dagger through the heart of the assassin of her lover; or of Marie Antoinette, who by one look from the balcony of her castle quieted a mob, her own scaffold the throne of forgiveness and womanly courage. I speak not of these extraordinary persons, but of those who, unambitious for political power, as wives and mothers and sisters and daughters, attend to the thousand sweet offices of home;

the forces that decided the destiny of nations, it will be found, that the mightiest and grandest influence came from home, where the wife cheered up despondency and fatigue, and sorrow by her own sympathy, and the mother trained her child for heaven, starting the little feet on the path to the Celestial City; and the sisters by their gentleness reformed the manners of the brother; and the daughters were diligent in their kindness to the aged, throwing wreaths of blessings on the road that leads father and mother down the steep of years. God bless our homes! And may the home on earth be the vestibule of our home in heaven, in which place may we all meet—father, mother, son, daughter, brother, sister, grandfather and grandmother and grandchild; and the entire group of precious ones, of whom we must say in the words of transporting Charles Wesley:

One family we dwell in him,
One church above, beneath;
Though now divided by the stream—
The narrow stream of death;
One army of the living God,
To his command we bow;

And part are crossing now.

The Strongest Dinner.
Perhaps the most remarkable dinner on record was that given by an antiquary named Goebel, in the city of Brussels. At the dinner were apples that ripened more than 1,800 years ago, bread made from wheat grown before the children of Israel passed through the Red Sea, and spread with butter that was made when Elizabeth was Queen of England. The repast was washed down with wine that was old when Columbus was playing with the boys of Genoa. The apples were from an earthen jar taken from the ruins of Pompeii. The wheat was taken from a chamber in one of the pyramids, the butter from a stone shelf in an old wall in Scotland, where for several centuries it had lain in an earthen crock in icy water, and the wine was recovered from an old vault in the city of Genoa. There were six guests at the table, and each had a mouthful of the bread and a teaspoonful of the wine, and was permitted to help himself beautifully to the butter, there being several pounds of it. The apple jar held about two-thirds of a gallon. The fruit was sweet and as finely flavored as if it had been preserved but a few months.

In Sweet Simplicity.
Truth in sweet simplicity expresses the thoughts that bind and the words that burn conviction in human understanding, and steadily, with undimmed eye, detects and discloses to the brave spirit that stands by what it believes. One has said that "truth, like light, travels in straight lines"—that it is a divine essence.—Philadelphia Morristine.

**SOME GOOD JOKES, ORIGINAL
AND SELECTED.**

The Mucyale Ball.
 ELINDA has
 bewitching looks
 And Margaret has
 grace
 Marcella is exceed-
 ing wise,
 And Clara is fair
 of face
 Geraldine, my
 Germaine,
 Has all the
 charms of
 the fairest maiden
 I ever
 saw
 She's a beauty
 heart in thrall

Ride up the boulevard,
All eyes that see her open wide
With evident regard;
Her knickers are a perfect fit,
Her hat's jaunty thing,
And conscious that she makes a hit,
She makes her cycle sing.
She smiles from her bewitching eyes
As I admire her grace,
And then she looks exceeding wise,
And blushes dye her face.
For since the law requires a bell
On bikes of every kind,
This belle, you'll soon, I'm proud to
tell,
Upon my tandem and

Word Puzzled the Typewriter.
According to the Washington Star, one morning recently the representative came into his office with a sniffing cold in his head and the first letter he dictated was to his wife at home—a delight, by the way, he indulged in every day, whatever may be said of congressmen in general—in which he told her that owing to the fact that he had slept the night before in a draught and the wind had blown through his pajamas, he had caught a pretty severe cold. The word "pajamas" was a new one for the typewriter and she stalled at it.

"P-a-j-a-m-a-s," spelled the representative slowly, and added: "Didn't you ever have to write it before?"

"In that case, I'll bet you a dollar you don't know what it means." "I don't bet, sir," he hesitated, "but I guess I know what it means." "Well, what is it?"

representative, in the kindness of his heart, smiled sweetly and told the young man he had guessed it the very first time.

Rural Schools in Arkansas.
One cannot be surprised at the slow progress of education in certain parts of Arkansas, where a visitor to that state recently heard a rural school teacher say to his pupils:

And when a tardy pupil came in and left the door slightly ajar the teacher said, sharply:

"I tried to learn 'em manners, but it's darned uphill work,"—Harper's Bazar.

Enriched by a Deposit
Henry Small, a farmer of Brighton township, Pa., dreamed twenty years ago that a deposit of lead ore was located on the farm of David Irons, of Brady's Run. Four years later, he secretly suspected and found a deposit of lead. For sixteen years he has been negotiating for the lease and has just succeeded in closing it. He intends to develop the lead mine. — Philadelphia Press

2. Transit Flowers 2. 1. 11

"What do you think of Hansen as a lecturer?"

"Well, it seemed to me that he never properly warmed to his subject." —
Pick Me Up

A sympathetic judge.
"I make whisky," said the moonshiner,
"to make shoes for my little children!"
The judge seemed touched, for he
had children of his own. "I sympathize
with you," he said, "and I am
going to send you to the Ohio peniten-
tiary, where you can follow the shoe
business for two years."—Atlanta Con-
stitution.

CAPTURE DON PEDRO.

HEN ROBERTSON, a young man, was sitting in a room, looking at a picture of a man in a military uniform. He was looking at it with a great deal of interest, and was wondering who it was. He was looking at it for some time, and was wondering who it was. He was looking at it for some time, and was wondering who it was.

One night, Mr. Robertson, who was sitting in a room, looking at a picture of a man in a military uniform, was looking at it with a great deal of interest, and was wondering who it was. He was looking at it for some time, and was wondering who it was.

And so, a week passed. Then, one morning there arrived in camp, a man dressed in a rich Mexican suit, with his sombrero pulled over his eyes and a sassy silk handkerchief tied around his neck almost concealing his face. We could only see that he had small eyes and a black mustache. He was of slight build and not tall.

He "put up" at Jerry Griffin's "hotel," which was also a pesthouse, rumshop and general house-furnishing store at the Gulch, and gave his name as Don Pedro Gomez. The miners looked with suspicion on this man from the first, and when, two nights later, Jack Allen was robbed of a bag of "dust," and Don Pedro "turned up missing," they were quick to denounce him as the thief.

Allen and Williams at once organized a posse of men to search the mountains for the Mexican. Father was one of the party. In vain I asked him to let me go. No, it was out of the question—I was too young, and as they might be gone all day I must stay at home and watch the claim. Mother had gone to Westend, the nearest town, with a neighbor's wife, the day before, so I would be alone in the cabin.

Jack Allen found what he said was a trail up the mountain, so the procession started after the thief. I was in a very bad humor when I thought what a bore it would be to stay on the claim all alone all day. I longed to have a chance to carry the new rifle that father had given me, with all a boy's eagerness to "shoot something."

The day passed slowly and I was glad when darkness came and the moon rose from behind a distant clump of bowlders. I went to the window and looked out. How still everything was! How bright the moonlight gleamed on the rocks! I began to wonder whether the men had captured Don Pedro, and how long they would be gone.

Suddenly a happy thought struck me—"I'll play cowboy all to myself!" I muttered, and running up the ladder to the loft I opened my trunk and took from it the buckskin suit that I wore to the masquerade last winter, and put it on. In my belt I stuck two rusty revolvers that I found on the floor, and then descended to the room below.

But he did not give me away, for which I thank him with all my heart. He only gave me a wink and asked me if, being a backwoodsman, I had ever heard of Davy Crockett's advice? He said it was "Be sure you're right—then go ahead!" and I think it's good advice, don't you?

Several miners sold out their claims to the company that Mr. Smith represented, and father finally did the same for which I was glad, for I have never felt comfortable after the night I captured Don Pedro.

The New Bachelor. Slowly he disrobed, placed his bloomers on a convenient chair, did up his whiskers and prepared to retire for the night. The final duties accomplished, he bent fearfully down and peered under the bed. Then, with a sigh of relief, he arose from his uncomfortable posture.

"Thank heaven, there is no woman there!" he murmured, as he sat on the edge of the bed and delicately scratched the back of his neck.

"Supposing there had been?" he continued, suddenly. "Would I have screamed? Would I?"

For a moment he paused. "Not on your natural, I wouldn't," he then, explained. "I would have jumped her and glad her to the chief, toner! But she will never come! Never! Never!"

And throwing himself, with a moan, on the bed, the new bachelor fell into a fitful, sobbing slumber.—New York World.

A Champion Game Dog. Earl de Grey holds the championship among the world's hunters for the quantity of game killed by one man. He is now 35 years old and during the past twenty years he has averaged 25,000 head of game each year. On one occasion he shot at fifty pheasants in three minutes and killed all but one of them. He has killed eleven tigers, a number of elephants and rhinoceroses, bears and hares.—New York World.

"Hold 'em up!" I repeated savagely, and my visitor obeyed me.

"Now, wait!" I said, still keeping him covered. "And sit down on that stool!"

"With pleasure," said my captives; "but my dear young man, are you not making a mistake? My name is Don—"

WHITE TOPAZ.

Beautiful White Topaz, the most popular of the gemstones, is now being sold at the Diamond Palace.

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Only from the solid ground of some clear creed have men done good, strong work in the world. Only out of certainty comes power.—Phillips Brooks

Brass pins were first made by the Sarcophagi in Spain in A. D. 800 and were first introduced in England by Catherine of Arragon, wife of Henry VIII.

A man at Stamford, N. Y., has the watch Major Andre offered as a ransom to his captors. He has documents to prove that it is genuine.

SUMMER CARE OF BLANKETS. Blankets which have been used all winter, no matter how white, are never clean, and should be washed before putting away. Many housekeepers satisfy themselves by shaking and airing their blankets rather than risk soiling them in washing. But this is a mistake, for if the work is properly done no shrinking will take place, and the heavy soft appearance may be retained, as well the color, for years. The necessary thing in washing blankets is to have plenty of soft water and good pure soap. Inferior soap is really the cause of the damage done woolen goods in washing. It hardens the fibers and yellows the fabric. They are ready to begin the work shake the blankets free of dust, fill a tub half full of hot water. Dissolve a third of a cake of Ivory Soap in it. Put one blanket in at a time. Dip up and down and wash gently with the hands. Never rub soap on blankets, or wash them on the washboard. After the blankets are clean, rinse in warm water until free of suds. Add a little blueing to the last water. Shake and squeeze; then hang on the line until dry. Take down, fold, lay under a weight for a day or two, and they are ready for use.

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PLAINFIELD.

S. G. Topping has men from Jackson and Stockbridge fixing his slate roofing.

Children's Day was observed here last Sunday morning in the Presbyterian church.

S. A. and F. C. Mapes, proprietors of the Chelsea steam laundry spent Sunday under the parental roof.

Rev. L. Dadds D. D. of Adrian college gave a very fine address in the M. P. church last Sunday evening.

Several from this place attended Children's Day services at the Baptist church Gregory last Sunday evening.

ANDERSON.

Ed Cranna is the owner of a new buggy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Durkee were in Linden first of the week.

Miss Belle Birnie spent Sunday with her parents at this place.

Frank Reason had a calf bit by a rattlesnake one day last week.

Gilbert Stock, of Unadill, made a business trip to Anderson one day last week.

Thos. Read, of Pinckney, was through here buying wool, on Thursday last.

Mrs. James Marble was called to Pinckney Monday by the sickness of her father.

Dillivan Durkee attended teacher's examination in Fowlerville, Thursday and Friday.

A number from this place attended Children's Day exercises at Gregory Sunday evening.

F. H. Coleman closed a very successful term of school at Wright's Chapel on Friday.

Sanford Reason and wife started for Canada Tuesday where they will spend several weeks.

Miss Julia Benedict, of Chubb's Corners, was the guest of Anderson friends the first of the week.

EAST PUTNAM.

Earnest Fish was in Bancroft last week.

Miss Allie Brown was in Howell Thursday last.

Alex Pearson and Mrs. Charles Schifel were in Howell Tuesday.

Miss Nettie Hall visited in Williamston the last of last week.

Miss Sarah Pearson returned from a three weeks visit in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Placeway are visiting their daughter at Hartland.

Miss Mayme Fish, of Bancroft, is spending her vacation with her parents at this place.

Mrs. George Brown visited her daughter, Mrs. D. M. Hodgeman, at Oak Grove, over Sunday.

Bert Schoenhals and Miss Blanche Boylan, of Genoa, spent Sunday with Miss Grace Lake.

Mr. Gilbert Thrasher and Mrs. Lucy Manderville, of Williamston, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Jas. Hall.

The C. E. society held a very interesting meeting this week; those of the members that were absent missed a rare treat.

Misses Nellie and Grace Lake, Nellie and Chella Fish and Flota Hall attended commencement exercises at Bancroft last Wednesday.

Several stores are getting out their 4th of July stock.

Miss Jennie Tupper, who has been visiting in Greenville, returned home Tuesday.

SPECIAL MEETING FOR INITIATIONS.

On Monday evening, June 28, the Loyal Guards of this place will hold a special meeting for initiations, drill, and extra work. Every member is requested to be present. J. M. Torrey, Deputy Supreme Com., will be with us and assist in the work.

Mr. Torrey is here this week, and with the assistance of the Sir Knights, is securing several applications. Do not miss this opportunity to get insured in a solid company at a cheap rate. Ladies join the order at the same rate as gentlemen and throughout the state many are taking advantage of the low rate.

Amusement Was Felt.

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Metallic-finished cambric, which has all the gloss of a real satin, is a new lining for thin dresses. It comes in all the pretty colors, costs only 35 cents a yard, and is fully a yard wide.

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You naturally lose flesh in the summer and running down is so easy. You get a little weaker each day without hardly noticing it. There is loss of appetite, headache, weakness of the muscles, disturbed sleep, weakness of memory, and these are the beginning of nervous prostration. Iron and tonics and bitters may afford some temporary relief, but what you need is a food for body, brain and nerves.

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3 Cans Plums	25
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These sales must be CASH.

SWARTHOUT BROS.

Additional Local.

Glenn Richards is suffering with the whooping-cough.

Mrs. D. Grimes is the guest of relatives at Adrian.

G. W. Teeple was in Howell on business Saturday.

Mrs. F. I. Grimes is the guest of relatives at Napoleon.

Fred Grieve and family of Stockbridge spent Sunday with relatives here.

The race course in this place is now in good shape and ready for working out horses or bicycles.

Floyd Reason raised a large barn frame on Friday of last week on his farm just southwest of the village.

W. H. Harris had the misfortune to cut his knee quite badly with an adz one day the past week and is laid up.

Mrs. P. G. Teeple, who has been visiting relatives here for several weeks returned to her home in Marquette on Saturday.

John Clark of England came to this place on Thursday of last week. Mr. Clark is a brother of Mrs. D. Ewen and is well known here.

H. Glenn Pierce, formerly of this place, who graduated at Albion this year gave the memorial address at the Commencement exercises there this week.

Miss Mame Fish was one of the graduates of the Bancroft school last week. Miss Mayme is a Pinckney girl and we are glad to congratulate her on her success.

The Junior League enjoyed a picnic on Saturday last at the home of their superintendent, Miss Alice McMahon, and in the grove. The little ones enjoyed the day very much.

Geo. Sweet and wife of Pinckney attended the funeral of Mr. Sweet's sister at South Lyon on Thursday last. His sister was the wife of the publisher of the South Lyon Excelsior.

The whole number of births and deaths in this county for the year ending Dec. 31, 1906 are as follows: Total number of deaths 148, of which 79 were males and 69 were females. Total number of births 266, of which 137 were males and 129 females.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of Burton House, Burton, W. Va., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death could relieve me of my suffering. In June, 1894 Mr. Evans, then salesman for the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen

to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm, the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured. For sale by F. A. Sigler.

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 31st 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 16th day of July A. D. 1907 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 places 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 19 A. D. 1907.

WILLIAM CLARK, Mortgagee.
James A. Olson, Attorney for Mortgagee.

James Harris, who is tracking horses at Jackson, was home over Sunday.

Miss Kate Farnan, who has been attending school at Ypsilanti, returned home the past week.

A. Swarthout attended the Bancroft commencement exercises the past week and reports a very fine time.

Miss Anna Spears attended Commencement exercises of the South Lyon High school at the Presbyterian church, last Friday evening.

Miss Addie Sigler, who has been working at the millinery trade at Detroit for several weeks, returned home on Wednesday evening of last week.

The Christian Endeavor society of this place expect to give an excursion to Detroit Sept 1st. Please remember this and take advantage of the low rates which we will give you in the near future.

Mrs. Chas. Rorabacher of South Lyon was buried at that place the past week. Mr. Rorabacher is the publisher of the Excelsior and has received many words of sympathy from his newspaper friends.

The marriage of R. D. Ruen and Miss Julia Crawford both of Howell took place at St. Joseph's church last Wednesday. R. D. was a former Pinckney boy and we extend him our best wishes for success in the future.

A very large crowd attended the Baccalaureat address at the Congregational church last Sunday evening. The address was given by Rev. C. S. Jones was listened to with the close attention which it deserved. Music was furnished by a double quartette, also the Emerson and Cecelian quartetts. The music was fine and much enjoyed by all present.

At the annual business meeting of the Epworth League of the M. E. church Tuesday evening June 15 the following officers were elected: Pres. Jennie Haze; 1st vice pres, Jessie Green. 2nd Grace Bowman; 3rd Percy Swarthout; 4th Carrie Green; Sec. Cora Wilson; Treas. Beulah Black. Organist, Jennie Tupper; Collectors, Lucy Swarthout and Blance Graham.

S. S. Convention.

North Hamburg S. S. will hold one Next Sunday.

The following program has been prepared for the Sunday School convention at the North Hamburg church June 27th, 1897, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Song Service	I. J. Cook.
Devotional Exercises	Rev. M. W. Pierce.
Music	Geo. L. Hull.
Address of Welcome	Hon. Albird Davis.
Response	Emerson Quartette.
Music	Rev. C. S. Jones.
What About My Bible?	Miss Olive Smith.
Solo	Mrs. B. Cartrell.
Should the aim of the Sunday School Teacher be to educate the mind or the heart?	Emerson Quartette.
Music	Miss Belle Hull.
The Sunday School Scholar	Mrs. G. Muech.
Music	Emerson Quartette.
Bible Lessons for Sunday	
School Workers	
Music	

All topics are open for discussion, and all are cordially invited to be present.

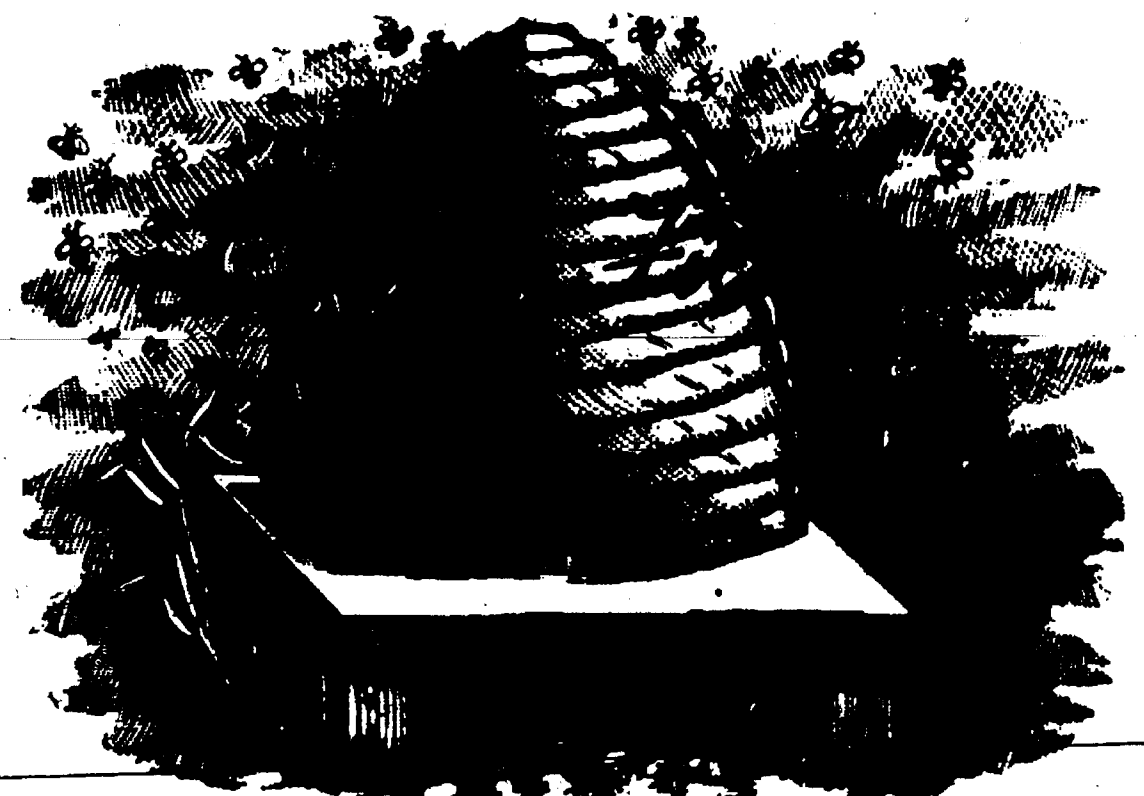
THAT SPECIAL MEETING.

At the special meeting of the Loyal Guards on Friday evening of last week, Sir Knight, G. A. Sigler was elected and installed as paymaster of the division. The auditing committee looked over the books and they were turned over to Mr. Sigler and the order is in a growing condition. Every-one present was entirely satisfied and are ready to extend the hand of fellowship to any who wish to join under reduced rates.

Sir Knight, J. M. Torrey Deputy Supreme Commander of Flint was present and after installing several officers, gave the boys a short talk on the work. There was a large attendance of members and all were much interested. There are now over 30 members in good standing and several applicants.

The Loyal Guards are all solid in Pinckney and don't you forget it. Those who join before July 1 have the privilege of greatly reduced rates. Ask some member about it.

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Do not forget to come to Jackson to the CITIZEN'S LEGAL celebration July 5.

Yours Respectfully,

L. H. FIELD.

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