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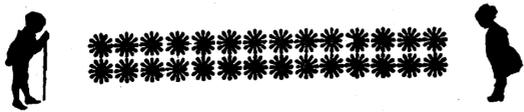
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In all colors, either Felt or Velvet.

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Sailors, Fedoras, Volenters, Oregons and
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In Hamburg every Wednesday with goods.



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OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES

**BOOTS AND SHOES,
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Must be closed out by January 1st, 1899.

And in order to do this, prices will have to be cut deep.

Shoes will be sold Regardless of Cost.

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Barnard & Campbell.

Local Dispatches.

Lloyd Teeple was home over Sunday.

F. L. Andrews is in Jackson this week.

Next Tuesday, November 8th is election.

Not very agreeable weather the past few days.

Clarence Blunt has been very sick the past week.

George Green was on the sick list the past week.

An interesting League meeting last Sunday evening.

L. D. Brokaw of Howell was in town last Friday.

Charles Campbell has been quite sick the past two weeks.

Mrs. John Wolfer returned to her home at Chelsea last Saturday.

W. E. Murphy was unable to be at the store the first of the week.

Dr. Darling of Ann Arbor was here last week to see George Bious.

Mrs. John Cord of Hamburg visited Mrs. T. Read the last of last week.

Henry Barton is adding some improvements to his home in this village.

Mrs. Frank Morley visited her daughter, Blanche in Jackson last Thursday.

Messrs. Pettibone and Noble of Howell were in town on Thursday of last week.

Fred Bowman and wife were guests at her parents, Jeff Paris and wife over Sunday.

Mr. Pitts and wife of Fowlerville visited their daughter, Mrs. S. Durfee over Sunday.

Rev. J. S. Edmunds of Chelsea exchanged pulpits with Rev. C. S. Jones of this place last Sunday.

Messrs. Emmett and Will Kennedy and Andrew Ruen of Stockbridge spent Sunday in this place.

J. B. Tazziman of Oceola, republican nominee for representative, was in town the latter part of last week.

Miss Mame Brady closed a very successful term of school in District No. 3, Putnam, on Saturday last.

Mrs. J. M. Kearney returned last week from the west where she has been spending the past few months.

Harley Angell and family will occupy the residence on East Main St. lately vacated by Mrs. J. M. Birney.

Mr. and Mrs. VanOrden of Webberville were guests of F. J. Parker and Perry Blunt and wife over Sunday.

A goodly number attended the C. E. convention at Plainfield last Thursday and an interesting meeting was held.

Look out for the smooth-tongued individual who is canvassing for the sale or renting of rug machines, he is a fake.

Owing to illness, Mr. Swift was unable to give an address at the C. E. convention held at Plainfield last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Black, Sr., who have been spending the summer in the northern part of the state, returned home last Saturday.

Owing to some misunderstanding as to which church should hold services, there failed to be preaching in either church last Sunday evening.

President McKinley has issued a proclamation to set apart and observe Thursday, November 24, as a general day of national thanksgiving.

Next Sunday the Ann Arbor district Pres. of the Epworth League will talk in the interest of the League at this place both morning and evening.

The Ladies of the Cong'l church and society will serve dinner and supper election day, Nov. 8, in Clinton's building. All who are interested will please contribute provisions, and lend a helping hand.

The Way to a Woman's Heart,

Is to present her with a few pieces of our beautiful China ware.

Fruit Plates,
Salad Dishes,
Olive Dishes,

Oat Meal Sets,
Fruit Dishes,
Sugar & Creamer,

China Plates,
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**Groceries
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Prescriptions Carefully Compounded.

F. A. SIGLER,

PINCKNEY, MICH.

COLLECTION

NOTICE.

To all our customers that have not settled their 1897 and 1898 book accounts and notes that are past due, we wish to say that they must be paid during the month of October, 1898.

Resp'y Yours,
TEEPLE & CADWELL.

What are a few moments time

That it will take to look us over, compared with the "snaps" we are able to give you in some of our lines. Some of you may need a dress, a pair of shoes, etc., goods which are necessary for the winters wear. You know what you need, we want to know. Anyone can safely buy of us, for the goods we recommend have wearing qualities combined with style which are not the cheapest in price but the cheapest to purchase. Aside from the every day reasonable prices, we offer on each Saturday, a few bargains from each line.

WE OFFER

All Ladies' Shoes in sizes 2½ to 4 at wholesale prices.
All odds and ends in Boy's Shoes less 25 per cent.
Best Bleached Cottons at 6c.
Table Oil Cloth at 10c.
\$1.50 Lace Curtains at \$1.20.
Can Tomatoes at 8c.
Sardines at 3c.
Kingsford's Silver Gloss Starch at 7c.

F. G. JACKSON.

IN OUR GREAT STATE.

THE HAPPENINGS IN MICHIGAN BRIEFLY RELATED.

Young Wife Charged With Killing Her Husband—Insurance Companies in Hot Water—Triple Drowning Accident in Sand Lake.

To Bring Insurance Companies to Time. State Insurance Commissioner Milo D. Campbell is on the war path against fire insurance companies that, according to his statements, have been violating the public acts of Michigan relating to the combining of stock fire insurance companies for the purpose of avoiding competition, "free and open." The commissioner, in order to establish a test case, issued an order revoking the license of the Liverpool & London & Globe Co.

Mr. Campbell explains that he has received many complaints regarding the increase of rates upon manufacturing, mercantile and other special risks. He ascertained that nearly all the old line companies had entered into a contract absolutely fixing rates upon the property of the state. Commissioner Campbell states that he has begun the revocation of licenses of companies in this compact, and will soon announce others unless the practices be at once abandoned.

On August 8 last Judge Swan, in the U. S. circuit court, made an order for an injunction to issue restraining Commissioner Campbell from interfering with the London & Liverpool & Globe Insurance Co. under his order revoking its license.

Battle Creek's Latest Sensation.

Mrs. Rudolphus Sanderson, nee V. Marie Butterfield, of Baraboo, Wis., which place was her former home, has been arrested at Battle Creek charged with the murder of her husband. Mr. Sanderson was one of the wealthy citizens of Battle Creek, aged 80 years. July 6 last he was married to Miss Butterfield, a professional nurse, aged 28, in Windsor, Ont. Oct. 4 he was taken with a supposed stroke of paralysis and died Oct. 6. The charge is that the old man died from the effects of powdered glass placed in his oat meal. The friends and relatives of the deceased dead man and of his first wife were not satisfied that he died of paralysis, so the body was exhumed a week later, an autopsy was held, the stomach was sent to Ann Arbor where evidences of the pulverized glass were found.

Dynamited an Anti-Saloonist's Home.

A dastardly attempt was made to wreck with dynamite the home of James Pendell, at Marquette. Mr. Pendell has been active of late in enforcing the Sunday closing law against saloon men, and it is supposed that this outrage is the direct outcome of his efforts in that line. The dynamite was placed close to the foundation at the rear of the house. All windows in the rear of the house were shattered, and some in nearby residences. Mr. Pendell's family of five and two servant girls were sleeping in the house at the time, but were uninjured.

To Harness Kalamazoo River.

A large dam is to be built across Kalamazoo river, four miles below Kalamazoo, to cost \$125,000, by the Kalamazoo Valley Electrical Co., which proposes to furnish both electric lighting and power to surrounding points, and it is very probable that Allegan, Kalamazoo, Otsego, Plainwell and other towns will be lighted by the company. It is estimated that 13,500 horse power will be developed. Four large water wheels will be put in, and the electric generators will be attached directly to them.

Both Win in the Twelfth District.

The supreme court decided the Stephenson-Shelden contest over the Republican nomination for congress in the Twelfth district by placing them on an equal footing. The court orders that the name of each candidate shall be placed on the official ballot, and that the election commissioners of each county shall determine which name shall appear on the regular Republican ticket for that county, the name of the other candidate to appear in the adjoining column.

A Hardship on the Boys.

The order for mustering out Co. L, Sons of Veterans, 33d Michigan, does not provide for transportation for the boys from their homes to Port Huron. As they are from all sections of the state this is quite an important matter and to some it will be a hardship. Capt. Carl A. Wagner is trying to get the war department or the state military board to furnish the men transportation.

Prominent Lake Captain Dead.

A stroke of paralysis ended the eventful career of Capt. Robt. M. Wagstaff, a well-known vessel captain, at Detroit, at the age of 63. During the civil war he served in Porter's fleet and was in many engagements. When the gunboat Tulip exploded on the Potomac he was one of the three who escaped.

J. M. McCoy, of Millburg, is missing and foul play is feared.

STATE GOSSIP.

Escanaba is to have a cracker factory.

The 31st Michigan has been ordered to Atlanta.

A new G. R. & I. depot will be erected at Cadillac.

Wm. Lawrence, aged 65, is missing from his home in Northville.

The Bloomingdale Milling Co., will rebuild Bloomingdale's burned grist mill.

The sea-serpent in Indian lake, near Dowagiac, proved to be an otter and a muskallonge.

The 25th annual convention of Michigan superintendents of the poor was held at Flint.

A cooperage plant with a capacity of 600 barrels a day will be established at Traverse City.

Edward Tanger, aged 30 years, of Hancock, a Rough Rider, died of malaria, at Boston.

The project to build an electric railroad from Lansing to Pine lake has been abandoned.

Berrien county has another diphtheria epidemic. Benton township schools are closed.

Trammers at Lake Superior section 16 mine, at Ishpeming, have struck for an eight-hour day.

Capt. Joel H. Smith and wife celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at Dowagiac.

The report that the F. & P. M. and the Hocking Valley railroads are to consolidate is denied.

A loss of \$1,500 was occasioned by the burning of Bronson's chicken packing house at Allegan.

Monroe county farmers and business men propose to erect a large sugar beet factory at Monroe.

Capt. Colby, surgeon 31st Michigan, has returned from Ponce, Porto Rico, to rejoin his own regiment.

Insurance Commissioner Campbell has revoked the license of the Northern Assurance Co., of London.

The third victim of the Pentwater boiler explosion was T. L. Palmer, engineer at the bedstead factory.

Rev. A. J. Comden, Methodist, of Entrican, took a dose of aconite by mistake and died in a short time.

Col. Irish and staff and Cos. B, E, G and L, 35th Michigan, participated in the peace jubilee at Philadelphia.

By falling through a trap door into the cellar of her home at Bay City Mrs. Henry Bloom was fatally injured.

The "Life Assurance Co. of America" of Indianapolis, has been refused a license to do business in Michigan.

A valuable horse ran away at Galesburg and fell, head foremost, turning a somersault and breaking its neck.

The plant of the Kalamazoo Heat, Light & Power Co., at Kalamazoo, was seized by the city to collect \$300 taxes.

Wm. Whitney, a farmer residing near Ravenna, received injuries in a runaway accident which may prove fatal.

Ed Carns, of Three Rivers, has been missing for over a week. It is feared he accidentally shot himself in the woods.

The Boston Herald claims to have inside information that Senator McMillan is to be appointed ambassador to Great Britain.

A boiler exploded in the Valley City desk factory, at Grand Rapids, blowing out the walls of the building and injuring five men.

A Pennsylvania syndicate has contracted for coal leases on 10,000 acres in Tuscola county and test shafts are being put down.

Miss E. Russell, aged 40, a deaf mute, residing near Sterling, was run over by a passenger train near Standish and instantly killed.

W. W. Cummer has sold 20,000 acres of hardwood timber lands adjacent to Cadillac to Delos F. Diggins. The timber will be cut this winter.

While trying to chase his pet dog off the street car track, Chas. Wilson, a retired Detroit merchant, was struck by a car and fatally injured.

Holly fears another gang of firebugs is at work. The destruction of Morrison Beardslee's cider mill is the second incendiary fire in a short time.

The extension of the Detroit & Pontiac electric railway through to Owosso is now said to be an assured fact and will be in operation by Jan. 1.

Frank McGuire, a woodsman, was killed in a lumber camp north of Standish. A limb fell and struck him on the head, causing instant death.

The 13-year-old son of John McCrandell, of Billings, was killed by his gun slipping from a stump and being discharged, while he was hunting.

Mrs. Rosina Tanner, of Tonia, is 100 years old. She is hale and hearty. About 100 friends celebrated the anniversary at the home of her son, A. L. Munn.

Fred L. Eaton, of the Saginaw Naval Reserves, has been restored to his position as prosecuting attorney of Saginaw county, which he resigned to go to the front.

The directors and stockholders of the "busted" Peoples' Savings bank at Mt. Pleasant will be sued to recover an assessment on the stock of the institution to meet its debts.

Chas. Morton, keeper of the Holland life saving station, has been appointed superintendent of the Eleventh life saving district in which is comprised all of Lake Michigan.

The 19th U. S. infantry, now in Porto Rico, formerly at Ft. Wayne, Detroit, is being filled with details from other regiments and will be retained for garrison duty in Porto Rico.

Will Cressy, of the Detroit Naval Reserves, died at his home at Saline of fever contracted in the service. Cressy enlisted as a stoker and was twice promoted, serving last on the gunners' deck.

David Brown, of Lansing, enlisted in the 19th U. S. infantry last summer and went to Porto Rico. He returned home, having left his regiment without leave, and was arrested as a deserter.

Extensive forgeries of sparrow bounty orders have been discovered at Jackson. Fred McKeever, Frank Webb and Wm. Snultzler, of Mason, and Ansel Hatfield, of Eaton Rapids, were arrested.

The success of the Bay City sugar beet factory has induced West Bay City people to lay plans for a big factory. It is said \$250,000 of eastern capital and \$50,000 local capital are available for the purpose.

The Great Western mine at Crystal Falls has been purchased by Corrigan, McKinney & Co., of Cleveland, and will be operated this winter, giving employment to 600 men. It has been closed since 1893.

Moses Shug, an old settler of Oakland county, was instantly killed and horribly mangled by an express train while visiting his birthplace, near Portland, Pa. His remains were brought to Pontiac for interment.

Capt. Fred M. Alger, assistant adjutant-general, son of the secretary of war, and Capt. James H. McMillan, assistant quartermaster, son of Senator McMillan, have been honorably discharged from the U. S. volunteers.

James Kirkendall, a farmer near Albion, jumped from a haystack and received a terrible wound by striking on a pitchfork which stuck up in the ground. The handle penetrated his side six inches. He cannot recover.

Benj. Corbett, a well-known resident of Reno township, Iosco county, while slightly demented, left home with the intention of committing suicide. Over 200 persons joined searching parties for several days without finding him.

The semi-annual apportionment of primary school money which will be made Nov. 10 will be the largest in the history of the state. The total sum is \$701,214, the rate per capita being \$1 for each child of school age in the state.

The first blizzard of the season came so suddenly that farmers were unprepared. Thousands of acres of potatoes were yet in the ground and the freeze ruined them. In the fruit belt many of the winter apples were also frosted.

A 15-year-old boy named Jones, of Vienna township, Montmorency county, was trying to draw a cartridge from a rifle when the weapon was discharged and the ball passed through the boy's younger brother's head, killing him instantly.

The Bell Telephone Co. refused to comply with a Lansing ordinance and string its wires on 50-foot poles put up for the joint use of all wires on the main streets, and the chief of police chopped down the Bell Co.'s poles on those streets.

Dr. Newton H. Webster, one of the oldest and best known physicians of the Bay Cities, made a most deliberate attempt to suicide, firing a bullet into his body just below the heart, making a fatal wound. He was despondent because of ill health.

There are about 40,000 acres of swamp land in Iosco county, between AuSable and Tawas City, much of which is pine stumpage reverted to the state for non-payment of taxes. The state will be asked to appropriate a sum sufficient to drain the lands thoroughly.

Shiawassee county farmers are to have free rural mail delivery from the Owosso postoffice, as an experiment. One route will extend 12 miles south and another west and south 16 miles. The carrier service was secured through the influence of Senator Burrows.

The miners of the Cliff shafts at Ishpeming demand an eight-hour day. Some 300 men are employed at the mine in question and it is anticipated by the miners that the management will accede to a 20 per cent reduction in hours as skilled miners are scarce.

A storm which had all the trademarks of a genuine, howling blizzard swept over Kansas, Iowa, Illinois, Wisconsin and threw up waves as high as church steeples on the Great lakes. Railroad traffic was much delayed in the west and lake shipping ran for shelter wherever possible. Two or three craft were lost but the crews were saved.

The examination for admission to the Ohio bar is one of the most rigorous of any in the United States. To win first place in it is a coveted honor. This prize was won last week by Geo. N. Fell, a recent graduate of the law department of the U. of M., who was one of 140 candidates. Only about half of the whole number examined succeeded in passing.

NEWSY GENERALITIES

ITEMS GATHERED FROM ALL DIRECTIONS.

War Cloud Darkens Because of the Differences Between France and Great Britain Over the Fashoda Matter—Both are Preparing for Trouble.

Never since Great Britain and France began to dispute over Egypt, years ago, nor during the most acute stage of the numerous Niger differences between those two countries has the situation looked so ominous as it now does over the Fashoda incident. It is a fact that the French naval and military authorities are making feverish preparations for war, and significant orders have been issued from the British admiralty, indicating the belief that Great Britain and France are on the brink of war. The French naval preparations were at first declared to be mere routine arrangements, but they are now admittedly directed against Great Britain. The French dockyards and arsenals are working at full pressure, hurriedly preparing warships and torpedo boats for active service. At Cherbourg and Toulon the schools have been closed to permit the use of the school buildings to be used as barracks for troops and marines ordered to those points. On the British side, a feeling of absolute self-confidence is displayed. "Everything ready," is the burden of all the statements from naval quarters. In fact the British navy has practically been on a war footing for a year past, and an authoritative announcement to this effect has come from the secretary of the admiralty. The British admiralty list shows that nine British battleships and 11 fast cruisers are lying in the Mediterranean, while the British channel squadron, which was last reported off Villargarcia, Spain, consisting of eight battleships and five cruisers, constitutes the most modern and powerful homogeneous fleet of warships afloat. The commanders of all warships of the British North American squadron have received orders to mobilize at Halifax. It is understood that the British government proposes to take the steps necessary to insist upon an early and definite statement from France.

Telegrams from Balaoral intimate that Queen Victoria is following the trend of events with much chagrin. Her aversion to war in the declining years of her reign is well-known and is an appreciable factor in the situation.

The French yellow book on Fashoda seems to indicate an intention on the part of the French government to utilize the Marchand affair as a means of raising the whole Egyptian question. It sets forth that France does not regard the British claim to the Soudan by virtue of conquest as applying to Fashoda. The Marchand expedition pushed forward at a time when the equatorial provinces were lost to civilization and France considered herself equally entitled with England to the possession of any point occupied by French officers. As Marchand reached Fashoda first, England has no right to demand an evacuation of Fashoda prior to negotiations, and that such a demand would be equivalent to an ultimatum, and no one could doubt what would be the reply of France.

The London press admits the gravity of the situation revealed by the yellow book, but the papers are unanimous in declaring that it is impossible for Lord Salisbury to consent to any negotiations until Fashoda is evacuated. M. Delcasse with equal firmness declines to withdraw Marchand without previous negotiations, the situation has an ominous look. However, Baron de Courcel, the French ambassador at London, and Lord Salisbury held a conversation in which the former practically stated that France would relinquish Fashoda if she were granted a Nile outlet on the River Bahrel-Gazal, one of the tributaries of the Nile, entering it about 150 miles southwest of Fashoda at Mokrem-el-Bohur. In reply Lord Salisbury said it would be necessary that he consult his colleagues and some claim to see in this a possibility of a compromise.

Philadelphia's Peace Jubilee.

The return of peace was appropriately celebrated at Philadelphia, the opening feature being a grand naval parade, in which several of the vessels made famous by their part in the war participated. Then followed a splendid military pageant, a civic parade, receptions and banquets to President McKinley and many other distinguished men, including many heroes of the conflict with Spain.

Cuban Evacuation Delayed.

The American commissioners report that it will be unsafe to send more American troops to Cuba before Dec. 1. The time for the completion of the evacuation has been extended to Jan. 1 as it would be a physical impossibility to remove the 124,000 Spanish soldiers before that date.

Joint Traffic Association is Illegal.

The U. S. supreme court has decided that the Joint Traffic association of railroads, formed for the purpose of maintaining rates, fares and regulations on railroad traffic, is illegal.

TELEGRAPHIC BITS.

All Spanish troops have left Porto Rico.

Spain estimates the cost of the evacuation of Cuba at \$16,000,000.

President McKinley has returned to his duties at Washington.

Chicago's bicycle tax is declared invalid by the Illinois supreme court.

Frosts throughout Mississippi have decreased the yellow fever scourge.

Col. Wm. J. Bryan, Third Nebraska, is again down with fever, at Savannah.

Anarchy rules in southern Philippines, where the Spanish are cooped up in the towns.

Ex-President Cleveland participated in the celebration of 152d anniversary of Princeton university.

It is reported that the Chinese empress dowager and Li Hung Chang have been married secretly.

Two cases of wife murder and suicide occurred at Jersey City within one hour. Jealousy in both cases.

About \$12,000 were collected during the first week of American control of the customs at San Juan, Porto Rico.

Seven soldiers died on the steamer Rlo de Janeiro, which brought 104 sick and discharged soldiers from Manila.

Five men were killed in a freight wreck on the Rock Island road near Ft. Worth, Tex. Three others will die.

Five lives were lost in the burning of the Chat Roberts hotel at Clairville, Cal. Those who escaped saved nothing.

The supreme judges of Nicaragua have decided that the contract of the Nicaragua Canal Co. expires Oct. 20, 1899.

Fire at pier 39, Brooklyn, did \$500,000 damage to shipping. Sailors had to jump into the water to save their lives.

The Americans continue capturing the insurgent rebel vessels as they arrive at Cavite. Two were captured last week.

John Anderson, colored, charged with the murder of Charles Holmes, a well-known white farmer, was lynched at Lafayette, Ala.

A French missionary and several Chinese Catholics have been massacred and burned in a chapel at Paklung by a riotous Chinese mob.

Three Negroes shot and killed Julius Redd, a 16-year-old white boy, near the Texas cotton mills at Dallas, Tex., and a triple lynching followed.

Spanish authorities at Havana are selling and removing war trophies, supplies, etc., in spite of protests of the American commissioners.

Three young men of Evanston, Ill., went duck hunting on Lake Michigan in a small skiff. When about five miles out the boat capsized and all were drowned.

The natives of Formosa, armed and aided by Chinese, have attacked several Japanese military stations and two desperate battles have occurred in which over 200 were killed.

Turkish troops are now out of Crete. The powers will increase their forces to 14,000 and it is probable that Prince George of Greece will be selected as governor-general of the island.

Chaplain McIntyre, of the battleship Oregon, has been dismissed from the navy by the President, because of his attacks upon Admiral Sampson, Capt. Evans and other navy officials.

The meeting of the Cuban assembly set for Oct. 20 at Santa Cruz, cannot occur until later because of delay in the arrival of delegates occasioned by bad roads. It is believed Gen. Gomez will be elected president of the Cuban republic.

Sergt. Clarence Allen, Co. I, 8th U. S. V. infantry, colored, immune, fired on three policemen who were attempting to arrest a colored soldier who was drunk at Chattanooga, killing Chas. Beagles. A battle with revolvers followed in which several were wounded.

The attitude of insurgent troops about Manila has become very menacing. Their supplies are scarce, they have not been paid in months and they are becoming desperate. The American authorities, naval and military, are taking precautionary measures, although no immediate trouble is anticipated.

An uprising of Comanche, Kiowa and Apache Indians is feared in Oklahoma. For 30 years the government has fed these Indians in accordance with a treaty which expired July 1. Left to care for themselves they are on the verge of starvation and are killing cattle belonging to Texas cattlemen. The latter threaten to retaliate by making a few "good Injuns" and serious bloodshed is sure to follow.

The cigarmakers of Florida and manufacturers of tobacco in many large cities are urging the abolition of all duty on Cuban cigars and tobaccos. The Cuban planters claim that it would practically kill the tobacco industry in Cuba. They say that the moment import duties are abolished, one of inferior tobacco would be sent in Cuba, manufactured into cigars and shipped from the island as Havana cigars.

Premier Hardy, of the province of Ontario, refuses the application of U. S. lumbermen for the suspension of the act requiring that logs cut in crown lands shall be sawn in Canada.

OUR BUDGET OF FUN.

SOME GOOD JOKES, ORIGINAL AND SELECTED.

A Variety of Jokes—Jibes and Ironies Original and Selected—Flotsam and Jetsam from the Tide of Humor—Witty Sayings.

Knowledge That Goes for Naught.
A man may know Latin and Greek,
And French and German, too;
He may know his Homer, his Shakes-
peare and
His Bible through and through;
His knowledge of science may be
A wonderful thing, in its way;
He may know all the depths of the sea
And the height of each vast Hima-
lay;
But he might just as well be a clam,
Without any learning at all,
If he hasn't found out how to flatter
The folks
Who inhabit this mundane ball.

As Long as Possible.



She—Now that you are writing poetry do you intend wearing your hair long?
He—Only until I become bald.—Up-to-Date.

The Same, But Different.
The returned soldier paused briefly and poised the fork dexterously.
"This pie of yours is not—"
Wearily, the wife sighed. "You need not finish the sentence, Henry," she said, with somewhat of sadness in her tones. "I know my pies are not as good as those your mother used to make."
"You are entitled to another guess," he rejoined, softly. "I was about to say that this pie of yours is not only better, but infinitely more prepossessing in appearance than those we ate at Tampa."

Ah, yes. The relentless march of time makes it possible for us to remove the cob-web costume from the joke of the past and dress it in the goldfish garments of the present.

The Horrible Part.
"Oh," she said, "I had a horrible dream last night. And—and you were a part of it."
"I?" he exclaimed.
"Yes, I dreamed that you and I were alone upon a deserted island."
"Well," he replied, as he arose to go. "If that's your idea of a horrible dream I guess I may as well be saying good-by."
"But wait," she cried, "until you have heard all. You were standing on the beach waving your coat as a signal for help."
When he left, three hours later, a great change had come into his life.

Unshaken Confidence.
"It's always pretty safe to judge a man by the company he keeps."
"Oh, I don't know. There are exceptions. My Uncle John's business makes it necessary for him to associate with aldermen a good deal, and still I'd trust him with every dollar I've got in the world."

Her Answer.



Cholly—I told her my face was my fortune.
Bill—What did she say?
Cholly—She said she wasn't going to marry a pauper.—Up-to-Date.

Nearly Done For.
"Well, I had a very fine business all summer, but it's about finished out now."
"That's too bad. What is your line?"
"I have the soda water concession in a down-town drug store."

Come Up.
"Do you believe poetry is dead in this country?"
"Yes, practically so. The soap manufacturers don't use it for advertising purposes any more."

CRISIS IN FRANCE.

The Cabinet Resigns and, More Almost Create a Second Reign of Terror.
The assembling of the French chamber of deputies, and the renewal of the Dreyfus agitation as a consequence, was the occasion of very serious rioting in Paris. The anti-Semite feeling was shown in violent attacks upon Jews in the streets, and mobs of republicans and royalists had several pitched battles in which scores were badly injured. The police arrested over 200 rioters.
At the opening session of the chamber of deputies M. Berouledo made a violent attack upon the minister of war, Gen. Chanoine, who, after vigorously defending his doings, tendered his resignation and quitted the tribunal. M. de Mahy offered a resolution calling on the government to end the "campaign of insult against the army." Then followed indescribable scenes of tumult in which there were several personal encounters. The premier, M. Brisson, refused to accept the resolution. A vote of confidence in the government was rejected, 286 to 254. The Brisson ministry then resigned.

A WAR ROMANCE.

Fickle U. S. Soldier Drives a Cuban Girl Insane, Loses Fiancee, Then Succeeds.
Albert Martin, a rancher of Ziebeck county, S. D., fought as a volunteer at Santiago and was wounded at El Caney. A pretty Cuban girl, Ramona Perez, daughter of one of Garcia's officers, nursed him until he was able to be sent home and they became sweethearts. After arriving home Martin was attacked by typhoid fever and then it became known that he was engaged to marry the daughter of a neighboring ranchman. Meanwhile the Cuban senorita learning of her (American lover's illness dressed in her brother's clothes and worked her way to New Orleans and then jumped to Hermosa, S. D. There she learned of Martin's deceit and became insane. The American girl broke off their engagement, Martin took to drink and finally ended all by drowning himself in Cheyenne river.

Merritt Wins Again.

Maj.-Gen. Wesley Merritt, U. S. A., and Miss Williams, of Chicago, were married in the bride's apartments at the Savoy hotel, London. They go to Paris to remain until the peace commission finishes its work when they will proceed to the Philippines and the general will resume command of his troops there.

Small Apple Crop.

The apple crop of the United States is smaller than it has been since reliable statistics have been collected. The total supply from the 1898 crop of the United States is 27,700,000 barrels, compared with something over 40,000,000 last year, which was small. Michigan fares about the best this year.

THE NEWS CONDENSED.

Dreyfus is said to be confined in Paris now.
It is reported that Russia has advised France to make a peaceful settlement of the Fashoda matter.
The U. S. department of justice declares that the restrictions on Chinese immigration in the U. S. hold good in Hawaii.
The body of Maj. Beebe, of the American evacuation commission, who died of yellow fever in Havana, has been sent home.
Gen. Jose Martel, of the Cuban army, has issued a fiery proclamation urging all Cubans to resist the landing of American troops.
Small pox is epidemic at Gibara and Holguin, Cuba, and the people are so thoroughly panic-stricken that many bodies lay unburied for two days.
Hobson has left Santiago for Washington to try to secure an appropriation of \$1,000,000 for the purpose of raising the sunken Spanish cruiser Vizcaya. The work of raising the Cristobal Colon is progressing.

THE MARKETS.

LIVE STOCK.			
New York	Cattle	Sheep	Lambs
Best grade	\$12.00	\$7.50	\$1.25
Lower grades	4.00	3.50	4.00
Chicago			
Best grades	5.25	4.50	6.00
Lower grades	4.00	3.00	3.60
Detroit			
Best grades	4.00	3.50	5.15
Lower grades	3.00	2.85	3.00
Buffalo			
Best grades	3.75	3.25	4.75
Lower grades	3.00	2.75	3.00
Cleveland			
Best grades	4.00	3.50	5.00
Lower grades	2.75	2.80	3.00
Cincinnati			
Best grades	4.00	3.50	5.00
Lower grades	3.00	2.50	3.00
Pittsburg			
Best grades	4.50	4.25	5.50
Lower grades	3.25	2.75	3.50
GRAIN, ETC.			
Wheat	Corn	Oats	
No. 2 red	No. 2 mix	No. 2 white	
New York	77.00	29.00	29.00
Chicago	69.00	31.00	30.00
Detroit	71.00	30.00	27.00
Toledo	70.00	30.00	28.00
Cincinnati	70.00	30.00	28.00
Cleveland	70.00	30.00	28.00
Pittsburg	70.00	30.00	28.00
Buffalo	70.00	30.00	28.00
*Detroit—Hay, No. 1 Timothy, 88.00 per ton; Potatoes, 40c per bu. Live poultry, spring chickens, 75c per lb; fowls, 40c; turkeys, 50c; ducks, 7c. Eggs, strictly fresh, 15c per doz; Butter, best dairy, 17c per lb; creamery, 25c			

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Spoils your temper—nearly drives you crazy.
Isn't relief and cure a long felt want?
It is to be had for everyone in Doan's Ointment.
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With the exception of ourselves no one ever does things as they should be done.

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FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every cause of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1898.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.
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The less thought some men give to a subject the more liberal are their views.

There are no cross babies or sick babies in families that use Brown's Teething Cordial.

Among flowers chrysanthemums live the longest after being cut.

English in Chinese Customs Service. The Chinese customs service is headed by an Englishman. It is chiefly manned by Englishmen. It was created and organized by an English army officer and diplomatist, Sir Thomas Francis Wade. At Hong-Kong and Wei-Hai-Wei England has ports, and in the former case a tract of mainland has recently been added to the possessions of England. The Chinese navy has been built in English shipyards and much of the time has been commanded by Englishmen. The native steamship lines have English commanders.

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Impure Blood

This disease affects nearly every one in a greater or less degree, and unless it is wholly expelled from the system it is liable to appear at any time in sores, eruptions, hip disease, or in some other form. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures scrofula and eradicates all poisonous germs from the system.

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SCIATICA.

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

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The weather nowadays is not simply discussed.

The Work Will Continue.

The divisions of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad west of the Ohio river, are to receive the same sort of improvements that have been made on the lines east of the Ohio. Not only are the grades to be reduced wherever it is practicable, but very much heavier motive power is to be introduced. In order to carry the additional weight the bridges on all the divisions are being replaced with heavier structures, and the track relaid with heavier steel rail. It has been demonstrated by actual experiment that these changes will result in an increase in train loading in some places of more than 50 per cent. It is the hope of the receivers that within the next two years the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad will be an 18-foot grade road from Chicago to Baltimore, with the exception of that portion of it which passes over the mountains where helping engines will have to be used. A great many of the estimates for the different portions of the work have been made, and those who have seen the plans state that the work can be done at a surprisingly low cost considering the return. It is understood that the policy of rehabilitation adopted by the receivers two years ago will be continued by the new company after the reorganization.

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Pinckney Dispatch.

F. L. ANDREWS EDITOR.

THURSDAY, NOV. 3, 1898.

PICK OUT YOUR MEN.

The following are the nominees for county office this fall:

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

Representative, James B. Tazman
 Sheriff, Geo. Smock
 Clerk, Willis Lyon
 Treasurer, Fred P. Dean
 Register, A. D. Thompson
 Circuit Court Commissioner, J. I. Vankuren
 Coroner, Gilbert I. Sargent
 Charles W. Barber
 Surveyor, Miles W. Bullock

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

Representative, Hon. F. W. Allison
 Sheriff, Malacha Roche
 County Clerk, J. V. Pettibone
 County Treasurer, G. A. Newman
 County Register, Amos Winegar
 Prosecuting Attorney, L. E. Howlett
 Circuit Court Commissioners, John McCabe
 W. H. S. Wood
 Coroners, Joseph Placeway
 Gilbert Pardee
 Surveyor, James Cameron

Interesting Items.

The Copemish Courier editor meets the exigencies of a political campaign by announcing a suspension of that paper for three weeks, during which period the publisher and family will make a visit with friends in Southern Michigan.—Bulletin.

Pontiac Gazette—Julius Johnson of Town Corners has about the smallest specimen in the shape of a pig. It is about 5 inches long and two inches high, weighs about 4 ounces and is as lively as a cricket. It is one of a brood of eight of ordinary size, and don't take a back seat for any of them at meal time.

The auditor general has begun to issue tax titles to those who purchased tax deeds at the last sales. The tax holder is required to notify the original owners of the property and six months are given in which to make payments. This includes the original amount of the tax and 100 per cent interest.

"An appropriate musical instrument for a fisherman would surely be a castanet" remarks the Harvard Lampoon. "Probably a tramp with any idea of consistency will play the oboe," adds the Yale Record. It is suggested that a druggist ought to do well on the vial and that some of our sophomore cadets have aspirations to play the lute.

The Howell H. S. foot-ball team caused the following notice to be displayed in one of the prominent show windows in town: "Foot-ball—Oceola Giants v s H. H. S., Saturday, 3 p. m., October 22, on Skilbeck's plaza. Admission, 10c; kids, 5c. Ladies free with an escort." We do not know how free the H. H. S. team intended the ladies to be with their escorts, but we hope for the sake of the school that they were not too free with them.—Herald.

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten millions trial bottles of this great medicine and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the throat, chest, and lungs are surely cured by it. Call on F. A. Sigler druggist and get a trial bottle free, regular size 50c and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed or price refunded.

A successful apple grower says: "I have never had a wormy apple in my orchard. The only thing I do to keep insects away is to put ashes around the trees with now and then a little salt. I prune my trees as soon as the apples are off in the fall and do not wait until spring. All other orchards in my vicinity are infested with worms."

A soldier having a furlough or leave cannot don a citizen's clothes. He must continue to wear his uniform unless he receives special permission from the war department at Washington. The commanding officer can issue a furlough at almost any time but he is deprived from granting his subordinate permission to drop his uniform. The fact is not generally known.

On the face of the new revenue stamps which are now being distributed, is engraved a representation of the ill-fated battleship Maine. The battleship is pictured as being at full speed through the heavy sea. From the smoke stacks are pouring dense volumes of smoke. The stamps, millions of which will be used, are a silent reminder of the loss to the American navy and 266 of her bravest sailors through Spanish treachery.

A distinguished physician who lived about the time of Christ mentioning that butter was made by agitating the milk of the sheep; but none makes mention of its being used except as an ointment or medicine save by the Thracians and Germans, who were the first nations to adopt it as food. It is related by Plutarch that while a Spartan lady was visiting the wife of a distinguished nobleman of the adjacent principality, the former smelt so strongly of sweet ointment and the latter of butter that mutual repulsion was the consequence, which finally ended in war.

An Editor Loose.

This is the way the editor feels when he does his sentiment in blank verse:

"I would flee from the city's rule and law, from its fashions and forms cut loose—and go where the strawberry grows on its straw and the gooseberry grows on its goose; where the catnip tree is climbed by the cat as she clutches for her prey—the guileless and unsuspecting rat on the rattan bush at play; I will catch with ease the saffron cow and the cowlet in their glee, as they leap in joy from bough to bough on the top of a cowslip tree; and list while the partridge drums his drum and the woodchuck chucks his wood, and the dog devours the dogwood plum in the primitive solitude.

"Oh let me drink from the moss-grown pump, that was hewn from the pumpkin tree! Eat mush and milk from a rural stump, from folly and fashions free—new gathered mush from the mushroom vine, and milk from the milkweed sweet—with pineapple from the pine. And then to the

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F. A. Sigler.

whitewashed dairy I'd turn, where the dairymaid hastening lies, her ruddy and golden-red butter to churn from the milk of her butterflies; and I'll rise at morn with the earliest bird, to the fragrant farmyard pass, and watch while the farmer turns his herd of grasshoppers out to grass.—Union.

The Passing of the Buggy.

Commenting on a recent show of vehicles the Philadelphia Ledger says: "A number of good open traps are displayed and but one of the well known type of buggy which has had its day and is giving place to road carts and traps. It is of interest to note the passing of the buggy."

A few years ago it was the most popular driving vehicle in the country. In the shadow of its top, while driving along country roads and by-ways, many confidences have been exchanged. With many the three-quarter buggies were the most popular because no one objected to the tight squeeze necessary in order to make the narrow seat hold two persons. Traps and road carts are more convenient and easier to

handle than the buggy. They are a little heavier, and there are other points in their favor. When traps were first introduced from London much fun was made of them by American carriage builders, but as their advantages became known, carriage builders, like the riders in the narrow buggies, first pined, then endured and then embraced. This is undoubtedly true so far as our cities are concerned, but it does not apply beyond them. The buggy and the roadster are still the best and most popular means of quick transit and pleasure driving in the country.

Answered.

Tankerton—"Did you have a good time last night?" Jagleigh—"I don't remember." Tankerton (triumphantly)—"I thought you had."—New York World.

ACTIVE SOLICITORS WANTED EVERYWHERE for "The Story of the Philippines" by Max H. Freed, commissioned by the Government as Official Historian to the War Department. The book was written in the army camps at San Francisco, on the Pacific with General Merritt, in the hospitals at Hongkong, in Hong Kong, in the American trenches at Manila, in the insurgent camps with Aguinaldo, on the deck of the Olympia with Dewey, and in the rear of the battle at the fall of Manila. Bonus for agents. Briful of original pictures taken by government photographers on the spot. Large book. Low price. 12c. Agents. Freight paid. Credit given. Drop all trashy, unprofitable war books. Outfit free. Address F. T. Fisher, Sec'y, Star Insurance Bldg, Chicago.

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Railroad Guide.

Grand Trunk Railway System.

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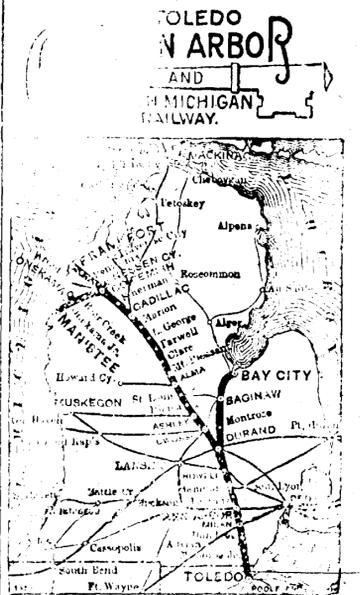
WESTBOUND.	Lv.	Ar.
Jackson and Intermediate Sta.	7:45 a.m.	11:45 p.m.
EASTBOUND.		
Pontiac Detroit—Gd. Rapids and Intermediate Sta.	7:51 p.m.	
Pontiac Leoux Detroit and Intermediate Sta.	7:55 a.m.	
Mich. Air Line Div. Trains leave Pontiac at	7:00 a.m.	
for Romeo Leoux and Int. Sta.	11:00 p.m.	
D. & M. DIVISION LEAVE PONTIAC		
WESTBOUND.		
Saginaw Gd. Rapids and Gd. Haven	7:50 a.m.	
Gd. Rapids Gd. Haven Chicago	12:44 a.m.	
Saginaw Gd. Rapids Milwaukee Chicago and Intermediate Sta.	9:38 p.m.	
Grand Rapids & Gd. Haven	11:45 p.m.	
EASTBOUND.		
Detroit East and Canada	11:53 a.m.	
Detroit and South	12:40 p.m.	
Detroit East and Canada	12:50 p.m.	
Detroit Suburban	1:15 a.m.	
	1:35 p.m.	
Leave Detroit via Windsor		
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Toronto Montreal New York	12:05 p.m.	
London Express	10:30 p.m.	

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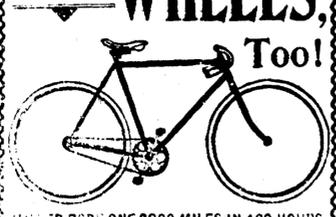
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THE COUNTY TREASURY.

There is no more important or responsible position in the gift of the people of any county than the election of the custodian of the county funds. Michigan has grown to be a great state, and, Livingston county has kept pace with its sister counties in development, resources and population, having been equalized at the last session of the state board of equalization at fifteen millions of dollars.

Upon this valuation, Livingston Co. is paying annually in state taxes, approximately \$30,000. Every citizen is interested in having this large amount of money honestly handled and promptly paid to the State Treasurer.

That the affairs of the treasurer's office of Livingston county are being managed as promptly and efficiently under the administration of the present incumbent, Mr. Geo. A. Newman is apparent from the following letters to-wit:

State of Michigan, Auditor General's Department, Lansing, March 31, 1897.

Mr. GEO. A. NEWMAN, Livingston Co., Treas.

Dear Sir:—Let me congratulate you upon your prompt settlement with the state for the state's portion of the tax levy in your county for 1896 and quarterly settlement, under the provisions of the General Tax Law. You are the first county treasurer in the state to make a full settlement for the taxes of 1896, and your promptness is a matter appreciated by this department and certainly shows creditable zeal in the performance of your duty as county treasurer.

Yours Very Truly, Roscoe D. Dix, Auditor General.

State of Michigan, Auditor General's Department, Lansing, March 15, 1898.

Geo. A. Newman, Livingston Co., Treas.

Howell, Mich. Dear Sir:—Enclosed herewith I hand you receipt for \$8,519.77 on account of state taxes of 1897. This with previous payments and together with your returns, provided the state tax thereon equal the amount indicated by your footings of the same, just equals the charge to your county for state taxes of 1897. Your county has the distinction of being the first in the state to make this complete settlement.

Respectfully, Roscoe D. Dix, Auditor General.

Dictated by Henry Humphrey. Mr. Newman is a candidate on the Democrat-People's-Union-Silver ticket for another term and is certainly worthy of re-election.

November Jury.

The following gentlemen in this county have been drawn, in accordance with law, to serve as jurors at the next term of circuit court:

- Hamburg—S. P. Moon, Henry M. Queal.
- Hartland—Julius Nichoels, Albert Terhune.
- Green Oak—Curtis Olsaver, Henry Maltby.
- Howell—Frank Jordan, Andrew McKean.
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Marriage among natives of South Africa is very much a matter of pounds, shillings and pence, shorn of the glamour of romance by the fact that the bride is estimated at so many cows or oxen by her callous and practical father, says the New York Telegram. The kaffir patriarch rejoices in a multiplicity of daughters—for they are truly the props of his old age—and each dusky damsel taken off his hands by an ardent suitor means an increase in his herds, calculated with mathematical precision, according to the rank of the bride's father. For instance, the hereditary in charge of a tribe when parting with his daughter need set no bonds to his bovine ambition, and the legend "Brides are cheap to-day" is meaningless to one of such exalted rank. A mere appointed chief in charge of a tribe, dares not demand more than twenty head of cattle for his daughter, but ten head is the average payment made. The ordinary kaffir has three or four wives, and when he has been in service with his white master sufficiently long to acquire the amount necessary to obtain the desire of his heart, he returns to his ancestral halls, and after a brief courtship, makes his selection to the "kaffir market" and proposes—to the father. No presents are made to the bridesmaids, for there are none to present; but that much-maligned individual, the mother-in-law, is duly recognized by the heathen, for she invariably receives a cow from her son-in-law elect.

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PINCKNEY, MICHIGAN.

Women's shoes are naturally tight when they are full.

The meaner a man is the harder he tries to lower his record.

The detective who rides a wheel should indulge in track exercise.

No man can endure with patience a woman's slur about his clothing.

The prettier the girl the more attention she seems to think she requires.

There are no professional women divers. It is impossible to talk under water.

The tramp is always glad to get a steak, but he draws the line at chops in the wood shed.

Some people try to console themselves in the hour of their misfortune by saying "There are others."

Some are rich in money only; how poor are they! To hold money is nothing; to use it for the highest good is rapture.

The habit of virtue cannot be formed in a closet. Habits are formed by acts of reason in a persevering struggle through temptation.

Human action is a seed of circumstances scattered in the dark land of the future, and hopefully left to the powers that rule human destiny.

It was a Chicago man who sold his affections to a woman for about a hundred dollars and then repudiated the woman; and it was a Chicago judge who ruled that she could not recover the money because a man's love could not be estimated in dollars and cents. It might have occurred to the judge, one would think, that the man was a swindler; and if that failed to bring satisfaction there ought to have been a horse-whip—not for the judge, perhaps, but for the man.

According to letters received from members of the First Kentucky regiment, which landed at Ponce, Porto Rico, on the transport Alamo, the greatest hardships were endured by the soldiers during the voyage. The men were quartered in the hold with foul air to breathe, and the diet consisted of canned beef, raw tomatoes and coffee once a day. A guard is said to have been kept around the officers' kitchen to keep the starving men from taking food by force. The steward is alleged to have made money by charging high prices for ice water and bread. The eternal monotony of the same food is enough to drive a man crazy, especially canned food. No more transports should be sent anywhere without a proper variety for the men aboard.

The Cunard Company has lately given an order for a new steamship, which will be the largest ever constructed. She is not to be a passenger-boat, and is not to be built for speed, and accordingly she will attract less general interest than her smaller sisters, the Lucania and Campania, which register only thirteen thousand tons apiece. The biggest vessel now afloat is the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, of the North German Lloyd. She is six hundred and fifty feet long, and registers more than fourteen thousand tons. She will not long be the levathan of the Atlantic liners, for in a short time the White Star Company will have the Oceanic on the water, and she, with her seven hundred feet length, will be twenty feet longer than the Great Eastern, the wonder of the last generation.

The United States consul at Vienna, in a report to the state department on the trade of Austria-Hungary for 1897, ascribes the general decrease in exports to this country to the fact that the same goods are now manufactured in the United States and can be sold there at the same or lower prices than the Austrian goods. The report is that American silk is being sold in Lyons, the real silk center in Europe, and that French manufacturers are buying it in large quantities, especially that used for lining purposes, to take the place of that formerly imported from Austria and Germany. There is a falling off in the demand for pearl goods, and for glassware, due to the popularity and superiority of the American product. It is frankly admitted, the consul says, that the American cut glass is finer and more elegantly cut than any manufactured in Europe. The American bicycle, according to the consul, is finding favor with the wheelmen, notwithstanding its higher price over those of domestic make. He thinks that if United States manufacturers desire to get their wheels into the foreign market they should be satisfied with a little less profit and try to make easier terms for their agents.

SCIENTIFIC TOPICS

CURRENT NOTES OF DISCOVERY AND INVENTION.

The Concentration of Power—How Potato Flour is Made—Factories Without Chimneys—A Floating Drydock—Skill of the Japanese.

Concentration of Power.
The close of the present century is marked by a tendency in the engineering world toward concentration of energy and material. A quarter of a century since a craft 200 feet long was almost a rarity on the great lakes, and when the locks of the Welland canal were extended 235 feet it was supposed that they would fully meet any demand to be made upon them in the succeeding hundred years. Today there are more large craft on these waters approaching 400 feet in length than those of 300 feet and less, and many exceed the greater figure—running, some of them, even up to 460 feet.

The same increase and concentration is also witnessed among the railroads. Heavier roadbeds and rails, and more capacious rolling stock, are everywhere observed, and the locomotive has reached a degree of development as regards size, weight, power and economy little dreamed of a generation ago.

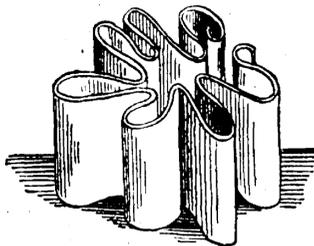
A very striking illustration of this concentration of power was afforded recently by a train hauled over the Pennsylvania railroad between Altoona and Columbia, which consisted of 130 cars, was nearly three-quarters of a mile in length and that weighed 5,330 tons. It was made up as follows: Locomotive, 118 tons; other rolling stock, 1,519 tons; freight (coal), 3,693 tons.

A Floating Dry Dock.
The great floating dock recently constructed for the Vulcan company, Stettin, Germany, by Messrs. Swan & Hunter of Wallsend, Newcastle-on-Tyne, surpasses in capacity the floating dock built by the same firm for the Spanish government and now in operation at Havana. The remarkable achievement of towing it successfully across the Atlantic ocean is fresh in the public mind, says the Scientific American. The present dock has been constructed with special reference to the strengthening and re-engining of two

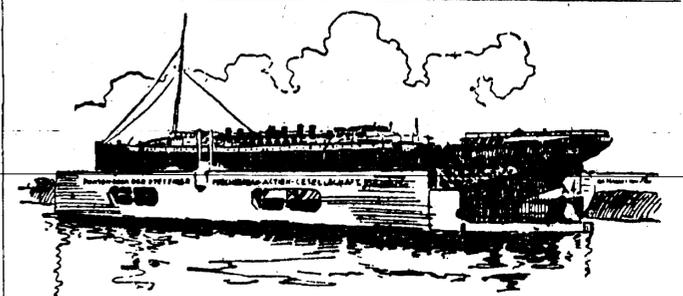
admirably adapted to cake baking, as it comes out beautifully white and light. It is considerably cheaper than wheat flour, selling for about \$3.50 per 100 pounds, whereas wheat flour costs about \$5. The process of manufacturing this article is quite simple. The potatoes are washed, put in rapidly rotating machines set with teeth and then crushed in such manner that the starch is separated from the cells which contain it. Water sweeps the extricated starch into vessels, where it settles on the bottom. Then it goes through a refining process, and is finally dried in a machine specially constructed for that purpose. What is left of the potatoes is fed to the cattle and swine, and is said to be also available for sundry uses in distilleries, breweries and sugar factories.

The Japanese Idea.

The Japanese are just famous for their skillful arrangement of flowers, by which the poorest of blooms are made to look their best, by being so displayed that their full beauty can be appreciated. Most of these good ef-



fects are produced by placing the flowers very sparsely in bamboo tubes, no attempt at a crowded bouquet being ever made. The latest importation from Japan for the purposes of floral decoration consists merely of a long strip of lead, which is crinkled and crumpled up into as many folds and flutings as possible. These crumples must be so managed as not to interfere at all with the firm base, which enables the lead to stand steadily at the bottom of the bowl or basin. The flutings form a series of miniature tubes, into which the stems of the flowers are pushed, and which can be easily pinched or enlarged, as the slowness or thickness of the stems require. The flowers should on no account be crowded; and, of course, the higher they stand up above the edge of the bowl, the more graceful will they look.



of the Atlantic liners of the North German Lloyd company.

The principal dimensions are: Length over all, 510 feet; extreme breadth, 110 feet 9 inches; height from bottom of pontoon to top of walls, 43 feet 7 inches. The internal width is sufficient to allow vessels up to 82 feet beam to be docked and the depth over the keel blocks is 24 feet. The maximum lifting power is about 12,000 tons.

The dock is what is known as the self-docking type, that is to say, access to all external surfaces is possible for painting or repairs. Longitudinally it consists of two side walls, between which are connected three pontoons, the center one being 240 feet long and the two end pontoons 135 feet. The pumping and controlling machinery consists of eight horizontal centrifugal circulating pumps, placed four in each wall of the dock. These pumps have large vertical shafts geared by means of bevel wheels and horizontal shafts to two sets of compound engines of 125-horse-power each, which are placed on a deck near the top of the walls. There are four engines in all and each of them drives two fifteen-inch centrifugal pumps, the whole machinery being capable of lifting a ship of about 11,000 tons displacement clear of the water in about two and one-half hours. The dock is divided into thirty-eight water-tight compartments, each emptied or filled by separate valves. Each engine is supplied by a large, horizontal multi-tubular marine boiler which is placed in the walls in close proximity to it.

Potato Flour.

One of the manufactured vegetable products of Austria, an article probably altogether unknown on this side of the Atlantic, is potato flour. United States Consul Mahin, at Reichenberg, calls attention to it in one of his recent reports, and says that it is used there in many lines of bakery and confectionery, where we use wheat flour, besides being employed in cases where corn starch, which is not known in Austria, is made use of by us. It is

Factories Without Chimneys.

The statement that a chimney, the third or fourth tallest in the world, has just been completed at a cost of \$53,000, and the announcement that the most gratifying success has attended the use of forced draught, without any chimneys whatever out of the ordinary, appear in contemporary journals. The experiment of forced draught gives promise of great economy in fuel, as well as doing away with the expensive and unornamental chimney. The draught arrangement consists of a large fan, which is connected with a four by four double cylinder engine. The fan has a wheel fifty-four inches in diameter and runs at almost any rate of speed desired. The draught is something prodigious and makes it possible to employ fuel of a lower grade than any heretofore used. Instead of the best Cumberland coal, a mixture of Cumberland and screenings has been tried. The cost of operating the fan, even with imperfect apparatus, is something like \$800 per annum. The smoke stack is scarcely taller than the roof of the building, and of less capacity than heretofore used for such purposes.

Preparation for Oilcloths.

To preserve the gloss and color of good oilcloth, melt two ounces of glue in a pint of water. Wipe the oilcloth over with a woolen rag moistened with yellow soap, and the oilcloth again with a linen cloth dipped in the glue water, already prepared. Let this dry on before the floorcloth is trodden on again, and a bright, fresh gloss will be the result. If the glue water, when cold, is not liquid enough, add warm water until it is so. It will be sufficient for some time afterwards only to dust the oilcloth over, as the glue preserves it from injury.

Bad Company.

Mother—"Johnny, stop using such dreadful language!"

Johnny—"Well, mother, Shakespeare uses it."

"Then don't play with him; he's no fit companion for you."—Tit-Bits.

Overproduction of Poultry.

Overproduction of poultry and eggs is a possibility, but that such has at any time occurred is doubtful, says the Poultry Keeper. The fear that the market may be overstocked has deterred some from venturing largely in poultry, but such fears have never been realized. It is not unusual to find the market full at all times, not only of poultry and eggs, but of all kinds of produce; though there is a great difference in quality. It has been said of butter that there was no intermediate kind, as butter was either good or bad. If not of the best quality, it was of no value; and if but little inferior to the best, there was no place for it whatever. Such may be said of eggs also, and it may be extended to poultry. Quality regulates the price. A difference of only one cent a pound on poultry or a dozen eggs seems insignificant, but when a large business is conducted the difference is great. As long as there are several prices for the products the market is overstocked with the lowest priced articles only. The best will be in demand, and will sell for all that it is worth; but the term "best" means a great deal, for it includes everything pertaining to superiority. There is a large field open for those who aim to supply the market with the best; and every season they will find that they have room for improvement in order to excel. There is also much to learn in order to know how to provide the market with the best, and the market will accept it readily at all times and without regard to the quantity of inferior grades that may have been offered for sale. There is something more to look after than feeding and caring for the fowls. To produce the best, the hens must be of the best. This demands the use of the best breeds. No farmer can afford to raise chickens for market from the common stock, for the reason that no system of feeding will enable the inferior birds to equal their superiors. With the breeds for the purpose the market can be supplied with something choice, and there will be little or no competition. Overproduction of the best is a result not yet attained. It is anticipated by many, and as long as the farmers will not improve their flocks, the market will always demand more.

Mating for Size.

Mr. E. Cobb, in the Feathered World of July 29, makes the following remarks on mating for size and shape: "The male bird undoubtedly exercises a certain amount of influence in regard to the size and shape of the offspring; but to attempt to remedy—as so many amateurs do—the deficiency of size in their stock by the purchase of an extra large cock, is the wrong way to go to work. The hen has far more influence over both the size and shape of the progeny than the male has. Take a broad shouldered, deep chested cock and mate with narrow shouldered hens, deficient also in breast, and the result of such a union will be but little, if any, improvement. Had, however, the tables been turned, and the hens possessed the size instead of the cock, far greater improvement would appear in the offspring; but, as we before remarked, the male bird does exercise a certain influence. It will be found that by breeding from large hens and a cock deficient in this respect the pullets produced show a far greater improvement than is observable in the cockerels, and it is only by continuing the process of breeding from large hens that the cockerels will far outdistance the original cock. There is no question but what the best plan is to have size and shape on both sides; but if a deficiency must occur on one side or the other, do not let it be on that of the hens."

The above is truth undefiled. We regret that a common practice among amateur fanciers is a tendency to breed from overgrown and abnormally large males. Many a fine cockerel, because he happens to be undersized, albeit correct in shape, is cast aside, and some big, coarse brute, because of his size, is selected to mate with an average lot of females. Mr. Cobb's advice should be carefully considered and followed.—American Fancier.

Tuberculin in Australia.—Mr. Cameron, veterinary inspector to the board of health, Victoria, has issued a report showing the result of his experiments with tuberculin as a test for tuberculosis in dairy cattle. Mr. Cameron expresses the belief that the test never fails if it be properly applied. Exhaustive experiments were made on the herds at the Leongatha labor colony. A number of cows reacted to the test, and on being slaughtered were all found to have tuberculosis. Forty showed no reaction, and fifteen months later were again injected, and showed no reaction. Two were slaughtered, and found to be free from tuberculosis. Mr. Cameron is satisfied that, if the whole of the dairy herds in the colony were tested, and the cattle affected condemned and slaughtered, tuberculosis in cattle could be easily stamped out.

The kitchen garden is not usually appreciated for the reason that the farmer does not keep an account of its returns.

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A FELON'S LOVE.

BY HENRY W. NESFIELD.

CHAPTER III.

Far away in the interior of New South Wales, not many miles from the borders of South Australia, there is a lovely stretch of country which, at the first glance, a stranger would imagine to be one vast plain. It is a beautifully undulating country in reality, with low hills and wide-spreading valleys, belts and clumps of shea-oak and pine, and large lagoons, which, when filled by the winter rains, are the resort of the various wild-fowl with which the country abounds.

Some of the valleys contain vast stretches of dense scrub, whilst others present a tempting pasture for the herds of kangaroos. In some parts where dams have been made to save the water, there are huts and sheep yards, and far-away out-stations where solitary men dwell, tending the flocks committed to their care, seeing no living soul for months together, and wishing to see none. These "hatters," as they are termed, frequently go raving mad, and the generality of them are moody, crack-brained creatures who have almost lost whatever humanity they once possessed.

Facing these great plains, and nestling under the brow of a lofty hill on the Barrier Ranges, was a station consisting of a comfortable dwelling-house, built from the boulders which lined the creek close by, a number of men's huts, a wool-shed, sheep and cattle yards and paddocks—the last stretching out from the Range for several miles into the plains.

To the weary "swagsman," who had skirted the Range from the last station for over twenty miles on a blazing hot day, with his roll of blankets slung across his shoulder and his "billy" in his hand, the sight of Redmount Station was a most welcome one indeed. The tall blue gum trees which marked the irregular line of the creek as it debouched from the gully in the hills were visible for a great distance, and, to the sore-footed traveler toiling on towards them, it seemed as if they were never to be reached. But, when once those trees were gained, the knowledge of the certain food and rest to be obtained beneath them cheered the fainting spirits, and the hard day's tramp was soon forgotten in the comfort of the traveler's hut and the stimulating draughts of smoking tea.

Mr. Charles Hall was the owner of Redmount, and lord not only of hundreds of square miles of country surrounding it, but of the countless flocks and herds which grazed thereon. Here he lived with his wife and family, perfectly happy and contented, and far away from all excitement, political or otherwise, their lives passed wholesomely among the rural pursuits and interests with which they were surrounded. What was it to them that there was a change of government in England, a fortune lost or won upon the Derby, or a new plot against the czar? What did they care about the life of the old world? Less than nothing! A good lambing season, a heavy "clip," a rise in wool, an occasional run down to Melbourne or Sydney, were matters of far keener interest to them than all the squabbles or rejoicings of the people of the old country.

The owner of Redmount had left England, with his young wife, nearly twenty years previously, and, after the usual amount of struggling inseparable from a colonist's life, had settled down and prospered. His family consisted of two fine grown lads and a girl, who were rapidly becoming more and more useful to him. The elder son, Jack, though only just nineteen, already stood to his father quite in the place of an overseer on the "run;" the younger, George, was still at college in Sydney.

Shearing had commenced and everybody on the station was hard at work. Mrs. Hall had been busy the whole day long cooking for the men, for they had been unfortunate enough at this season, of all others, to lose their cook. Mr. Hall had been absent from home for the past two weeks. Business had taken him away to Melbourne, but that night he was expected home. The day had been exceedingly hot, though it was only the middle of November, and Mrs. Hall was so thoroughly tired out with her exertions that she was resting on a lounge chair in the veranda, anxiously watching the track round the foot of the Range in the hope of seeing her husband in the distance. From where she sat the prospect was lovely indeed. From the house a spacious garden full of shrubs, orange and lemon trees, and English flowers, mingled with exotics, stretched down the hill-side to a bubbling stream. Higher up the gully

large gum trees waved their feathery foliage in the evening air, and a grand background of precipitous hills formed a splendid contrast to the plains across which Mrs. Hall strained her eyes in vain.

The sun had just gone down behind the hills, and only the brows of the dark peaks were tinged with its last rays. Thousands of sheep which had that day been shorn were bleating as they streamed out from the yards where they had all day been imprisoned. Horses grazed in the home paddock close by, side by side with the milk-cows, while shouts from the yards told that the men had not yet ceased from their labors.

"Mary," Mrs. Hall called out presently, as she heard some one moving about inside the house, "is that you, dear?"

"Yes, mother," replied a tall lithe-looking girl as she stepped out through a French window on to the veranda. "Poor dear mother, you must be quite knocked up!"

"I am tired, darling," admitted Mrs. Hall. "Has Jack come up from the shed yet?"

"No, not yet," answered the girl; "but supper is quite ready, and he won't be long now, I expect."

"I do hope that your father will come home tonight. He said he would be ten days perhaps. It is now a fortnight since he left."

"I wonder whether he will have managed to get a cook," said Mary, as she sat on the edge of the veranda at her mother's feet. "All this cooking is quite wearing you out. You ought not to have to do it."

"I shall be all right after a good night's rest, and if only your father would come back! Can you see nothing of him, Mary?"

"No, not a sign," said the girl, "but here is Jack, sooner than I expected. Now let us go into supper, and begin."

A stalwart sunburnt youth strode up the garden path, and tossing his cabbage-tree hat upon a chair, threw himself at full length upon the grass-plat.

"Well, Polly," he exclaimed, "I'm just baked, I can tell you! I wish the governor would hurry home. Leaving me all the shearing to look after is no catch! All this broiling afternoon I've been drafting out 'strangers,' and working just like a nigger."

"Mother's been working hard, too," said Mary reproachfully. "And she doesn't grumble, like you do."

"No, by Jove; but then the mater's an angel!" he answered, springing to his feet and throwing his arms around his mother's neck. "I bet no angel ever cooked dinner for seventy men, with the thermometer at a hundred and ten in the shade, without a murmur! Oh, I'm not to be irreverent, mother? Well, I won't, to please you; but upon my word it was a shame of that brute Johnson to go off at a moment's notice, just at the very busiest time."

"Never mind, Jack," interrupted Mrs. Hall, as she leaned her head back over the rail on the lounge-chair and clasped her hands behind her neck. "Don't talk so much, but look out with your young eyes and see if your father is not coming in the distance."

"Or, in other words," said Jack, laughing—"Sister Ann, sister Ann, do you see some one coming? No, mother, no one—neither Bluebeard nor the governor. Talking of blue, I wonder what our new cordon bleu will be like. Drink like a fish and swear like a trooper, I suppose, as they all do."

"Perhaps father won't have got one at all," observed Mary; "and, if so, I pity you all, for I'm going to try my hand at cooking. I stood with my nose close to the meat safe today to break myself into the smell of raw meat, which always make me feel more or less ill."

"Pshaw—you might as well be an English girl!" said Jack scornfully. "If you were anything like a trump you'd kill as well as cook—Jennie Smith does."

"Never mind; we don't want Mary to be quite such a masculine person as Jennie," interposed Mrs. Hall; which brought forth a rejoinder from Jack that Miss Smith was no end of a "good fellow," after which he suddenly remembered that he was hungry, and added hurriedly—

"But I'm ready for supper, if you are. I'll just run in and wash off some of this dust, and be with you in a few moments," and Mr. Jack swung himself through the veranda and disappeared within the house.

CHAPTER IV.

Supper was well-nigh over when the

barking of dogs announced a late arrival. "That's father!" cried young Jack. "I thought he'd be here tonight. I'll run down to the huts and meet him," and off he darted in the direction of the sounds.

After the first outburst of welcome had subsided, some fifty questions had been asked, and Mr. Hall had somewhat satisfied his hunger, he said—

"And now that I have told you all my news, how have you been getting on in my absence? Shearing going ahead all right, Jack?"

"Yes, father. Nothing much to growl about. Pretty fair clip so far, I think. But you haven't told us yet whether you got the married couple you promised to look out for in Melbourne."

"Well, I have, and I haven't," replied Mr. Hall, leisurely lighting his pipe. "It is the hardest job in the world to get hold of anybody. I saw several couples in town, but they were all so peculiar independent that it made me quite savage. One lot would not come so far into the bush; another wanted to know whether I allowed beer and washing. One likely fellow had six small children—no drawback on the place here, knowing that he might leave me in a few months for five shillings a week more wages at the next station? At last I dropped across a very decent young fellow, just out from the old country, with a young wife and no encumbrances."

"But what did you mean by 'you have and you haven't'?" asked Mrs. Hall.

"I mean this—the man tells me his wife is in too delicate a state to do any work. His name is Thomas Baynes and he says he can cook well and is handy about the house. I didn't see his wife, but I engaged him at seventy pounds a year, on condition that, if his wife grew stronger, she should assist you in any light work—needle-work or something of that description. No doubt when they get settled and used to the life they will shake down all right. I must say I was taken with the lad's appearance, so I hope it will turn out satisfactorily."

"What a pity the wife is so delicate!" said Mary. "And when are they coming up, father?"

"They started before me, but I overtook them on the road," returned Mr. Hall; "and they arrived at Sullivan's public-house in the coach this evening. I had no time to stop and see them, but asked Sullivan to send them on tonight in his buggy, so I suppose they will be here very shortly."

"Poor creature!" remarked Mrs. Hall. "How will she stand bush life if she is such a sickly thing? You say they are young people?"

"Yes, quite young. He told me he was twenty-three, but he hardly looks it. However, you will be able to judge for yourself very soon. Oh, there's Long Bill!" he exclaimed, hailing a station-hand who had just come up to the veranda. "How d'ye do, Bill? Has a buggy come up from Sullivan's with a man and his wife for the station? That's all right—see them settled in the hut next the men's kitchen, will you? Give a look after them, and make them as comfortable as you can. They are new chums, not used to roughing it much yet, I expect, and no doubt will feel strange at the start."

"I have been to see after them, sir," replied Bill, "so far as the young man would let me, but he seems mighty independent, and says he can do for himself."

"Well, that's something strange in a 'new chum,'" said Mr. Hall, laughing; "but it is a hopeful beginning. If you are passing his hut, tell him to get the men's breakfast at seven sharp tomorrow, and I will go down and give him a look in afterwards on my way to the shed."

Long before midnight the whole station appeared to be wrapped in slumber, and not a light was to be seen. The very sheep-dogs snored and dreamed as dogs do dream after a hard day's toil, rounding up their flocks and hunting back refractory subjects to the yards, just as they had been doing the livelong day.

Every human being on the station slept—Save one.

Upon a rude bench outside a hut near the men's kitchen sat a dark-eyed youth, looking upwards into the starry sky.

Tears were slowly trickling down his face, and he rocked himself to and fro, struggling to suppress his sobs. Presently he arose, and clasping his hands above his head, as if in the very agony of his soul, he murmured—

"How will it all end? Oh, merciful Heaven, how will it end?"

Then he entered the hut.

(To be Continued.)

One Exception.

"I know there's a good deal said about sandy foundations," observed the metaphysical boarder, "but sand makes the best foundation for a prize fighter." "Still," objected the argumentative boarder, "you can't build a prize fight on anything but"—Chicago Tribune.

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PARSHALLVILLE.

Mrs. Frank Johnson is on the sick list.

Frank Smith of Bancroft was home Sunday.

Ed. Merrithew of Ypsilanti was home this week.

F. L. Andrews of Pinckney, visited at his fathers last Thursday and Friday.

Edith White returned home Sunday after visiting friends in Fenton for a few weeks.

Miss Nellie Cole came home from Owosso last Saturday where she has been visiting relatives for a few weeks.

Ernest White of Fleming and Minnie Cole of Fowlerville spent Sunday and Monday last with friends here.

EAST PUTNAM.

Guy Hall visited in Dexter last Friday.

Mrs. R. W. Lake is spending a week with her daughter in Genoa.

Mrs. Lucy Mandeville of Williamston is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. R. Hall.

East Putnam was quite well represented at the C. E. convention at Plainfield last week.

Misses Mabel and Maude Miller of Dexter, spent Saturday and Sunday with P. W. Coniway and family.

School closed here this week with appropriate exercises. Miss Mary Roche has been engaged to teach the winter term.

Mrs. D. M. Hodgeman and Miss May McDonald, of Oak Grove, spent a few days last week with G. W. Brown and wife.

UNADILLA.

Miss Josie May is visiting relatives at Hillsdale.

F. A. Allen, of Howell, visited his parents here Sunday.

Mrs. Minnie and Gertrude Mills spent Sunday with friends and relatives at Munith.

The Unadilla, YPSCE won the banner at the county convention at Plainfield, Thursday.

A good time was had at the chicken pie sociable given at the hall by the Presbyterian ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Phillips and son Hubert, of Clarkston, Oakland county, visited at Chas. Allens the fore part of the week.

Miss Helen Norton, of Howell, will give a lecture Wednesday evening, Nov. 9, at the M. E. church. Subject, "Past and Future of Hawaii."

HAMBURG.

Miss Ora Scott spent Saturday and Sunday with her uncle near Salem.

Miss Blanche Graham, of Pinckney, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives here.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church will serve dinner on election day. Bill 15 cents.

The ball given by the Loyal Guards last Friday evening was a complete failure, owing to parties given in several adjoining towns.

Mr. Thorton Newlove died at the home of his father-in-law, on Sunday last. Heart disease was the cause. He leaves a wife to mourn her loss.

Lewis DeWolf, who has been in the state of Washington during the past summer, has returned home. He gives a very favorable account of the country.

Quite a number from this place attended the Lafayette entertainment given at Brighton by the high school last Friday evening. The entertainment was reported as a success.

Ella Crane, of Brighton, spent the latter part of last week with her friend, Bernice Greer.

EAST MARION.

Mr. Hoisel will soon have his new home completed.

Miss Julia Benedict spent Sunday at F. W. Allison's.

Roy Hoagland and family visited in Oak Grove last week.

Mr. John Hassencahl and wife visited her parents in Unadilla, Sunday.

John Chambers transacted business at the county seat last Saturday.

Rev. A. G. Blood will preach at the school house next Sunday at 10:30 A. M.

Sam'l Elliott is going on the road for a Boston tea company, this winter.

Miss Kate Fohey is recovering from injuries received in a runaway accident.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Randal, of Howell, visited at the home of Cyrus Bennetts, Monday.

Roy Richards is attending school at Howell, making the drive from home each morning.

Miss Carrie Jones who has been spending the summer in this place in now with Mrs. Fred Burgess.

Miss Lida Allison closed the fall term of school in Wright's district, last Tuesday, with appropriate exercises.

Mr. Silas Hause who was taken very sick last Friday and for several days was not expected to live, is better today, (Tuesday.)

Additional Local.

Miss Millie Arnell returned from Northfield Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Yonkers entertain F. A. Sigler and F. G. Jackson and their ladies at dinner, today.

Ira T. Sayre of Flushing, republican nominee for state senator from 13th district, was in town last Friday.

Several received sample copies of the DISPATCH this week, and we ask you to read it carefully and see if you do not want it to visit your home 52 times a year. Only one for it from now until 1900. If you do not want it one year try six months, you will never regret it.

Miss Maybelle Oliff of the Ypsilanti Conservatory of Music is organizing a class in vocal and instrumental music, in this village. Any person desirous of taking lessons in either can ascertain terms and any other information by enquiring at the Cong'l parsonage. Miss Oliff comes highly recommended by Prof. Pease and other instructors.

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John Young of Chelsea called on friends here Tuesday.

Henry Ruen of Howell visited his people here over Sunday.

Will Roche of Ann Arbor was in town the first of the week.

Bert Campbell of Detroit was in town on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Hattie Decker is visiting relatives and friends in Jackson.

R. E. Finch and wife visited relatives in Ann Arbor over Sunday.

Halloween night here was more noise here this year than mischief.

Mr. Welch of South Lyon was here on business the first of the week.

A Mr. Brown of Fowlerville has rented the Richard's blacksmith shop and is moving to this village.

Robert Arnell and wife were called to Northfield the first of the week to care for her mother who is very low.

See large bills in regard to the sale of personal property at the late residence of C. J. Gardner at Petteysville, Nov. 15.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Wallace started Tuesday for Carleton where they will spend a few weeks with friends and relatives.

The entertainment at the Cong'l church last Friday evening drew a good house and the church workers are richer by \$10 than before.

There is no prohibition ticket in the field in Livingston county owing to the fact that the committee failed to file their county ticket with the election commissioners.

The Blissfield cemetery contains a marble slab with a queer inscription. "The Lord giveth, and the doctors taketh away; woe unto the doctors." —Blissfield Advance.

We cannot vouch for the truthfulness of the following, although stranger things have happened. About four years ago a certain young lady near Chelsea, accidentally swallowed a needle. Last week the needle was removed from the right arm of a young man who had been keeping company with her since before she swallowed it.

There has been no trace of Rev. Chas. Simpson's goods which were taken from the car while enroute to this place. The goods taken consisted of a large grip of Mrs. Simpson's best clothing and some of his, a large box of soap and a can of oil. The seal of the car was broken and when the car arrived here these goods were missing.

The P. H. S. Rugby team play their first game against the H. H. S. at Howell on Saturday afternoon of this week. The line-up will be as follows: Center Rush, F. Carr; guards, Dunn and Gardner; tackles, Monks and Campbell; ends, Durfee and Reason; backs, Doyle, Mann, Grimes and Erwin.

The following officers were elected at the Livingston County C. E. convention, which was held at Plainfield on Thursday, Oct. 27: Pres., Rev. J. J. Beatty, Plainfield; Vice-pres., Rev. C. S. Jones, Pinckney; Sec., Miss Florence Marble, Anderson; Treas., A. C. Watson, Unadilla; Miss Supt., Mrs. W. C. Cleave, Howell; Junior Supt., Mrs. H. F. Kice, North Hamburg.

Teachers' Association.

The Livingston county Teachers' Association will be held at this place Saturday Nov. 5, commencing at 10 A. M. The following program has been arranged:—

- Music.
- Invocation.
- Music.
- Paper, "Primary Reading," Miss Jessie Green.
- Discussion, led by A. C. Kenyon.
- Paper, "Encouragements and Discouragements of Teachers," Florence Miles.
- Discussion, led by Sup't Briggs.
- Music.
- Paper, "Essential Elements Which Should Enter into a Well Conducted School," Elmer L. Ellsworth.
- Discussion, led by Sup't Knoobuizen.
- Paper, "How Can We Best Enlist the Attention of the Little Folks," Alma L. Dickerson.
- Discussion, led by Sup't Durfee.
- Music.

A man who had his home paper stopped because he could not afford to take it, was badly taken in by a traveling fakir which the paper had warned the people against. Moral:—He concluded it was a better investment to take the paper.

Business Pointers.

TO RENT—The William Hooker house in this village. Any person who keeps a pig or cow need not apply. Enquire of Mrs. Wm. Hooker.

There has been left with me for sale the following property: One five year old gelding, weight about 1200 pounds, color dark sorrell, sound, kind and all right; one second hand single harness and top carriage both in good shape; one Winchester 32 calibre repeating rifle nearly as good as new. The above named property will be sold at prices to sell quickly.

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Notice is hereby given that we will meet on Saturday, the 21st day of January, A. D., 1899, and on Friday, the 21st day of April, A. D., 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M. of each day, at the late residence of said deceased, in the village of Petteysville, in said County, to receive and examine such claims. Dated: Howell, Mich., Oct. 21st, 1898.

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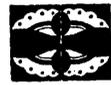
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