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Local Dispatches.

Will Monks of Stockbridge spent Sunday in this place.

Emmett Birney of Leslie spent the first of the week with his mother here.

Miss Ethel Peck, of Hamburg, visited friends in White Oak the past

Harry Beagle, of Detroit, was entained over Sunday at the home of F. G. Jackson. Patrick Birney left on Tuesday to

resume his studies at Sandwich College, Ontario. Owing to very busy times with farmers the races were not patronized

as here-to-fore. Miss Ethel Read left on Monday for Ann Arbor, where she will attend

school the coming year. Excursion rates on all roads for the Great Carnival of Sports, at Jackson,

Sept. 20-23. Take it in. Dr. James Turner and wife, of Stirling, Neb., are guests at the home of

his father, Thomas Turner. Lloyd Teeple was home the past week settling his family in Miss L. M.

Coe's house on Mill street. Mr. and Mrs. S. Walker were called to attend the funeral of Mr. Walker's

sister at Wayne last Friday.

Chas. Beurman and Henry Rollison of Howell were guests at the home of J. J. Teeple on Saturday last.

Owing to an extra amount of job work we are unable to secure the usual amount of local news this week.

Ira T. Sayre of Flushing, was nominated for senator of the 13th district at the convention at Fenton last week.

N. G. Swarthout, and wife of Fowlerville, were guests of his cousins, S. W. and H. H. Swarthout, the last of last week.

Miss Nellie Lavey, of Dexter, has been visiting at the home of M. Lavey and with other relatives at this place the past week.

We are very thankful for the items of news which our friends hand us from time to time, and will still continue to be grateful for more.

Rev. Dr. Ryan, Presdiing Elder of the Ann Arbor district, treated the people at this place to a fine sermon last Sunday evening at the M. E. church.

The society of Church Workers will serve dinner at the home of Mrs. Esther Cordley on Wednesday, Sept. 21. All are cordially invited. ,

L. M. COE, Sec.

Otis Pond of Co, E, 34th regiment, who was very sick in the hospital at Camp Wikoff, was brought to his home in Iosco last week. He is still under the doctor's care.

Dr. Harry Haze, of Lansing, was appointed by the Gov., a few weeks ago, to fill the position as assistant cated at Knoxville, Tenn.

5%c per yd. Last Friday morning, S. E. Barton shot and fatally wounded on his farm south of this place, a large grey eagle, which measured 7 ft. and 4 in. from tip to tip of his wings. He was captured quite easily and is a fine specimen of a bird.

Andy Roche of Camp Eaton, sergeant of Co. M, 35th Michigan Volunteer Regiment, shook hands with Pinckney friends last Friday, This regiment will depart this week for Camp Meade, Pa., where they will be stationed this winter, leaving for

A very pleasant time was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. H Swarthout last Friday evening, the cocasion being a reception tendered to the Cong'l S. S. by the Christian Endeavor. Entertainment in the line of music, recitations, etc., made up the literary part of the program and refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake, made the eyent an enjoyable

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MICHIGAN NEWS SUMMARY

Doings of the Week Recorded in a Brief Style.

AND INTERESTING CONCISE

The 83d and 34th Michigan Regiments Reach Home From Santiago and are Royally Welcomed - \$200,000 Loss by Fire at Owosso.

Michigan's Santiago Heroes Reach Home.

The trip of the 33d and 34th Michigan regiments from New York to Detroit on their way home from Santiago was a hot, dusty, tiresome journey of 30 to 40 hours which was trying on the strongest, to say nothing of the suffering it entailed upon the sick boys. During the entire trip the soldiers were shown every possible kindness at the stations where stops were made. Professional nurses met the trains at several stations and brought with them milk, fruit and other delicacies, which they distributed as freely as the boys would receive. At Toledo a large delegation of prominent Detroit and Michigan citizens, headed by Gov. Pingree, met the first section of the train and carried out well-laid plans whereby every soldier was appointed to some hotel and every sick hero was listed for a particular hospital, so that when the trains arrived at Detroit the boys were either placed in carriages or marched to their destinations. The Cadillac alone accommodated over 400, and other hotels took them in the same proportion and treated them magnificently. Citizens donated their carriages for use of troops and they were transported to hotels in short order. A large citizens' committee appointed to assist in the reception saw that every man was cared for. Ambulances took all ill with fever direct to best hospitals, 138 sick in all, and about that many more who should have gone, but who bore up with great fortitude. Never did Detroit turn out larger

and more enthusiastic crowds than thronged the streets for an entire night to welcome the brave boys home again and never did heroes receive a more royal welcome. The train carrying the troops was divided into five sections. The first arrived at 12:15 a.m. after the crowds had waited patiently for over five hours from the time the train was first expected. The first section carried the first division 33d regiment under Col. Boynton: Co. A. Flint, 31 men; B, Alpena, 31; E, Saginaw, 54; F. Cheboygan, 56; G. Owosso, 45; I, Benton Harbor, 58; 33d regiment band of 12 men; and 8 regimental officers. In the second division, in charge of Maj. Burton, arrived at 5:25 a. m. with Cos. C, Bay City, 65 men; D, Saginaw, 50; L. Sons of Veterans, 36; M. Detroit, 60; K, Three Rivers, 40; F, Port Huron, 80; 16 officers, all of the Thirty-third. The third train load, in charge of Lieut.-Col. Bennett, was made up of the following 34th regiment companies: A. Big Rapids, 57 men; C. Muskegon, 64; E, Iron Mountain, 44; H, Ironwood, 21; K. Mt. Clemens, 37; L. Marquette, 20; M, Traverse City, 48. besides about 30 men of the 33d. The fourth carried five companies of the 34th in command of Col. Petermann: Co. B. Manistee, 76 men; D. Calumet, 60; F. Houghton, 62; G. Sault Ste. Ste. Marie; L, Upper Peninsula, 55, and I, Ionia. The fifth and last section arrived eight hours after the first. It comprised a long train of baggage and cattle cars with 60 men detailed to look after the horses. There were no sick ones among the men, but they looked tired with their long dreary ride. They were given as cordial a reception as the first arrivals.

While their welcome at Detroit was all that could be asked, and many times more than the boys expected, still all were anxious to get to their own homes and as soon as they had had sleep and refreshment special trains were made up on the various railroads at Detroit to carry the boys to their families and friends. Co. B. 33d, of Alpena, did not stop in Detroit at all, but took the D. & C. steamer for

Every city and town in the state which boasted the honor of having a soldier boy in the 33d or 34th gave them a grand reception when they arrived home, thousands of people turning out to greet them and giving every evidence of great joy at seeing their friends and loved ones safe again.

Through all this joy there was an air of sadness and tears for there were heroes of the regiments who did not come. Some are taking last rest in Cuban soil; others had already been brought home and laid away by loving hands; scores more were on beds of pain and fever in various hospitals, and those who could march at home were so haggard and worn from privation and sickness that there was a strong pulling at one's heartstrings as he cheered them a welcome home. But from ferrent hearts everywhere there went up thanks to God that these had been spared.

An order was issued raising the following postoffices in Michigan from fourth to third class: Grand Marais, Milan. Sarunae and Sparta.

Owosso's Big Loss.

A fire which started in the Woodward furniture works at Owosso destroyed that plant; the Owosso Brewing Co.'s plant, Crowe & Payne's agricultural implement warehouse and several smaller buildings, and much other property was saved by a shift in the wind. The Corunna, Ovid and St. Johns fire departments rendered valuable assistance. The losses aggregate more than \$200,000, with a fair amount of insurance. The losses are L. E. Woodward, \$150,000; Owosso Brewing Co., \$35,000; Crowe & Payne, \$10,000. Two hundred men are thrown out of employment temporarily. Woodward and the Owosso Brewing Co. will rebuild.

STATE GOSSIP.

Free textbooks were defeated at Imlay City.

Free textbooks were overwhelmingly

defeated at Monroe. Chas, W. Washburn, Co. F, 33d Mich-

igan, died at Camp Wikoff.

The big beet sugar factory at Bay City will begin operations about Oct. 1.

The grape crop in Monroe county promises to be above the average this

The Saginaw Leader has absorbed the Globe, and now appears as the Globe-Leader.

The Republican convention for the eighth senatorial district will be held at Fenville on Sept. 19. A heavy windstorm blew down La

Pearl's circus tent at Grayling, seriously injuring three women. Dr. W. H. Jarvin has been appointed

to a position on the board of examining surgeons at Howell. The school for the blind at Lansing

opened with 82 pupils present; 30 more are expected to be enrolled. Sept. 27, 28 and 29 are the dates for

the nineteenth annual fair of the Capac Agricultural society. Hal Wickham, aged 14, was acci-

dentally drowned in Lake Michigan while bathing at Frankfort.

Chas. Elliott, of Adrian, had both legs cut off at the Air Line junction as the result of jumping from a train.

Grand Rapids banks are suffering | cent of the regiment. from a small change famine. Much is used at this season in handling the

The contract made with the Warren-Scharf Asphalt Paving Co. has been confirmed by the Owosso council; \$35,-000 will be expended.

The plant of the Hampton Manufacturing Co., at Bay City, was destroyed by a fire of incendiary origin. The loss will reach \$40,000.

The people of Elsie claim that their village does more shipping of farm products, for its size, than any othertown on the Ann Arbor Railway.

Mrs. Bridget E. Connelly, aged 63, has just made her ninth venture into matrimony, at Montague. The lucky groom was Elbridge E. Sargeant, aged 60.

Free textbooks were rejected at Galesburg. An entire change of books parents of from \$4 to \$8. There's a big kick.

Up in Tuscola county the past week or two they have been thrashing by moonlight as well as daylight, in order to get the work done before rain came to delay it.

While being removed from the trans port Roumania at Montauk Point Elbert Pickworth, Co. G, 33d Michigan, a yellow fever convalescent from San-

The lumber trade is picking up at Saginaw. Dealers report that during August trade was the best of any month at this time of year since the

The day after the arrival of the 33d and 34th Michigan regiments at Detroit, John W. Quick, of Muskegon, Co. C. 34th, died in Harper hospital of typhoid fever.

Twenty-one prosecutions were made at Lansing for violation of the fish and game laws during August. The fines and costs assessed against the violators amounted to \$154.

Carroll Etzcorn, of Grand Rapids. Co. B, 32d, was too ill to be moved from Fernandina to Huntsville, Ala.. with his regiment, and he died of spinal meningitis.

A thrashing machine engine blew up at Johnsfield, fatally injuring Mr. Winsdale, a man about 60 years of age. Both his legs were blown off, and his recovery is doubtful.

The Flint common council refused to grant permission to the Woman's Relief corps to care for sick soldiers and appointed a commission of themselves to look after the boys.

Rev. W. E. Wright, of Big Rapids, chaplain of the 34th Michigan, reached home, somewhat knocked out. He has had malaria and yellow fever and survived both attacks.

The Detroit & Mackinac railroad has begun the running of regular trains from Onaway to Alpena. It is doubtful if the road will be extended this fall from Onaway to Cheboygan.

The soldiers of Co. M, 34th Michigan, are now receiving the \$7 per month extra pay which Hon. Perry Hannah, of their home city, Traverse City, promised them when they enlisted.

Never were such quantities of fruit seen at St. Joseph as at present. The big steamship lines have been compelled to leave fruit on the docks because they hadn't room for it on board.

The farm house and barns belonging to Wm. Martin, of Goodland, burned to the ground and Mr. Martin was seriously burned while trying to rescue his horses. Loss, \$3,000; insurance, \$1,800.

The Berst Manufacturing Co., of Kokomo, Ind., manufacturers of skewers and kindred articles of wood, have decided to locate at Saginaw. They will be running by Oct. 10 and will employ 75 men.

A fire which started at 1 a. m. in Olmstead's blacksmith shop at Saranac destroyed the Wheeler house, Stein Bros.' saloon, one dwelling and two blacksmith shops. Total loss \$7,000; insurance \$2,400.

W. E. Boyden, a Washtenaw county farmer, has a strawstack that is certainly a "corker." It is 137 feet long, 37 feet wide and 30 feet high. The straw came from 4,000 bushels of grain which he raised this year.

Two of the 34th Michigan boys who were unable to accompany the regiment home died in the Presbyterian hospital, New York City from malaria. They were Edwin Royce, Big Rapids, Co. A; Stephen Otto, Ionia, Co. L.

Carsonville now furnishes a market for all kinds of apples. An evaporating factory is nearly completed that will use from 150 to 200 bushels daily, while from that point many bushels are shipped by every train to other points.

Gov. Pingree rejoices because he has secured the promise of the war department that the 31st Michigan can retain its medical officers and regimental hospital corps and not have them absorbed by the division hospital. The governor is bitter against the division hospital scheme.

In looking over old records at Lansing, Gen. William Humphrey found that the Second Michigan infantry went into the fight at Petersburg, Va., June 17, 1864, with about 400 men. They came out with 187 killed, wounded or missing, or nearly 50 per

The weekly weather crop bulletin says the farmers are ready to begin wheat seeding, but in most sections are compelled to wait for rain. Reports concerning fruits are encouraging. Corn has matured too rapidly for good results. Generally late potatoes will yield a fair crop.

New Michigan postmasters: Ada, Kent county, George Crow, vice H. H. Bradfield, resigned; Dorr, Allegan county, J. C. Neuman, vice Frank Sommer, removed; Fenwick, Montcalm county, H. D. Loree, vice C. J. Thompson, removed; Rodney, Mecosta county, Asa Carr, vice C. A. Richner, resigned.

Albert Liscomb, a well-to-do farmer, walked into D. M. Scriver's hardware store at Goodrich and asked to see some revolvers and cartridges. When two bullets were put in place Liscomb said that would do, took the revolver was made, involving an expense on from the merchant's hand, placed it against his left temple and sent the bullet through his brain. He fell instantly and was dead before anyone reached his side.

Some people in the lower part of Michigan have an idea that the northern portion of this peninsula is a waste of sand barrens and pine stumps. The fact that Lewiston, in Montmorency county, is shipping a carload of wheat a week, all raised in the immediate vicinity, doesn't quite bear out that idea, however. While in Sherman township, Iosco county, one farmer reports a yield of wheat of 69 bushels from one and a quarter bushels of seed

sown on one acre of ground. The 32d Michigan regiment was on board its trains three days and nights in making the transfer from Fernandina, Fla., to Huntsville, Ala., and they landed at their destination in a downpour of rain through which they there the tents were found to be completely rainsoaked, and mud and water two and three feet deep covered the ground. Col. McGurrin at once ordered the men back to the city to obtain such shelter as they could get. The news that the 32d was to be mus tered out soon was gratefully received

by the men. After the 33d and 34th Michigan regiments had left Camp Eaton for southern camps officers were sent through the state for recruits to bring the regiments up to the quota of 106 men to each company. Before the recruits could join the regiments the latter had sailed for Cubs and the recruits were concentrated at Camp Alger, but later were transfered to Camp Meade. Now they have been ordered mustered out and 228 men of the 33d and 298 of the 34th were sent to Camp Eaton, Island Lake, and were granted 30 days furlough at their homes before being mustered out.

Miss Daisy Leiter, of Chicago, will christen the new battleship Illinois when it is launched at Newport News this month.

The hospital at Chicamauga, which has been so severely criticized, has been closed. There have been trested 2,462 cases, with only 35 deaths, according to the official reports.

TIGKINGS OF THE TELEGRAPH

News of the Day as Told Over the Slender Wires.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN NEWS

British Toops Occupy Khartoum, Egypt After Slaughtering Thousands of the Dervishes-The President Visits Camp Wikoff,

Killed 15,000 Dervishes.

London: The khalifa's forces have been utterly routed in the Upper Nile region of Egypt and Khartoum is in possession of the British - Egyptian forces under Gen. Kitchener. The town is a complete ruin. Khalifa Abdullah and Osman Digna, his principal general, managed to escape, but Abdullah's banner and thousands of prisoners were taken. It is estimated that 15,000 of the enemy were slain. British total casualties were about 500.

The entire British force was engaged from 6:30 in the morning until sunset. The dervishes resorted to their usual rushing tactics, and were simply mowed down. The khalifa's cavalry rode pell-mell at the British infantry column; but the footmen never wavered. The deadly fire poured into the enemy's rushing ranks caused the death of nearly every rider. The heroic bravery of the dervishes evoked universal admiration. Time after time their dispersed and broken forces reformed and hurled themselves upon the Anglo-Egyptians, their emirs conspicuously leading and spurning death. Even when wounded and in death agonies they raised themselves to fire a last shot.

The sirdir, Gen. Sir Herbert Kitchener, with the khalifa's black standard captured during the battle, entered Omdurman, the capital of Mahdiam, at the head of the Anglo-Egyptian column. Only two British officers were killed. Gen. Kitchener telegraphs: "The remnant of the khalifa's force has surrendered and I have now a very large number of prisoners on my hands. Our cavalry and gunboats are still pur- when the Eighth regiment U.S. volsuing the khalifa and his chiefs, who with only about 140 fighting men are at Ft. Thomas, followed the veterans apparently making for Kordofan."

Populist National Convention.

The Populist national convention at Cincinnati got into such a row that the manager of the Lyceum ordered them to leave the hall, fearing the destruction of his property. Order was finally restored by the Butler faction bolting and leaving the hall. The convention nominated Wharton Barker, of Pennsylvania, for president, by a vote of 128 4-5, as against 97 1-5 for Ignatius Donnelly, of Minnesota. On motion of Mr. Donnelly the nomination was made unanimous and then Donnelly was nominated for vice-president by acclamation. A very large platform was adopted which incorporated the provisions of the Omaha plat-

The President at Wikoff.

President McKinley spent five hours in Camp Wikoff, visiting the sick in the hospitals and inspecting the well in their cantonments. He made a speech to the assembled infantrymen. He reviewed the cavalrymen, expressed his opinion of the camp to the reporters and issued an order directing the regulars to return to their stations east of the Mississippi. With the President were Vice-President Hobart, Secretary of War Alger. Attorney-General Griggs, Senator Redfield Proctor, of Vermont; Brig.-Gen. Eagan, commissary of the army; Brig.-Gen. Ludington, quartermaster of the army.

Miles Says They Are True.

The U.S. transport Obdam, having on board Maj.-Gen. Nelson A. Miles and staff from Porto Rico, arrived at New York. Mrs. Miles, son and daughter, were also on board the transport, which sailed from Ponce Sept. 1. Gen. Miles admitted to the Associated marched two miles to camp. Arriving | Press reporter, who interviewed him while lying off Liberty island, the substantial accuracy of the statements attributed to him by the Kansas City Star's correspondent at Ponce, Porto Rico.

Queen Wilhelmina.

The enthronement of the young Queen Wilhelmins, of Holland, took place at Amsterdam amid scenes of royal grandeur at the Neukirk, an edifice that in spite of its name is 400 years old. After the ceremony the young queen appeared on foot among her people and was received with the greatest enthusiasm and joy.

U. S. Won't Permit It.

The Spanish government has requested of this government the privilege of sending a few small gunboats to certain of the Philippine islands where the insurgents are particularly active, with a view to maintaining Spanish sovereignty there. It is understood that the request will not be granted.

Gladstone's Will.

The will of the late Right Hon. Wm. E. Gladstone has been probated. It shows that his personal estate is valued at £59,506. Mr. Gladstone's will was written by himself in an ordinary memorandum book.

VETERANS IN BLUE.

Agnual Encamement of the G. A. R. at Dinchantla

The remnant of that magnificent army of heroes who fought for their country in 1861-5 held their 32d annual reunion at Cinginnati, and the Queen City received them and treated them most royally. The streets were waving masses of tri-colored bunting and flags, the red, white and blue being in evidence on every side, together with the lone star banner of Cuba. The city was never in gayer holiday dress. Immense and beautiful arches span-

ned the streets at various points, adding much to the beauty of the scene and the electric light designs displayed at night were gorgeous. Fully 50,000 veterans participated in the various events of the week and twice

as many other visitors thronged the city to witness the grand parade and review and other features of the annual encampment.

The Women's Relief Corps and Ladies of the G. A. R. held their conventions simultaneously with the G. A. R. meeting and their presence contributed largely to the interest of the occasion.

The citizens tendered receptions to Commander-in-Chief Gobin, Rear Admiral Kelley, Mrs. S. J. Martin, president of the W. R. C., Mrs. Flora M. Davey, president of the Ladies of the G. A. R., Mrs. Jennie Laird, president of the national ssociation of the Ladies of the Naval Veterans, and others.

The arrival of the national and state department officers and the various state delegations were events full of interest, and none attracted more attention than the Michigan men, Detroit post particularly receiving many compliments on the fine appearance of

its men and their proficiency in drill. The first spectacular feature of the encampment was the parade of the National Naval assaciation and the Ex-Prisoners of War association. The spectators could not fail to be impressed with a sad feeling that they were looking upon a body of men whose days of marching must soon end. A strong contrast was shown unteers; a colored regiment stationed and were in turn followed by the boys of the schools—the younger hope of the country-passed by, bearing arms. The features of the first day were the regimental, brigade and other reunions at which the old comrades got closer together than on any other occasions. Camp fires were held at various points

the first three evenings of the week. The business of the thirty-second annual encampment of the Grand Army and its auxiliaries began after three days of preliminary demonstrations.

While heated contests were going on inside of the guarded doors of the encampment, all the demonstrations on the outside in the city were in accord with the peace jubilee. The parade of the civic and industrial organizations in the afternoon with all the illustrations of peace and prosperity and happiness that could be produced was the most magnificent pageant ever witnessed in Cincinnati. It is estimated that there were 40,000 in line and over 500,000 spectators along the line.

The encampment convened at 2:30 o'clock. The first business in order was a lengthy report from the coinmittee on pensions. The report dealt extensively in an effort to refute the charge that the pension roll was a roll of dishonor. It cited the fact that expensive investigations had

been undertaken by the department of different states, and after a close inquiry there had been not a single case of fraud discovered which could be traced to a member of the Grand Army of the Republic.

The committee gave figures showing that the death rate was rapidly incressing among pensioners. The number dying each year now exceeds 40,000. It is estimated that the increase in the number of deaths each year will be such that in 1920 the number of pensioners be reduced to a little over 250,-000 and that in 1940 the list will be obliterated.

An interruption of regular business was the presentation to ex-Commander-in-Chief Clarkson, of Nebraska, of a magnificent silver set in an oaken case. The ex-commander, with deep feeling, made a response expressing his thanks for the high honor shown

A motion was made immediately afterward to go into the election of commander-in-chief.

The name of Albert Shaw, of Watertown, N. Y., was presented by a delegate of that state. Gen. John C. Black, of Illinois, placed in nomination James A. Sexton, of Chicago. Commander gh, of Ohio, announced that I F. Mack, of Ohio, has directed him tosay that he declined to have his name presented as a candidate, because the senior vice-commander was to be chosen from the city where the encampment is held according to the usual costom. A delegate from Kansas explained that the name of Thomas J. Anderson, of Topeka, which had been mentioned as a candidate, would not

be presented. The roll of states was then called and the vote was announced showing the election of James A. Sexton, who received 424 votes, while Albert D. Alian received 241.

Che Day Star of the Orkney's.

A Romance---By Hannah B. McKenzie.

CHAPTER IX.—(Continued.)

He had to go out after breakfast and make some arrangements as to his leaving next day. He was gone an hour or two, and when he returned the hotelkeeper met him at the door.

Now what a pity you were not back ten minutes ago, and you would not have missed her!" said the worthy Mr. Nicholson, "But she left a note for you, sir. Here it is."

Monteith took the dainty envelope, from which a subtle perfume of sweet violets arose, and glanced at the address. He was too astonished to speak.

He took it into his room—a regular bachelor's room, with pipes strewn about the mantlepiece, and his bicycle, which had been mended since his accident, standing against the wall. There he tere open the note. "Dear Evan," ran the hold, dashing writing of Lilith Stuart, "I am so sorry to find you are out. I must see you again, if only for a minute. Do not be unmerciful; grant me this that I ask of you. Meet me at the Rowan Crag at two o'clock exactly. I shall be there. on you."

What could it mean?

Had Lilith repented? He could hardly think so, knowing of her what he did. If not, what more could she have to say to him on the subject? It was impossible to conjecture. The note puzzled Evan.

"But I must go. I shall give her that last chance," he thought. "I shall meet her at two, as she asks. There will be time after that for me to run round to Abbot's Head."

from the Gow Hotel. The path from the town towards the seashore road was steep and stony. Evan walked his machine down it, as he usually did. Once on the seashore road, he mounted and rode as quickly as the hilliness of the path would permit.

His machine was a high-grade one, with Dunlop tires and high-geared, so that he had to put a good deal of pressure on the pedals in ascending the hill. He was near the top, and the path was very stony, when suddenly his fore wheel came in contact with a large stone he had not noticed.

The wheel went over, but the next instant there was a sound as of something cracking beneath him; then the whole frame seemed thrown violently over, and before Evan could help himself he was shot over the handlebars, and landed on his back a little distance away from the machine. Luckily he was not much hurt, and in a few seconds was able to pick himself up and look at his machine. To his amazement, the front fork had snapped at the point where it was drilled for the axle, the framework had lurched, the axle springing from the socket, and the wheel had "buckled."

"I am an unfortunate beggar," muttered Monteith to himself. "This is the second time I've come to grief in these islands of nightless summer. Well, there's nothing for it but to leave the machine here and hurry on to keep my appointment. I can trust the natives not to touch it." He had scratched his hand severely and twisted his arm; but these were trifling injuries to what he might have experienced. And as Evan hurried on, he thanked God for what seemed almost a miraculous escape.

"If it had happened near Rowan Crag, God only knows where I might be now!" he thought to himself, shuddering a little as he hurried onwards. If he had understood better the terrible nature of the danger he had escaped, his thanks would have been deeper than they were.

"I am going along by the cliffs this afternoon, Miss Troil. You will tell Lady Westray so."

"On your machine, Miss Stuart?" Elspeth Troil asked, looking up quick-

"Yes; on my machine. Why not?" "I do not know that it is quite safe," Elspeth said, turning away again to look out of the window. Nicholson has not mended that broken fence yet."

Lilith laughed a little. "You think I am afraid? It takes more than a broken fence to frighten

me. Miss Troil." She passed out of the room, and Elsneth looked after her uneasily.

"I do not know why I should feel so about this sudden resolve of hers." she said to herself at last, rising and walking uneasily about the room, "I feel as if—as if some terrible catestrophe were hanging over us all, and I she had a hand in it. Surely I am in reality no sound came from her dry | Walker of Atlanta."

allowing my imagination to run away with me? And yet-"

She paused by the work-basket which stood in a corner of the room. A book had been hastily thrown into it. Half mechanically Elspeth picked "Miss Stuart has been calling for it up. It was entitled "Cycling; Comyou, Mr. Monteith, and has just gone. | mon Accidents, and How to Avert Them."

> The book fell open at a leaf which had been folded down. The section was headed, "Fork and Axle; How They Break, and How to Repair." Elspeth glanced over the page and, as she did so, a strange pallor came into her

Suddenly she threw down the book and rested a trembling hand on the table. Whence had come that sudden, horrible thought which had leaped upon her like a beast of prey, and was now holding her in a deadly grip that she could not shake off? Elspeth did not know; but before the horror of it she shuddered and covered her face, feeling suddenly icy cold, though the day was warm.

"I am mad!" she whispered presently, letting her hands fall. "God forbid that anything so horrible should be Yours, Lilith. P. S.-I shall depend real! And yet why not go out mysel. and—and avert danger, if there should be any?"

Lady Westray was taking her afterluncheon nap. Elspeth ran downstairs, put on a hat in the hall and, starting through the grounds, was soon on the seashore path.

It was a September afternoon, and a glorious day—not too sultry, but with the first cool breath of Autumn in the air. As Elspeth raced along, listening to the soft swish-swish of the waves as they broke on the cliffs below, the It was half-past one when he started | invigorating air seemed to banish the horrible fear that had seized her mind in so sudden and wild a fashion.

> "What a wicked, suspicious mind I must have!" she thought. Even as the thought passed through her mind she noticed the tall figure of a man walking rapidly toward her.

> For a moment Elspeth thought it was Evan Montieth, and her heart beat fast; but in a few seconds she saw her mistake, and recognized him as Magnus Halcrow. On a sudden impulse she moved from the pathway, and retreated towards the line of rowan-trees and birches which ran along higher up from the cliff.

> As she did so the whirring sound of a bicycle coming rapidly along the road startled her. She looked round. It was Lilith, who came flying along the dangerous road like a creature of the woods and sea, her masses of reddishauburn hair floating about her, her lips parted, her eyes wild with excitement. She was rushing at a breakneck speed. Elspeth could have shricked aloud to

She was close to that dangerous part —the part of the cliff-road which was so close to the rocks that it had been guarded by a palisade of wood for the safety of pedestrians or riders.

Only the day before the keeper had come to inform Miss Stuart that a portion of the fencing had been broken down, evidently by some malicious person, and that the path was therefore dangerous. Yet, in defiance of this, Lilith had elected to ride along this road today. Why had she done so?

As Elspeth gazed with fascinated eyes, hardly drawing a breath, at the flying wheel and its rider, Magnus suddenly emerged into the path round a turning.

Did Lilith Stuart see him? Did she recognize him? Did she take him for some one else? None knew-none should ever know in this world.

She rode on wildly, her pedals hardly seeming to revolve, so rapid was the motion. A log lay across the road. The rider could not have noticed it, for the next moment her machine rocked

A shrick rose to Elspeth's lips. She checked it, with a strange feeling that she herself was about to die.

Then-oh, God, how could Elspeth look on it and still live?—the pedestrian had sprung forward and evidently made a wild attempt to seize the machine.

For one moment—it was all done in he twinkling of an eye-Elspeth saw Lilith Stuart's face as she wildly threw her head backwards. Its expression of horror, amazement and white despair would haunt Elspeth as long as she lived.

A acream rent the air—such a acream as one hears in a nightmare, and cannot forget for days-a scream from Lilith's lips; and then—Elspeth was gazing wildly at empty space! Man woman, bicycle—all had disappeared.

Elspeth thought she uttered a cry;

wards recall what she did. The first thing she was conscious of was that she was looking into Evan Monteith's face and trying, with lips that refused to move or do her bidding, to tell him all. But she knew that he understood her when she saw his own face grow pale as death.

lips and throat. Sne ould neve after-

"Wait here," he said hoursely, seizing her hand in a momentary grasp. "I shall run for Nicholson, and we shall go down to the shore together. Don't move till I come back."

When he returned she was still there; but her expression frightened even the keeper, and she was shivering from head to foot like one in an ague.

"Run on to the castle, Miss Troil. Send men with stretchers," said Monteith, speaking very quietly. "Have things ready for them, and pray God they may be required."

Elspeth Troil only asked one ques-

"You will bring both to the castle?" "We will, Miss," answered the keeper, whose face reflected the pallor of Monteith's,

Elspeth was waiting in the hall when, an hour later, the terrible cortege arrived. It was she who had done, everything-despatched the men with stretchers, telegraphed for a doctor, scothed Lady Westray, and was in violent hysterics, and directed the horror-stricken gervants.

She had kept up her courage while doing all this; but now, as the men solemnly filed into the hall, carrying between them two rude litters covered with sheets, under which lay—oh, God what?—a strange dizziness came over Elspeth, and she had to cling to the wall for support.

Evan Monteith came to her side, and as Elspeth's eyes wildly sought his face, she guessed the truth.

"No use deceiving you, Miss Troil," he said, his voice low and husky. "No power on earth can do anything for her. She must have been killed instantaneously, that is one consolation."

"And he?" whispered Elspeth. "Still lives, thank God!" said Monteith. And he lifted his hat from his head reverently,

Elspeth slipped from his hold and knelt for a moment on that marble floor, covering her face with her hands. When she rose, Evan Monteith, looking in her face, read there the secret of Elspeth Troil's life.

(To be Continued.)

CHIVALRY AT CHAPULTEPEC. Noble Act of a Mississippian in the Storming of the Fortress.

The Hon. John Temple Graves, in a

brief speech before Georgia Woman's

here tonight in the person of my noble

and beloved friend, General William R.

Club, told on the spur of the moment a beautiful story—a true story—which embalms the heroism and surpassing chivalry of a gallant veteran now living in Atlanta, Mr. Graves said: "This is an era of heroes. We are glorifying the prowess of Dewey and Hobson and Blue and crowning them with immortal memories. And this is right. The appreciation of heroes produces heroes. Men do not mind risking their lives for a country that will remember the daring. And the time to recognize heroes is while they live. not after they are dead. Let us remember our present heroes while they are with us, and let us not now or ever forget the heroes yet living whose prowess glorified an earlier day. "There is a hero and a night of chivalry in this hall to-night. Le me tell you the splendid story which his modest lips have never told: "The war with Mexico is a part of our martial history. Taylor and Scott and Davis and Lee came out of it immortal. The epic of the great struggle was the storming of Chapultepec. That frowing fortress was the Gibraltar of Mexico. Its massive walls seemed impregnable. But American daring halted at no obstacles, and an intrepid band it or not. of volunteers was chosen to scale and assault it. "Among the first of the dauntless few who braved their way through the shot and shell to the fortress on that dreadful day was a young Mississippian, handsome as Alcibiades, proud, confident, and thrilling with patriotic ferver. He was among the first if not one of the first, to scale the wall, and, sword in hand, dashed along that storm-swept rampart in advance of all his fellows, to cut down the waving flag of the enemy and reap the immortality of the deed. He was the first to reach the fiag; his sword was raised, when he heard swift footsteps behind him. He paused, turned and saw his commanding officer, to whom he was tenderly attached and deeply obligated. And then this gallant Mississippian, without a moment's hesitation, with the bow of a Chesterfield, lowered his sword and with the point at rest stood aside while his friend and commanding officer cut down the flag of Mexico and was bulletined for the laurels of that splendid day. In the history of battles there was never more gallant, more chivalric deed than that. And the real hero of Chapultepec, maimed and gray. but glorious still, sits just before me

THE PLOT FAILED.

An Attempt Made to Kill the Caar of

A dispatch from London says: A re-

port is published here of a daring plot to assissinate the czar of Russia at Moscow. The plan of the conspirators was to allow gas to escape into a house on the route of the czar's procession until the atmosphere in every room had become saturated. One of their number was to remain in the house and strike a light when the czar was passing, in expectation that the house would be blown to pieces and the czar killed by the flying debries. The conspirator would perish himself as a sacrifice to the cause. The duty fell to the lot of one Alexander Kolanoff. In his agitation Kolanoff seems to have made an error, as the explosion was mistimed. When it occurred, a staff officer and his wife were driving past the house, and they, instead of the czar, were killed. Their coachman will probably die of his injuries and about 30 other persons were more or less seriously injured.

Kolanoff's mangled body was found among the ruins. The czar and czarina drove by just 25 minutes later.

Many arrests have been made in Moscow, but the Russian tress has been forbidden to refer to the matter.

Grand Army Parade.

The great annual parade of the Grand Army eclipsed all other events, with a bright blue sky and everything in its favor it surpassed all expectations. The procession moved in the following order:

Grand Marshal Gen. A. Hickenlooper and staff; Old Glory; color guard—Cavalry club; Commander-in-Chief Gen. J. P. S. Gobin and staff, first division. department of Illinois; second division, departments of Wisconsin and Pennsylvania; third division, departments of New York and Connecticut; fourth division, de-partments of Mussachusetts, New Jersey, Maine, Nevada, California, Rhode Island, Vermont, New Hampshire, Potomac, Virginia, Maryland and Nebraska: fifth division, departments of Michigan and Iowa: sixth division, department of Indiana: seventh division, departments of Colorado, Wyoming. Kansas, Delaware, Minnesota, Missouri and Oregon; eighth division, departments of Kentucky, West Virginia, South Dakota, Alaska, Washington, Arkansas, New Montager and Vitalia. Mexico and Utah: ninth division, departments of Tennessee. Louisiana. Mississippi Florida, Montana, Texas, Idaho, Arizona, Georgia, Alabama, North Dakota, Oklahoma and Indian

All along the line of march there were casks of ice water and lemonade for the marchers.

There were numerous meetings previous to the parade, but none that attracted more attention than the meeting of "the blue and the gray" at the Chamber of Commerce. This meeting had been arranged by resident confederal veterans, with a view of bringing about the most cordial handshaking over the blood chasm, and it was eminently successful.

Li Hung Chang Chang Dismissed.

Li Hung Chang has been dismissed from power. It is presumed it was done in accordance with the demand which, it was rumored, the British minister at Pekin, Sir Claude M. Mac-Donald, was instructed to make, on account of the alleged general partiality of the great Chinamen to Russia, culminating in Great Britain being deprived of the contract for the Pekin-Hankow railroad by giving the Russo-Chinese bank financial control of the

Dropped to Death.

The two south spans of the international bridge of the New York & Ottawa R. R., now under construction across the St. Lawrence river about three miles above St. Regis Indian village, fell without warning with 60 men at work on the bridge, all being thrown into the river, some 60 feet below. Over 30 were picked up and taken to Cornwall hospital, and 27 are

Alger Wants an Investigation.

Secretary Alger has requested the President to order an investigation of the war department. Adjt.-Gen. Corbin joins the secretary in making this request. The President has the matter under consideration, but has not determined whether he will grant

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And now our thoughts are all of peace and home. There are, too often, people to be found who have no home, and it is to them these few words are addressed. If you really want a home you can easily get one, but you should act at once before the relapse from the war puts prices on the advance. In Marinette County, Wisconsin, the very finest farming land is to be had now at a most modest figure. Excellent home markets are at hand to take whatever the farmer raises, and good prices are given. These lands are on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St, Paul Railway, and full information concerning them will cheerfully be furnished by C. E. Rollins, Immigration Agent, 161 La Salle Street, Chicago.

HAGERMAN PASS, 11,580 feet high, is the route used by the Colorado Midland and the highest point reached by a standard gauge railway. The scenery on the Colorado Midland through the mountains is incomparable, train service the hest and rates always as low as the lowest. If you have a trip in view through the Rocky Mountains write to the General Passenger Agent, Colorado Midland Railway, Denver, for information as to rates, train service, etc. Printed matter, including handsome illustrated pamphlets, furnished upon application.

A. B. & O. S. W. Promotion.

Cincinnati, Sept. 5, 1898.—C. C. Riley, at present Superintendent of Car Service of the Baltimore & Ohio South Western Railway, with headquarters at Cincinnati, will be promoted to the newly created position of Superintendent of Transportation on August 29th, and the position he formerly held will be abolished. Mr. Riley came to the Baltimore & Ohio South Western Railway from the C. C. C. & St. L. Rallway about a year ago, and has earned his promotion by meritorious services.

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For over 20 years I was bothered with kidney trouble, and despite treatment by physicians and using almost every remedy that came to my notice I received no permanent relief until I tried Doan's Kidney Pills. No one except those who have been through the mill of kidney com-plaint can tell the torture that one endures. The constant pains across my back extending up the right side; totally unable to lie on my right side; the stiffness and numbness of my limbs: the excruciating pain: is something much more easy to think about than to express. Many a time my husband has had to rub my back to get up the circulation before I was able to get on my feet. My family prevailed on me to try Doan's Kidney Pills, but as I had used dozens of other remedies I had very little hope of finding relief. They persisted in their advice and in the fall of 1897 I used three boxes. I felt like a different person. I was in better health like a different person. I was in better health than I had been in years. The pain in my back left. I slept well at night, I could do my housework as well as I ever could, and I give the en-tire credit to Doan's Kidney Pills. I make this statement so that other women who suffer as I suffered may be in a position to know what to use if they wish to get rid of that too prevalent disease, kidney complaint.

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THURSDAY, SEPT. 15, 1898.

HORSE RACES.

On Saturday afternoon of last week the Driving Club held another meet. Although the crowd was not as large as on previous occasions, it was fairly good and the races were fast. Below is a summary of the afternoons races:

3:00 Trot-Best time, 1:40. Howell Boy, Wild Dick 2nd Daisy Hurch, 3rd Doctor W. Running Race—Best time: 573 Red Bird Duster H.

SCHOOL REPORT.

Financial statement of the receipts and expenditures of School District No. 2, Township of Putnam for the school year ending Sept. 1, 1898: TOTAL RECEIPTS.

| Money on hand Sept. 1, 1897, | \$324,2 |
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| Received from one mill tax, | 236.8 |
| Received from voted tax, | 2600.0 |
| Tuition of non-resident pupils, | 163,1 |
| Dog Tax and Primary Money received | 255.9 |
| Total, | \$3685.C |

TEACHER'S SALARIES and EXPENDITURES.

| Stephen Durfee C. L. Grimes | \$700.00 350.00 |
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| Nina Cord | 225.00 |
| Edith Carr | 75.00 |
| Jessie Green | 300,00 |
| Director's salary | 10.00 |
| Treasurer's salary | 10.00 |
| Janitor's salary | 110.00 |
| Truant Officer | 10,00 |
| Coal | 185,80 |
| Ineurance | 90,00 |
| Paid on bonds and interest | 1050,00 |
| Wood | 4,38 |
| Repairing Furnace | 21.56 |
| Fiag pole | 4.25 |
| Printing | 28.40 |
| Cleaning school house | 20.00 |
| Diplomas | 21.75 |
| C. G. Jewett for repairs | 3.58 |
| Teepie & Cadwell, for incidentals | 16.13 |
| F. A. Sigler, for incidentals | 21.15 |
| G. A. Sigler, for incidentals | 21.75 |
| Other incidentals | 4.65 |

Total expenditures \$3283.35 Cash to Balance \$301.74

C. L. CAMPBELL, Treas.

Interesting Items.

The average number of war revenue stamps issued daily during July was 22,775,527.

A Chicago paper says: "A couple were married on the north side last week." Wonder why they did not get married all over?—Carlton Times— They thought, perhaps, if they could not agree it would not take as long to get a divorce.

Dexter has a damage snit. Wm. E. Rogers wants \$1,000 for injuries received by falling into a hole in the alleyway next to Davis Bros. & Co's. store. He has placed his case in the so anxious was Sam to suppress the hands of Ann Arbor attorneys.—Dexter Leader.

Holly wants either a curfew bell, or a lot of parents who will keep their children in evenings-preferable the latter—Fenton Independent.—This place needs something stronger than a curfew to keep the pilfering hand from taking other peoples property such as, plums, peaches, grapes, mel ons and old iron. A few curs might do if tied loose.

A Clever Trick.

It certainly looks like it, but there is really no trick about it. Anybody can try it who has lame back and that there are ten million people in weak kidneys, malaria or nervous America who are bicycle riders. troubles. We mean he can cure him | Probably each one gets an average of self right away by taking electric bit one hurt in a season and that 16 just ters. This medicine tones up the when Henry & Johnson's Arnica & whole system, acts as a stimulant to Oil Liniment gets in its good work. the liver and kidneys, is a blood puri- Nothing has ever been made that will fier and nerve tonic. It cures Cousti- cure a bruise, cut or sprain so quicknation. Headache, Fainting Spells, ly. Also remobes pimples, sunburn Sleeplessness, and Melancholy. It is tan or freckles. Clean and nice to parely vegetable, a mild laxative and use. Take it with you. Costs 25c restores the system to its natural vig- per bottle. Three times as much in a or. Try electric bitters and be con- 50c bottle. We sell it and guarantee winced that they are a miracle worker. it to give good satisfaction or money Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50c a refunded. hattle at F. A. Sigler's Drug Store.

A petition signed by 4,000 persons has been sent to President McKinley from Kalamazoo, protesting against the canteen system of army camps.

If a soldier boy in our army does not wish to sink to the lowest level of which humanity can sink, but wishes to stand up to his true principal of manhood, he will have to have more courage than it takes to face a Spanish battery, to witstand the sneers and jeers of some of their comrads. As was said by one boy, "he did not know ehere could be so much wickedness in the world as he had found since he had joined the army."

What is the difference between the fire bell and the church bell. It takes the church bell a couple of hours on Sunday to draw an audience, while a fire bell can get every man, woman and child together in five minutes. Both are said to be fire bells, one rings for the fire in this world and the other for the fire in the world to come; but mortals know it will be impossible to extinguish the latter while they tenant the flesh, therefore pay little heed to Great Offer by a Large Music House the call.—Ex.

Additional Local.

The apple dvaporater gives employment to 16 hands at this place, and is doing a rushing business.

Carroll would teach the fall term of school in the Hause district. We were misinformed, that was all.

Washington Allen Jr. of Howell, a regular in the 25th United States Infantry, died at New Haven, Conn., of typhoid fever Sept. 10. This is the first death occurred of anyone in this county.

The ball game at this place last Saturday between the Pinckney and Parkers Corners boys was very ragged. Our boys succeeded in getting six scores but the results of the other side were too numerous to mention.

At the regular monthly business meeting of the C. E. held at the Cong'l church last week Monday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing six months: Pres. Miss. Bessie Cordley; Vice-pres. Mrs. H. W. Crofoot; Sec. Miss Mable Decker; Treas. and Organist, Mrs. H. H. Swarthout: Chorister, Will McIntyre.

If any of our subscribers who have never paid us a cent on subscription have the least idea that we are sending the paper for nothing, it might be well to remind them that they are everreaching the rule of trade and we hope to receive cash from all as soon as possible. Surely they are not without money these prosperous timesbut we are.—Livingston Democrat. O fie! Brother Ryan! Can't you live on faith and promises a little longer, we have to.

Married at Howell, Mich., Aug. 30, Samuel J. Wallace of this place and Miss Grace Reason of Pinckney. The wedding was a very quiet affair and news in this vicinity that he confiscated last weeks copy of the Pinckney DISPATCH which reaches this office regularly? Vain hope, has he fallen from Grace or lost his Reason that he should imagine himself capable of preforming such miracles. Newspaper men are clairvoyants and know all things. Well, here is all kinds of good luck to the happy couple.—Carleton Times. Oh! no, Sam did not fall from Grace or did not lose his Reason at all for when they were married, he stood by Grace and got his Reason. *

Ten Million Wheelmen.

It is stated by competent authority

F. A. Sigler.

Increase of Dose not Necessary.

There are many medicines advertised to cure constipation and other stomach disorders which really do some temporary relief, among these are the various kinds of pills and the great number of teas. But an experience with these is most always dissapointing. Either it becomes necessary to keep increasing the dose or they become entirely inactive. Not so with Dr. Cadwell's Syrup Pepsin. Its efficacy keeps up and those who give it a fair an honest trial find that it is always a friend. 10c, 50c and \$1 sizes of W. B. Darrow.

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for Romeo Lenox and int. sta. 3, writing from Santaigo de Cuba, on July 23, says: "We all had Saginaw Gd Rapids and Gd Haven Gd Rapids Gd Haven Chicago Saginaw Gd Rapids Milwankee Ohicago and Intermediate sta. Grand Rapids & Gd Haven diarrhoes in more or less violent form, and when we landed we had no time to see a doctor, for it was a case of rush and rush night and day to keep the troops supplied with ammunition and rations, but thanks to Chamberlains Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, car to Toronto—Sleeping car to York we were able to keep at work and keep our health; in fact, I sincerely believe that at one critical time W. E. DAVIS this medicine was the indirect saviour of our army, for if the packers had been unable to work getting supplies to the front. train could use. My comrade and myself had the good fortune to

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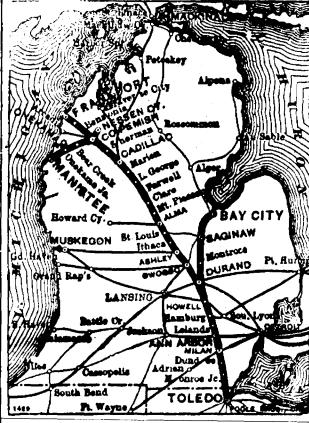
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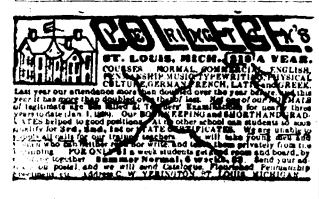
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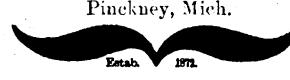
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HE FAINTED TWICE.

A Tender-Hearted Motorman Ran Over an Emgy of Weyler.

A motorman in Brocklyn fainted twice Tuesday night, once from fright and once because he found that he had not crushed out a human life. He is the most remarkable motorman in Brooklyn. He is different from all his kind, says the New York Herald. He was running his car along at full speed at 1:30 o'clock, when the motorman saw a figure lying upon the track. He tried to stop the car. He was too late. There was a whirring sound, a crushing, grinding noise, which gradually ceased, and then the car stopped. The motorman saw a shoe over the edge of the fender. He put his hands to his face and fell backward in a dead faint More than a score of passengers with bleached faces left the car and looked at the form beneath the trucks. The limbs were twisted about the wheels and wisps of straw showed from the torn clothing. The passengers, after much difficulty, extricated the form which had been run over and found it was that of a Spanish general of great distinction. The man who had been run over had a card across his breast, which bore the inscription: "This is Weyler." Half a dozen passengers had meanwhile succeeded in reviving the motorman. "Did I kill him?" asked the knight of the lever, when he revived. "That's all right, old man," said a good-natured passenger, slap-Nervine and Nerve and Liver Pills, which | ping the motorman on the shoulder "it was a straw one this time." No. 779 was in a daze. He looked at the passengers and then at the distorted figure upon the pavement. He jumped upon his car, released the lever and ran his empty conveyance with all speed up the avenue. He stopped short in front of the police station. He abandoned his car and rushed into the house. "Sergeant," he said, "I've killed a man down at Powell street." There was a scurrying around the station house. A patrol wagon hastened to the scene of the accident. Fifteen minutes later three disgusted-looking policemen came back. "Brace up, old man," said one of them to the wildeyed motorman. "Your victim was a man of straw." Being told to "brace up," the motorman fainted again. He was revived with appropriate stimulants and a few minutes later he was running his car again, blithe and

Young America on War.

An essay on the present war between he United States and Spain, written by Paul Harper, the 6-year-old son of William Hudson Harper of Evanston, Ill., and printed in the Index, is as follows: 'This war is prty sirius, and this is why it is, beekas at first you no the Spanish Minister swor at Mukinerly and did not apolugis for such a long time. And the next sirius thing we the Maen, and I should like to of seen that grate eksplotion. And then the Starveing Cyobens are prty sirius to. And now we have beegun the war and many brave comrades will dide for ther country. Prhaps ther will not bee a man in the town, and meny a muther will mourn for her husbands. Ded lay they on the batlfid, and ther stand ther muthers weeping for ther huzbans. They take the wanded to the hospitl and the ded to the graves. And meny Spanish ships will singk, and feew American ships will singk, and we shall fite the Spanyrds on land and sea. And our flag waves over the Filupeens ilens this day and are army." The last page of the manuscript was embellished with drawings of one battleship with the stars and stripes flying from its masthead. Another man-of-war is shown just coming into sight.

Beat the Drum at '95. Point Pleasant, W. Va., special: Uncle Jack Greer, who has lived through four wars, viz., the war of 1812, the Mexican war, the war of the rebellion and the Spanish-American war, was one of the central figures in the Dewey day parade.

He is 95 years old, and played a drum

in one of the bands of the procession.



Wake up to the haps you owe the

FREE LANCE PARAGRAPHS.

Men, like sheep, go in droves, un the driver is a wolf in sheep's clothin, heo drives the sheep three, thermy places in order that they may loose there wool wile wigglin throc.

If it is true that the smartest man makes the most munny, then the men hoo allow themselves to be skint are foels. Does it take a very smart man to skin a lot of fools?

The man hoo crawls up in the world from the backs ov his lowly nabors, un then turns un spits on his steppin stuns, is a man who would still bow at the feet ov them above him un bare his hed for 'em to spit on his bald

The man hoo izent better than his religyun is nineteen hundred years behint the procession ov human progress. Since only a few ov us are haff as good as our religyun, it's hard to tell witch way weere a goin; un death un the grave is jist outside this little circle.

An alliance between nashuns is like a compact between theeves. So long as it pays, it stands. England has plundered all her possessuns, un the United States is part ov the plunder she lost. Don't let the robber git too near his lost plunder agin, or we'll regret

The young man hoo wants to be noticed by eve**rybody**, soon makes everyboddy weary ov the scenery. The young man with a mishun un a purpose wants ter remain in the shadder un wurk undisturbed, un let the world see his wurk. Even the old hen never tries to attract attenshun until after sheeze laid her egg.

Yoo kin teach a man how to grow mentally blind, jist as eezey as to teach him how to distinguish a cow frum a turtle dove. Un the queer thing about it is, the blind men think everyboddy else is blind that don't see thinks on the same blind side ov pollyticks un religyun as they do, un they begin to teach blindness to wonst.

Save your money, boy, un after a little wile yoo kin buy slaves to work for yoo. If everybody saved thare money, the same as every mule saves his hair, money un mule hair wud have about the same valyoo. Thare is no mule hair in cirkulashun except wen the mule refunds his capital in early spring; un yoo can't buy a mule with his own hair.

The man hoo starts out in life to tell the naked truth, will soon diskiver that he must put a little shoogar coat on it, un taffy pants, un roll it up in cotton humbug soaked in sweetened sham. Un even then heeze gotter make the peeple beleeve it is thare religyus, they'll spit it out un call it nasty.-Finnickey Finnukin, in Pennsylvania

RECENT INVENTIONS.

Boots, shoes and like foot coverings are dried and warmed by the insertion therein of a flexible water-tight receptacle containing hot water, the invention being patented by a resident of Ireland.

A Spanish inventor has designed an ornamental hoofplate for attachment to horse shoes, the shoe being provided with a rim around the top, in Price 25 cents per box. which the lower edge of the plate is inserted to lock it.

To prevent vibration when riding over obstacles on a bicycle the seatsupporting post is provided at its lower end with a piston which enters a chamber filled with air or liquid, the height of the seat being also regulated by this means.

An Indiana woman has patented a device to keep the tablecloth from slipping around on the table, two frames being set on the table and connected by cords, which join at each end of the table, and are fastened with clips to press the frames down on the table.

DON'T.

Don't try to shine shoes if you lack polish.

Don't think dollars can be acquired Don't meddle with people who don't

meddle with you. Don't despise the lowly. The under

jaw does all the work. Don't turn up your nose at hobbies;

much good has come from them. Don't hold your breath until the things come that you are waiting for. Don't think because a man advocates

Don't expect to move any obstacle without first gedting a move on your-

temperance that he never smiles.

Don't practice economy by setting fact, that per- a hen on one egg in order to save

Don't try to run over street cars when riding your wheel. You might be held for damages—at the hospital.— Chicago News.

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The man who looks upon the wine when it is red may feel blue later.

A woman changes her mind so often that it keeps her busy speaking it.

The man who attempts to flatter you is either a fool or he thinks you are

We've often wondered what will become of the self-made man in the final round-up. Just as soon as a man acquires his

superior one. A woman admires one man for the qualities he has and loves another for

ideal he begins to look around for a

those he hasn't. When a man asserts that he is just as good as another man he always be-

lieves he's better.

Conscience may tell a man that he is doing wrong, but fortunately it doesn't inform his neighbors.

The widower who mourns the loss of his first wife sometimes has the period of his mourning extended by taking a second.

The woman who is continually lec-

turing her husband either thinks he is a fool, or else she has forgotten that a word to the wise is sufficient.

hears of "some fine openings in Cuba for young Americans," he can't repress the thought that he is "just as young as he used to be."

In Porto Rico the milkman milks his cow in front of the customer's door, which is several points ahead of the American way of milking the cow in front of the pump.

The Canadian papers speak of a "Gen Foster" as one of the American commissioners at the Quebec conference. Mr. Foster is an "old diplomatic hand," but his new military title is probably of Kentucky origin.

It is ordered by a police authority in New York that no woman with short skirts shall be permitted on the streets of the town unless accompanied by a wheel for at least a tag signifying that she owns one. What impudence is this! Any decent woman is a judge of those things better than forty police authorities, and decent women have rights that the police are bound to respect. And if a woman does ride a wheel can she be allowed to go around half naked?

Lieutenant Hobson says he can raise and save the finest of Cervera's fleet, the Cristobal Colon, and get her into harbor at a cost of not to exceed \$500,000. Spain claims that the vessel and her armament cost close on to six millions of dollars. She originally belonged to Italy and was known as the Garibaldi. The only fear Hobson has is the effect of the hurricanes of those seas now about due, which might smash the vessel to pieces because of her position on the reef. Admiral Sampson reports that one ship of the Spanish navy defeated by the fleet under his command will be floated and towed into port. In a recent dispatch to the navy department he says that as soon as a small leak in the bow of the Infanta Maria Teresa is located the ship will be pumped out and brought to the harbor of Guantanamo. Two new vessels may thus be soon added to our navy.

Almost the whole of the public debt of the nations of the world has been incurred in war. Since 1702 Great Britain has added £904,000,000 to her public debt in seventy-five years of war, and diminished the debt £276,-600,000 in one hundred and twenty years of peace. Thus it takes more than five years of peace to pay the loss occasioned by one year of war. The not debt of the United States in July, 1861, was \$87,700,000; in August, 1865, th was \$2.756.000.000. It reached the lowest point since the civil war in 1893, when it was \$839,000,000. That is, in twenty-eight years of peace this rich country had paid a little more than two-thirds of the debt incurred in four years of war. France staggers under a public debt which causes an annual interest charge of \$6.50 for every person in the country, and she owes this debt chiefly to foreign and domestic wars. It is nearly the same story everywhere, and we are learning this year that national glory is costly, even do our own country. __

TALMAGE'S SERMON.

OUR OWN TIMES, SUNDAY'S SUBJECT.

Text Acts, 13:36: "David After He Had Served His Own Generation by the Will of God Fell on Sleep"-Good Advice for Lawmakers.

That is a text which has for a long time been running through my mind. Sermons have a time to be born as well as a time to die; a cradle as well as a grave. David, cowboy and stoneslinger, and fighter, and dyamatist, and blank-verse writer, and prophet, did his best for the people of his time, and then went and laid down on the southern hill of Jerusalem in that bound slumber which nothing but an archangelic blast can startle. "David, after he had served his own generation by the will of God, fell on sleep." It was his own generation that he had served; that is, the people living at the time he lived. And have you ever thought that our responsibilities are chiefly with the people now walking abreast of us? There are about four generations to a century now, but in olden times. life was longer, and there was, perhaps, only one generation to a century. Taking these facts into the calculation, I make a rough guess, and say that there have been at least one hundred and eighty generations of the human family. With reference to them we have no responsibility. We can not teach them, we cannot correct their mistakes, we cannot soothe their sorrows. we cannot heal their wounds. Their sepulchres are deaf and dumb to anything we might say of them. The last regiment of that great army has passed out of sight. We might halloo as loud as we could; not one of them would avert his head to see what we wanted. I admit that I am in sympathy with the child whose father had suddenly died, and who in her little evening prayer wanted to continue to pray for her father, although he had gone into heaven and no more needed her prayers, and looking up into her Every time Senator Steve Elkins | mother's face, said: "Oh, mother, I cannot leave him all out. Let me say, thank God that I had a good father once, so I can keep him in my pray-

> But the one hundred and eighty generations have passed off. Passed up. Passed down. Passed forever. Then there are generations to come after our earthly existence has ceased. We shall not see them; we shall not hear any of their voices; we will take no part in their convocations, their elections, their revolutions, their catastrophies, their triumphs. We will in no wise affect the 180 generations gone or the 180 generations to come, except as from the galleries of heaven the former generations look down and rejoice at our victories, or as we may, by our behavior, start influences, good or bad, that shall roll on through the advancing ages. But our business is, like David, to serve, our own generation, the people now living, those whose lungs now breathe, and whose hearts now beat. And mark you, it is not a silent procession, but moving. It is a "forced march" at twenty-four miles a day, each hour being a mile. Going with tthat celerity, it has got to be a quick service on our part, or no service at all. We not only cannot teach the 180 generations past, and will not see the 180 generations to come, but this generation now on the stage will soon be off, and we ourselves will be off with them. The fact is, that you and I will have to start very soon for our work, or it will be ironical and sarcastic for any one after our exit to say of us, as it was said of David, "After he had served his own generation by the will of God, he fell on sleep."

Well, now, let us look around earnestly, prayerfully, in a common sense way, and see what we can do for our own generation. First of all, let us see to it that, as far as we can, they have enough to eat. The human body is so constituted that three times a day the body needs food as much as a lamp needs oil, as much as a locomotive needs fuel. To meet this want God has girdled the earth with apple orchards, orange groves, wheat fields, and oceans full of fish, and prairies full of cattle. And notwithstanding this, I will undertake to say that the vast majority of the human family are now suffering either for lack of food or the right kind of food. Our civilization is all askew, and God only can set it right. Many of the greatest estates of today have been built out of the blood and bones of unrequited toil. In olden times, for the building of forts and towers, the inhabitants of Ispahan had to contribute 70,000 skulls, and Bagdad 90,000 human skulls, and that number of people were compelled to furnish the skulls. But these two contributions added together made only 160.000 skulls. while into the tower of the world's wealth and pomp have been wrought the skeletons of uncounted numbers of the half-fed populations of the earth-millions of skulls. Don't sit down at your table with five or six courses of abundant supply and think nothing of that family in the next street who would take any one of those five courses between soup and almond Bute and feel they were in heaven. The

cause of much of the drunkenness. After drinking what many of our grocers call coffee, sweetened with what many call sugar, and eating what many | world developed in the previous twenof our butchers call meat, and chewing | ty years. I challenge the 4,000 years what many of our bakers call bread, many of the laboring class feel so miserable they are tempted to put into their nasty pipes what the tobacconist calls tobacco, or go into the drinking saloons for what the rum sellers call beer. Good coffee would do much in driving out bad rum.

with enough to eat? By sitting down in embroidered slippers and lounging back in an arm chair, our mouth puckered up around a Havana of the best brand, and through clouds of luxuriant smoke reading about political economy and the philosophy of strikes? Oh, no! By finding out who in this city has been living on gristle, and sending than a tenderloin beefsteak. Seek out some family, who through sickness or conjunction of misfortunes, have not enough to eat, and do for them what Christ did for the hungry multitudes of Asia Minor, multiplying the loaves and fishes. Let us quit the surfeiting of ourselves until we cannot choke down another crumb of cake, and begin the supply of others' necessities. So far from helping appease the world's hunger, are those whom Isaiah describes as grinding the faces of the poor. You have seen a farmer or a mechanic put a scythe or an ax on a grindstone, while someone was turning it round and round and the man holding the ax bore on it harder and harder, while the water dropped from the grindstone, and the edge of the ax from being round and dull, got keener and keener. So I have seen men who were put against the grindstone of hardship, and while one turned the crank, another would press the unfortunate harder down and harder down until he was ground away thinner and thinner—his comforts thinner, his prospects thinner, and his face thinner. And Isaiah shrieks out: "What mean ye that ye grind the faces of the poor?"

But, alas! where are the good clothes for three-fourths of the human race? The other one-fourth have appropriated them. The fact there needs to will be, a redistribution. Not by anarchistic violence. If outlawry had its way, it would rend and tear and diminish, until, instead of three-fourths of the world not properly attired, fourfourths would be in rags. I will let you know how the redistribution will take place. By generosity on the part of those who have a surplus, and increased industry on the part of those suffering from deficit. Not all, but the large majority of cases of poverty in this country are a result of idleness or drunkenness, either on the part of the present sufferers or their ancestors. In most cases the rum jug is the maelstrom that has swallowed down the livelihood of those who are in rags. But things will change, and by generosity on the part of the crowded wardrobes, and industry and sobriety on the part of the empty wardrobes, there will be enough for all to wear.

God has done his part toward the dressing of the human race. He grows a surplus of wool on the sheep's back, and flocks roam the mountains and valleys with a burden of warmth intended for transference to human comfort, when the shuttles of the factories, reaching all the way from Chattahoochee to the Merrimac, shall have spun and woven it. In white letters of snowy fleece God has been writing for a thousand years, his wish that there might be warmth for all nations, While others are discussing the effect of high or low tariff, or no tariff at all, on wool, you and I had better see if in our wardrobes we have nothing that we can spare for the suffering, or pick out some poor lad of the street and take him down to a clothing store and fit him out for the season. Gospel of shoes! Gospel of hats! Gospel of clothes for the naked!

Again, let us look around and see how we may serve our generation, What shortsighted mortals we would be if we were anxious to clothe and feed only the most insignificant part of a man, namely, his body, while we put forth no effort to clothe and feed and save his soul. Time is a little piece broken off a great eternity. What are we doing for the souis of this present generation? Let me say it is a generation worth saving. Most magnificent men and women are in it. We make a great ado about the improvements in navigation, and in locomotion. and in art and machinery. We remark what wonders of telegraph and telephone and the stethoscope. What improvement is electric light over a tallow candle! But all these improvements are insignificant compared with the improvement in the human race. In olden times, once in a while. great fuss about it ever since; but now they are so numerous, we scarcely think if the times demanded them, it would be found we have now living in

During our civil war more splendid warriors in North and South were developed in four years than the whole before Christ and also the eighteen centuries after Christ to show me the equal of chority on a large scale of George Peabody. This generation of men and women is more worth saving than any one of the 180 generations that have passed off. Where shall we begin? With ourselves. That is How can we serve our generation the pillar from which we must start. Prescott, the blind historian, tells us how Pizarro saved his army for the right when they were about deserting him. With his sword he made a long mark on the ground. He said: "My men, on the north side are desertion and death: on the south side is victory: on the north side Panama and poverty; on the south side Peru with all its riches. Choose for yourselves; for my part I go to the south." Stepping across the line one by one his troops followed, and finally his whole army.

The sword of God's truth draws the dividing line today. On one side of it are sin, and ruin and death; on the other side of it are pardon and usefulness and happiness and heaven. You cross from the wrong side to the right side, and your family will cross with you, and your friends and your associates. The way you go they will go. If we are not saved, we will never save any one else. * * *

Why will you keep us all so nervous talking about that which is only a dormitory and a pillowed slumber, canopied by angels' wings? Sleep! Transporting sleep! And what a glorious awakening! You and I have sometimes been thoroughly bewildered after a long and fatiguing journey; we have stopped at a friend's house for the night, and after hours of complete unconscioueness we have opened our eyes, the high-risen sun full in our faces, and before we could fully collect our faculties, have said: "Where am I; whose house is this, and whose are these gardens?" And, then, it has flashed upon us in glad reality.

And I should not wonder if, after we have served our generation, and by the will of God, have fallen on cleep, the deep sleep, the restful sleep, we should awaken in blissful bewilderment, and for a little while say: "Where am I? What palace is this? Why, this looks like heaven! It is; it is. Why, there is a building grander than all the castles of earth heaved into a mountain of splendor—that must be the palace of Jesus. And look there, at those walks lined with foliage more beautiful than anything I ever saw before, and see those who are walking down those aisles of verdure. From what I have heard of them, those two arm and arm must be Moses and Joshua, him of Mount Sinai and him of the halting sun over Gibeon. And those two walking arm in arm must be John and Paul, the one so gentle and the other so mighty.

"But I must not look any longer at those gardens of beauty, but examine this building in which I have just awakened. I look out of the window this way and that, and up and down, and I find it is a mansion of immense size in which I am stopping. All its windows of agate and its colonnades of porphyry and alabaster. Why, I wonder if this is not the 'House of many Mansions,' of which I used to read? It is; it is. There must be many of my kindred and friends in this very mansion. Hark! Whose are those voices? Whose are those bounding feet? I open the door and see, and lo! they are coming through all the corridors and up and down all the stairs, our long-absent kindred. Why, there is father, there is mother, there are the children. All well again. All young again. All of us together again. And as we embrace each other with the cry, 'Never more to part; never more to part,' the arches, the alcoves, the hallways echo and re-echo the, words 'Never more to part, never more to part!' Then our glorifled friends say: 'Come out with us and see heaven.' And, some of them bounding ahead of us and some of them skipping beside us, we start down the ivory stairway. And we meet, coming up, one of the kings of ancient Israel, somewhat small of stature, but having a countenance radiant with a thousand victories. And as all are making obeisance to this great one of heaven, I cry out, 'Who is he?' and the answer comes: 'This is the greatest of all kings: it is David, who, after he had served his generation by the will of God, fell on sleep."

A Charitable Duchess

The Duchess of Portland is an untiring charity worker, and her name has headed many a list of patronesses of basears and church social affairs, While she is seven duchesses behind the Duchess of Marlborough, she is a great and good man or woman would said to be the greatest duchess in come up, and the world has made a England. Her popularity is something tremendous. As most will remember. she was Miss Yorke, and her capture speak about them. We put a halo of the wealthy, good-looking duke was about the people of the past, but I one of the greatest catches ever recorded in the annals of gossip tattling London town. She is the devoted this year, 1898, fifty Martin Luthers, mother of two children. The Marquis fifty George Washingtons, fifty Lady of Titchfield was born in 1888 and lask of the right kind of food is the Huntingtons, fifty Elizabeth Fire. | Lady Victoria Dorothy in 1899,

WORKS OF ART.

Hew a Business House Has Made It Possible for Every One to Possess Them.

Probably at no time in the world's history has so much attention been paid to the interior decoration of homes as at present. No home, no matter how humble, is without its handiwork that helps to beautify the apartments and make the surroundings more cheerful. The taste of the American people has kept pace with the age, and almost every day brings forth something new in the way of a picture, a draping, a piece of furniture or some form of mural decoration. One of the latest of these mas been given to the world by the celebrated artic, Muville, in a series of four haudsome porcelain game plaques. Not for years has anything as handsome in this line been seen. The subjects represented by these plaques are American Wil. Ducks, American Phesant, American Quail and English Snipe. They are handsome paintings and are especially designed for hanging on dining-room walls, though their richness and beauty entitles them to a place in the parlor of any home. These opiginal plaques have been burchased at a cost of \$50,000 by J. C. Hubinger Bros. Co., manufacturers of the celebrated Elastic Starch, and in order to enable their numerqua customers to become possessors of these handsome works of art they have had them reproduced by a special process in all the rich colors and beauty of the original. They are finished on heavy cardboard, pressed and embossed in the shape of a plaque and trimmed with a heavy band of gold. They measure forty inches in circumference and contain no reading matter or advertisement whatever.

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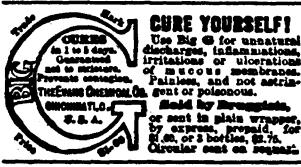
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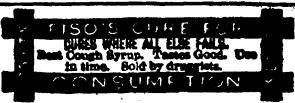
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QUEER AND CURIOUS THINGS AND EVENTS.

The Longest Speech on Record—It Was Made Against Time and Was Full of Bud Mistakes-What Our Sleep Really 1s-When People Meet in Japan.

The City by the Sea. Crowned with the hoar of centuries. There, by the eternal sea, High on her misty cape she sits, Like an eagle, fearless, free.

And thus in olden time she sat, On that morn of long ago: Mid the roar of Freedom's armament, And the war-bolts of her foe,

Old Time hath reared her pillared walls, Her domes and turrets high: With her hundred tall and tapering spires All flashing to the sky.

Shall I not sing of thee, beloved? My beautiful, my pride! That thou towerest in thy queenly grace, By the tributary tide.

There, swan-like, crestest thou the waves

That, enamored, round thee swell-Fairer than Aphrodite, couched On her foam-wreathed ocean shell, Oh, ever, mid this restless hum

Resounding from the street, Of the thronging, hurrying multitude, And the tread of stranger feet-

My heart turns back to thee-mine own! My beautiful, my pride! With thoughts of thy free ocean wind, And the clasping, fond old tide-

With all thy kindred household smokes, Upwreathing far away: And the merry bells that pealed as now On my grandsire's wedding day:

To those green graves and truthful hearts. Oh, city by the sea! My heritage, and priceless dower,

My beautiful, in thee!

The Longest Speech on Record.

The longest speech on record, says the Toronto Globe, is believed to have been that made by Mr. De Cosmos, in the legislature of British Columbia, when a measure was pending the passage of which would take from a reat many settlers their lands. De Cosmos was in a hopeless minority. The job had been held back until the eve of the close of the session; unless legislation was taken before noon of a given day the act of confiscation would fail. The day before the expiration of the limitation, De Cosmos got the floor about 10 a. m., and began a speech against the bill. Its friends cared little, for they supposed that by 2 o'clocck he would be through and the bill could be put on its passage. One o'clock came and De Cosmos was speaking still -he had not more than entered upon his subject. Two o'clock-he was saying "in the second place." Three o'clock—he produced a fearful bundle of evidence and insisted on reading it. The majority began to have a suspicion of the truth—he was going to speak till next noon and kill the bill. For a while they made merry over it, but as it came on to dusk they began to get alasmed. They tried interruptions, but soon abandoned them, because each one afforded him a chance to discuss and gain time. They tried to shoot him down, but that gave him a breathing space, and finally they settled down to watch the combat between the strength of will and weakness of body. They gave him no mercy, no adjournment for dinner, no chance to do more than wet his lips with water, no wandering from his subject, no sitting

look wide awake. Day dawned and the majority slipped out in squads to wash and breakfast, and the speaker still held on. It cannot be said that it was a very logical, eloquent or sustained speech. There were digressions in it; repetitions also. But still the speaker kept on, and at last noon came to a baffled majority, livid with rage and impotence.

down. Twilight darkened; the gas was

le members slipped out to dinner in

relays and returned to sleep in squads,

but De Cosmos went on. The speaker,

to whom he was addressing himself,

was alternately dozing and trying to

And a single man, who was triumphant, though his voice had sunk to a husky whisper, his eyes were almost shut, and bleared, and bloodshot; his legs tottered under him, his baked lips were cracked and smeared with blood. De Cosmos had spoken twenty-four hours and saved the lands. In the United States congress William J. Bryan once made a long speech for time and held his hearers spellbound for fourteen hours.

What Our Sleep Really Is.

It was at one time supposed that in sleep the brain was richly charged with blood. This is now confessed to be an error, says the New York World. Sleep ensues when the brain is largely denuded of blood, when cerebral anaemia is established. To partly empty the brain of its blood supply, to keep the head cool, the body sufficiently warm and to send the blood rather to the lower extremities—this is the physical problem of the sleepless. During sleep a great number of the bodily functions continue quite normal without interfering with sleep itself, and therefore sleep is not so like death as some of the poets have imagined. Man asleep is not so profoundly different from man awake, the | and will not weigh more than 200 to two chief points of difference, however, 1 250 pounds.

being these: A greater indrawing of oxygen and exhalation of carbonic acid and a complete vaso-motor rest. With a heavy sleeper there should be no thick curtains, but with a light sleeper curtains are essential, as sunlight plays upon the optic nerve and rouses that attention which it is the one object of during our Civil War was A. Schiffeneder, the sleeper to keep in suspended ani- of 161 Sedgattention which it is the one object of mation.

Perfect or nearly perfect health is the first condition of sound sleep. But scarcely any one is quite healthy. The to America at one great thing to do is not only to tire out the body, but to fatigue the active mind and so drive the congested blood from the brain. Quiet and regviar habits, a certain monotony of light evening occupation will tend in the califor volthis direction, while a great variety of evening entertainments is generally fatal to the victim of insomnia. It is ur wise to go to bed on either an empty or a very full stomech; a slight meal before rest is the wise course,

Reaching the Pole Without Loss of Life We know that dogs are the cavalry horres of the Arctics, says Walter Wellman in the Review of Reviews, and that we must have plenty of dogpower to drag all the loads over the good ice, in order to save the strength of the men for the rougher places; and plenty of man-power to get everything quickly over the rubble, ridges and leads-the dogs resting at these bad spots, and the men resting while the dogs do the work on the long reaches of level or undulating surface,

With a party of six hardy men, with fifty draft dogs from Siberia with a rubber pneumatic boat which has no rigid surface to receive injurious blows in ice, with specially built sledges that are drawn each by one dog, and that may capsize without injury or the need of righting, so that the degs go along practically without attention or driving, with light weights constantly becoming lighter, with man-power and dog-power enough to keep moving straight ahead all the time with all the loads without the need of "doubling up"-that is, to divide the load into two parts, and thus go three times over the road—with careful attention. guided by experience, to every minute detail of food and equipment, it is possible to travel an average of from 13 to 17 miles per day, if the weather per-

At an average progress of only 12 miles per day, the pole could be reached and returned from in the comparatively short time of 83 days. Ample time would remain for the party to make its way back to the station on the scuthern coast to meet the steamer sent out after it.

In this way, with a very small expenditure of money, and with only a year and three months' absence from civilization, I believe that what has heretofore been impossible can be done, and the North Pole can be attained without the loss of a single human life.

When People Meet in Japan. Nothing is more amusing than to

watch two acquaintances saluting in the streets of a Japanese town, says the New York World. As they come in sight of each other they slacken their pace and approach with downcast eyes and averted faces, as if neither was worthy of beholding the other; then they bow low, so as to bring the face on a level with the knees, on which the palms of the hands are pressed.

A succession of hissing sounds is next made by drawing in the breath between the closed teeth, interspersed with a series of complimentary phrases uttered with great volubility in a sort of undertoned falsetto, each trying to outdo his friend in rapidity and extravagance of language, while the palms are diligently rubbed against each other. At last the climax is reached and each endeavors to give the precedence to the other. For some time, perhaps for a full minute, the polite contest continues; then the ceremony abruptly ends, as if the difficulty were capable of none but a brusque solution, and the two pass hurriedly, with a look of extreme relief on their faces.

The Largest Flag is the World.

The Stars and Stripes in the shape of the largest flag in the world will float over Morro Castle, Havana, when Blanco surrenders. The immense flag designed for this duty is already prepared, and may be seen draped at the front of an empty storeroom in New York city. A patriotic Wall street man has had the great flag made.

It measures 120 feet in length and forty-three and one-third feet in width, and it is believed that it breaks the record for size. It is so big that special bunting was made for it in Boston. The bunting measures forty-two inches across in the rough. Made up in the flag, allowing for seams, each stripe measures forty inches. It took a full piece of forty yards for each stripe, except when they run into the Jack.

The Jack measures forty feet in length and covers the space of seven stripes. The stars are not very large. From point to point each star measures fourteen inches. They are arranged in alternating rows of seven and eight, according to army resulstions. Big as it is, the flag can be easily packed in a large traveling trunk

HEROES OF WAR. From the Chicago Times-Herald.

The feeling of admiration for heroes of war seems to be innate in the human heart, and is brought to the surface as the opportunity and object, for such here worship presents itself.

Among those who proved their heroism

wick Street, Chicago. He is an Australian by birth, came the age twenty, and soon became an American citizen. He was living at Milwaukee when unteers-came, sarly in 1862. and he promptly enlisted in He received a wound.

Company A, of the Twenty-sixth Wisconsin Volunteers. In the Army of the Potomac our hero saw much fighting, campaigning in the Shen-andoah Valley.

In the first day's fighting at the battle of Gettysburg, Schiffeneder received a wound in the right side, which afterward caused him much trouble. With a portion of his regiment he was captured and imprisoned at Bell Island and Andersonville, and afterward exchanged. He returned to his regiiment, which was transferred to the army of General Sherman, and marched with him through Georgia to the sea.

In this campaign Mr. Schiffeneder's old wound began to trouble him and he was sent to the hospital and then home. He had also contracted catarrh of the stomach and found no relief for years.

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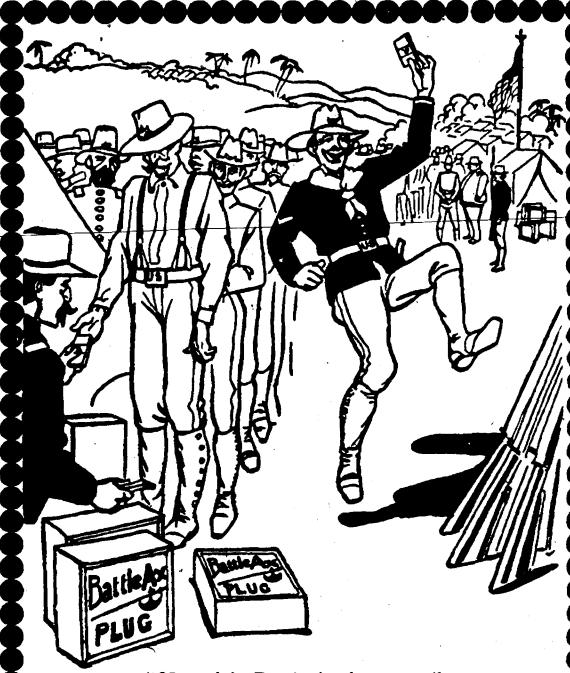
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EVENING ENTERTAINMENT,

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The Fair Committee have Contracted with The Detroit Calcium Light Company, who will exhibit (every evening) on a canvas 16 feet square, ONE HUNDRED and EIGHTY different views of scenes in connection with our late war with Spain. BATTLES by LAND and SEA, MORO CASTLE, SANTIAGO, HAVANA and many other interesting Views, well worth coming hundreds of miles to see.



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And FOUR Glorious Holidays await you.

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PARSHALLVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Smith spent last Sunday with relatives in Bancroft.

Sanford Avery and wife, of Fenton, attended church here last Sunday.

spent last Saturday and Sunday son friends. at Will Wolverton's.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner, of Howell, visited their daughter, Mrs. J. R. Marvin, the pastweek.

Miss Maggie Walker left Tuesday of this week for Watrusville to visit friends until after confer-

Maude Marvin left last Thursday for Harbor Springs, where she is engaged in the school for the coming year.

UNADILLA.

Mr. Colton, of Jackson, was in town Friday.

camp Eaton Saturday. Mrs. Wm. Livermore is suffer-

ing from throat trouble.

Corp. H. S. Reed called on Unadilla friends Saturday. There will be no services at the

M. E. church until after confer-Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Allen spent

Sunday with their son, F. A., in Marion.

Mrs. Hill and son returned to their home in Mansfield, Ohio, last week.

Several young people from Anderson attended services here Sunday evening.

Mrs. Johnson visited her daughter, Mrs. Thorndyke, at So-Lyon, last week.

John D. Watson and wife, of Chelsea, are spending the week with relatives here.

Dr. Ryan, of Ypsilanti, presided at the Quarterly meeting, Sunday, and was listened to by a large and appreciative congregation.

Mrs. Myra May who has been visiting friends and relatives in the northern part of this state and at Ann Arbor returned last week.

A surprise was given Miss Inez Marshall on Wednesday evening of last Week, by a large number of her friends. A very pleasant time was had. Miss Marshall and ready for you to pick went to Jackson Saturday, where she will attend school.

FOUND

A pocket book, just west of town, containing some money; owner prove property and pay for this notice can have the same by calling at the home of Mrs. J. M. Birnie.

What Shall Be Done

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You have tried iron and other tonics. But she keeps pale and thin. Her sallow complexion worries you. Perhaps she has a little hacking cough also. Her head aches; and she cannot study. Give her

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LOCAL NEWS.

Carl Sykes was in Ann Arhor last Friday.

Don't forget to see what our merchants have to offer this week.

Miss Carrie Erwin returned Mon-Miss Jessie Berkley, of Howell, day evening from a visit with Jack-

> There will be a sociable at the home of John Monks on Thursday evening The government requires stamps to be of this week, for the benefit of the St. Mary's society.

Two shows in town this week, and the printer, the baker, the candlestick maker will have to wait for their pay a little longer.

Farmers are finding it hard work to secure help to harvest their corn and beans; yet young men able to work, are begging food at back doors. Verily they should be fed (with shoe) leather.)

About 30 young people gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rea-Will Stowe was home from son as a surprise reception for Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Wallace, who were recently married. After a few hours of entertainment, light refreshments were served, and several beautiful presents were presented to them which was much appreciated by the couple. After wishing them a bright success over life's voyage, all returned home thinking they had enjoyed themselves the best way possible. *

> The next meeting of the Hamburg and Putnam Farmers' Club will be held at the home of John VanFleet Sr. Saturday, Sept. 24. The following program will be given:

Instrumental Music, Grace Nash Select Reading. Maude Culy Recitation. Florence Andrews Vocal Music, F. L. Andrews Recitation, Emil Lambertson Instrumental Music, Maude Culy Paper, Guy Hall Select Reading, Mrs. C. Campbell Vocal Music, Nettie Hall Discussion of Association question, Led by Jno. Chambers

J. M. Hall, of Flint, has resigned the superintendency of the Bay View Assembly, which position he has held since he organized that assembly and summer university 18 years ago.

Married Wednesday at 12 M., by Rev. N. W. Pierce, at the home of the bride's parents, Miss Mary Mortenson and Mr. Jay Brigham. Both young are well and frvorable known and the best of wishes is extended to them.

The report that every husband who now kisses his wife must put a revenue stamp on her cheek, is not a factused where profit will insure, and makes no vain revenue laws. Stamps are only to be used when a man kisses other men's wives.

Business Locals.

Do you want to make money? Then take advantage of the bargains advertised in our columns.

All members of the Pinckney Driving Club are requested to meet at the town hall on Saturday evening of this week at 7:00 for the purpose of transacting business of importance.

The Republicans of this vicinity will hold a caucus at the town ball next Saturday afternoon, Sept. 17, at 2 o'clock for the purpose of electing delegates to attend the county convention which will be held at Howell on Friday, Sept. 23, for the purpose of nominating the county ticket.

The Democratic Electors of the Township of Putnam will meet at the town hall in the village of Pinckney on Tuesday the 20th day September; A. D. 1898, at 7 o'cleck P. M., for the purpose of choosing seven delegates to attend the county convention called at Howell September 22nd. 1898, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

Dated September 13th, 1898, By Order of Com.

S. E. Barton of South Putnam invites your inspection of two of the finest pigs in the state, which came into his possession quite recently. The male pig is a grand-son of King Medium, sired by Black Medium, which came from Davie & Maloney, Iowa: the other is a grand-daughter of Kleevers Model and was purchased of A. H. Hendricks of Wisconsin. Anyone interested in this line will do well GRACE LAKE, Sec. to call on Mr. Barton.

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