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MEMORIAL DAY

As Observed by the Pinckney Public Schools.

The school of this village observed Memorial Day Tuesday as announced in our last issue. The school flag was at half mast in honor of the nation's dead, and everything passed off in true memorial day style.

Not only was the whole school represented but tathers and mothers and even several business men lett business to go and listen to the exercises until the room was crowded.

The exercises were excellent and with the exception of the absence of Rev. Fr. Comerford, the program was complete. The remarks by Rev's. Wallace and Jones were patriotic and inspiring.

At the close of the program the s, hool and citizens formed in line and marched to the cometeries where the graves were decorated.

Local Dispatches.

R. H. Teeple and wife were in Howell Monday.

walk in front of bank.

Mesdames E. R. Brown and C. S. Jones were in Howell Tuesday.

Emmett and Will Kennedy of Stockbridge were the guest of friends at this place Sunday.

A very pleasant family reunion was held at the home of Mrs. F. G. Rose in this village the past week. Mrs. Rose is past her 88th year but enjoys having her boys and girls come bome as well as ever. There were present: M. A. Rose and wife and L. F. Rose Mrs. Harriet Campbell and Mrs. Bower of Detroit, Mrs. W. D. Fargo Leslie and Bert Campbell of Detroit. day very much.

Mrs. R. E. Finch was in Jackson Tuesday.

Miss Mame Sigler spent the past week with relatives in Detroit.

Roy Harris attended the Decoration

Day exercises at Hamburg Saturday. Mrs. Harry Ayers and children of Detroit are guests of M. Nash and

Geo. Green and wife spent Sunday and Monday as the guest of relatives at Howell.

eral days the past week as the guest of relatives at Fowlerville. John Sigler of Leslie spent Satur-

Prof. Durfee and family spent sev-

day and Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. G. W. Teeple of this place.

Miss Nellie Bennet of Detroit spent part of the past week with her sister, Mrs. W. W. Barnard of this place.

The school board met on Friday evening last and engaged the same corps of teachers for the coming year.

Miss Belle Kennedy and her roommate, Miss Blanche Walker of Ypsilant; spent part of the past week with relatives here.

The school report for last month is The village is repairing the side- at this office ready for publication but owing to lack of room, it has been held over until next week.

John Gilbert and wife of Howell parents at this place, W. H. Cadwell called on friends in this village Sun- left last Thursday morning for bis home at Stillwater, Minn.

> Rev. N. W. Pierce has our thanks for a box of most luscious strawberiles that were picked from his own vines. Mr. Pierce is up-to-date with everything in the fruit and vegetable line and will soon be a rival of southern

The Christian Endeavor excursion to Detroit last Wednesday was a success but would have been more of a and wife of Bay City; L. D. Alley, success financially had there not been wife and daughter, Grace of Dexter, an excursion to Detroit only ten days before. The society cleared about of Minnerpolis, Minn., John Sigler of \$40 however and everyone enjoyed the

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We contemplate a radical change in our business and this compels us to close all accounts as rapidly as possible. Between now and August 1, we shall call upon all persons indebted to us to settle, eithr by cash payment or bunkable notes. We positively cannot open any new accounts after this date.

Feb. 17, 1898.

Barnard & Campbell

The next holiday is the one that pleases the small boy and the physi-

Reason's meat market looks fresher and cleaner since its new coat of paint and paper.

N. B. Mann of Detroit called on friends in this village the latter part of last week.

K. O. T. M. regular review on Friday evening of this week. Let every member attend.

Several from here took in the Day of Sports at Howell last Friday and report a good time.

Miller Beurman and Chas. Paddack of Howell were in town on business one day the past week.

The Loyal Guards of Stockbridge are making arrangements for a banquet to be held June 13.

A good many from this vicinity attended the Decoration Day exercises at Howell on Monday.

Next Wednesday night is the regular meeting of the Loyal Guards. A large attendance is desired.

OBITUARY.

Entered into rest, Esther Florence, beloved wife of Frank J. Wright and daughter of Mrs. John Martin, calmly and peacefully gave herself up to her After spending a week with his Saviour on Monday evening, May 23, 1898 at 9:30, aged 22 years 11 months and 1 day.

> She was born June 22, 1875 and lived with her parents on the old homestead in West Putnam until October 1, 1896, when she was married and moved to her home in this village. She was baptized at the early age of 15 years and at the time of her death was a loved and devoted member of the M. E. church here and also of the Epworth League in which her smiling face and ever ready testimony for the One she served, will be

> Never a murmer of complaint was heard but she remained true to the last, her dying words being "O Lord! do take me tonight."

The services were held in the M. E. church Thursday, May 26, Rev. W. G. Stephens of Deerfield preaching the sermon from the text she chose "Be thou faithful unto death and I will give thee a crown of life." -Rev. 2-10. Her remains were followed to the last resting place by members of the Epworth League, the Sir Knight Maccabees and a host of triends. She leaves behind her a loving busband, an aged mother, two sisters and a brother.

One precious to our hearts has gone The voice we loved is stilled The place made vacant in our home

Can never more be filled. Our Father in His wis : om called The boon His love had given; And though on earth the body lies.

The soul is safe in Heaven, Asteep in Jesus! blessed sleep, From which no ne ever wakes to weep A calm and undisturbed repose,

Unbroken by the last of foes. Asleep in Jesus I far from thee Thy kindred and their graves may be,

But thine is still a blessed sleep From which none ever wakes to weep,

Servant of God, well done! Thy giorious warfare's past; The battles fought, the victory won, And thou art crowned at last.

Soldier of Christ, well done! Praise be thy new employ. And, while eternal ages run, Rest in thy Seviours joy.

earnest members.

Epworth League Bese lutions. Resolved, That for the first time our Lord and Master has seen fit to zemove from our midet, Mrs. Etta Wright, one of our loved and

Resolved. That we as a society extend our heartfelt sympathy to the sorrowing husband, Resolved, That our charter be draped in mourning for 30 days in rememberance of the de ceased and a cop be spread upon the records of the Epworth League and published in our local

of Thanks

I desire to thank the choir and neighbors who so kindly assisted in my hour of bereavement, in the sickness death and burial of my wife. hope that as willing hands may asaist you in your time of trouble.

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MICHIGAN NEWS SUMMARY.

Doings of the Week Recorded in a Brief Style.

CONCISE AND INTERESTING.

The 33d and 34th Michigan Volunteers Ordered to Camp Alger, near Washington-Michigan National Guard is Now Out of Existence.

Michigan's Soldier Boys.

The 32d Michigan Volunteers arrived in Tampa after being on the road 72 hours. They found the heat very oppressive and the fine sand covered their aces, hands and clothes. They received enthusiastic receptions all along the line. The 32d Michigan is the best equipped regiment at Palometto beach. When it marched into camp the soldiers already there thought it was a regiment of regulars, and cheered it to the boho. As soon as the tents were up the boys took a dip in Tampa bay, it being the first time they had had a bath since leaving Island Lake. Maj.-Gen. Shafter and Brig.-Gen. Hawkins visited camp and inspected the troops. There were greatly pleased with the Michigan regiment.

When the last company of the 34th Michigan Volunteers had been mustered at Camp Eaton the authority of the state of Michigan at once ceased at the camp and Uncle Sam was then in charge. In fact it was the last act in practically wiping out of existence the Michigan National Guard and relieved the state department officers of any immediate military duty, with the exception of Quartermaster-Gen. White, who still had some equipments to issue. The camp was therefore formally turned over to Col. Boynton, of the 33d as the senior officer.

When the last company had been mustered at Camp Eaton it was found that Michigan had furnished 4,062 men to help Uncle Sam fight Spain. This is 42 men short of the full quota asked for and was caused by rejections by the surgeons at the last hour of muster, or by the throwing out of minors not properly authorized by legal papers in due form to enlist. Capt. Irwine, the mustering officer, rejected one man on the final muster of the 34th because he had left at home a family of eleven children.

Dr. Julius M. Wilhelm, of Manistee, marched into Camp Eaton as a private. He was a finely built and intelligent man and a sergeant being needed in the company he was at once advanced to that position. The 34th regiment, to which the Manistee company is assigned, needed a surgeon. Gov. Pingree learned that Sergt. Wilhelm was a surgeon and after consulting prominent Manistee people appointed him surgeon with rank of major, and a salary of

The first death among the Michigan soldiers at the front was that of Private Henry H. Meginnis, of Co. I, 31st Michigan, at Chickamauga. Meginnis took a heavy cold at Camp Eston and on the way south it developed into pneumonia. His parents live at Fenton but Meginnis was mustered in with the Detroit Light Guards.

Dr. C. B. Nancrede, formerly a U. of M. professor now major-surgeon of the 33d Michigan Volunteers have been presented with a fine horse by ex-Regent L. L. Barbour, of Detroit, and the students of the medical department presented him with an equipment.

The kind of soldiers that Michigan is sending to the front is shown by the fact that Roy Alberts, a private in Co. C, 34th regiment (Muskegon), gradnated from the military academy at Orchard Lake as senior captain.

Lieut. Edwin B. Winans, of the Fourth U. S. Cavalry, who has been E. S. mustering officer at Camp Eston has been appointed to the vacant majorship of the 34th Michigan Vo unteers.

The 33d and 34th Michigan Volunteer regiments have been ordered to the rendezvous at Camp Alger, Falls Church, Va., six miles from Washington

MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS.

The U. of M. will graduate over 700 students this year-200 more than last

The U. of M. oratorical association held an interesting Gladstone memorial exercise.

Mrs. Mitchell Bosley was killed instantly by her horse running away at Elk Rapids.

Michigan has had a total of \$831, 178.23 refunded by the general government for war expenses incurred in 1861-1865.

There are nearly 1,000 volunteers in Houghton county, already partially organised, who await the second call for troops. Mrs. Shankie, aged 83, while watch-

ing her cows near Warren was attacked by an unknown woman and fatally featen and kicked.

Geo. V. Knight, & C. & W. M. freight conductor, caught his foot in a switch Alden and was run over by the train. He died in 10 minutes.

Thomas Pours, of Calumet, was drowned in Bear Lake, while on a fishing trie. His boat was capsized and he attempted to swim to shore,

Mrs. Nellie Gardner, of Kalamasuc, died at her home from injuries received by being run over by a bicycle rider.

Wm. Groshans, a farmer near Royal Oak, was abusing his wife when her brother, John Die, started to her assistance. Groshana secured an old musket and fatally shot Die.

A half-starved man was found in an Erie box car at Ravenna. He said he entered the car in New York state and someone locked him in. He had been five days without food or drink when discovered.

The women's gymasium of the U. of M. has 'e 'eived \$80 towards its equipment find, contributed by the Ladies' Literary club of Grand Rapids as the proceeds of a lecture by Prof. Wenley, of the univers ty.

Eliza Mitchell, colored, was convicted at Grand Rapids on the charge of starving her baby to death. She claims that she had to work 14 hours a day and could not give the baby proper care or attention.

The large Buchanan dam across St. Joseph river is a total loss in spite of all efforts to save it. The structure was 400 feet long, and was built in '93 in the deep channel of the St. Joseph river. It cost \$35,000.

Edward Steinback, a young man engaged as carriage rider in the hardwood mill of the Wisconsin Land & Lumber Co., at Harmansville, was thrown upon a circular saw and nearly cut in two. He was killed instantly.

The Farmers' Handy Wagon Co., of Saginaw, is shipping 50 wagons a day to Tampa on an open order from the government. Morley Bros. are making large quantities of belts and cartridge boxes and the Freud Milling Co. is furnishing compressed food.

The three Michigan organizations that made up the "Democratic-People's-Union-Silver" combination of two years ago have issued their call for state conventions, to be held in Grand Rapids on Wednesday, June 22. The middleof the road Populists meet in the same city June 21.

The following engineering students of the University of Michigan are with the Detroit Naval Reserves on board the Yosemite: Joseph Stringham, L. J. Keens, and G. M. Chandler, of Chicago; Loomis Hutchinson, of Ann Arbor, and H. C. Mower, of Detroit. The following engineering students are mustered in at Island Lake: D. B. Roben, of Big Rapids; Wm. P. Baker, of Woodville, Ohio; G. E. McKana, of Escanaba, and C. D. Terrell, of Jackson, Miss.

NOTES ON THE WAR SITUATION

Hon. Wm. J. Bryan has been appointed as colonel of the Third Nebraska volunteers.

Between 8,000 and 10,000 Spanish troops are said to be embarking at Barcelona for the Philippines.

Rev. Thos. Ewing Sherman, son of the famous general, has been made chaplain of the Fourth Missouri regi-

One hundred carloads of ambulances and government wagons have been shipped by the Studebaker Co., at South Bend, Ind., within 30 days.

The Hawaiian government will not proclaim neutrality, but will allow the United States to raise the American flag over the island and use the same as a base of supplies.

The Spanish gunboat Isabel II fired on and disabled the British steamer Roth at San Juan, Porto Rico, in order to oblige her to unload a carpo of coal she had on board.

President McKinley has established a "censorship" over the cabinet. Hereafter, only Secretary Long and Secretary Alger are to be cognizant of war secrets. Other members of the cabinet are to know only such war news as the President and his war aids may think it advisable to tell them.

Orders have been issued to coast collectors of customs to prevent the clearance of vessels laden with coal for West Indian, Mexican, Central American or South American ports without a special permit from the treasury department as long as the Spanish fleet is at large in American waters.

The objections of Maj.-Gen. Wesley Merritt to being sent as military governor of the Philippines with less than 4,000 regular troops besides 11,000 volunteers is supported by the opinions of many regular army officers, and three regiments now at Tampa will be sent to San Francisco to join the regiment already there awaiting transpor-

The U.S. auxiliary cruiser St. Louis and tug Wampatuck cut the Spanish cable off Santiago de Cuba and also the one at Guantanamo, thus leaving Cuba with only one line by which Blanco can communicate with Madrid, and that via Jamaica. The warships had hot fights with the batteries at both points, but came off with little dam after silencing most of the batteries.

In the Canadian parliament at Ottawa one member said he hoped Spain would give the U.S. a "bit of a spanking." A chorus of "no, no" from all parts of the house was the reply, and Premier Laurier and Sir Chas. Tupper at once declared that if there could be any feeling in Canada other than neutrality in the American-Hispano war it was one of sympathy and hearty cooperation with the Linited States.

President McKinley Calls for More Troops to Fight Spain.

RAISES THE ARMY TO 280,000

Larger Forces to be Sent to Cuba and the Philippines Than was at First Intended - Cuban Invasion will be Rushed-Porto Rico Will be Taken.

The President has issued a proclamation calling for 75,000 more volunteers. This will make the total army strength, regular and volunteers, 280, 000. The proclamation is as follows:

Whereas, An act of congress was approved on the 35th day of April, 1898, entitled "An act declaring that war exists between the United States of America and the kingdom of Spain,"and

Whereas, By an act of congress entitled "An act to provide for temporarily increasing the military establishment of the United States in the time of war, and for other purposes," approved April 22, 1808, the President is authorized in order to raise a volunteer army, to issue his proclamation calling for volunteers to serve in the army of the United States.

Now, therefore, I, William McKinley,

President of the United States, by virtue of the power vested in me by the constitution, and the laws and deeming sufficient occasion to exist, have thought fit to call forth and hereby do call forth, volunteers to the aggregate number of 75,000 in addition to volunteers called forth by proclamation of the 23d day of April in the present year; the same to be apportioned, as far as practicable, among the several states and territories and the District of Columbia, according to population, and to serve for two years unless sooner discharged. The proportion of each state and the details of enlistment and organization will be made known through the war

department. Secretary Alger said the additional volunteers called for will not be recruited from the National Guard, as were the first 125,000, but that the enlistments will be open. The regulations referred to in the proclamation under which the enlistments will be conducted have not yet been prepared.

Troops Sail for Philippines.

The first division of the army for the invasion of the Philippines sailed from San Francisco on the steamers City of Peking, City of Sydney and Australia. The First California volunteers were given an ovation seldom equaled as they marched from the state camp at the Presidio, five miles through the streets of San Francisco to the dock to embark on the City of Peking. The regiment was composed of 49 officers and 953 enlisted men, and besides these the City of Peking carried 10 officers and 71 sailors of the navy. The City of Sydney carried 13 officers and 318 enlisted men of the Second Oregon volunteers; 9 officers and 300 men of the first companies of the 14th U.S. infantry, one officer and 50 men of the California heavy artillery. The Australia carried the headquarters, staff and band and two battalions of Oregon volunteers, comprising 37 officers and 676 men.

The delay in sending troops to the Philippines has been occasioned by the lack of suitable vessels for transports. Only vessels flying the American flag can be used, but the navy department received an offer from the Northern Pacific Steamship Co. at Seattle, placing at the disposal of the department the company's entire fleet of steamers, provideù they be given American register. The ships are the Tacoma, Arizons, Columbia, Victoria and Argyll. All are British built vessels and fly the British flag, but congress will be asked to give them American register and they will be utilized at once as transports. There are also several situable American vessels which will be secured as soon as they arrive from Oriental ports.

The Monterey Sent to Dewey.

The big monitor Monterey has been ordered to proceed to Manila to reinforce Admiral Dewey's fleet. The Monterey is probably the most formidable monitor in the world, yet she combines with the enormous offensive and defensive qualities of the monitor type a seaworthiness that is almost phenomenal. The Monterey is 4,000 tons displacement, 256 feet long by 59 feet beam and 14 feet 6 inches draft. She carries in two turrets surrounded by barbettes, two 12-inch and two 10inch guns, six 6-pounders, four onepounders and two gatlings. The turrets are eight inches thick and the surrounding barbettes are 14 inches and 111/2 inches of steel, and against this armor all the batteries of Manila might thunder without effecting an entrance. The Monterey's personnel is 19 officers and 172 men, and once she is safely in the entrance of Manila harbor nothing in the Spanish navy would be likely to budge her.

The British government has notified the Newfoundland authorities to prevent the coaling of Spanish vessels in those waters.

Reports from Manile state that Admiral Dewey's blockade is thoroughly efficient. It is becoming daily more apparent that the Philippine insurgents cannot be trusted as allies of the Amerceans, half of them being in favor of

THE INVASION OF CUSA.

Ne Necessity for Longer Delay and Troops Will Move Seen.

President McKinley has demonstrated that it is the policy of the United States to have an army of about 300,000 men ready for business withing month. This army will consist of 60,006 regulars, 200,000 volunteers, 10,000 especially enlisted men who have suffered from contangious disease likely to be encountered in the tropics, and who are therefore considered impervious to such complaint 3,500 'rough riders" caraltymen, and about 3,000 more special men forming an engineer corps and a signal corps of the volunteers.

According to the best advices the President's intention is to have 40,000 or 50,000 of these troops sent to the Philippines for the purpose of occupying those islands completely. These men will be sent from San Francisco just as rapidly as they can be equipped for the journey and embarked on transports. About 100,000 will be transported to Cuba just as soon as Maj.-Gen. Miles can complete his arrangements. About 20,000 more are destined for Porto Rico, which island it is the intention of the United States to capture and hold. The President favors having Gen. Miles lead the way to Cuba with as near 70,000 men as can be prepared for service within two weeks. and Gen. Brooke to command the expedition to Porto Rico. The Cuban invaders will go first and will comprise two-thirds of the regular troops and as many of the volunteers as can be prepared. The Porto Rico expedition will, as far as possible, embrace the volunteers from the eastern states.

U Dispatches fr m Washington and Tampa indicate that there will soon be a movement of the army of Cuban invasion. With the powerful fleets under Sampson and Schley keeping Cervera penned up and a squadron of monitors guarding the Yucatan passage, the war department feels that the invasion need not longer be postponed, and all speed is being made in preparing for the transportation of the troops. It is suggested that 25,000 men be landed on Cuban soil west of Havana and strong fortifications thrown up to serve as a base of operations. The landing of a larger force would follow later without difficulty.

out of sending only regular troops on the first expedition the fleet of transports at Port Tampa is amply sufficient for that purpose. With the arrival of the Iroquois, Santiago and Cherokee 21 transports are now at the port, every one fitted for embarkation. The ships will easily accommodate between 25,000 and 26,000 men, somewhat over the total, number of regular troops in camp at Tampa. It is thought 36 hours after orders are issued to embark every man, horse and pound of supplies can be placed on board the vessels in waiting.

Maj.-Gen. Shafter, in command of the troops about Tampa, says that 75, 000 troops, with artillery, would certainly be all that would be needed for the invasion of Cuba. There are encamped about Tampa one brigade of light artillery, five regiments of cavalry, 15 regiments of infantry, and three companies of engineers. Besides these there are over 20,000 volunteers from various states in Gen. Shafter's district. Heavy batteries and huge siege guns will follow the troops to Cuba as soon as a base of supplies is established.

Oregon Arrives and Sails Again. Secretary Long received an official dispatch announcing the arrival of the battleship Oregon in Jupiter Inlet, Fla. Lieut. Davis, of the Oregon, came ashore and announced that 'the Marietta and Buffalo were lying out with the Oregon. "Our race," said Lieut. Davis, "was a most exciting one, and especially after we left Bahia, for we then knew of the possibility of inter-

ception. Capt. Clark, however, kept the little fleet in constant readiness, and had we run into the Spanish fleet we should have been heard from. As it is, we are all happy that our race from San Francisco is now ended, and that we shall have a chance to take part with the fleets now looking for the Spaniards."

Later-The U.S. battleship Oregon has left Jupiter, Fla.

Volunteers Land in Cubs.

Unless some accident has befallen the U.S. transport Florida there are now U. S. volunteer troops on the island of Cuba. The Florida left Port Tampa last week with several hundred volunteer troops on board. The passengers belonged to the regiment of Cuban volunteers organized in the lower extremity of Florida some weeks ago. If this expedition is a success other troops will be rushed into the island as soon as possible. Besides the 400 Cubans, the Florida carried five earloads of ammonition, 10,000 Springfield rifles, several Hotchkiss one-inch rapid fire field guns and 75 pack mules. Just where the landing place was to be was kept a secret, but it was supposed in Tampa that the Florids was to land within twelve miles of Havana.

The French ship chartered by Senor Polo y Bernabe to carry coal to St. Pierre, Miquelon, where the Cadis equadron is expected to replenish its bunkers, is reported lost at sea, with all bands.

CERVERA CAUGHT IN A TRAP

Cornered by American War Ships in Santiago Harboy.

MUST SURRENDER OR STARVE

Authorities Undecided Whether to Try to Reduce the Fortifications and Enter the Harbor or to Keep Ceryera Bottled up-He's Doomed, Anyway.

Authentic dispatches received at Washington state that the Spanish fleet under Admiral Cervera is in the harbor of Santiago de Cuba and the U.S. fleets under Admiral Sampson and Commodore Schley are maneuvering outside. The great naval battle of the war may take place in or near the harbor of Santiago. Now that Sampson and Schley have met and found Cervera in Santiago the question is how to get at him. To run the guns of the Morro (round) eastle and other strong fortifications and the torpedo defenses will be difficult. Only one ship can pass in at a time. The dangers of such exposure are tremendous. An attack on the fortifications by bombardment will probably be the first movement. Even with the mines destroyed the Spanish men-of-war can operate with deadly effect in guarding the pass to their haven. No better position could have been chosen by the Spanish admiral. To overcome him a procession of the American ships will have to fire broadside after broadside through and beyond the land-locked pass. A blockade might starve Cervera out and make him issue from the bay to fight in desperation, but the place is believed to be well stocked with food.

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Havana is well invested by Commodore Watson's squadron of 14 vessels, and it is possible that with Cervera bottled up at Santiago an attack may be made on both places at the same

At Washington opinions differ as to what should be done. There is a sentiment in the navy in favor of keeping the Spanish fleet pocketed in Santiago harbor. There is a sentiment equally strong in favor of wiping out the San-Should the original plan be carried | tiago batteries and the Cervera fleet by a combined land and naval attack. Naval officers all agree on one point, that the Spanish position is strong and the problem difficult. It is confidently expected that should the Spanish attempt to force a passage to sea the news of the total destruction of their fleet may be expected at any time.

> It is authoritatively stated that the situation of the Santiago harbor is such that our gunboats, which are available for the purpose, could successfully prevent the escape of the Spaniards, thus relieving a considerable part of both Sampson's and Schley's fleets for operations elsewhere. Members of the administration regard the present situation as most favorable for our cause and do not doubt that in a very short time the Spanish fleet will be utterly destroyed and active operations begun against Havana by both our military and naval forces.

The published report that another and more formidable fleet is en route from Cadiz to the relief of the imprisoned squadron is not credited by members of the administration, but should this prove to be the fact, the move would be welcomed by our naval authorities, as it would certainly result, it is said, in the destruction of the two fleets instead of one.

We Will Have to Annex Hawall, Now.

The sending of the invading expeditions to the Philippines will affect the Hawaiian question vitally. Like the eruiser Charleston, the transports which carry troops must stop at Hawaii to replenish their coal bunkers. If the Hawaiians let us take this coal without the pretext that we are using it to make our way to our nearest home port, as is required by international law in such cases, they will stand convicted of a gross breach of neutrality that, in the eyes of the law of nations, allies them with the United States in hostility to Spain. The taking of coal by the American ships at Hawaii to make an extensive campaign against the Spanish possessions will undoubtedly result in compelling the United States either to assume a protectorate over the islands or to annex them.

THE WAR SITUATION.

Col. Grigsby's battalion 186 cowboys from the northwest, dressed in full cowboy outfit, created a sensation in Chicago where they stopped one day on their way to the front.

The Spaniards are preparing what they call their third Atlantic squadron which will consist of the Princesa de Asturias of 7,000 tons, with a speed of 20 knots: the Cardinal Cianeros. size and speed; the Lepanto, 5.000 tons. 20 knots, and the Numancia and the Vitoria, which are being rearmored.

The U. S. government is investigating the reported sale by France to Spain of the islands of St. Pierre and Miquelon, south of Newfoundland. It is said Spain intends to use the islands as a base of supplies. If she report is true Uncle Sam will take the islands and will also bring France to time for violation of neutrality.

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"Your wife, Dick!" cried Lady Aylmer, opening her eyes wider than ever. "Why—but there, I won't keep you. Come with me; I have the brougham here. I've been seeing Constance Seymour off; she has been staying a few days with me. I will drive you where you like; the cab can bring your luggage."

"That is awfully good of you," said Dick. "I can tell you the whole story as we go along. But first tell me where is he?"

"My lord? In town," with a significant nod. "There is somebody, and I don't think he has been successful this time. Something is going on, and his temper is fiendish, and I'm afraid, my dear Dick, he will take your return had-

"I don't think, Lady Aylmer," answered Dick, steadily, "that he will find himself in a position to make any remarks on the subject. Then you don't know what he is after just now?"

"Not in the least. And I don't choose to ask the servants, though I dare say they know all about it," she answered.

"Then," Dick said, "I will tell you. May I close this window? I feel the change of climate a little. Thanks. Well, Lady Aylmer, I have been married more than a year, and he saw my wife, and—and did her the honor to admire her. He sent me out of the way to India, and look at this," opening his pocket-book and showing her a scrap of newspaper. 'I have not heard from my wife for more than three months, and then I found this—a pitiful message from her to me. I have written, telegraphed, eaten my very heart out, and he has stopped all communicition between us. She is breaking her heart, believing that I am false to her-I, who only live for her."

"And when you meet my lord—there will be a reckoning?" Lady Aylmer said inquiringly.

"Yes," answered Dick grimly, "there will be a reckoning, and I don't think Lord Aylmer will venture to question me about my return home."

They very soon reached the road in which Palace Mansions may be found, and as the brougham drew up at the entrance to the building Lady Aylmer uttered an exclamation of surprise. "My dear boy, you will catch him in the act—that is our carriage."

The servants were huddled up in furs over their gorgeous liveries, but Dick knew them instantly. They, too, recognized Lady Aylmer, and touched their hats.

"Go straight in," she said. "Which are the windows?"

"To the right of the door," Dick answered.

They were scarcely an instant, and Dick felt in his pcc et. "I took my latch-key by accident," he whispered.



"YOU SCOUNDREL!"
"I little thought I should find it so use-

The next moment he had opened the door, when Amelia Harris, hearing him, came quickly out from the kitchen and fell back aghast to see her ladyship and my lord's heir, Mr. Aylmer. "You," said Dick, in disgust. "Not

"You," said Dick, in disgust. "No one word—at your peril."

"Mr. Aylmer—my lady——" she began, when Lady Aylmer stopped her by a wave of her hand.

"Go bick to your kitchen, woman," she said coldiy. "Dick, is there any other entrance to this house? No? Then lock that door. 'We shall require that woman later, probably."

She pointed imperiously to the door out of which Amelia had just come, and there was no choice but obedience. All this had passed in a whisper, and Lady Aylmer said in the same tone to Dick: "Which is the drawing-room?"

Dick: "Which is the drawing-ro-"That—the door is not dissed." "Is there a screen?"

"Yes."
"Pash it open," she said.
And even as Dick contiously did so
they heard Lord Aylmet's voice speak-

ing to some one within.
"But, Dorothy, my darling, my dear little love, do you refuse me? Is there mething I can do to propitiete was?"

mothing I can do to propitiate you?"
"Nothing," Derothy's ead, selt voice seplied. "I wish you would go away---

thought you were so kind and good and fatherly; but I see my mistake now. I suppose I dught to be angry with you, only it seems ridiculous to be angry in that way with an old gentleman like

you."

"I am not old, Dorothy. I should always be young if you cared for me,"
he replied.

"Oh, I dare say," answered Dorothy, indifferently; "but I am married, and I am very miserable."

"Let me make you happy," he urged.
"Could you give me the moon if I cried for it?" she asked with soft scorn.
"Do not talk nonsense, Lord Aylmer.
Go home and try to realize that you have mistaken a good woman and a faithful wife for something else; and try to remember, too, that if you persist in your useless attentions you become my persecutor."

"No," said Dorothy, wearily, "because you cannot—you cannot give up what you have never had. I am nothing, and have never been anything but a wish to you. I never shall be—never," with a sudden gust of passion. "Not if you stayed on your knees from now till crack of uoom."

"And you think I shall take this answer?" he cried, furiously.

quietly. "You cannot help yourself. I have no other to give you."

"You think I will leave you—to go dreaming on about the fellow who betrayed you and deserted you, who has left you for months without sign or name, who——"

"Married me," cried Dorothy, goaded into betraying her secret at last. "I am D'c's wife—I shall be Lady Aylmer some day."

"Pamnation!" cried the old savage, in a fury.

"My boy is your helr, my lord," she cated, triumphantly, "so you see how likely, how very likely, the other arrangement is."

Then she broke down and began to cry piteously. Dick went a step further into the room.

"Dorothy," said the old lord, "I beg of you not to cry like that. I will do anything, everything, to make you happy-I will settle five thousand a year on you," at which Lady Aylmer spread out her hands expressively to Dick, for the old lord and "cried poor" for many and many a year. "What! still no? Dorothy, be reasonably, think! You have compromised yourself with me-I have been here continually-my carriage stands at your door for hours. Dck will never come back, never-I know him so well; and even if he did, he would never believe you against all the evidence which could be brought against you. Why, think of your position now-you are alone in the house with me, except for a woman who is my gervant-my tool. Your cousin has gone away for two days. Your old servant is away, too. At this moment you are absolutely at my mercy."

"Oh! no, no!" Dorothy cried, as if struggling against him.

"At my mercy," went on the wicked, sneering vo.ce, "and I have no mercy—"

mercy—"
"Nor I," thundered Pick, dashing the screen aside.

He had his uncle by the throat ere Dorothy, in her surprise, could gasp out his name. "You scoundrel! you viliain!" he cried, and shook him as a terrier shakes a rat, flinging him backward on to a lounge.

"My love! my sweetheart!" he eried, tenderly, tarning to Dorothy. "I got your poor little pitiful message at last. My poor little love, dear little wife, there has been nothing worse between us than that wicked o-d sinner there."

us than that wicked o-d sinner there."
"Dick! D.ca!" was all that she could

CHAPTER XXXIV.



RULY a more miserable woman than Amelia Dresser, otherwise Harris, did not live in London town that day. "Dick," said Lady Aylmer, walking

Aylmer, walking into the little dining-room, while the doctor, Charles and Dresser were carrying the unconscious eld lord into Dor-

othy's bedroom, "your wife cannot in any case stop here. Oh, is that the baby? What a leve! But, tell me, would it not be best for her to take the child to Belgrave Square? I suppose you have a nurse, my dear?"

"Oh, yes. Esther would make me

"Then just take what you are likely to want for the night and let the nurse pack up a few things for the child, and take her now, Dick. The carriage is at the here. Tell them who she is, of

have a nurse." Dorothy answered.

comfertable. It is better for his to to

"I would rather stop, Lady Aylmer," cried Dorothy. "Don't part me from Dick so soon, for he would have to come back here. I will stay in this room. I will keep quite out of the way; indeed I will."

"Very well-very well," said my lady, smiling.

She was very considerate and tender with Dorothy, yet her heart was heavy at the disclosures of the past hour. It was a terrible end, even to an unhappy marriage, and Lady Aylmer, remember, had been married for love.

Well, that exciting day dragged itself away. Dorothy would have Dick send off a telegram to Esther and Barbara, announcing his return home. For Barbara had recovered very slowly from her accident, and having taken a chill, which was followed by an attack of bronchitis, had been peremptorily ordered off to Bournemouth, whither Esther had taken her.

There was so much to tell Dick, so much for Dick to tell her, and they sat almost all the afternoon by the fire talking. And Lady Aylmer kept watch by the bed of him who had lived so wicked a life, and prayed with heart and soul for that mercy which he had never troubled to ask for himself, and could not ask, now that it was too late.

For it was too late! Lord Aylmer never opened his eyes consciously on this world again. For several hours he lay breathing hard and unconscious of all the remedies applied to him, and of the means by which the doctors tried to arouse him from his stupor. All in vain! The life which might have been a noble one, but which had been given over to all manner of evil, slipped away, and about 6 o'clock, while Dick and his wife were still sitting by the fire talking, with the lights turned low, Lady Aylmer came gently in. Dick knew in a moment from her manner what had happened.

"Lady Aylmer, is it——?"
And, in answer, Lady Aylmer took



PRAYED WITH HEART AND SOUL. Dorothy in her arms and kissed her. "My dear," she said, "you are Lady Aylmer now."

THE END.

Two Missionary Heroes.

Among the almost innumerable acts of heroism recorded of missionaries in various parts of the world, two stand out very prominentlynamely the performances of Joseph de Veuster (Father Damien), the missionary who devoted his life to the service of the lepers of the Sandwich Islands; and Samuel Marsden, the missionary to and friend of the Maori. One of the most heroic deeds of the latter was on the occasion of his first landing amongst them at the Bay of Islands on the 23d of December, 1814. On seeing the hordes of yelling, armed savages upon the beach, his crew tried to dissuade him from landing, but Marsden was determined, and stepped alone, and unarmed, from the boat. That night he slept in the open air under a great tree, surrounded by hundreds of the flercest beings that men could well conceive. Marsden, however, had no fear, and lived to see his work successful. On the 13th of May, 1873. Father Damien sailed from Honolulu for the Island of Molokai, the leper settlement, where, on landing, he was met by 700 wretched beings with limbs twisted out of all shape, flesh rotting from their bones, and all hop dead within them; yet he went amon them with a smiling face and cheerfu spirit, although he knew the certainty that sooner or later he would be in fected with the same horrible diseas from which they suffered. For twelv years he escaped the fatal disease though in constant contact with th sick and dying, but in 1885 the malad appeared in him and though his door was sealed, he continued his labor unabeted. His whole life from May 1878, until his death was one long-con tinued series of heroic deeds,

Athletic Exercise of Peer Sect.

Circumstances connected with the issuing of a liquor license have brought out the fact that an "athletic club" in Philadelphia consumes twenty-five barrels of beer a month. The process of disposing of that quantity of beer gless by glass, necessarily involves a good deal of physical exercise, but it was not exercise of that description that brought Gladstone to his 30 years.

replied. "I wish you would go away— still here. Tell them who she is, of Does a men without erms find a sim-I have mistaken you all clong. I course; and see that they make her ple execution beyond his grass?

UNCLE SAM WILL KEEP THEM.

Martial Law to be Declared in the Phil-

ippines by Maj.-Gen. Morritt. Maj.-Gen. Merritt, who is to go to the Philippine islands as military governor, is expected to govern them under martial law until congress decides what shall finally be done with them. There is now little doubt that they will be permanently held by the United States. In view of this belief some consideration is already being given to the problem of devising a civil government for the islands when the war is ended. The proposition that seems to meet most favor is to have the government of the islands administered by a board of three commissioners, to be composed of two civilans and one officer of the U.S. army, as in the District of Columbia. When the number of Americans in the islands increases sufficiently a very limited form of popular government would be introduced, to be expanded in the future. Tariff taxes are to be collected by military authority, and are to be turned into the treasury of the United States.

Upon the proclamation of martial law by Maj. Gen. Merritt the civil government of Spanish authorities will be completely superseded and Gov. Augusti will become virtually a prisoner of war. Under the joint supervision of Gen. Merritt and Admiral Dewey the captured Spanish fortifications will be placed in the best defensive condition and should the Cadiz fleet attempt to retake the islands it will meet with a hot reception.

Official advices received from Admiral Dewey, while confirming the belief that his control of Manila harbor is as firm as ever, indicate that the necessity for reinforcing him with a powerful militiary force is daily increasing. Gen. Merritt's demand for forces has been acceded to, and has resulted in securing the President's promise that 25,000 additional soldiers would be cheerfully furnished if they were required.

THE NEWS CONDENSED.

Dr. Wallace Radcliffe, of Washington, D. C., formerly of Detroit, was elected moderator of the 110th session of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church, at Winona, Ind.

The Spanish loss during the recent bombardment at Cienfuegos is now known to have been much heavier than at first reported. Over 300 Spaniards were killed and several hundred more wounded. Great damage was done along the coast.

Senor Polo, formerly Spanish minister to Washington, later chief of Spanish spies in America, sailed from Montreal on the steamship Dominion for Liverpool, en route to Madr.d. Senor du Bosc, ex-charge d'affaires, at Washington, will continue the spy department.

Premier Sagasta formed another cabinet with Lieut.-Gen. Correa as minister of war; Capt. Aunon, minister of marine, and Senor Castillo, minister of foreign affairs. The latter is Spanish ambassador at Paris and delined to accept, saying that he could be of greater service to his country where he is now.

It is now reported that the New York was the only vessel of Sampson's fleet to return to Key West last week. The real reason for the return of the flagship was to get a new searchlight and replace the smashed paraphernelia of her 8-inch guns. It was this that led to the story that the whole fleet had returned.

The navy department is proud of the record made by the battleship Oregon from an engineering point of view. The reports to the department from the ship shows that she does not need a particle of repairs to her machinery after her 13,000 miles continuous run from our Pacific coast to Cuban waters. The record has never been equaled. The Buffalo, which came with the Oregon from Brazil, is to be overhauled at Newport News, armored, given a new battery of 5-inch guns and altogether made an effective modern cruiser.

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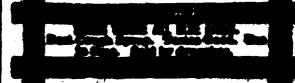
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The term opens before the ground is in condition to plow or vegetation far enough advanced to study. The work, in the farm department, for the first four weeks, therefore, is given in the class room and consists of a series of talks on farm crops, and another on the history of soil formation and methods of culture. The principal crops of the state are taken up in order and discussed as to soil requirments, geographical distribution, place in the rotation, adaptibility to Michigan conditions, relative merits as to financial profit and methods of growing. The different classes of soil are studied as to source, history of production, physicial peculiarities and principles of culture.

By the first of May ihe characteristic work of the term begins. The class is divided into two sections, one working from one until three, the other from three until five. Each section is divided into three subsections. One subsection will be found on a given day studying bee keeping. Beginning with the handling of bees in the winter the boys study, in the yard, the introduction or queens, the construction of hives, the peculiari ties of the worker, drone and queen cells, and the details of the handling of an apiary for the production of honey.

subsection is studying poultry judging. The many varities of and regiment to which they bechickens owned by the college are long, as by doing so the distribubrought into requisition for this work. The Mediterranean, Asiatic and American classes are taken up in turn until the student is fafor mature fowls.

subsections meet together to study nity of Mount Lebanon is describthe most important features of the ed by Madeline S. Bridges. farm operations of the week. It Edward Bok has a vigorous edmay be a study of the weeds itorial page, while Lilian Bell has which have blossomed during the crossed the Russian frontier and week or the grasses and useful writes of her journey, her experplants that have reached the stage liences and of the people she met where they can be best examined. in Poland. "The Graves in the Then, too, are talked over the Old Breastwork" narrates an Alareasons for the various steps taken bana Memorial Day incident, the

in farm work. presupposed and no attempt is Burdette—the second of his "Kingrade to teach the boy how to dergarten" series and a song plow, drag or drill. He must get "First Summer Days." Mrs. S. this knowledge in vacation and T. Rorer writes on soups and on outside of college hours. Skill in fruits, and the Journal architect these matters is, however, requir- presents plans for three small as a condition of graduation.—C. churches. Four special pages are D. S. In M. A. C. Record.

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to be called upon to don the uniform of a United States soldier. In Michigan the law provides that 11. all able bodied citizens between they will lose the Williamston the ages of 21 and 45 years are liable to military duty with the following exceptions: Ministers of the gospel, judges of the supreme, district, circuit and probate courts, members and officers of the legislature, allofficers and guards of the state prisons, all commissioned officers of the state militia who have served as such fully uniformed and equipped according to law and regulation for conditions. All state and county officers (except notaries public) and all teachers engaged in public institutions and public schools.

interesting items.

Every ton of Atlantic water when evaporated yields 81 pounds of salt; a ton of Pacific water 79 pounds, Arctic and Anarctic waters yield 85 pounds and Dead Sen water 187 pounds.

Gnn cotton is a high explosive and is extensively used in naval rags within the last few years, it

see the Canadiars wearing the ber of people from whom he took union jack and the stars and stripes side by side on the lapels of their coats. Surely this is evidence enough that England is with United States in the present trife with Spain.

The Post Office department asks the press to give this notice an insertion or two: "Friends and relatives of soldiers in the field. . At the same time the second in addressing letters to them. should mark plainly the company tion of the mail will be faciliated This applies to both the regular troops and the militia volunteers."

As its opening feature the June miliar with the characteristics of Ladies' Home Journal interestingeach breed; then follows work ly presents a series of characteris. with incubators, instruction in tic anecdotes of Mrs. Cleveland, feeding young chickens and caring illustrated with photographs made especially for the article. The an-The third subsection may be ecdotes, recalling many of Mrs. either at fence building or general Cleveland's sayings and doings, farm work. If the former, the are contributed anonymously by attention is directed to the best her closest friends. With the style of wire fences, the way to concluding letters of the series fasten down and brace end and giving "The luner Experiences of corner posts, the differnt styles of a Cabinet Member's Wife" in stays, how to stretch the wire and Washington, the authorship is dishow in general to build a fence. closed and much curious interest If the work is on the farm the manifested. The poetic romance student may be set at one of a of Brownings is related by Clifford dozen different jobs that are to Howard, in an article on "The be done on the farm at this season. Most Beautiful Love Story in Lit-Each Friday afternoon the three erature" and the Shaker commu-

other fiction feature being Julia-A knowledge of how to care for Magruder's "A Heaven-Kissing horses, how to drive teams, and Hill"—the third installment. how to do general farm work is There is a sketch by Humorist devoted to women's gowns, and there are articles on needlework and nearly every feature of home life is touched upon. By the The present war naturally Curtis Publishing Company, Philbrings up the question as to who edelphia. One dollar per year;

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Dansville is to have two mails per day from Mason, after July . It is feared however that mail route and some do not like

A bicycle house has been erected in connection with the Howell Condensed Milk Works and Cheese Factory, for the convenience of the employes riding wheels.

Edward Lamieux, a native of Great Britian, Matt Johnson, a native of Russia, Emil Marsch, a six years, and under certain other native of Germany and John Vidic a native of Austria, took out naturalization papers in this county last week and then went to Island Lake and enlisted.

> of Michigan have purchased a flag . Ex. staff one hundred and fifty feet high for the center of the campus. Half of it will be of steel, and the other half a ship's mast. The flag is 40 feet wide and was the gift of the Chicago Alumnae Association who purchased it at the World's

A number of men will have undershirt may be fired at Spain. | Saturday. He sold a number of Those who visit Windsor will belts, to say nothing of the num-

The Stockbridge Sun began shining on its fifteenth volume May its brightness last week. never grow any less.

Labor Commissioner Cox announces that the number of suicides in this state for the nine months ending April 18 exceeded that for any previous year in the history of Michigan. The total Jackson and Intermidte Sta. number was 143.

The wire attached to the observation kite operated in connection with the United States weather bureau at Lansing was struck by lightening, the electric fluid destroying 4,000 feet of wire and making a splendid exhibition. Operator Hyle's life was saved because he had hold of the wooden handles. His clothes were slight-The Regents of the University burned by flying bits of wire.

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A. C. Thomas, of Marysville. Texas has found a more valuable discovery than has yet been made in the Klondike, for years he suffered untold ageny from consumption, accompani ed by hemorrhages, and was absolutewars. Much of it is made from reason to remember dearly a slick by cored by Dr. Kings's New Discovery old cotton rags. If you have sold fakir, claiming to be from Texas for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, who appeared to be on the streets be declares that gold is of little value is possible that your old cotton of Howell selling electric belts, in comparison to this marvelous cure would have it even if it cost a hundred dollars a bottle. Asthma, Bronchitis and all throat and lung \$50 or \$100, perhaps.-Republi- Dr. King's New Discovery for Conaffectations are positively cured by can. We clip the above so that sumption. Trial bottles free at F. A. our people may be on the watch Sizier's drug store. Regular size 50c for the fakir and "bite" more and \$1 Charanteed to cure or money refunded.

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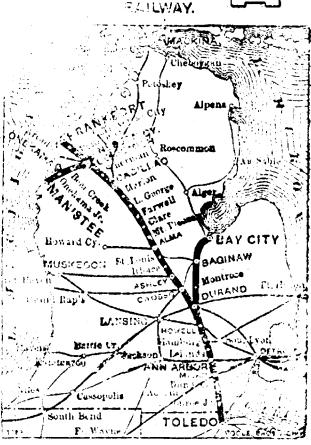
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Additional Local.

H. G. Briggs spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Howell. Mrs. Briggs who has been there a couple of weeks returned with him.

Mrs. Geo. Smith died at her home in Marion township on Friday morning last. She was well known in this vicinity. The remains were taken to Commerce for burial.

Some dogs in this vicinity are getting positively dangerous. One cannot pass along the street without being disturbed by some of these useless curs. The next time you go out, arm yourself and act accordingly.

caucuses to elect delegates to attend the county convention to be held at the court house on Monday, June 20. Send us the date of your caucuses and we will publish them free of charge.

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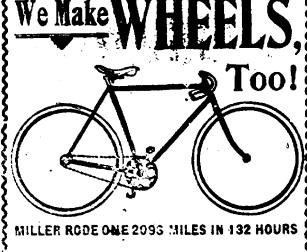
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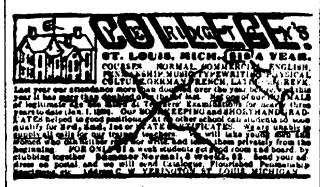
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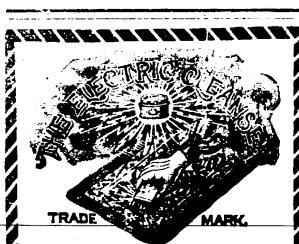
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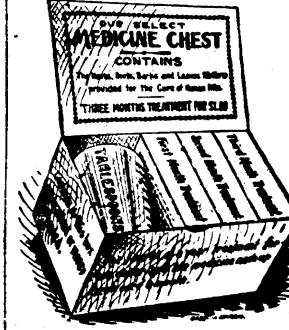
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War with Spain directly after the death by torture of Dr. Ruiz would have saved half a million lives.

Go to a ralmist when you are blue and you'll come away a happier man, says a writer. Anyhow, you'll make the palmist happier.

If Mr. Godkin of the New York Post had his way every man in our army would go to war handcuffed and every officer would wear a muzzle.

A maxim is a sententious form of wisdom that has always been popular. Uncle Sam has recently added one hundred to his stock-of the H. S. Maxim variety.

"Long live Spain!" shout the mobs of the Spanish cities. The remark may mean patriotism, and then again it might rationally end with an interrogation point. Because there is doubt of it.

The punishment by fine and dismissal from employment of some rowdies for burning the president in effigy is a salutary incident. We do not want in this country any such system of lese majeste prosecutions as they have in Germany. But there shou'd be a decent public respect observed for the man who is chosen by the nation to be its chief execu ive and who herefore himself represents the nation in his person.

Consul Smith, of Moscow, writing to the State Department under date of March 15, says: "It is decided by the authorities to have an express service between St. Petersburg and the farthest extremity of the Siberian Railway which is finished. A train will be dispatched twice a week and will make the entire run in six days. The train will consist of one dining car, with library, passenger and sleeping coaches, and will have all modern conveniences."

War has its blessings as well as its ills, and we have already experienced one of the greatest of these in the revival of patriotism throughout the whole country. Everywhere "old glory" waves and patriotic emblems are in evidence. Everywhere the people are heaping honors and godspeeds upon the boys in blue as they send them forth to do battle for their country. The whole national heart is throbbing with patriotism as never before since the days of Washington. Such an exhibition of sentiment by 75,000,000 Americans cannot fail to make a strong and lasting impression upon the national life.

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A college team that has "the waves of Lake Michigan for a playground, human lives for a goal and the elements for ump re," is composed of students of the Northwestern University of Eventton, Ill, who, when not quietly pursuing their studies, are on duty at the United States life saving station. Their greatest game of the past season occurred on a day when the teams of several eastern coleges were breaking each other's bones on the football field. In the teeth of a Hving sale, with the air full of sleet. and snow, these brave boys, at the remeated risk of their own lives. brought off fifteen men from a shinwrecked vessel. Their names were promotly added to the honor roll of the government service, and they have since received gold medals to commemorate the day. There are athletins and athletics.

CUT IN HALL OF SHOT

BRAVE SEAMEN FROM AMERI-CAN SHIPS DID DARING AT CIENFUEGOS, CUBA.

Spaniards Shoot from Wasked Batteries and Rife Pits Upon the Handful of Bluejackets Ordered to Sever the Wires Leading Into the City.

Amid a perfect storm of shot from Spanish rifles and batteries the American forces cut the cables at Cienfuegos Wednesday morning, May 11.

Four determined boat crews, under command of Lieutenant Winslow and Ensign Magruder, from the cruiser Marblehead and the gunboat Nashville, put out from the ships, the coast having previously been shelled. The work of the volunteers was perilous, and one was killed while bravely doing his duty, six others being seriously wounded. The man instantly killed was Patrick Reagan. None of the ships was damaged to any extent. The cruiser Marblehead, the gunboat Nashville and the auxiliary cruiser Windom diew up 1,000 yards from shore with their guns manned for desperate duty.

One cable had already been cut and the work was in progress on the other when the Spaniards in rifle pits and a battery in an old lighthouse, standing out in the bay, opened fire. The warships poured in a thunderous volley, their great guns be'ching forth massive shells into the swarms of the enemy. The crews of the boats calmly proceeded with their desperate work, notwithstanding the fact that a number had fallen, and finished it, returning to the ships through a blinding smoke and a heavy fire.

More than 1,000 infantrymen on shore kept up a continuous fire and the bullets from the machine guns struck the warships a hundred times, but did no great damage. Commander Maynard of the gunboat Nashville was slightly wounded by a rifle bullet that beforestriking him passed through the arm of an ensign, whose name is unknown. Lieutenant Winslow was shot in the hand, making three officers wounded in all. After the Spaniards had been driven from the rifle pits many of them took refuge in the lighthouse fortress, | controlled by United States officials. It | stocking above or below the knee. A

and for more than an hour worked unmolested on the cable. Suddenly, just as the work was about completed, the shore battery fired a shell at the boats. It was followed by others, and the Spanish infantry opened fire then with their rifles. Then, like a flash, the Marblehead sent a shell inland, and followed it with a perfect shower of shot. The Nashville was quick to follow suit, and the little Windom cut loose with her four-pounders.

In the meanwhile Spanish bullets fell in every direction around the small boats. Though the attack had come suddenly and flercely the bluejackets were not dismayed, and, protected by the terrific return fire of the warships, work was continued and the

cable cut. The Spaniards had by this time suffered severe loss. Their shots from the lighthouse struck the warships several times, and, although they did not do much damage, the fire aroused the determination of the American officers to exterminate the fort. Thereafter, for the moment, the fire of the warships was concentrated upon the lighthouse and the improvised fort was blown to pieces. As there were great numbers of Spaniards in and behind the fort at the time there is no doubt that many of them were killed. The Marblehead and the Nashville used their heaviest guns, as well as their small rapid-fire guns, and hundreds of shots were thrown into the Spanish

The Marblehead was struck scores of times by bullets from machine guns and the Nashville suffered to about the same extent. The Windom also had many marks of the fray. Her shell blowing up the lighthouse and scattering the Spaniards in all directions ended the battle.

The cable which was cut at Cienfuegos extended from that city to Santiago de Cuba. It does not sever cable communication with Cuba, as there is another line in operation between Santiago de Cuba and Kingston, Jamaica. The severed cable is owned by the Cuba Submarine company. The one opCARTERS ARE GAYER.

Then Ever Before, and Startling in Their Brillianey.

New York Sun: Garters are mayor than ever before. No woman dreams of wearing plain elastic bands to keep up her stockings nowadays. Indeed, garters are now made to many colored that the rival the fashionable hosiery itself when it comes to startling billliancy. A garter can come about as near marring or making a woman's happiness as any trifling accessory to her toilet. Women generally, long ago, gavedup the elastic band which held the stacking up telow or above the knee. Health culturists first told them that it was injurious, prevening perfect circulation, but the sex clung to it with its bejeweled buckles and beautiful rows of ribbon. Then the culturists told them that the round garter would spoil the shape of the leg, and they dropped it like a hot cake and adopted the suspender garter or stocking supporter, as it is oftened called. The newest supporters are made of very b oad and fa cy s l't el stic in brilliant Scotch plaids or Roman stripes, or else plain clastic covered with ribbons that would shame Joseph's coat, put on full. The catches and side buckles are of white metal, silver, silver gilded and pure gold, and some of them are studden with precious and semi-precious gems. One style fastens around the wai t of the wearer by means of a satin belt matching in color the predominating color of the elastic; the other faste s at the side of the corset with catch pins. B th methods are usea isfac ory. The waistband is warm in summer, and destroys the lines about the waist. It is, indeed, impossible for a woman inclined to be stout. The other, if of such a length as to keep the stocking up properly, pulls on the corset and gives the wearer a most uncomf rtable, tired fee ing toward the end of the day. All of these d awbacks have a tendency to make a woman conclude that after all her great grandmother was right in declaring that the most erating to Kingston is owned by the satisfactory garter in the world was West India Panama company. The lat- a string torn from a selvedge edge of ter is the only line not in control of a piece of flannel and wrapped just the United States government. The loose enough for comfort and, tight cable from Havana to Key West is enough for convenience about the

IT IS NOT NICOTINE

PROFESSOR MALLET CORRECTS CIGARETTE CRITICS' MISTAKES.

Communication in the "Scientific Amrelonn" on a Matter of Popular Misapprehension—Stained Hundkerchief Test Is No Test At All.

J. W. Mallet, professor of chemistry in the University of Virginia, in a sommunication to the current number of the Scientific American, says with reference to cigarettes of American manufacture:

"Ignorance of easily ascertainable sciensific facts is, however, common enough, as is often illustrated by the brown, oily material formed in the amoking of tobacco being pointed out as nicotine, though in reality this is merely the tar produced by the action of heat on the woody fiber of the leaf.

"Nicotine when pure is a coloriess fluid of somewhat of y consistence and strong, peculiar, penetrating odor, but it darkens on exposure to air and light, becoming first yel ow and then blown, so that it looks. In this darkened condition, something I ke the tarry matter which soils a smoker's fingers or a handkerchief through which tobacco smoke is exhaled, or is often noticed as deposited in the stem of a pipe.

"This tarry deposit has no hing essential in common with nicotine, and contains but traces of this alkaloid, when any at all.

"A part, but only a small part (about one-seventh in the experiments of Melsens), of the real nicotine of tobacco is volatilized without decomposition; the remainder is burned and destroyed in the process of smoking."

The simple facts are, that such cigarettes as I have examined, repres ning a large part of those in general use throughout the United States, are made from pure, light-yel ow tolk coof the high grade produced on certain special soils, prominently in certain of the southern counties of Virginia and the adjacent portion of North Carolina, with wrappers of the best quality of harmless vegetable fiber paper, and are entirely free from the adulterants which it has been asserted are p esent, with no evidence in favor of such assertion, and in absolute contradiction of the scientific evidence actually available.

Widow-Sometimes a woman who believes she is an example of the survival of the fittest.

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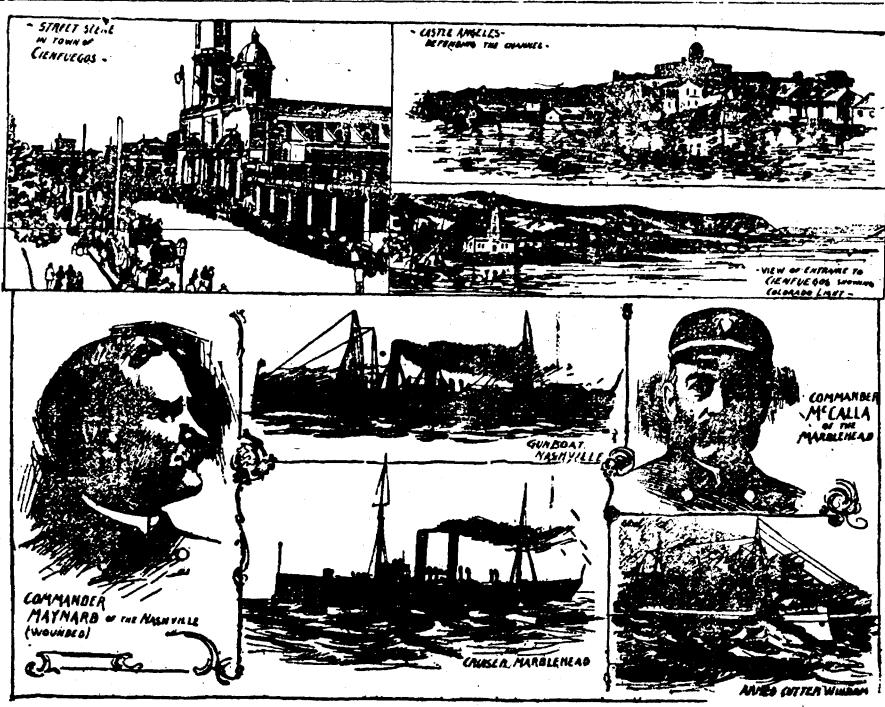
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Consolt-The thing that often gets wall was into a large bela.



SCENE OF THE FIGHT OVER THE CUTTING OF THE CABLES, MAY 11.

upon which the fire of the warships had been centered. A four-inch shell from the Windom tore this structure to pieces, killing many and burying others in the ruins. The Spanish loss is known to have been very heavy, the warships firing hundreds of shells right into their midst.

The United States cruiser Marblehead, the gunboat Nashville and the auxiliary cruiser Windom steamed up to the harbor of Cienfuegos early Wednesday morning with orders to cut the cable connecting Havana with Santiago de Cuča. This task was accomplished, but only after a terrific fight between the warships and several thousand Spanish troops, which lined the shore and lay concealed behind improvised breastworks.

Soon after the arrival of the warships off Cienfuegos four boats were launched and proceeded in shore for the purpose of grappling for the cable in order to cut it. The warships lay to about 1,000 yards or more off the barbor.

It was observed that the Spanish troops had assembled ashers, but it was not known that heavy guns had been pisced in a masked battery and that the old lighthouse, far out on a mock of land, had been transformed into a formidable fort.

The small boots proceeded continuely

was a shot from the four-inch gun of the Windom which knocked over the lighthouse. In command of that gun division was Lieutenant Crisp, and Cooper was the gunner who fired the shot. The Spanish loss is estimated at

The lighthouse was demolished, the arsenal destroyed and the batteries on shore silenced. The town was set on fire by shells from the American feet.

The Czar at Home. Alexander III., the late czar of Russia, was said to be an autocrat even in the bosom of his family. Nicholas II., however, is the very reverse. He regards his consort as a good comrade and when in urgent cases ministers seek an audience late in the evening he is invariably to be found in her compeny, chatting and laughing without restraint. The czar is generally occupled at his desk, while the examina busies herself with embroidery work. Immediately a minister cuters she rises as if to retire, but more often than otherwise the car informs her that she is not one teo many.

French Deaters Out Of. One of the provisions of the French code forbide a doctor to inherit property left him by a deceased patient.

woman who will invent a really artistic and, at the same time, comfortable stocking supporter will strike a Klon-

Called It Farniture Medicine.

"The secret of never wanting new

things is to keep the old ones well

mended," said a wise housekeeper, as she exhibited the shelf where she kept what she called "furniture medicine." There were tins of different colors of paints and enamel, brushes of several sizes, a bottle of liquid gilt, some good glue, and remnants of all the different kinds of wall paper. A handsome six. leaved Japanese screen had been bad ly mutilated by a careless housemaid so that two of its panels were unsight ly. She patched the gashes carefully with court plaster, and with a box of water colors and the liquid gilt so concealed the patches that it was as goo! as now. A semewhat top-heavy by sturdy little bey made a seat of the handsome Chinese porcelain umbrella jar, when down came both boy and jar, the latter in a dozen pieces. It was not therefor discarded, but piecing it with the greatest care with coment. a brush was disped in liquid silt and covered all the cracks, which from their sig-seg directions, really added to its oriental appearance.—Mort Ante.

A Detroit Veteran Talks of the War and a Legacy it Left Him.

When the annual reunion of the fires of the encampment our boys tell nothing of war will wonder how they lived to tell the tale. Few men who followed old glory and escaped the shot and shell returned home without some legacy is a constant reminder of their war days. Our representative found veteran O. F. Newcomb, of Detroit, at his place of residence, No. 237 Second street. Mr. Newcomb told him how the little conqueror had rendered him invaluable service. We give his account here and some words of advice tersely told. He said:

"A lake covering about two acres in extent, containing the dead bodies of 20 mules, is not tempting water to drink, but I was one of many who drank it, and all of us would have done so if we had known there was death in every swallow. This illustrates but one of the many hardships and privations passed through during the civil war, and it is no wonder that G. A. R. men suffer from aches and pains. The most prevalent of these being due to kidney disorders. I am pleased to note a great many others who passed through as trying ordesis as I, have now learned how these troubles can be mitigated. When I say Doan's Kidney Pills will cure them I not only speak from experience but from observation. To all old soldiers or anyone suffering from kidney complaint my advice is to try that remedy."

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Woman's best weapon is her weak-

A SCHOOL GIRL'S BATTLE. From The Mail, Milford, Ind.

Miss Emma Rybolt, a prepossessing scheel girl of Milford, Ind., is of more than usual intelligence, and is ambitious to rise in the

uterary world. "In the fall of 1896," said Mrs. Bybolt, "Emma was taken ill. He was a close G. A. R. is held. Michigan is always student and her work began to tell on her. well represented. Around the camp | She grew weak, pale and nervous, and complained of pains in her back, chest and of the hardships they have gone limbs. A few weeks passed and she grew through and the listener who knows worse. The doctor said she was a victim of nervous prostration, and should have been taken from school weeks earlier. She gradually grew worse, ber nerves were so tense that the least noise irritated her, and the had a fever and a continual twitching in her muscles. The symptoms were much like St. Vitus' dance.



Emma became somewhat better, but was soon as bad as ever. One day I read of a care similar to hers which was cured by

Pink Pilis for Pale People, and I decided to try them. "Emma had no faith in proprietary medicines but tried the pills, and after taking a dozen doses, she began to improve. it was about the first of April when she began, and by the middle of May, after taking about eight boxes, she was entirely

tured." "While ill, she lost twenty-eight pounds, but now weight more than ever before. Her nerves are strong and she is in per-rect health. We are all confident that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People cured her, and I cheerfully recommend them in all similar cases. "Mus. E. A. RYBOLT." Subscribed and swo n to before me, this third day of September, 1897.

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The desire of appearing clever often prevents one becoming so.

gists, sadisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 2.c, 50c

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No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents. Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c. \$i. All druggists.

We first endure, then pity, then embrace.

A little learning is a cangerous thing.

THE ODD CORNER

QUEER AND CURIOUS THINGS AND EVENTS.

Savages of Terra del Fuego-Conditions Under Which They Live Almost Beyond Realization of Civilized Peoples -Adventure with a Lion.

Irish Evidence.

An Irishman-Duffy by name-was in-For amuggling contraband goods; and invited

By the court to show proof, if he could, without fail, Of his innocence, else be remanded to jail. In Newberry Place-s small town on the border

Of Canada soil-was found, made to or-A mysterious cask which was thought to Spirits more ardent than beet or cham-

pagne. possession of "said Patrick Duffy." 'twas found: And, his friend, Michael Durgen-at the

time on the ground-Was brought as a witness, to 'stablish the crime-For the cask had been hidden away-in the meantime. Said the judge to Mike Durgen, "On oath,

you must tell The truth to this court, and the whole truth as well. Now, Mike, what was inside the cask that you saw?

(Famember, you're under the eyes of the Said Mike to his honor, "Now, thin, since ye ask, It'll please me to tell all Oi know of the

cask. One end was marked 'whisky,' as plain as your face, And the other, 'Pat Duffy, of Newberry Place,'

minit. Oi can't say for sartin which of 'em was in it!" -J. Ephraim Clough in Detroit Journal.

But, as Oi'm on me oath, this forchenit

Savages of Terra del Fuego.

A savage tribe known as the Yahagans lives nearer to the south pole than any other known people. They occupy certain small islands lying south of Terra del Fuego, and are found also on the south beach of that great island itself. The territory they occupy is a maze of mountain peaks, and the conditions under which they exist are almost beyond realization by

a civilized person. The typical weapon of the Yahagans is the rawhide sling, with which they are able to hit a water fowl at 200 yards. To hit any bird at that distance would be called right good shooting. They can knock down and stun a guanaco with a heavy round pebble up to a hundred yards. The reason for the sling as a tool of destruction is found in the fact that the Yahagans live on the beach, where plenty of round pebbles are always at hand. These islanders fry out oil from whale blubber and store it up for future use in the bladder like leaves of a kind of seaweed found everywhere

in that region.

Quite distinct and peculiar is the Ona tribe, which inhabits the prairie region of Terra del Fuego. This great island has the shape of a triangle, and is almost as large as the state of New York. Once upon a time it must have had a tropical climate, inasmuch as the bones of monkeys and parrots are found fossil there in great numbers. The Onas have no horses. They eat those they capture from the sheep men, considering horse meat the greatest of delicacies. They depend for food chiefly upon the guanaco, which amounds in Terra del Fuego, and a kind of prairie squirrel. In the chase they rely mainly upon bows and arrows and the bolas, the latter consisting of two or three stone balls on the end of hide thougs. On being thrown the balls diverge in obedience to centrifugal force and fly around and around in the air until the object is struck, when the thongs wind themselves about it. These savages can throw the bolas so dexterously as to facton a man to his horse. The Onas, however, often kill the guanaco by surrouading a bunch and running them down, so wonderfully fleet of foot are

Adventure with a Lion.

A portion of the crew of a ship which was anchored off the coast of In lia once went ashore for the purpose of cutting some wood, and one of the sailors, having through some cause become separated from his companions, was considerably frightened by the appearance of a huge lioness which he saw approaching him. Much to his surprise, however, she did not, on coming up, appear to have any evil designs on him, but instead crouched at his feet and looked steadfastly first at his face and then at a tree some little distance away.

For a time the man could not understand this conduct; but presently on the Honess rising and walking towards the tree, looking back to him as she went, he found out what it meant. Up in the branches of the eree was a large habeon, with two little lion cuits in its arms, and it was because of this that the lioness was in such tribulation. The difficulty now presented itself of how to save the cubs, for the sallor was afraid to climb the tree. So, having his are with him, he resolved to cut the tree down, and this he did, the lioness watching him most anxiously during the whole time. When the tree fel. and the three animals with it.

upon the baboon and destroyed Then, having gently caressed her affriented cubs for some time, she returned to the sailor, showed her gratitude by fawning upon him and rubbing her head fondly against kim, and at length carried her children away, one by one.

The Oven Bird of South America.

The "oven bird" belongs to the creeper family. It is about the size of a lark, of a warm brown color: a bold active bird, running and walking very fast, and much on the wing, though for no great distance at a time. It is a native of South America. The chief interest centers in its nest. which is shaped like an oven and is a remarkable example of bird architecture. It is made principally of clay strengthened and stiffened with grass, vegetable fibres, and stems of plants. The heat of the sun bakes the clay nearly as hard as a brick; the nest is domed and rounded, with the entrance at the side. the walls are fully an inch thick, and it is divided into two chambers by a structure. The inner chamber is devoted to the work of incubation, and the eggs are laid about in a warm nest of feathers. The nest is usually six inches high, nine inches long, five inches deep and often weighs nine

Sympathy Among Snakes.

Mr. Robert L. Gioson, Alameda, N W. T., writes to the Family Herald and Weekly Star as follows:

"On a bright Sabbath morning some years ago I had rounded my herd into a springy bit of land just below the higher prairie. I had turned my broncho loose to feed, and was standing watching my cattle, that none escaped. when I was surprised to see two snakes right at my feet. One snake was busily engaged helping the other one along. it apparently being unable to move. I stepped a little nearer, and the other snake ran off a short distance. I examined the wounded one, and found that its back was broken, having been stepped on by one of my cattle. I now looked to see where the runaway fellow was, but did not have to look far. as he was right at my feet, as angrylooking as it was possible to be. I walked away a short distance to watch the course of events. The uninjured snake soon returned to his companion in trouble, Good Samaritan-like; and, turning his body around, the injured one, started off towards the longer grass. I chased him away again, and he repeated the same actions as the first time. He curled himself around the body of his injured friend, and made all speed to get away. The last I saw of them they were making good headway, and soon disappeared out of my sight in the longer grass and bush-

Weeping Tree of the Canaries.

In one of the Canary Islands there is a tree of the laurel family that rains down occasionally in the early morning quite a copious shower of tears or water drops from its tufted foliage. This water often collects at the foot of the tree, and forms a kind of pond, from which the inhabitants of the neighborhood can supply themselves with a drinkable beverage that is absolutely fresh and pure. The water comes out of the tree itself through innumerable little pores situated at the margins of the leaves, and known as water stomata, to distinguish them from the almost similar apertures in the expanded blade, whose function is to regulate the constant passage of air to and from the internal tissues. Water comes out of the plant as vapor during the day time, when the heat is sufficiently great, but in the evening, when the temperature is lowered very much, a considerable quantity is exuded in the form of tears or liquid drops that collect near the edges of the leaves, and these members bend down under their increasing numbers until the drops tumble off on the ground, in a veritable shower.

School in the Air.

Market handleden a lively town some eighty-three miles from London. is noted for many things. Its origin



GRAMMAR SCHOOL dates from such ancient times that the date is unknown. Its main street is very pictureque, the houses being of a superior style of architecture. A remarkable building is the ancient grammar school founded in 1612 by Robert de Smythe, lord mayor of London. It seems to have been designed to keep small boys from running away and playing truent.

Too many cooks not only spell the broth but everything else they get the Honese, it is said, dashed with fury | their hands on.

THE DUTY OF MOTHERS.

Daughters Should be Carefully Guided in Early Womanhood.

What suffering frequently results from a mother's ignorance; or more frequently from a mother's neglect to properly instruct her daughter!

Tradition says "woman must suffer," and young women are so taught. There is a little truth and a great deal of exaggeration in this. If a young woman suffers severely she needs treatment and her mother should see that she gets it.

Many mothers hesitate to take their daughters to a physician for examination; but no mother need hesitate to write freely about her daughter or herself to Mrs. Pinkham and secure the most efficient advice without charge. Mrs. Pinkham's address is Lynn, Mass.

The following letter from Miss MARIE wall, which strengthens the whole F. Johnson, Centralia, Pa, shows what neglect will do, and tells how Mrs. Pinkham helped her:

"My health became so poor that I had to leave school. I was tired all the time, and had dreadful pains in my side and back. I was also troubled with irregularity of menses. I was very weak, and lost so much flesh that my friends became alarmed. My mother, who is a firm believer in your remedies from experience, thought perhaps they might benefit me, and wrote you for advice. I followed the advice you gave, and used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills as you directed, and am now as well as I ever was. I have gained flesh and have a good color. I am completely cured of irregularity."

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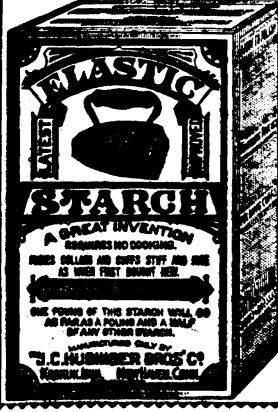
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SAPOLIO



EAST PUTNAM.

Miss Flota Hall was in Howell Wednesday.

Albert Mills of South Lyon spent Sunday with Guy Hall.

Mrs. W. H. Placeway is entertaining a cousin from Seattle, Wash.

E. P. Cook and wife of Pettysville sent nor tardy:

spent Sunday at N. N. Whitcombs. Mrs. George Hicks entertained a company of friends at tea on Wednes

day. Bert Hicks and wife spent Sunday with Mrs. Hick's parents at Stockbridge.

For Sale.

Fine "Empire" potatoes for seed. GEO. CLARK.

UNADILLA.

Ed. Joslin of Howell is visiting his parents here.

Miss Howell of Eaton Rapids is visiting Mrs. Flora Watson.

The Unadilla Medicine Co., are

making a two weeks stay here. A. C. Watson and wife are visiting relatives at Bancroft and Durand.

Prof. Worcester of the U. of M. was in town Saturday and Sunday.

Gil Stock has the job of repairing and papering the Presbyterian church.

Mr. Obert of the U. of M. spent Saturday and Sunday at John Dunnings.

A number from this place attended Memorial services at several of the 29.9, whole number belonging 34; surrounding towns.

Herman Reed visited relatives and friends at Howell. Fowlerville and Lansing Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Kittie Livermore and Jennie Watson returned Monday evening from a visit with relatives at Durand. Bancroft and Ionia.

Hon. S. L. Bignal, Mr. Hackett. Mr. Cooper and Chas. Straws of Fowlerville spent two days the past week fishing at Joslin's lake.

Marantetle and son of Rockwood, cided to celebrate the Fourth of July Mich., are visiting at Sylvester Nobles and D. M. Joslins for a few days.

Favorite Poet Gaylord-"What is your favorite Domber—"McJingle. never brings his poetry in. He always sends it by mail with a return stamp." -Boston Transcript.

REPORT MONTHLY

Of the Pinckney Public School, For the Month of May.

HIGH SCHOOL.

Whole number of days taught 19; grand total number of days attend 598; average daily attendance 31.6; whole number belonging 38; aggregate tardiness 15. Pupils neither ab

Cora E. Wilson Alma Sheban A. Maud Teeple Ethel Read Nellie E. Gardner Ross Read Stephen Durfee, principal

GRAMMAR.

Number of days taught 20; number of days attendance 490; average daily attendance 24.5; number of pupils belonging 30; aggregate tardiness 32. Pupils neither absent nor tardy:

Eva Smith Mae Reason Arthur Swarthout Hazel Vaughn Fred Campbell Lucy Swarthout C. L. Grimes, teacher.

INTERMEDIATE DEPARTMENT.

Whole number of days taught 19; grand total number of days attendance 537.5; average daily attendance 28.29; whole number belonging 29; er absent nor tardy:

Leon Graham Fred Read Floris Moran Eva Grimes

Rex Read Ellery Durfee Adrian Lavey Ethel Durfee

Cora Bullis Edith Carr, teacher.

PRIMARY

Whole number of days taught 19; grand total number of days attendance 598; average daily attendance aggregate tardiness 25. Pupils neith Club met at the home of John Chamer absent nor tardy:

Willie Jeffreys Norma Vaughn Lucy Jeffreys Florence Reason Archie Dennison Mary Lynch Lloyd Grimes Steve Jeffreys Glendon Richards Millard Darrow Mae Teeple Roy Moran Kenneth Darrow

Jessie Green, teacher.

PINCKNEY WILL CELEBRATE.

A meeting was held in the town Mrs. McCollum of Detroit and Mrs. hall Tuesday evening and it was dein Pinckney. There will be speaking and sports in the village in the forenoon and races, ball games, etc., on the Driving Club grounds in the afternoon, winding up with the "Battle of Manilla" in the evening on the mill pond. Make your arrangements now to attend-there will be a big time.

Special Clearance Sale

of Wash Goods, Dress Goods, Ribbons, Gents Furnishings and For the next 30 days, in order to reduce our large stock before taking our semi-annual inventory July 1st, we wish to call your attention to a few prices which we quote and cordially invite you to come and examine these goods. It will pay you to see us before purchasing for we can save you mohey.

Tennis Flannels at 41/2. 7	and 73/4c
Standard Prints at	3½c
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12½c, Organdies reduced to	10c
15 and 18c Organdies and Lappet Mulls	100

reduced to 13c Our Entire Line of Dress Goods less 15 per cent Our Entire Line of \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50 and 2.00 Men's Cotton and Wool Pants less 25 per cent Our Entire Line of Shirt Waists less 25 per cent Large Assortment of Fancy Ribbons,

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On looking over our shoe stock, we find that we have abovt 25 pr. of Ladies' \$2.50 and 3.00 Shoes in small sizes $(2\frac{1}{2}, 3, 3 1-2 \text{ and } 4)$ that we want to close out. These we will put on sale on Saturday next at \$2.10 per pr.

Special prices will be given on ALL Shoes carried in stock during this sale.

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LOCAL NEWS:

A medicine troupe is holding forth at the opera house this week.

Work began on Geo. Green's new residence on Mill st. this week.

The thirty-fourth regiment of Michigan voluntary infantry have been ordered to Washington.

The latest war news is to the effect that Samson had bombarded Santiago and nearly demolished the forts and barbors.

On Tuesday next, June 7, the G. T Ry, will run a special train over the MAL to Detroit, the event being the meeting and parade of the KOTM of Michigan. Train leaves Pinckney at 7:30 a. m. and returning train leaves Detroit at 9:10 p. m.—fare for round trip only \$1.00.

Last Friday, May 27, occured the third annual Field Day of the H. H. S. at the Howell fair grounds, at which time some good athletic contests were witnessed. The high school of Milford and the schools of Livingston county were the contestants, the most prizes being won by the Milford school. Besides the sports, a Trap Shooting Contest took place between aggregate tardiness 15. Pupils neith- eight of Howell's best shooters resulting in a victory for C. G. Jewett, H. D. Wilbur, E. L. Avery and Tom Calvert. The ball game between the Set Your ell team resulted in a victory for the latter by a score of 19 to 16, only six 1 innings being played. The receipts of! the day were about \$90.

Farmer's Club Meeting.

The Putnam and Hamburg Farmer's bers on Saturday, May 28. Although refreshing showers were falling all day, a good number were present. The program was well carried out consisting of instrumental music, papers and select readings. The question box contained several questions of importance which were discussed by the members. The club question was taken up which was in regard to farm power. Some thought the tread power, others favored the wind-mill while some thought farm power was too expensive to keep in .epair for the average farmer. The association question was taken up, which was the farmer in relation to the pure food law. Mr. Harrison Gaunt of Highland and Hartland Club was present and gave an interesting talk on the pure food law. Mr. Gaunt is one of the Board of Directors of the state association of farmers clubs.

When supper was announced, all proceeded to the dining room where a bountiful repast was spread by the ladies of the club after which the club adjourned to meet with Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Briggs on Saturday, June 25. Subject for discussion will be the "Farmers duty regarding the Temperance Question" to be opened by E W. Kennedy and Jas, Fobey.

Maine's Biggest Tree.

Jay, Me., claims one of the biggest trees in Maine. t stands on the bank of the Androscoggin, on the lawn of the late Dudley Bean. The circumference four feet from the ground is 23 feet, diameter 7 feet. About six feet from the ground there are seven branches radiating from its trunk which are from 18 inches to 24 inches in diameter. The branches spread over a space of ground 270 feet in circumference, or 90 feet in diameter. Where the branches leave the trunk of the tree, about seven feet from the ground, there has been erected a band stand, which seats 25 persons. A cooler place on hot days can not be found. A Boston gentleman was riding by recently, and the tree attracted his attention. He examined and measured it, and was astonished at its dimensions. He went away with the remark that if the tree was on his lawn \$10,-000 would buy it. It was set out 42 years ago by Lafayette Bean on the day of his departure for California, whence he never returned.

Italian Prince an Electrician The prince of Naples is perhaps the only real electrician among all the present primess of Murope. He is very learned in all that concerns the application of electricity to light, motive power, sound and photography. He was one of the first and most successful experimenters with the X rays after their discovery and in Rome his secidence in the Quirinal the Aspost studing his royal highness' bachsier days of a scientific laboratory.

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German Writer Says the Chanceller Speculated on State Secrets.

A pamphlet has recently appeared in Germany entitled "Bismarck aud Bleichroeder." Its author, says London Truth, is a member of the old Junker party of the name of Diebat Daher, and it professes to give some curious details in regard to the present fortune of the ex-chancellor and how it was acquired. After the German war of 1870 the prince received from the couptry two estates of no great value, which, coupled with his own paternal estate, brought him in a fair revenue. He then left Bleichroeder to look after his private monetary affairs, with the result that he now has a fortune amounting to 150,000,000 marks. This, the author estimates, can only have been made by stock exchange speculations, based on the knowledge that the prince derived from his position at the head of the German government, and which he confided to Bleichroeder. That, with the care of empire on his shoulders, he left his monetary affairs in the hands of his banker is very possible, and equally possible is it that his banker did the best for his client. But I should require a good deal more evidence than is afforded in this pamphlet to believe that the prince speculated on state secrets in partnership with a Hebrew financier or that his fortune is now anything like 150,000,000 marks.

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