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At a time when money is easy to get, we offer you goods at the hardest of "hard times" prices. We don't have to make on business last Thursday. a large profit to pay expenses, because our expenses are so small.

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WE WILL KEEP ON SELLING:

New Tea at	15c per lb
XXXX Coffee	12c per lb
Fancy Canned Corn at	8c per can
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GIVE US A CALL AND GET SOME MORE PRICES.

Wm. A. SPROUT, ANDERSON, MICH.

NOTICE.

I must again ask those who owe me on book account to call and settle.

My books must be closed at once, and as money can be had easier than at almost any other time of the year I shall expect prompt settlements.

A. G. Wilson

ANDERSON, MICH.

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OF

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Commencing Thursday, Aug. 19, and continuing for one week.

20 pieces Standard Prints at 4 and 41/40 7c Unbleached Cotton at **5c** 12½ and 15e Dimity at 36 inch Percale at 7%c A line of Men's \$1.50 Fedoras at \$1.00 A line of Men's \$2.00 Stiff Hats

\$3.00 and \$3.50 J. RICHARDSON SHOES.

16 Bars of Sun Flower Scap at 25c.

Local Dispatches.

H. D. Grieve was in Stockbridge Sunday.

Be sure and take in the C. E. excursion to Detroit Sept. 1.

Mrs. F. L. Andrews was in Jackson

John Oliver of Iron Mountain called on J. A. Donaldson Monday.

Geo. Hendee of Fowlerville was the guest of J. Drown and wife over Sun-

Prof. Geo. W. Ellis of Olivet College was the guest of Rev. C. S. Jones the

Miss Kittie Grieve has been visiting her brother and family at Stockbridge the past week.

After a two weeks vacation, S. T. Grimes has again taken his place in this office as foreman,

Miss Ruthie May of Stockbridge spent the latter part of last week with relatives in this place.

Willie Doyle of Jackson, who has been visiting at Mrs. Brady's the past week, returned home Saturday.

C. L. Grimes left Tuesday for North Baltimore, Ohio, where he will spend a couple of weeks visiting his brother, Frank.

K. H. Crane and wife have been entertaining his brother and family from Battle Creek a few days the past week.

Miss Eva Grimes entertained a party of friends last Thursday afternoon and the little ones enjoyed a pleasant time.

Miss Rose Galligar, who has been visiting at J. A. Donaldson's for a few weeks, returned to her home in Ann Arbor Monday.

Chas. E. Burch, who has been the guest of his mother for the past two weeks, returned to his home at Bellaire last Monday.

The Misses Weltha and Jessie Green returned the past week from Bay View, where they have been attemding the assembly.

Miss Vina Black, who has been visiting her cousins, Grace and Beulah, for the past two weeks, returned nome Tuesday morning.

G. W. Teeple and family and Mrs. J. Free Smith and daughter of Lansing have been camping at Portage Lake the past week.

Mrs. Harriet Brown and the Misses Allie Brown, Nettie Hall and Sarah Pearson went on the excursion to Niagara Falls last Thursday.

Miss Franc Burch, after visiting her mother and other relatives for a few days, returned to Lansing where she is engaged in teaching.

Richard Cordley and wife of Lawrence, Kansas are visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity. Mr. Cordley and wife were well known here years

Rev. M. H. McMahon and family and E. Avery Baker were in attendance at the Epworth Lergue convention at Tecumseh last week. They Sunday with Mrs. Doyles' parents, report a stirring convention.

On Saturday, Aug. 28, occurs the annual picnic at Whitmore Lake and the G. T. R'y. will give reduced rates as follows: Leave Pinckney at 7:55 a. m. and returning leave the lake at 6:00 p. m. Fare for round trip 25c.

The Driving Club have made arrangements for another big day of sports. Sept. 4, and a big time may be expected. Bills were issued from this office announcing the same and a more extended notice will be given next week.

T. Fagan had the misfortune to be kicked by his horse on Tuesday morning. The blow struck just in frest of the car and Mr. Fagan lay unconscions. Dr.-U. L. Sigler dressed the wound and Mr. Fages is doing a well as could be expected.

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the leaves turn brown and the cold winds of autumn blow about you, then all thoughts of harvest are past and you prepare for

COLD WEATHER

by laying in a stock of coal, wood, etc., and see to While the weather in Michiit that the stoves are in order. gan is not as cold as it is in Alaska, the prudent man

COMES

WHEN

to our store and selects a stove that would keep him. warm if he were sitting on the North Pole. We have stoves of all descriptions and also handle all kinds of coal at prices that defy competition.

CALL ON US.

Respectfully Yours,

TEEPLE & CADWELL

Brighton vs Pinckney at the ball graunds today at 2:30 p. m. Admission 10 cents.

Miss Ethel Read has been spending a couple of weeks with friends and relatives near Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. William Doyle spent Mr. and Mrs. James Spears.

E. L. Thompson of Fowlerville, formerly a resident at this place, has purchased the house and lot now occupied by Chas. Henry and will move back about the first of next month.

there are still a few pieces of very de- M. Jeffrey who will give you the best should be looked after before we are prices. called on to settle some large damage

Business Pointers.

Notice.

A number of barn stalls to rent to boys. Inquire at this office.

A Popular Wood ing Trip is to take a D. & C. Steamer to Mackinge Island. If you want a delightful wedding trip where you are not likely to meet acquaintances, take one of the new D. & C. steel steamers to the island of cool breezes. Staterooms and parlor reserved 30 days in advance. Send 2 cents for illustrated pamphlet. Address A. A. Schantz, GPA, Detroit, Micb.

After this date there will be a race lar market for all kinds of grain, beans and farm produce at this place. Although some have been repaired, The business will be conducted by E. fective sidewalk in this village which of treatment and the highest market Wm. A. SPROUT.

Anderson, Mich

Notice.

We wish to remind our citizens that our item box on the first door of our office is there for use. When you have an item, either personal or local. that you wish published, please drom it in the box and we will assure yes school children: also room for two of its publication, if such he the proper thing.

PENINSULA MATTERS

RELATED IN A BRIEF, CONCISE MANNER.

Michigan's State Troops Spend & Week in Camp Pingree at Island Lake-The Governor a Big Attraction-Incidents of Camp Life.

Michigan Soldier Boys in Camp.

Camp Pingree was the name given the encampment of the Michigan National Guard at Island lake this year. The number of men in camp averaged well with any other previous year and the plan of having the tents pitched before the main body of the troops arrived gave general satisfaction. The Fourth regiment was given a taste of camping out, however before they reached Camp Pingree. They left their train at Green Oak, four miles away, and marched in heavy marching order over the rough fields and sandy roads to within a mile of the camp and then pitched shelter tents, cooked their own supper and spent the night there, with Co. C. 19th U. S. Infantry from Fort Wayne, Detroit, for company. When they reached next day they looked like old campaigners.

As fast as the companies arrived at Camp Pingree they were mustered in by the colonels of the governor's staff and inspected by Inspector-Gen. Case. The First was the first to have a full

regiment in camp.

The arrival of Gov. Pingree, commander-in-chief of the M. N. G., was an event which was somewhat interfered with by rain which began just before the train arrived and continued until the governor had reached his tent. Nevertheless there was a big crowd of both civilians and soldiers to greet him. The absence of the elaborate gold lace trimmed uniforms of the escort was noticable, but this was on the governor's order as he had all of his staff instructed to appear in camp with only their fatigue uniforms. Gov. Pingree was attired very simply, but as he mounted a skittish black horse and rode along it was evident that he would be the principal attraction dur-.ing the rest of the camp. Just before the parade began to move the Naval Reserves fired the governor's salute. Every time a gun boomed the governor's horse jumped into the air, but that did not seem to disturb its rider. The Third regiment was given the honor of escorting the governor and his staff into camp.

Camp Notes.

The U. S. regulars' camp was named Camp Gardener.

Mrs. Gov. Pingree, Miss Hazel and H. S. Pingree, Jr., were guests at the governor's quarters.

Second Lieut. W. E. Grayson, Co. E, Third infantry, was arrested charged with abusing a guard.

Gov. Pingree expressed much satisfaction at the appearance of the camp and the troops and was greatly pleased with the showing of the Fourth regiment in their "roughing it" experience.

Tramps inflicted their presence on the camp by the score, but were bounced when they entered the camp limits. They stole everything found loose in and about camp.

The largest company in camp was Co. A, Second infantry, from Coldwater, with 80 men and three officers.

Trouble in Second Beginnent, M. N. G. Adjt. Gen. Irish gave orders. just previous to the encampment of the state troops, instructing the commanding officer of Co. G. Second regiment, at Ionia, not to report for camp duty, pending the investigation of the court of inquiry. Maj. John H. Mitchell, who was formerly captain of Co. G. and who was commissioned major of the Second infantry May 27, 1897, has also been relieved from duty pending the convening of the court of inquiry. The charges against Maj. Mitchell are that he was inefficient in properly taking care of the state property while he was captain and that he failed to make the proper returns, also that he secured the election of Sergt. Harley to the captaincy, over two lieutenants, by undue influence.

August Crop Report.

The Michigan crop report for August says that the average yield of wheat per acre is estimated at 13.81 bu for the state. The crop has generally been secured in fine condition and is of good quality. The heavy rains in the central part of the state just at the close of harvest did some damage but It is not extensive. The average condition of corn in the state is 87. Potatoes promise about seven-tenths, and beans nine-tenths, of an average crea The vield per acre of clover and timothy hay is slightly more than in average years. Mesdows and pastures are now in fine condition. Apples promise about one-third of an average crop.

A Marquette Statue at Mackinec. Sculptor Trentanove will place a replica of his famous statue of Pere Marquette on Mackinae island, where the explorer landed. This statue is to be the central figure, around which at fountain, band stand, and benches, all, in stone, are to be built. If the sculptor's design is followed out it will cost \$7,000 to build it.

Coally Mill Pire at South Hartford. The largest and most disastrous fire ever witnessed at South Hartford completely destroyed the large double sawmill of the Crane Lumber Co. and the millions of feet of lumber in the yard. In 20 minutes after the fire broke out the mill was burned to the ground. South Frankfort has no fire protection and dispatches were sent to Traverse City, Munistee and Copemish for fire engines, which arrived in time to save the town. The loss is a serious one to South Hartford, as the company employed a great many men and was the only mill in the town. The loss on the mill is \$20,000; on the lumber, \$50,000; fully insured.

Brick Block Tumbles Into a Cellar. A two-story brick block owned by Mrs. Haight, at Kalamazoo, collapsed sideways completely filling the cellar that had been dug for a four-story block. The loss on the building is about \$4,000, and on F. S. Persing's hardware stock \$3,500. Mr. Persing had left the store only a minute before. Mrs. Ella Coats was sleeping upstairs and was called by a passer-by who saw the wall swaying, and she escaped barefooted, clad only in a wrapper. The south wall remained standing and on this Mrs. Coat's bird-cage still hung with the bird singing merrily. It was

MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS.

rescued.

4The Second Michigan cavalry held their annual reunion at Holland.

Felix Rafferty, of Kawkawlin, found a four-foot vein of coal at a depth of 140 feet.

Mason county Sunday schools attracted 5,000 persons at their rally day

The mines on Isle Royale now employ 50 men and 50 more will be added by Sept. 1.

An electric railway is again projected from Saginaw to Bridgeport and Frankenmuth. Hon. Wm. E. Quinby, ex-U. S. min-

ister to The Netherlands, has returned to his home at Detroit. The Upper Peninsula brewery buildings at Marquette were struck by

lightning and destroyed. Lightning burned out the fire alarm system at Escanaba and seriously crip-

pled the street car system. Lightning struck the residence of Alex. McKercher, at Leland, instantly

killing a 5-year-old daughter. Thieves entered the postoffice at Calumet blew open the safe with dyna-

mite and took over \$600 in cash. The 18-months-old son of J. R. Clark, of Cedar Springs, fell into a boiler ful

of hot boiling water, and may die. Oakland and Genesee counties combined in their Sunday school rallies at Long lake and 5,000 people attended.

Nearly 500 homing pigeons were liberated by the United States Express Co.'s agent at Adrian. They belonged to the Detroit Homing club and F. J.

The annual reunion of the veterans of the G. A. R. for St. Clair, Macomb and Sanilac counties will be held at Yale Sept. 1 and 2.

Miss Jennie Knott, of Beaver Falls, Ia., has been appointed preceptress of Adrian college, to succeed Miss Belle Hamilton, resigned.

James Burns' large barn near Port Huron filled with this season's crops was totally destroyed by lightning. The loss is a heavy one.

Through freight No. 319 collided with train No. 41, which was switching at Edwardsburg. Three cars and a caboose were demolished.

Miss Annie Discher stepped in front of a binder near Willow. Both legs were nearly severed between the knee and ankle and she will probably die.

The steam shovel men at the Negaunee mine quite because their boss wanted them to cut timber during the time the shovel could not be operated.

A muskallonge three feet, eight inches long, weighing 23 pounds, was caught in Pine river at St. Clair, by Mrs. Hildebrand, a guest at the Oakland house.

The Black & Willard furniture factory at Buchanan was destroyed by fire. Loss, \$20,000; no insurance. During the fire several houses were burglarized.

The talk of a strike of union miners in the upper peninsula because so many non-union men were employed is resulting in scores of the latter joining the unions.

Fire destroyed a double dwelling house at Calumet, occupied by Capt. Joe Champion and Joseph Hirsch. Loss \$3,000. Mrs. Hirsch and five children had a narrow escape.

Frances Walrop, chef at the Lakeside club at Grand Rapids, died from the effect of eating toadstools which he thought were mushrooms. He claimed to be a mushroom expert.

Max, the 8-year-old son of L. J. Bickhart, was thrown from a gate at Leslie and died from concussion of the brain. Another boy was killed at the same spot eight years ago in the same way. Herman B. Hinnan, supervisor of

Whitehall township, Muskegon county, has begun suit against ex-Trescurer George A. Hobler charging that the latter has failed to turn over \$1,693 of township funds.

The Charlevoix Improvement Co., of which Charles M. Heald, of Grand Rapids, is president, has filed articles, with a paid-in capital of \$100,000, for the purpose of building a big hotel at

The Indians around Saganing are dying off very rapidly from consump- | The Striking Miners in Pennsylvania tion, owing to careless habits, exposure, etc. There is but a remnant left of the once strong and numerous tribe of the Chippewas.

A rig driven by Misses Kate and Nora McAuliffe was struck by a Michigan Central train while crossing the track, near Albion. The buggy was wrecked and the horse killed, but the girls were uninjured.

Mrs. Lydia Bender, of Ann Arbor, opened the valve in the oven of a gas stove and forgot to light the gas. Upon opening the oven later and striking a match a frightful explosion occurred. She was seriously burned.

Capt. Oscar A. Williams, aged 67, of Detroit, was found dead in his bed with a towel saturated with chloroform wound tightly around his head. It was very evidently a suicide. The family moved from Lapeer a year ago.

Roy Grimes, aged 43, one of a party of resorters from Cadiz, was drowned at Long lake, near Fenton. Grimes, with several companions, went in bathing. He was quite a distance from his friends and in deep water when he suddenly disappeared.

Wm. Claridge, of Ferrysburg, an old man, charged with attempting to criminally assault a girl under 16 years of age, was found guilty at Grand Haven and sentenced by the judge to two years in prison. The case has excited considerable interest, as Claridge is an exceedingly pious man and about 70 years old.

Roy Nunn, who was arrested at Gladwin on suspicion and discharged for lack of evidence a few weeks ago, has confessed that he murdered Curtis Wright near there and has been placed in jail with George Bartell, who was charged by the Nunn boy with committing the deed. The boy now says Bartell had nothing to do with the

The third shaft of the Six Mill Hill property near Houghton reached the ledge at a depth of 17 feet. The lode was remarkably rich copper. This gives 1,140 feet on an outcrop of the vein which is mineralized, a truly remarkable guarantee of the opening of one of the greatest copper mines ever developed and which promises to rival the Calumet & Hecla.

Col. Fred Schneider, as guardian of for Rudolph and Louisa Grammel deposited \$3,300 of their money in the Central Michigan Savings bank at Lansing seven months before it failed. He received a certificate for \$1,528 in dividends, which he turned over upon his resignation as guardian, but Probate Judge Porter holds that he must make good the full amount.

The Ann Arbor railway depot at Crystal City was entered by thieves while the agent, Chas. Mechan, was at dinner. He had just called in his savings for several years, amounting to nearly \$1,000. This sum, together with \$100 railroad and express money, he left in a drawer, and the robbers entering by a back window secured the whole and made good their escape.

Hendrik Jan Michmerhuisen and his aged wife celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at Overisel, Allegan county. The same day their son and his wife celebrated their silver wedding anniversary and their grandson was married, making three unique wedding celebrations. Several hundred Hollanders helped them to make a success of the event. The old couple came to Michigan 50 years ago and are well off.

Lightning made things interesting at Marquette during a storm. A ball of fire entered the home of Mrs. John Strong, went through seven of the eight rooms tearing off plastering, baseboards, etc. Mrs. Strong, her 12vear-old son, and Lillie, aged 15, were knocked senseless and a bowl which the latter was carrying was broken by the lightning, but two small children were not injured in the least. The barn and warehouse of the Meeskes' brewery were struck and set on fire by lightning and burned to the ground, entailing a loss of \$8,000; insurance \$6,000.

About 500 union miners met at Ishpeming and were strongly urged by President William Mudge and Secretary Matthew Wasley to throw down their tools Aug. 23 unless the nonunion men came into the union or were compelled to leave the mines. Many prominent miners, who have heretofore been active in the union, will work hard against the movement. It is also quite certain the mine bosses will not accede to the wishes of the union. It is generally admitted that the organization is in a bad way financially. Many of the members have not paid dues for a year past.

Ex-Vice-President Comeron Miller. of the United Mine Workers, has entered suit at Pittsburg for \$5,000 damages against T. B. DeArmit, of the New York & Cleveland Gas Coal Co., for malicious prosecution. DeArmit had him arrested on charges of riot and unlawful assemblage. These charges were not substantiated and the case was dismissed.

AFFAIRS IN GENERAL.

BRIEF MENTION OF EVENTS OF INTEREST.

Continue to Increase in Numbers and May Soon Close DeArmit's Mines -Women Doing Good Work.

Striking Miners Gaining Ground.

The wives of the miners who con-

tinue at work in the Plum Creek and

Turtle Creek mines in the Pittsburg district are becoming a strong factor in bringing about the success of the coal miners' strike in that section. A big mass meeting held by the camping strikers near Plum Creek mine was attended on Sunday by 1,000 miners who had persisted in working the previous week and nearly every one was accompanied by his wife as a result of missionary work among the women by the strikers. The meeting was inaugurated by religious services conducted by Rev. Lincoln Lash, assisted by a choir of 20 colored jubilee singers, after which Mrs. Mary Jones, the Chicago agitator, spoke for about an hour, putting the case very plainly to her women auditors. She placed the responsibility for the success or failure of the strike on the wives. The result of the meeting was the assurance from nearly a thousand men that they would join the strikers and it is now thought that it will only be question of a very short time until the De Armit mines are tied up completely.

Miners' Strike News.

The strikers about the De Armit mines are continuing orderly and are gaining accessions to their ranks constantly. The 150 men employed at the Horner & Roberts coal mine at Elizabeth refused to go to work; about 75 miners at the Equitable mine in the same locality also struck. The Bunola men who were persuaded to come out all remained away from the pit and no coal was mined.

The mine company leased the ground where the strikers were camped and ousted them, but another field has been secured by the strikers which the owner refused to lease to the company, and a permanent camp established.

A special from West Newton, Pa. says: "The sympathy of this entire community is with the striking coal miners. The use of a large building has been given free for a commissary, and the townspeople and farmers have contributed provisions liberally. Several hundred dollars have also been contributed."

The output of the De Armit mines was still further reduced by no coal being taken from the Oakhill mine. The three men at Sandy Creek mine mined one gondola car in three days.

Counsel for the New York & Cleveland Gas Coal Co. (De Armit's mines) has prepared a bill to be presented to Judge M. W. Acheson, of the U.S. circuit court at Pittsburg, on behalf of the non-resident stockholders of the coal company, asking for an injunction to restrain the striking miners from congregating near the mines at Turtle Creek, Sandy Creek and Plum Creek and from interfering with the workmen of the company. This new move is being made for the purpose of getting the aid of the U.S. marshals as well as the sheriff of Allegheny county, to break up the strikers' camps.

Scientists Gather at Detroit.

In entertaining the general meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science. Detroit brought within her borders about 200 men of all departments of science, among whom were many of the leaders of thought and investigation. They assembled in the high school auditorium, with the vice-president, Dr. Theo. Gill, of Washington, in the chair in the absence of the president-elect, Prof. Wolcott Gibbs, who is ill. After a short prayer by Rev. Fr. Van Antwerp and a solo by Marshall Pease the chairman introduced Mayor Maybury, who made the address of welcome on behalf of the city. Hon. Thomas W. Palmer also addressed the convention. Chairman Gill replied in a pleasant speech and after the secretary's report and another song the delegates divided into sections as their special branch of science attracted them and many interesting and learned papers were read and discussed throughout the sessions, which continued during the week.

"Divine Healer" Schlatter took out a license at Canton, O., to marry Mrs. G. W. Ferris, widow of the inventor of the Ferris wheel. The lady says she never promised to marry him and calls him a freak.

The activity of numerous bands of Cuban insurgents about Havana is causing great distress in that city they seize trains loaded with supplies of all kinds and the necessities of life are becoming so scarce and high-priced that many poor are on the verge of starvation. The insurgents have fought several brief but brilliant engagements with the Spanish troops and generally come out with flying colors. Small pox has invaded every Spanish warship in Havana harbor and many sailors are dying.

TELEGRAPHIC TICKINGS.

A serious revolt occurred at Oporto, Portugal, and 18 army officers were arrested as ringleaders.

Southwestern Indian host miners have voted upanimously to lay down their tools until the big strike is settled. President and Mrs. McKinley, Secretary and Mrs. Alger and party visited John Brown's grave, near Plattsburg, N. Y.

It is reported that a large band of Armenian agitators from Persia invaded Turkey and killed 200 of the Migriki tribe, including women and children. Capt. Bradley's towboat Fritz biew

up while landing a tow of logs at Cairo, Ill. Ten men are missing and are supposed to have drowned, while four were badly scalded. Upon the success or failure of the

bituminous coal miners' strike depends the inception of a movement by the anthracite miners in Pennsylvania for higher wages and better conditions. During the recent rioting at Calcutta

the British artillery fired point blank at a mob of 5,000 mill hands who were marching to join the rioters, with the result that 1,500 of the natives were

Villains who evidently had designs on the B. & O. pay car spiked a heavy timber to the tracks near Muirkirk, Md., but an excursion train running at a low speed ran into it and not much damage resulted.

Judge Tuley has decided that Chicago's new city ordinance establishing a vehicle tax to be void. The ordinance permitted the city to collect \$1 a year license from each bicycle owner and for other vehicles proportionately.

Philip Hines died at Delaware, O., aged 107 years. He went to war when 71 years old, and got a discharge recently, as he was on a furlough when peace was declared. He was the last veteran discharged. His wife is 97 years old.

While playing with a large hound on the farm of John D. Kaiser, near Adrian, the 7-year-old daughter of Chas. Berandt was terribly injured by the beast jumping at her face, tearing the flesh almost completely off below the eyes. The injury may prove fatal.

The proposition to construct an electric railroad from Chicago to Lake Geneva, Wis., where the great Yerkes telescope is located is strongly opposed by scientists, who declare that the electric currents and arc lights would seriously detract from the power of the telescope.

Nikola Tesla, the sensationally advertised electrician who poses as a rival of Edison says he has succeeded in making it possible to send electrical currents to any point without wiresany point means that the earth can be circled with the mysterious current and that space means nothing.

About 125 men and women of the Minnesota Editorial association struck the Wolverine state at Ludington, after a journey across Lake Michigan from Milwaukee, on a week's outing. A special F. & P. M. train carried the party to Detroit where four days were spent in sight-seeing and side excur-

A disastrous explosion occurred at the cartridge factory of Bustchuk, on the Danube, in Bulgaria, and 58 persons were killed outright and very many others were injured. The lives of 60 of the latter are despaired of. Most of those who lost their lives were either blown to pieces or drowned in the Danube.

Over 300 striking miners from Ohio invaded the Boggs Run field near Wheeling, W. Va., with a view of inducing the miners at work in that section to join the strike. They announced that they would stay until those mines closed and met with good success the first day-over 100 miners not going to work.

A fast freight on the Central Railroad of New Jersey ran into a pile of ties near Phillipsburg, N. J., and 14 cars were wrecked and Conductor Maltrass was fatally injured. Before a flagman could be sent out another freight crashed into the wreck and the engineer and conductor were very seriously injured.

Datest advices from Alaska say that the anow has already commenced to fall and there is every prospect of an early winter. This being the case ? there is very little chance of one-half of the would-be prospectors now at Dyea crossing the Chilkoot pass before spring, to say nothing of the thousands now on the way to Dyea and Juneau.

Emperor William and Empress Augusta Victoria were received and entertained in a most affectionate and elaborate manner by Czar Nicholas on their visit to St. Petersburg. At a state banquet both emperors pledged to support each other "against anyone who may attempt to disturb or break the peace" existing in and between the two empires.

To carry forward its work, the sound money executive committee appointed at Indianapolis last January met in Chicago to endeavor to proceed with the task of creating a national currency commission to whom will be intrusted the responsibility of undertaking to devise some satisfactory and acceptable plan for revising, reforming and regulating the currency system.



HE cemeteries of cities are like great hotels where the close proximity of people in different classes of life is not always happy. The walls of partition seem to leak a secret horror of unrest; there is something of constraint,

of promiscuosity, of cold dignity in the obligatory relations of body to body. Here the dead are not at home.

In the graveyards of the country, among the thick flowing underbrush and the quiet of the wide fields, is a better repose for us after our stormy struggles. A cemetery thus situated, the center of far reaching horizons, inspires one with a desire to die. To lie down here and sleep seems good. But most peaceful of all are the realms. of the dead in marine villages, at the edge of the sea, within sound of the lulling of the running waves which sing an eternal song on the eternal sleep, amid the wall of the wind over the ancient tombs.

One day about fifteen years ago I entered one of these places of supreme rest beside the waves on the Breton coast, with its crosses pointing toward heaven in a way which makes one think of eternity. Beside a little old church, beneath the shadow of a stone bell turret, slept the forefathers, who, whether they had died in youth or in age, were all made an equal part by accomplished time. And there was no sadness in this evidence of fatal death, but rather a happy relief in the thought that the burden of suffering will not always weigh down our poor shoulders and that sorrow had its prescribed limit. And pleasant, too, was slow spelling out of the inscriptions on the tombs in the warmth of the sunlight which the fluttering intoxicated birds greeted with a sweet delirium of song. Three centuries of time separated the old stones from the new, and a peace was made over all feuds here under the high crosses with outstretched arms, clearcut against the green sea, standing in their eternal attitude of forgiveness.

One tomb in the form of a chalice arrested my attention and I read this singular epitaph: "Here Lies an Unknown. Dec. 6, 1871. Tacita Transiit." (She has passed silently.)

I wished to learn all that was known of her, and in the evening I inquired in the village, and this is what I learned:

In November of the year 1860, on a night of lowering sky and raging sea, as the inhabitants slept in their huts, which were shaken up by the squall, the dull boom of a cannon announced the distress of a ship out on the waters, across the promontory. At the time the little port did not possess a single lifeboat, and to attempt to start in such a gale in the barks of the fishermen would be simply folly. Each one who heard the sound could only pray, "God help them!" But doubtless the noises of the angry sea drowned out the hu-



THE BODY OF A WOMAN.

man voices and God heard nothing, for next morning the sea stretched wide under the blue sky, swept clear. Not a speck on the horizon, nothing but the ripples of foam on the waves. So it had disappeared, foundered, the boat that had cried for help with a call of iron during that night of terror. The sadness of the disaster caused a silence among the Ashermen, when suddenly. down on the strand, a cry arose. At this moment the Marquis de Pontus. master of the chateau, came up to the group of people to learn the end of the night's drama. He hurried down to the strand, followed by the fishermen.

: The cry had come from a peasant who had discovered the body of a woman, clothed in a long white robe, thrown between two enormous rocks. She was undoubtedly dead and must have rolled from her bed on the ship into the

sea. "Her heart still beats," cried the peasant. The marquis commanded: "Carry her to my house quickly and

wrap this cloak about her." He was obeyed. In fact, the woman still lived, and after hours of ingenious

labor opened her eyes. "Ask her nothing," said Pontus, "she

is still too weak and must sleep."

In the meanwhile the searchern continued from strand to strand, but noth-

ing more was found. It was impossible to tell what this vessel was which had gone down in the near waters. French? English? All a mystery! It had carried its flag to the depths of the -sea.

* "The woman will tell us," said Pontus. And the next day he went to her bedside. She looked at him with eyes large, beautiful and clear, but empty of comprehension. She was young and very pretty, with hands delicately and finely shaped. He asked her where she came from, where she was going. who she was, in phrases gentle and courteous, for he was already moved by her tragic beauty. She listened without making a sign and did not answer. He repeated his question, saying he troubled her only for her own good. She remained silent, and it was evident his words conveyed nothing to

"Perhaps she doesn't understand French," said a friend.

"She understands nothing at all," said Pontus, sadly. "I fear she has lost her mind in the horror of the catastrophe. But it does not matter; she has fallen from heaven and she is at home here, mad or sane. God sent her to me, and I will guard her."

And he kept his word. Days, months, years passed. The unknown lived silently, without words and apparently without thoughts. She loved to be out of doors and mixed with other people, seeming by all exterior appearances to be like them. At the table of the marquis, in this family of a refined ancient race, she carried herself with the grace and dignity of one accustomed to a similar world, and

Pontus often said, "This child is a great

lady."

In spite of the most thorough investigations not a ray of light, even the faintest, pierced the mystery. It could not even be conjectured what the boat, lost at the coast, had been, nor who this woman was who accepted placidly the care of strangers, showed neither sadness nor joy, had no desires and lived, unconsciously, the life of a beautiful white bird in a cage of gold. Little by little the marquis grew attached to her. His house was large and he refused to have her confined in a hospital, repeating that she was his charge and sacred to him above everything. And sometimes when watched her walking in the park of the chateau, Pontus would grow very sad and murmur, "If this beautiful girl had a soul how I would love her." And Pontus, who was then in his 36th year, refused obstinately to marry—on accunt of the unknown.

And so he grew older, and with the vears came a deeper melancholy. However, in his voluntary seclusion there was some sweetness. The woman seemed to like to be near him, though her manner was like that of a petted nimal. She ran to him when she saw him and looked at him with her clear yes, in which shone a fugitive light of secognition and devotion. But the next moment she would run away again, ften into the woods, where she waniered about all day, returning always at dusk, for she had a great dread of the darkness.

One stormy night in November she huddered at the sound of the wind rom the sea and moaned softly, with er hands clasped to her breast in an attitude of deep sadness. A little laer she uttered a hoarse cry and fell to the floor unconscious. It was just welve years since she had come to ife in the chateau. Pontus, very much alarmed, hurried to the village for help. A doctor was summoned, and returned with him in great haste. The patient was examined and the case diagnosed as quick consumption. She had carried the germs of the fatal disease in her system for some time. Pontus was in despair.

One morning in the winter the unknown passed quietly away, in the arms if the marquis. At the supreme monent the mysterious sick woman seemed to regain her reason suddenly. the looked about with eyes frightened but comprehensive, which seemed to ay, "Where am I? Who are these men?" She opened her lips to speak at last in her native language, but eath, jealous of the mystery, sealed er tongue with his icy touch.

The marquis, inconsolable, had had ngraved on her tombstone the epitaph: 'Tacita Transiit."

The Pitch of Bells.

The secret of success in casting ells of large size for chimes or given ones is in getting the thickness of the ing just inside the mouth of the bell xactly right. In preparing the mold for a bell a cross-section of this ring. r extra thickness, is made, and the itch of the bell depends almost altoether on the diameter and relative hickness of the ring thus laid out .-Exchange.

In the Air. Old Lady-"Warm, isn't it?" Mabel mopping her face)—"Yes. There's so much humidity in the air." Old Lady "That's so. There, you've just missd one. It's right next to your nose." Mabel (jabbing at the point indicated) "One what?" Old Lady-"Why, one f those that you said was in the air. call 'em coal soots."—Cleveland 'laindealer.

A HARD BLOW.

Coal Miners.

Sweeping Injunction Against Striking

The New York and Cleveland Gas Co. (the De Armit mines) has secured a most sweeping injunction in the court of Allegheny county, Pa., restraining and enjoining the miners from assembling, marching or encamping in proximity of the mines and houses of the miners for the purpose of preventing the miners of the plaintiff from working. It further restrains the strikers from inducing or compelling any employe or miner to quit work. President Dolan, of the miners union, expressed surprise when informed that it had been granted and said it would make no difference to the strikers. They will not break camp and will go right along as usual until the matter is tested in the courts, regardless of every judge in Alleghany county, and if the authorities try to enforce the injunction, they will have to build more jails to accommodate the men. It is claimed that this is a move on the part of De Armit to get the militia upon the ground.

England Delays Bimetalile Conference. The British government has informed the American bimetallic commission that it will not be ready to reply to the proposals of the commissioners on behalf of the United States before October. While this postponement of England's decision delays the work, the American envoys do not consider it discouraging. The headquarters of the commission will remain in London until October. Senator Wolcott may visit Austria in the meantime to pave the way for negotiations there. The commissioners do not wish to approach other governments until England's attitude is settled, as her participation in the movement, if secured, will aid in enlisting others. After receiving the English reply they will go to Austria, Germany and Russia, in that order.

Nearly a Million Pensioners. The pension roll of the United States has almost reached the million mark. Commissioner Evans has just issued a statement showing that on August 1 the pensioners, numbered just 983.528. and increase of 12,850 for the past fiscal year. During that year 50,101 new pensions were granted and 3,971 persons were restored to the rolls. Old age and disease, however, is working great inroads into the lists, for there were 31,960 deaths during the year. Other sources of loss were 1,074 from remarriage of widows; 1,845 orphans attained majority; 2,683 failures to claim pensions, and 3,560 losses from unrecorded causes.

A Paris cable says 60,000 followers of Don Carlos are ready to take up arms to place him on the throne of Spain when he says the word. The pretender, however, bids them await the outcome of the Cuban difficulty.

Immigration to the U.S. is now the lowest since 1882. The decrease has been largest in German immigrants and smallest in Italians. The total decrease during the last fiscal year was 230,832 as compared with the previous

Senator Hanna's steam yacht Comanche, with his party on board, ran upon the rocks in Nipigon straits, Lake Superior, about midnight. Two tugs were required to haul her into deep water the next day, but she was not badly injured.

THE MARKETS.

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REVIEW OF TRADE.

The statement of failures by classes of business for July shows that in manufacturing failures have been smaller than in any other month except one, and in many branches of each department smaller than in most months of which records exist. The pessimists who pronounced reports of business gain fictitious and misrepresenting have grown weary of their dismals and begin to see the dawn of better days. Last month was the first for four years of which the volume of business reported by clearing houses was larger than in the same month of 1892, and the telegraphic dispatches from all parts of the country show a gratifying improvement. This is due to the large yield of wheat and good prices. Other farm products bring good prices, and the possible de-crease in the yield of dorn may help to market the surplus from last year.

Nebsacka a Great Wheat State.

This year Nebraska has come to the very front rank as a wheat-producing state, with her splendid crop of 85,000,000 bushels of spring wheat, averaging over 30 bushels to the acre, and 5,000,000 bushels of winter wheat, which will average 21 bushels to the acre. The table given below, which has been carefully compiled, shows what will surprise many, that Nebraska stands third among the states as a wheat producer, and it must be bourne in mind that the states that outrank her are almost exclusively wheat states, whereas Nebraska is a country of diversified crops, corn being her principal product.

WESTERN STATES WHEAT CHOP. Actual figures for 1896 and conservative

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rizona	200,000	333,500

Mischievous boys distributed lighted cigarettes among the monkeys at the Paris 200 the other day, and the animals puffed away in keen enjoyment until the keeper inter-

Nothing Succeeds Like Success. The success of the Speer N. J. Wine Co. in roducing an extra quality of Grape Brandy s marvelous. They rely alone on the grape for body and flavor, and hence there is a wide and growing demand for this Brandy which rivals the old brands of Cognac

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The great Mohammedan school at Cairo, has El Azhar, meaning "the splendid," has clear records dating as far back as 975.

Prospectors' Map of Utah.

The Passenger Department of the Rich Grande Western Railway has just issued an up-to-date map showing all mining districts of record, together with an outline sketch of the older districts, and calling special attention to several partially developed regions which recently have shown important uncoverings of gold and copper. now attracting notice of prospectors, invectors and others.

For copies of this valuable map address F. A. Wadleigh, G.P.A. Salt Lake City, Utab.

Facts About Alaska.

Write to F. I. Whitney, G. P. & T. A. Great Northern Railway, for "Facts About Alas-ka," or send 10 cents in stamps for "Alaska. Land of Gold and Glacier," a beautifully illustrated booklet containing maps and descriptive matter.

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(From the Jackson Citizen.)

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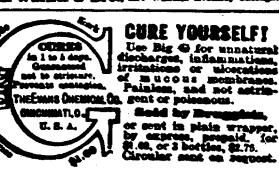
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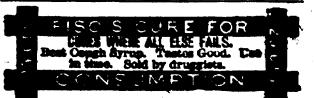
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THURSDAY, AUG. 19, 1897.

interesting Items.

been in the service forty years. Harriet E. Colfax, keeper of the light at Michigan City, Lake Michigan was appointed in 1861.

If you desire to see any of the people of Dexter, just head for chances are ten to one you'll find 'em there.—Ann Arbor Courier. And that isn't all of it, Brother Pond. You'll find a goodly number of Ann Arbor people there, too.—Dexter Leader. Especially if there is to be a "cock fight."

Alfred B. Tozer of Battle Creek a former Grand Rapids newspaper man, and well known throughout Michigan, is going to the Klondyke to start a newspaper. He expects to start the press in the new Elrado, and figures on a big subscription list throughout the United States, among people who want a paper direct from the gold fields.—Ex.

A plan which is popular in the western states has been introduced into southern Michigan this season. A thrasher, equipped with tents and a full housekeeping outfit, and accompanied by full complement of men, camps on a farmers' premises, and for a trifling additional sum does the entire work, thus relieving the farmer of all culinary responsibility, including the frequent anxiety lest their table should not be as luxuriously supplied as that of their neighbors. Such an outfit has a good many points to reccomend it, and might find favor among a large number of farmers in this country.—Milford Times.

It may be of interest to know that November 6, Barnum & Bailey's show will ship for England. To know how to get it across the water all the wagons had to be measured by a steamboat agent. They will give thier first performance in London December 6 and will remain there all winter at giving exhibitions. Olympia Messrs. Barnum & Bailey can't take their present train of cars over for use there, so are having special cars built, this being necessary because their present train of cars are too tall for European tunnels and bridges. For three years they will travel Europe with 96 cars.

TRINITY CHURCH, NEW YORK CITY.

Trinity church is said to be the wealthiest church organization in the United States. Next to the Dutch reformed church, it is the oldest church organization in the city. It embraces 103 churches of which Trinity and St. Paul possess the most historical interest. Trinity stands in Broadway at the end of Wall street on the side of the West India Co's farm which was confiscated by the English after their conquest of Manhattan Island and was granted to the church by the English government in 1697 being the 5th year of the reign of William and Mary. Subsequently other lands were granted to the church and have a value of many millions. encemous property goes to main- ion are also burned here.

smaller churches in poorer parts English and most of the very old nounced unsafe and taken down to make way for the present one which was finished in 1846. The church is sorrounded on three There are no less than thirty sides by a burial ground, memwomen lighthouse keepers in the oable as the last resting place of employ of the United States at many persons distinguished as present and some of them have soldiers, statesmen or p ivate citizens during the early period of American history. In many instances the marble is so worn by time and sto m that the inscriptions are not legible. A fine monument erected in memory of the Base or Portage Lake and the Revolutionary prisoners, who died on board the old prison ship in the provost prison and at other points in New York, occupies a prominent position in the yard. A mausoleum erected to the memory of Captain Lawrence and Lieutenant Ludlow of the frigate, Chesapeake is also to be seen. Near by is the grave of Robert Fulton; of Albert Gallatin, one of the earliest and greatest secretaries of the U.S. theasury; the tomb of Lord Sterling of the English army, and that of the lovely and unfoitunate Cha lotte Temple. A monument on the west side of the church marks the resting place of Alexander Hamilton and it is interesting to note in this connection that the house occupied by Aron Burr at the time of the shooting and in which he passed the day after the duel, is still standing only a few blocks from his victim's grave. William Bradford, the publisher of the first newspaper in New York, is also buried here. Many quaint inscriptions, some of them bordering on the ludicrous, attract the visitors eye, not a few of which are something over two hundred years old. The following will give an idea of the many to be seen:

Babe 10 mo. old, died 1714. "Received but yesterday the gift of breath, Ordered tomorrow to return to death,"

J. D. died 1716, aged 14 years. "My parents dear, who mourn and weep, Behold the grave where I now sleep; Prepare for death for you must die, And be entomed as well as I."

Mary, wife of James G. died 1794, aged 47 years.

"Mary thy love to James was known, The want of three he does bemoan, But while he grieves the loss of thee,

And when the Lord sees fit to end my time, With thy beloved dust I'll mingle mine.

Infant 1694. "Beneath this stone an infant lies. From future danger tree."

R. C. died 1711 aged 62. "Call and see as you pass by, As you are now so once was I, As I now am so you must be, Prepare for death and follow me."

Sidney Breese died June 9, 1797. (MADE BY HIMSELF.) "Ha! Ha! Sidney, Sidney.

I here lye till time is flown to its eternity." Captain Isaac Berryman, 1779. "Boreas blasts and Neptunes wave Has tossed him to and fro,

But by the sacred will of God,

Lyest thou here?

He is anchored safe below." The following is considered by the medical fraternity as slightly bordering on the sarcastic:

J. B. died 1716, aged 49. "He fled from ecience and mortal life. After partaking of the same he left his body sleeping here."

The following as if in apology to the above, appears on a stone

Dr. Jno. Huggerford died 1765. "Here lies interred the sacred dust, Of peace and ploty, truth and trust." Mary D. died 1692, aged 42.

"Btay reader and shed a tear. And think on me who now lies here. And as you read the state of me, Think on the glass that runs for thee."

Capt. Henry Ford, Captain of its present possession if figured British ship, Densmore on Lake out in building lot prices would Erie, died Nov. 8, 1793, and Capt. Michael Crossp died 1760., Capt. The revenue derived from this of the first American rifle batalltain many charities and also the old inscriptions are in old

of the city. The first church was inscriptions are so wern that they completed in 1697, rebuilt forty are not legible, but in a few inyears later and destroyed by fire stances the year 1614 was visible, in 1776. It was rebuilt twelve showing that these bodies must years later and in 1839 it was pro- have been brought here after the church was organized in 1697. Many of the stones have the skull and cross bones as an emblem and one has a skull and cross bones, skeleton, coffin and hour glass carved out in bold relief and these show plainly while the lettering is entirely oblite ated.

ONE WHO HAS SEEN.

You can always pick the winners at the races when your pocketbook is

Some men want to show how smart hey are every minute, and become

The first thing a man does when he gets drunk is to say that he is a gen-

Whenever we look at a girl up a cherry tree, it is to see if cherries are

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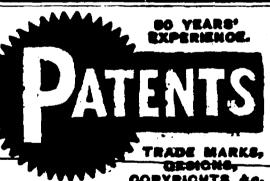
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waw the Mesmerist Convinced His Audience of His Power.

Several prominent people were talk ing together recently in a billiard room of the principal hotel in a large provincial town in the north when a wellknown conjuror and mesmerist came in to see if the billposter had left any of his programmes, says the Scottish Nights. Two or three gentlemen began to poke fun at the prefessor and intimated that there was some trickery in his performance.

Finally the mesmeric professor stood upon his dignity, and offered to give a free exhibition of his skill there and then. He said that he would so place one of the party when under his influence that when he had caused the subject to grasp his own nose he could not leave the room without taking his fingers from his nose. The wager was Pa. accepted and one of the party, an alderman, gave himself up to the influence of the mesmerist, who placed him by the side of an iron column at the end of the room, told him to close his eyes, and made a few passes over his face. He then took the alderman's arm, brought it around the column, and put his nose between his fingers. After a few more passes the professor Baid:

"Now, sir, you cannot leave the room without taking your finger from your

The victim opened his eyes and at once saw the point of the joke.

GHOSTS AND FUN.

A few evenings ago a south side society girl carried out a novel entertainment, says Chicago News.

Invitations were issued for a "ghost party," and each person was warned that he would be expected to tell a good ghost story. When the evening arrived the house presented none of the usual signs of festivity. Instead, the guests arriving found not one solitary | Minn. gleam of light, and stumbling up the steps received their first shock. Before they had time to ring the door swung open without sound, and stepping into the hall they confronted, looming ghostly in the darkness, a tall, white hooded figure, which, without words, solemnly pointed to the stairway. Passing up this, with nerves beginning to assert themselves, shock No. 2 communicated himself through an open doorway which had to be passed.

Through it, from some unseen source, throbbed and pulsated a pale blue light and lying on the floor, in the middle of the room, in full view from the door, was a white figure which moved in a peace destroying fashion to a ghostly symphony of clanking chains. On the landing above was stationed another tall, white figure, to serve as usher to the dressing room, and, in order that the ladies might be distinguished from the gentlemen, some slight infraction of the rule of absolute darkness was necessary. Accordingly, in front of the white figure stood a smoldering brazier and when stumbling steps or nervous giggles announced the arrival of more guests, the figure threw a pinch of some powder upon the brazier, producing a momentary fiare of blue flame, by the light of which the ladies were solemnly and wordlessly waved into one room and the gentlemen into another. Here, at the hands of two hooded attendants, and by the light of dim, blue burning braziers, the guests themselves became spectral, being invested with leng white hooded garments, and in this guise reaching the drawing room, they were received wordlessly by a white figure with a conspicuously cold and clammy hand, which assigned them to seats arranged in an irregular semi-circle before a log fire, which burned with green, blue and red flames, and afforded the only light in the room.

Then the story telling began, each speaker being apprised of his turn by a solemn pointing gesture of the central spook, and it is possible that such an eerie collection of ghost stories has never been retailed in one place before. One tale produced a hair raising sensation, describing as it did the feelings of a watcher in a haunted house, who, having sprinkled the floor with flour to detect and trace footsteps, and sitting, waiting, revolver in hand, heard all the doors fly open at the stroke of 12 and saw footsteps printing themselves off in the flour directly toward him, no other sign of the ghostly printer being visible. One of the best stories was told to the accompaniment | of soft, weird music and each speaker, keyed up to concert pitch by the surroundings, did his or her best to produce that creepiness of the flesh which was so much desired by the fat boy in "Pickwick," while all nerves were kept in a high strung condition by a chorus of wild laughter, shrieks and chain clankings, which broke in upon the stories at appropriate points.

Among the wonders shown at the ecent exhibition of the Quekett Miproscopical club in London was the shole of the second chapter of St. John's gospel written on the two-thouandth part of a square inch, and plainly legible at that under the micro-

SHORT SERMONS.

Toil.—The kingliest crown man may wear is jeweled with sweat drops of faithful and honest toil.—Rev. Luther Wilson, Methodist, Washington, D. C.

Pessimism-Pessimism is a poor investment, and when epidemic sometimes reaches good men.—Rev. G. R. Wallace, Congregationalist, Chicago,

Irreverence.—We live in an irreverent age, and our people do not possess any too much of the respect due the dead .- Rev. Dr. Roseman, Hebrew, Baltimore, Md.

Death.—The old Greek philosphers wrote many beautiful things about death, but did not themselves desire death, which to them was filled with darkness and shadows.-Father William J. Clark, Catholic, Philadelphia,

Life's Power.—Great is the power of life. Fungi beneath a heavy paving stone will lift it. An invisible speck of protoplasm that no eye can see will hold up at last the majesty of the oak. -Rev. George Elliott, Methodist, Philadelphia. Pa.

Wisdom.-Wisdom is not to be reached, but to be aspired to. It is not far off, in some other country. It is that which gladdens the soul and has an influence upon the intelligence. -Mrs. Elise Brann, Spiritualist, Minnepalois, Minn.

Future Punishment.—Hell is sin, which carries with it terrible punishment, either in this life or that which comes after. If an offender is not redeemed, the end is death, extinction of being.—Rev. Lyman Abott, Congregationalist, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Individuality.—When human beings desire to attract people to themselves, they make use of a power which may be termed the power of fascination. the power of their visible presence. Their individuality draws others .-Father J. J. Lawlor, Catholic, St. Paul,

Pardon.—The man who is not conscious of having committed any sin for which he needs pardon is like the man who can hold his hand in a hot flame and feel no pain, though the flesh is being burned from the bones.-Rev. W. A. Gardner, Christian, San Francisco, Cal.

Knowledge.—There has been a new revelation. It is only within the past 200 or 300 years that we have had glimpses of what our earthly home really is. A large part of this revlation has come within our own lives.-Rev. M. J. Savage, Unitarian, New York City.

EXCHANGE.

Say nothing: it is the only way to avoid being misquoted.—Atchison

The number of newspapers and periodicals published in Japan last year was 792.

A Venetian firm is making bonnets of spun glass, which are soft and as pliable as silk.

A site in Salt Lake Sity has been appropriated by the council for the proposed statue of Brigham Young.

It is no unsual thing for a vessel plying between Japan and London to cordially invited. carry 1,000,000 fans as a single item of cargo.

From July 1, 1896, to May 1, 1897, the United States exported 1,500,000 barrels of apples and 28,215,000 pounds of dried apples.

Two sexton beetles will bury a mole in an hour, a feat equivalent to two men interring a whale in the same length of time.

The German military authorities have decided that in future all bicycles for the army shall be constructed in the government establishments.

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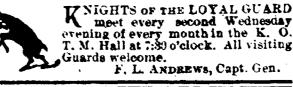
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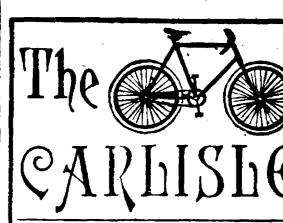
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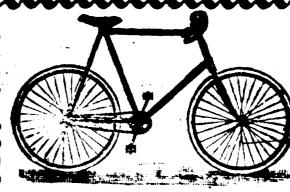
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If you wake up some morning in the top of a tree please remember that the cyclone season is on,

"why men spicies" When it finds out it should try to discover why men wedding.

A Boston paper is trying to determine

The new Chicago city directory gives the name and address of Mr. Yell. Solong as he is not a college yell the public will not attempt to shut him up.

It costs \$5 to kiss a Georgia girl and \$15 to kiss a Pennsylvania widow, and experienced men who have sampled stock in both states say the latter is worth the difference.

Ouzoun-Ada, a port of the Caspian, which is the starting point of the Transcaspian railway, was visited by an carthquake some years ago, and since then it has become open to steamers which could not enter it before, owing to the shallow water.

A dispatch from City of Mexico says the efforts on the part of physicians in charge of the insane hospitals for women to discover some safe narcotic which should produce sleep have resulted in/bringing into daily use in that institution a simple remedy prepared from the seed of white zapote. It produces a tranquil sleep and since it has been used no deaths from cerebral congestion have been known at the institution.

The latest available statistics regarding the Bank of Spain state that on Sept. 30, 1895, its note circulation was 961,900,000 pesetas, against which it held 495,000,000 pesets in gold and silver. On the same date the bank had private deposits of 410,800,000 pesetas and had advanced 175,700,000 pesetas on mortgages and 132,400,000 pesetas on commercial paper. The Spanish treasury's account with the benk was then over drawn 1,100,000 penetas.

A Texas paper says that Texas is still third in hogs, of all the states in the Union. In a few years she will be first. Iowa now comes first with 3,737,970, Missouri next with 3,074,329, and Texas third with 2,944,065. Texas has 469,403 more hogs than Ohio, 694,664 more than Illinois, 1,284,348 more than Kansas and 1,680,-184 more than Nebraska. As compared with last year Iowa shows a decrease of 1,116,537, Missouri a decrease of 95,062, Ohio a decrease of 171,964, Illinois a decrease of 143,579 Kansas a decrease of 16,766, Nebraska a decrease of 25,795 and Texas a decrease of 91,064, which shows that this good state is still in the business of raising hogs, and with this year's feed crop this will be amply demonstrated.

A heathen sculptor, who had carved a colossal statue, continued so long at work upon the crown of the giant's head that his admirers grew impatient. "You are wasting your labor," ther said. "What need is there that you should chisel every hair? No one will ever look so high, and the pains you are taking will never be appreciated." The sculptor only answered: "It must be perfect; the gods can see." No better argument than the notice of Omniscience could be given for obscure perfection. Flowers come to finished bloom and beauty in wildernesses where no eye of man ever look-In the conduct of life small perfections show character, for they spring from a higher fidelity than human eye-service. "He that is faithful in little is faithful also in much."

One of the greatest storekeepers in the world has established what he terms a store cadet school for boys in his employ. All the boys between certain ages are required to attend, or to show that they are pursuing studies elsewhere. The school is held on two evenings in the week, and on school evenings supper is furnished free to the boys. The studies are similar to those pursued in business colleges, with instruction also in physical exercises. A little more than a year has passed since Mr. Wanamaker began the experiment in his Philadelphia store, and the results are encouraging. In addition to the direct results, there should he a further outcome an increase in the number of those who, though they have to work for a living, refuse to listen to the thoughtiess cry that rich men universally do not sympathize with, or sacrifice for the welfare of, the DOOT.

MAGNETISM OF CHRIST LAST SUNDAY'S SUBJECT.

From the Following Text: "His Name Shall Be Called Wonderful"-Isaiah, Chapter IX, Verse 6-An Unusual View of the Savior.



HE prophet lived in a dark time. some three thousand years the world had been getting worse. Kingdoms had en and perished. As the captain of vessel in distress sees relief coming across the water, so

the prophet, amid the stormy times in which he lived, put the telescope of prophecy to his eye, and saw, seven hundred and fifty years ahead, one Jesus advancing to the rescue. I want to show that when Isaiah called Christ the Wonderful, he spoke wisely.

In most houses there is a picture of Christ. Sometimes it represents him with face effeminate; sometimes with a face despotic. I have seen West's grand sketch of the rejection of Christ; I have seen the face of Christ as cut on an emerald, said to be by command of Tiberius Caesar; and yet I am convinced that I shall never know how Jesus looked until, on that sweet Sabbath morning, I shall wash the last sleep from my eyes in the cool river of heaven. I take up this book of divine photographs, and I look at Luke's sketch, at Mark's sketch, at John's sketch, and at Paul's sketch, and I say, with Isaiah, "Wonderful!"

I think that you are all interested in the story of Christ. You feel that he is the only one who can help you. You have unbounded admiration for the commander who helped his passengers ashore while he himself perished, but have you no admiration for him who rescued our souls, himself falling back into the waters from which he had saved us?

Christ was wonderful in the magnetism of his person.

After the battle of Antietam, when a general rode along the lines, although the soldiers were lying down exhausted, they rose with great enthusiasm and huzzaed. As Napoleon returned from his captivity, his first step on the wharf shook all the kingdoms, and two hundred and fifty thousand men joined his standard. It took three thousand troops to watch him in his exile. So there have been men of wonderful magnetism of person. But hear me while I tell you of a poor young man who came up from Nazareth to produce a thrill such as has never been excited by any other. Napoleon had around him the memories of Austerlitz and Jens, and Badajos; but here was a man who had fought no battles; who wore no epaulettes; who brandished no sword. He is no titled man of the schools, for he never went to school. He had probably never seen a prince, or shaken hands with a nobleman. The only extraordinary person we know of as being in his company was his own mother, and she was so poor that in the most delicate and solemn hour that ever comes to a woman's soul she was obliged to lie down amid camel drivers grooming the beasts of burden.

- I imagine Christ one day standing in the streets of Jerusalem. A man descended from high lineage is standing beside him, and says, "My father was a merchant prince; he had a castle on the beach at Galilee. Who was your father?" Christ answers, "Joseph, the carpenter." A man from Athens is standing there unrolling his parchment of graduation, and says to Christ, 'Where did you go to school?" Christ answers, "I never graduated." the idea of such an unheralded young man attempting to command the attention of the world! As well some little fishing village on Long Island shore attempt to arraign New York. Yet no sooner does he set his foot in the towns or cities of Judea than everything is in commotion. The people go out on a picnic, taking only food enough for the day, yet are so fascinated with Christ that, at the risk of starying, they follow him out into the wilderness. A nobleman falls down flat before him, and says, "My daughter is dead." A beggar tries to rub the dimness from his eyes and says, "Lord, that my eyes may be opened." A poor, sick, panting woman pressing through the wd, says, "I must touch the he his garment." Children, who love their mother better than any one else, struggle to get into his arms, and to kiss his cheek, and to run their fingers through his hair, and for all time putting Jesus so in love with the little ones that there is hardly a nursery in Christendom from which he does not take ene, saying, "I must have them; I will fill heaven with these; for every cedar that I plant in heaven I will have fifty white lilies. In the hour when I was a poor man in Judea they were not ashamed of me, and now that I have

come to a throne I do not despise Hold it not back, oh, weeping mother; lay it on my warm heart. Of such is the kingdom of heaven."

What is this coming down the road? A triumphal procession. He is seated, not in a chariot, but on an ass; and yet the people take off their coats and throw them in the way. Oh, what a time Jesus made among the children, among the beggars, among the fishermen, among the philosophers! You may boast of self-control, but if you had seen him you would have put your arms around his neck and said, "Thou art altogether lovely."

Jesus was wonderful in the opposites and seeming antagonisms of his nature. You want things logical and consistent, and you say, "How could Christ be God and man at the same time?" says Christ was the Creator: "All things were made by him, and without him was not anything made." Matthew says that he was omnipresent: "Where two or three are met together in my name, there am I in the midst of them." Christ declares his own eternity: "I am Alpha and Omega." How can he be a lion, under his foot crushing kingdoms, and yet a lamb licking the hand that slays him? At what point do the throne and the manger touch? If Christ was God, why flee into Egypt? Why not stand his ground? Why, instead of bearing a cross, not lift up his right hand and crush his assassins? Why stand and be spat upon? Why sleep on the mountain, when he owned the palaces of eternity? Why catch fish for his breakfast on the beach in the chill morning, when all the pomegranates are his, and all the vineyards his, and all the cattle his, and all the partridges his? Why walk when weary, and his feet stone bruised, when he might have taken the splendors of the sunset for his equipage, and moved with horses and charlots of fire? Why beg a drink from the wayside, when out of the crystal chalices of eternity he poured the Euphrates, the Mississippi, and the Amazon, and dipping his hand in the fountains of heaven, and shaking that hand over the world, from the tips of his fingers dripping the great lakes and the oceans? Why let the Roman regiment put him to death, when he might have ridden down the sky followed by all the cavalry of heaven, mounted on white horses of

eternal victory? You can not understand. Who can? You try to confound me. I am. confounded before you speak. Paul said it was unsearchable. He went climbing up from argument to argument, and from antithesis to antithesis, and from glory to glory, and then sank down in exhaustion as he saw far above him other heights of divinity unscaled, and exclaimed, "that in all things he might have the pre-eminence." -

Again: Christ was wonderful in his teaching. The people had been used to formalities and technicalities; Christ upset all their notions as to how preaching ought to be done. There was this peculiarity about his preaching, the people knew what he meant. His illustrations were taken from the hen calling her chickens together; from salt, from candles, from fishing tackle, from the hard creditor collaring a debtor. How few pulpits of this day would have allowed him entrance? He would have been called undignified and familiar in his style of preaching. And yet the people went to hear him. Those old Jewish rabbis might have preached on the sides of Olivet fifty years and never got an audience. The philosophers sheered at his ministrations and said, "This will never do!" The lawyers caricatured, but the common people heard him gladly. Suppose you that there were any sleepy people in his audiences? Suppose you that any woman who ever mixed bread was igporant of what he meant when he compared the kingdom of heaven with leaven or yeast? Suppose you that the sunburned fishermen, with the fishscales upon their hands, were listless when he spoke of the kingdom of heaven as a net? We spend three years in college studying ancient mythology, and three years in the theological seminary learning how to make a sermon, and then we go out to save world; and if we can not do it according to Claude's "Sermonizing," or Blair's "Rhetoric," or Kames' "Criticism," we will let the world go to perdition. If we save nothing else, we will save Claude and Blair. We see a wreck in sight. We must go out and save the crew and passengers. We wait until we get on our fine cap and coat, and find our shining oars, and then we push out methodically and scientifically, while some plain shoresman, in rough fishing smack, and with broken oar lock, goes out and gets the crew and passengers, and brings them ashore in safety. We throw down our delicate oars and say, "What a ridiculous thing to save men in that way! You ought to have done it scientifically and beautifully." "Ah!" says the shoresman, "if these sufferers had waited until you got out your

bottom." The work of a religious teacher is to save men; and though every law of fore whom we do stand day and night.

fine boat, they would have gone to the

grammar should be snapped in the undertaking, and there be nothing but awkwardness and blundering in the mode, all hall to the man who saves a soul.

Christ, in his preaching, was plaine earnest and wonderfully sympathetiq. We cannot dragoon men into heaven. We cannot drive them in with the buttend of a catechism. We waste our time in trying to catch files with acids instead of the sweet honeycomb of the Gospel. We try to make crab-apples do the work of pomegranates.

Again: Jesus was wonderful in his sorrows. The sun smote him, and the cold chilled him, the rain pelted him, thirst parched him, and hunger exhausted him. Shall I compare his sorrow to the sea? No; for that is sometimes hushed into a caim, Shall I compar it with the night? No; for that sometimes gleams with Orion, or kindles with Aurora. If one thorn should be thrust through your temple you would faint. But here is a whole crown made from the Rhamnus of Spina Christi-small, sharp, stinging thorns. The mob makes a cross. They put down the long beam and on it they fasten a shorter beam. Got him at last. Those hands, that have been doing kindnesses and wiping away tears-hear the hammer driving the spikes through them. Those feet, that have been going about on ministrations of mercybattered against the cross. Then they lift it up. Look! look! look! Who will help him now? Come, men of Jerusalem-ye whose dead he brought to life; ye whose sick he healed; who will help him? Who will seize the weapons carried such a cross for us, shall we refuse to take our cross for him?

Shall Jesus bear the cross alone, - And all the world go free? No; there's a cross for everyone, And there's a cross for me,

You know the process of ingrafting. You'bore a hole in a tree, and put in the branch of another tree. This tree of the cross was hard and rough, but into the holes where the nails went there have been grafted branches of the Tree of Life that now bear fruit for all nations. The original tree was bitter, but the branches ingrafted were sweet, and now all the nations pluck the fruit and live for ever.

Again: Christ was wonderful in his victories.

First—over the forces of nature. The sea is a crystal sepulchre. It swallowed the Central America, the President, and the Spanish Armada as easily as any fly that ever floated on it. The inland lakes are fully as terrible in their wrath. Galilee, when aroused in storm is overwhelming, and yet that sea crouched in his presence and licked his feet. He knew all the waves and winds. When he beckoned they came. When he frowned, they fled. The heel of his foot made no indentation on the solidified water. Medical science has wrought great changes in rheumatic limbs and diseased blood, but when the muscles are entirely withered no human power can restore them, and when a limb is once dead, it is dead. But here is a paralytic—his hand lifeless. Christ says to him, "Stretch forth thy hand!" and he stretches it forth.

In the Eye Infirmary, how many diseases of that delicate organ have been cured! But Jesus says to one born blind, "Be open!" and the light of heaven rushes through gates that have never before been opened. The frost or an axe may kill a tree, but Jesus smites one dead with a word.

Chemistry can do many wonderful things, but what chemist, at a wedding, when the refreshments gave out, could change a pail of water into a cask of

a school of fish? Yet here is a voice that marshals the scaly tribes, until in the place where they had let down the net and pulled it up with no fish in it, they let it down again, and the disciples lay hold and begin to pull when, by reason of the multitude of fish, the net brake.

Nature is his servant. The flowershe twisted them into his sermons; the winds—they were his lullaby when he slept in the boat; the rain-it hung glittering on the thick foliage of the parables; the star of Bethlehem—it sang a Christmas carol over his birth; the rocks-they beat a dirge at his death.

Behold his victory over the grave! The hinges of the family vault become very rusty because they are never opened except to take another in. There is a knob on the outside of the sepulchre, but none on the inside. Here comes the Conqueror of Death. He enters that realm and says, "Daughter of Jairus, sit up;" and she sat up, Lazarus, "Come forth;" and he came forth. To the widow's son he said, "Get up from that bier," and he goes home with his mother. Then Jesus snatched up the keys of death, and hung them to his girdle, and cried until all the grave-yards of the earth heard him, "O Death! I will be thy plague! O Grave! I will be thy destruction!"

Think of God not as one before whom we shall stand, but as one beCANOVAS A JOAJS NATED.

Premier of Spain Shot Three Times by an Anarchist

Senor Cauovas del Castillo, prime minister of Spain, was assassingled by an anarchist, at Santa Agueda, where he was taking a course of baths. The murdarer fired three shots, two of which struck the premier in the head, aud another in the chest. The wounded man fell dying at the feet of his wife, lingering in agony for two hours, and then passing away with the cry of "Long live Spain!"

The assassin was immediately arrested. He is a Neapolitan and gives the name of Rinaldi, but it is believed that this is an assumed name and that his real name is Michele Angino Golli. He declared that he killed Senor Canovas "in accomplishment of a just vengeance," and that the deed is the outcome of a vast anarchistic conspiracy.

The queen regent, on hearing the sad news disputched her own physician, Dr. Bustos, by a special train from San Sebastian. Later, on learning that Canovas was dead, she wired her condolences to the widow. Her majesty has intrusted the presidency of . . the council to Gen. Azcarraga, minister of war, and the cortes will be summoned to reassemble.

Later-Golli has confessed that he killed Senor Canovas to avenge the Barcelona anarchists, and the insurgent leader, Don Jose Risal, who was executed at Manila, Phillippine islands, on Dec. 30 last, as the instigator of the Philippine rebellion.

The opinions as to the result of Canovas' murder upon the political situaof the soldiers? None to help! Having | tion in Spain are various. Spanish statesmen of the government side say that it will make no change, but Carlists and those working to overthrow the monarchy think their dreams are about to be realized. Secretary of State Sherman is quoted as saying that Spain was a bankrupt country at the end of its resources, and that it was bound to become a republic and that Italy and other European nations would soon follow in the same direction. Senator Morgan, of Alabama, a leading member of the foreign affairs committee of the senate and the champion of Cuba in that hody, predicts that the assassination may be the forerunner of a complete change of government, a republic replacing the monarchy. On receipt of news of the assassination at Havana the city was thrown into a fever of excitement. It was generally felt that the event would have great influence upon Cuban affairs. The Cuban junta in New York expressed the feeling that Canovas was more responsible for the outrages in Cuba than was Weyler, and his killing seemed to be an act of retribution. At the same time the Cuban party had nothing whatever to do with the death of Canovas and had had no knowledge that such an act was even contemplated by anarchists or any one else.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Danvers, Ill.—William Strehl, mayor of Danvers, died after a long illness from dropsy.

Beloit, Wis.-A series of market days was successfully inaugurated. Ex-Gov. W. D. Hoard gave an address in the Haymarket square.

Niles, Mich. Miss Josie Hubert, at Martin, has been sleeping for two weeks, with no signs of awakening. She seems, however, to be enjoying good health.

Philadelphia.—Maj. Kretz, superintendent of the mint, reinstated thirteen veterans of the late war who were discharged from the mint at the beginning of the last administration.

Galesburg, Ill.-Dr. H. V. Neal of Harvard University has been elected to and has accepted the chair of biology What human voice could command | at Knox College. The last few months he has been studying in the biological university at Naples. He is a graduate of Bates College, Maine.

Orleans, Ind.—An election was held here to vote for the construction of thirty miles of gravel roads at an estimated cost of \$46,000. The friends of good roads won by a big majority.

Crystal Falls, Mich.—The entire underground force of the Crystal Falls mine struck for higher pay, but returned to work until their demand was placed before the company at Cleveland.

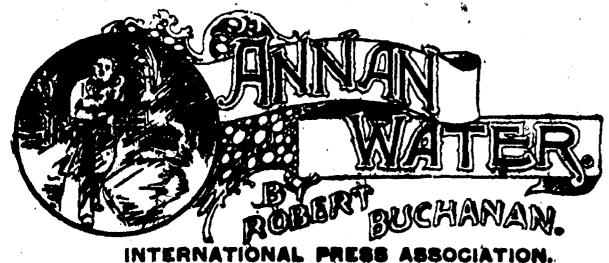
New York.—It is announced on good authoritty that Seth Low had promised to accept the nomination of the Citizens' Union for mayor, regardless of the action of the republican organiza-

tion. Hannibal, Mq.—At the special election the proposition to issue bonds to the amount of \$8,000 to improve the electric light plant carried by an overwhelming majority.

Bay City, Mich.—Thomas B. Ray mond, aged 79, a first cousin of Abraham Lincoln, and one of the first settlers of this region, is dead.

Marion, Ind.—James Brownless, the cldest lawyer at the Grant County bar, died here, aged 79. He lived fifty-five years in the house in which he died. He had been twice treasurer of the

county and once auditor. Birmingham, Ala.—Dr. R. A. Moseby, former state republican chairman. has announced himself a candidate for the gubernatorial nomination of his party in next spring's campaign.



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French lessons?"

ye already, maybe."

Caussidiere, quietly.

a labor of love."

exclamation.

ington?"

ment at the table littered with corre-

spondence, at the books scattered here

and there, at the roses and creepers

which peeped in at the open window.

Then she walked to the chair he had

prepared for her, and sitting down,

looked at him fixedly again. Not in the

least daunted, he stood smiling at her,

and waiting for her to explain her

At last she spoke in her native

"First and foremost, how muckle is

Marjorie Annan owing to ye for her

As she asked the question, Miss Heth-

erington drew out an old fashioned silk

purse and began examining its con-

tents. Finding that the Frenchman

did not reply, she looked up and repeat-

"How muckle is Marjorie Annan ow-

"Yes, she has paid me," returned

Naturally enough his manner had

changed, and his courteous smile had

given way to a cold expression of

hauteur, tempered with gentle indig-

manded the lady of the castle.

"How muckle has she paid ye?" de-

"She has paid me," answered the

Frenchman, "with her sympathy, with

her sweet society. I have not taken

money from her. I shall never take it.

My labor, Miss Hetherington, has been

The lady's eyes flashed, and putting

up her purse, she uttered an impatient

"Nae doubt," she cried. "But from

this day forward your labor's done. I

have come here to pay you your hire,

and to tell you with my ain mouth that

Marjorie Annan's French lessons are

ended, and that if she needs mair she'll

Caussidiere flushed angrily, but still

"May I ask a question, Miss Hether-

"I should like to know what authority

you have to act on behalf of my dear

pupil? I don't ask out of mere curi-

osity; but you would oblige me by in-

forming me if the young lady herself

has requested you to come here on so

"The young lady?—a bairn who kens

"But, pardon me, had you her au-

ter's old and foolish. I've ta'en the

"Indeed!" exclaimed Caussidiere, still

growing irritation. "And I warn you,

once for a', to cease meddling with the

lassie. Ay, ye may smile! But you'll

smile, maybe, on the wrong side of

your face, my friend, if ye dinna tak'

the warning I bring ye, and cease mo-

It was clear that Caussidiere was

amused. Instead of smiling now, he

laughed outright, still most politely, but

with a self satisfaction which was very

irritating to his opponent. Subduing his

amusement with an effort, he quietly

took a chair, and sat down opposite

"Weel," she cried, striking with her

"You must give me a little time, you

have so taken me by surprise. In the

first place, why do you object to my

friendship for the young lady? My in-

terest in her is great; I respect and

admire her beyond measure. Why can

we not be friends? Why can I not con-

"A bonny teacher! A braw friend!

"I think," said Caussidiere, with a

mocking bow, "that your eyes are very

wide open, Miss Hetherington. You

perceive quite clearly that I love Miss

"I love her, and hope some day, with

Trembling from head to foot, Miss

"Your wife!" ahe echoed, as if thun-

"Why not?" asked Caussidiere, calm-

man, and my connections are honor-

able, I assure you. Why, then, should

you distrust me so? If you will per-

mit me, I think I can give you very

"I am not rich, but I am a gentle-

Hetherington started to her feet.

your permission, to make her my

staff upon the floor, "what's your an-

business into my own hands."

get them from another teacher."

preserved his composure.

"If you please."

peculiar an errand?"

sarcastically smiling.

lesting Marjorie Annan."

Miss Hetherington.

swer to my message?"

tinue to be her teacher?"

Do you think I'm blind?"

The lady started angrily.

"What?" she oried.

naething of the world."

ing ye? Tell me that, if you please."

CHAPTER XIII.—(CONTINUED.)

They passed from room to room, finding each one gloomier than its predecessor. The old man pointed out the bictures and various relics which he thought might be interesting, and 'Caussidiere glanced about him with eyes like a hawk. As they passed onward his face became less radiant; a frown of weariness and disappointment began to cloud his brow. At length the whole of the castle had been examined, and the two men began to descend the quaint oaken stairs. Caussidiere, lingering as if in no haste to go, still talked pleasantly and glanced impatiently about him.

Presently they passed the half open door of a kind of boudoir. Caussidiere, who had looked keenly in, paused suddenly.

"Surely," he said, "I know that face!" The old man went forward and pushed open the door, and the Frenchman, following closely behind him, entered the room and stood thoughtfully regarding the object which had arrested his attention. It was a picture, a good sized painting, which hung above the mantelpiece,

"'Tia Marjorle Annan," explained the old man, "foster daughter to the minister. 'Twas painted by Johnnie Sutherland. The mistress bought it because she likes the lassie, and because it has a favor o' hersel'."

The Frenchman stared. "Like Miss Hetherington?"

"Ay, like hersel'," returned the old man. "You'd be no denying itself if you saw the picture in that press. 'Tis Miss Hetherington at seventeen or eighteen years of age."

"I should like to see the picture." "Aweel, aweel, you should see it; but the press is locked and Mysic has the key."

"You could not get it, I suppose?" "Ay, I could get it," returned Sandie, still under the influence of the Frenchman's gold. "Bide awhile and you shall see."

He shuffled off, leaving the Frenchman alone.

The moment he was gone Caussidiere's face and manner underwent a complete change. He sprang from the room, as it were, with cat-like fury, turned over papers, opened drawers, ransacking everything completely. At iast he came upon a drawer which would not open; it was in a writing cabinet, the counterpart of one he had at home; he pressed a hidden spring; in a moment the drawer flew open, and Caussidiere was rapidly going over the papers which it contained.

Suddenly he started, drew forth a paper, opened, and read it. A gleam of light passed over his face. He folded the paper, thrust it into the inner pocket of his cost and closed the drawer. When the old man returned with his key he found Caussidiere, with his hands behind him, regarding the picture of Marjorie Annan.

CHAPTER XIV.

HILE the persevering Caussidiere was inspecting the interior of Annandale Castle, Miss Hetherington was busily making inquiries about him at Dumfries.

To her own disappointment she learned nothing to

the Frenchman's discredit, but, determined to break up all relations between him and Marjorie, she visited the manne the next day and secured Mr. Lorraine's consent that Marjorie should discontinue her French lessons for the present.

This done, she ordered the coachman to drive to Dumfries.

When they reached the town they drove straight to Caussidiere's lodging, and with a very determined face the lady of the Castle descended and walked up the doorsteps.

She knocked sharply at the door, which was immediately opened by a servant girl.

"I'm seeking the gentleman that said, stepping without ceremony into the lobby.

Calescidiere, who was within, put his head out of the door of his room, and recognized his visitor at once with a beaming smile.

"Pray step this way, Miss Hetherington," he cried. "I am delighted to see you!"

She followed him into his little sittingroom, and stood leaning upon her staff and looking at him with her black eyes, while he drew forward a chair and begged her to be seated. She nodded grimly and glanced round the apartgood reasons for approving of my union with Miss Annan."

"How daur ye think of it?" cried Miss Hetherington. "Marry that bairn! I forbid ye even to come near her, to speak wi' her again."

Caussidiere shrugged his shoulders. "Let us return, if you please, to where we began. You have not yet informed me by what right you attempt to interfere with the happiness of my dear pupil."

"By what right?"

"Precisely. What may be the nature of your relationship with the young lady?"

As he spoke he fixed his eyes keenly upon her, to her obvious embarrassment. Her pale face grew paler than

"I am Marjorie Annan's friend," she answered, after a pause,

"Of that I am aware, Miss Hetherington. I am aware also that you have been very kind to her; that you have assisted her from childhood with large sums out of your own pocket. May I ask, without offense, have you done all this out of pure philanthropy, because you have such a charitable heart?"

He still watched her with the same half sarcastic, penetrating look. Her embarrassment increased, and she did not reply; but her lips became dry, and she moistened them nervously with the tip of her tongue.

Suddenly his manner changed and he rose smiling from his seat.

"You are fatigued," he said, politely. "Nothing, Miss Hetherington," he re-'Let me offer you a glass of wine." She declined his offer with an angry "Naething? Then Marjorie has paid

> "I hae warned you," she said in a low voice. "I hae warned you and forbidden you. If ye didn't heed my warning I'll maybe find some other means to bring you to your senses."

gesture, and moved toward the door.

She would have left the hours, but quietly approaching the door, he 🙉 his back against it and blocked the way.

"Pray do not go yet," he said. "Pardon me, but you must not. You have given me your message, my dear Miss Hetherington; now let me ask you to hear mine."

"What's your will with me?" she cried, impatiently.

"Will you sit and listen a little while?'

"I'll stand where I am. Weel?" "First let me thank you for the kindness of your servant in showing me over the beautiful castle where you live. I am interested in all old houses, and

She stared at him in blank amaze-

yours is charming."

"The Castle? when were you there?" "Just before I returned to Dumfries. I regretted that you were not at home, in order that I might ask your kind permission; but in your absence I took the liberty of making a reconnaissance I came away delighted with the place. The home of your ancestors, I pre-

The words were innocent enough, but the speaker's manner was far from assuring, and his eyes, keenly fixed on hers, still preserved that penetrating light—almost a threat.

"Deil tak' the man. Why do you glower at me like that? You entered thority to dismiss me, or that of her my house like a thief, then, when I was "The bairn's a bairn, and the minis-

"Ah, do not say that; it is ungenerous. I went merely as an amateur to see the ruins, and I found--what shall I say?—so much more than I expect-"Ay, indeed!" repeated the lady, with ed."

He paused, while she stood trembling:

then he continued: "The Castle is so picturesque, the ruin o interesting, and the pictures-the pictures are so romantic and so strange. Ah, it is a privilege, indeed, to have such a heritage and such an ancestry; to belong to a family so great, so full of honor; to have a 'scutcheon without one blot since the day when the first founder wore it on his shield."

It was clear that he was playing with her, laughing at her. As he proceeded, his manner became almost aggressive in its studied insolence, its polite sarcasm. Unable any longer to restrain her anger, Miss Hetherington, with outstretched hand, moved toward the

"Stand awa', and let me pass." He obeyed her in a moment, and with a profound bow drew-aside; but as she passed him, and put her trembling hand upon the door handle, he said in a low voice close to her ear:

"It would be a pity, perhaps, after all, to quarrel with one who knows so

She turned furiously, and fixed her eyes upon him.

"What's that?" she cried.

"Who knows so much, let us say. about the morals of your boany Scotland as compared with those of la belle France."

"What do you mean? Speak out! What do ye mean?"

He smiled, and bending again close to her ear, he whispered something which drove the last tint of blood from her cheek, and made her stagger and gasp as if about to fall. Then, before she could recover herself, or utter a single word, he said aloud, with the

stmost politeness: "And now, my dear lady, will you stay a little while longer, and talk with me about Marjorie Annan?"

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"After suffering from dyspepsia for three years, I decided to try Burdock Blood Bitters. Two bottles cured me entirely." Mrs. G. C. White, Taberg, Oneida County, New York.

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Even in the most severe cases of sprain or bruise, cut or burn, Thomas' Eclectric Oil gives almost instant relief. It is the ideal family liniment.

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Educate Your Bowels With Cascarate. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c. If C. C. C fail, druggists refund money.

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Is a Husband's Inspiration.

A sickly, half-dead-and-alive woman, especially when she is the mother of a family, is a damper to all joyousness in the home.

1 sometimes marvel at the patience of some husbands.

Ifawoman finds that her energies are flagging and that everything tires her, her sleep is disturbed by horrible dreams, and that she often wakos sud-

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EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE WORD "CASTORIA," AND "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," AS OUR TRADE MARK.

I, DR. SAMUEL PITCHER, of Hyannis, Massachusetts. was the originator of "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," the same that has borns and does now bear the fac-simils signature of hat Hitches wrapper. This is the original "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," which has been used in the homes of the mothers of America for over thirty years. LOOK CAREFULLY at the wrapper and see that it is and has the signature of Cast. Titles wrapper. No one has authority from me to use my name except The Centaur Company of which Chas. H. Hetcher to President.

Chinal Pitcherman, D. March 8, 1897:

Do Not Be Deceived.

Do not endanger the life of your child by accepting a cheap substitute which some druggist may offer you (because he makes a few more pennies on it), the ingredients of which evers he does not know.

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EAST PUTNAM.

W. E. Brown of Stockbridge spent Sunday in this place.

The Misses Myrta and Flota Hall returned from Bay View last week.

Miss Nella Lake returned Sunday from a months visit in Gratiot county.

Geo. Walz of Pickford, Chippewa Co., visited at the home of G. W. Brown the past week.

Mrs. D. M. Hodgeman of Oak Grove is spending this week with her parents, Geo. Brown and wife.

Mrs. E. D. Brown and the Misses Nettie Hall, Allie Brown and Sarah Pearson enjoyed a trip to the Niagara Falls the past week.

The C. E. society are preparing a special program for Wednesday evening, Aug. 25, in honor of the anniversary of the organization at this place. Rev. W. J. Thistle, the county president, has promised to give an address. There will be two papers read, "What our society has done" and "What our society can do." Let everyone come and enjoy the meeting.

GREGORY.

L. S. March spent Sunday in

Susia Dean of Parma is visiting at Homer Ives.

Miss Grace Gates is visiting her sister in Chelses.

Very few from here went on the excursion Sunday.

The Baptist Sunday School had a picnic at North Lake Aug. 13.

James Bird of Ann Arbor is visiting friends around Gregory.

Quiet a number went to Zukey Lake Wednesday and had a good time.

B. S. Hopkins of Owosso has been visiting his friend, W. M. Smith.

A grand art entertainment was given in the Baptist church Tuesday Aug. 17.

Miss Nina Howlett of Ann Arbor has been visiting her cousin. Vina Howlett.

Frank Voegts, Bird Gregory, Jennie Braeley and Hattie Hudson are camping at Portage lake.

At Howell Tuesday, Aug. 10, Wm. Roepckie and Miss Edith Hoard both of this place, were united in marriage.

Fred Howlett and wife, M. E. Kuhn and family and James Burden and wife have been camping at South Lake the past week.

'Additional Local.

J. A. Cadwell is building a cottage on the Bluffs at Portage Lake.

Mike Fitzsimmon's took in the excursion to Nisgara last week. He reports a fine time.

C. J. Teeple left Tuesday for Marquette to spend a couple of weeks with his brother, P. G.

Changes of adv's this week for F. G. Jackson, Teeple & Cadwell and W. A. Sprout. See them.

A very heavy storm of rain and hail visited this section Sunday but the heaviest part of it went north.

Miss Fannie Teeple, who has been the guest of friends in Fowlerville for the past week, returned home Monday.

Wm. and Foster Brown of Ann Arbor visited at the home of their cousin John Chambers a couple of days last week.

C. B. Andrews of Detroit was the guest of his course, F. L. Andrews the first of the week. He was on a trip through the country awheel.

Of course everyone is at the picnic today.

The Ann Arbor Courier of last week contained a very creditable write-up of our inland resorts.

Many from here went to Dexter last Thursday to help celebrate German day. All report a good time.

At the Adrian district Epworth League convention held at Tecump seh last week, Miss Alice McMahon was elected fourth vice president.

The Livingston Democrat passed its fortieth milestone last week and is in good running condition. Bro. Ryan is a good newspaper man and no mistake.

During the past two weeks, Swart hout Bros. of this place have had the handling of over 18,000 bushels of beans. They were not all purchased at this place, however.

Last Sabbath evening at the League Miss Alice McMahon read a very interesting report from the district League convention held at Tecumpseh is one of the most beautiful and cleanand E. A. Baker read one from the national convention at Toronto.

Waddle Post G. A. R. of Howell are to have a large cannon shipped to them by the government. They will ask that it may be placed on the court house square. This will be the propper thing and we presume the supervisors will grant their request.

While F. H. Smith was trying to drive under a shed during the storm on last week Wednesday, the horse became frightened at a hog and ran away. The buggy was turned over at the start and Mr. Smith thrown out but escaped injury. The buggy was nearly demolished.

House and lot, nicest location in the E. A. MANN. village.

Losing Flesh

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.

Scotts Emulsion.

of Cod-liver Oil with the Hypophosphites, furnishes just the nourishment needed for those who are run down and pale and thin and weak. If you lose flesh in summer take Scott's Emulsion now. Don't wait till fall or winter before beginning. For sale at 50c. and \$1.00 by all druggists.

A Foot of TOBBACCO for CENTS.

ENTIRE 50 CENT HATS

> FOR CENTS.

ALMOST AN EDEN.

THAT IS WHAT BELLE ISLE PARK AT DETROIT IS.

One of the most beautiful spots on earth is Belle Isle Park, Detroit. Situated as it in the river of Detroit, about midway between Michigan and Canada and near the entrance of Lake ever blowing and one gets renewed vigor by a few hours spent among its sweet scented flowers that grow promost an eden.

When the ground was deeded to the city and work began upon it to make it a park, many thought it was an elephant on the hands of the city today sentiment is changed for it is known all over the world that Detroit est of cities and has one of the finest favor of Pinckney. parks in the world. And the best part of it all is that the grounds are free to the public. Hundreds of rustic seats and swings are placed there for the use of visitors and many small buildings where picnicers may go and rest or eat their meals without a fear of being ordered to "move on."

Bears, deer, elk, swans, eagles and many other animals and birds are found in the park assigned for them and they are well worth a trip to see.

It would be impossible to enumerate all of the sights that could be seen by a day's visit to the city of Detroit. Here are a few: Belle Isle Park, the Water Works, Palmer Park, Art Gallery, Majestic Builing and many others too numerous too mentlon. «

On Wednesday, Sept. 1, the C. E. of this place will give an excursion to Detroit over the Grand Trunk railway and have placed the rate within the reach of all, viz., \$1.00, for the round trip Train leaves this place at 7:30 a. m. and arrives in Detroit at 9:55, leaving there at 9 p. m., thus giving nearly twelve hours for sight seeing or visiting friends. Those who have visited Detroit will want to go again and those who have never been should certainly go. See bills for full partic-

We are in receipt of a neat 80-page pamphlet entittled "Gateways of Tourist Travels" issued by the passenger department of the Grand Trunk Railway System. The book contains some very tine views of scenery along the line accompanied by a very interesting description of the country.

Although the cheap rates to get into the Loyal Guards has ceased, there still seems to be those who wish to join and at the regular meeting last week, three new applicants were

This Will Interest You.

A popular and successful business of our town and one that is a credit to our village is that carried on by Mr. Thomas Clinton, Pinckney's leading harness maker. Mr. Clinton is among the longest established of our business men, having founded his business } of a century ago. The success he has met with is the results of careful management and straight forward dealing and the deserved popularity the business has acquired has been secured by turning out a superior class of work and offering to the public all the advantages possible. The shop is known for the excellence of the work done, and for prices it is not undersold in the county. All kinds of Light All Wool Mixtures machine and barness oil, to be sold lower than can be purchased in Livingston county, and a complete stock of everything found in a first-class harness shop is on hand, such as whips, combs, brushes, robes; also trunks, valises, etc. In connection is also a boot and shoe department where custom work in manufacturing and repairing is done. He carries a stock of medicines for man and beast, and poultry, which is the best in the world. At all times you can get the highest cash price for hides, polts, etc., at the shop.

voted upon. While there are those who would pull the order down if they could, it is gratifying to know that they only injure themselves more than the Loyal Guards.

If it was not for the good work done by the Pinckney boys at the ball game between Pinckney and Howell last Wednesday, we would not mention the game at all, but they deserve credit for the clean way they used the tickets. Huron, it is not only a sightly place Howell team and in not getting mad but one where the cool breezes are enough to fight at the decisions of the umpire from Howell, who said in the start that he did not know much shady bowers, forests, and among the about the game and everbody was well aware of that before he had given a fusely, helping to make the spot al- half dozen decisions. The Pinckney boys held their temper through the entire game but in the last half of the ninth inning, his decisions became too rank. The boys said they could beat the Howell team but not the um and not worth while to fix it up, but pire and asked to be excused from the game, or in other words refused to play. All was done good-naturedly with little or no wrangling. The game stood at the close, 10 to 11 in

SCRAPS.

London has an army of 100,000 pick-

As a rule a man's hair turns gray five years sooner than a woman's. There are still upward of four mil-

lion people on relief works in India. A lively chicken that boasts of four legs is the property of a Northport (Me.) man.

London's unsuccessful cab strike cost trades unions \$100,000, of which \$95,000 was subscribed by cabmen.

Telegraph poles are now made of compressed paper. They are said to be more durable than those of wood. Mrs. Gabbel-Do you know that you

talk in your sleep, James? Mr. Gabbel-Do I? Then I bet you join in! Cruelty and failure to provide a bicycle will soen be considered sufficient

grounds for divorce.—Washington Professor Forbes calculates that the first cataract of the Nile at high Nile

represents 500,000 horse-power, and at low Nile 35,000 horse-power. A Brewer (Me.) house owner makes his tenants subscribe to three rules:

ance and no Sunday callers.

French paupers are provided for by the funds arising from a 10 per cent tax on theater tickets. This tax averages 10,000,000 francs a year.

Paris has a new Bonapartist club called the Petit Chapean, of which Marshal Ney's great-grandson, Prince de la Moskowa, is president.

The ballots used by voters of Baltimore in 1896 were destroyed recently. It took four big furnaces an hour and a quarter to burn the 107.961

"What is the meaning of all these ladders leaning against the trees?" 'His Excellency is going to have a boar hunt tomorrow."---Fliegende Biatter.

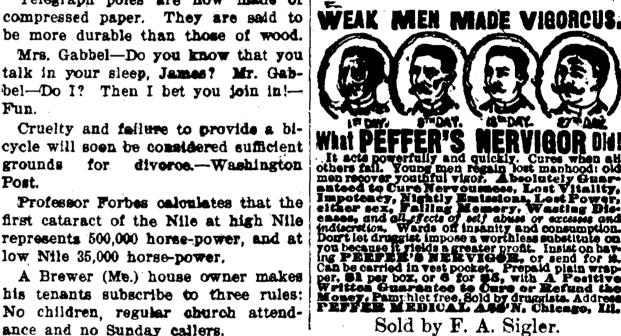
The Hostess-Society possesses a power that is almost magical. Guest -It does, indeed. How easily, for instance, it transforms an ass into lion,-Life.

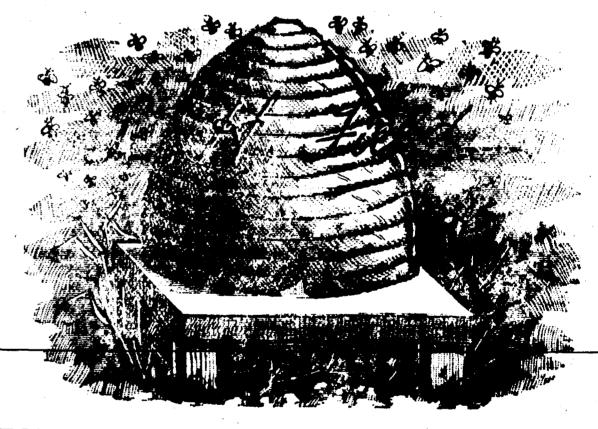
Flippant Cockney (to countrymen) -Are there many foois in this past of the world, my lad? Yokel-Not as knows on gur. Why, dyer feel a bit lonesome like?—London Tit-Bits.

"I hear that Mr. Savant is living in the greatest poverty-practically starving. Can nothing be done for him?" Oh, yes, his friends began a year ago to collect funds for a monument to him."—Fliegende Blatter.

A sign "I am just married" on Springfield (Mass.) house is atttracting considerable interest. It seems that the owner is now on his wedding trip, so his friends thought it advisable to let the neighbors know that a newlymarried couple were to reside there.

The population of Iceland in 1894 was 72,177. Prior to 1890 there was a good deal of emigration, chiefly to Winnipeg, but there has been very little since that year. Sixty-five per cent of the population live by rearing sheep and cattle, and 18 per cent by fishing.





THE RED

Come and Gone

It has been like a cyclone in some respects, sweeping forests of merchandise in its path regardless alike of value or quality but it has left it's wake strewn with the wrecks and remnants of many a formerly handsome lot which we shall bend our August effort to clean up.

Clear Away the Wrecks.

of India and Foulards Silks. Perhaps a dress pattern each of many lengths of former \$1.00 and \$1.25 ones.

Cleariny Trice. 49c

Wrecks of French Organdies

until recently bearing with bride the marks 25e, 39c, 50c. Now Humibed to 15c

of Dress Goods which were much more in price four weeks ago Naw Marked 21c.

Even Checked All Wool Dress Goods

which were much sought at 50c and 60c a yard. What there is left can be bought for 29c a yard.

Yours Respectfully,

L. H. FIELD. JACKSON, MICH.