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Local Dispatches.

Miss Gladys Triber is visiting friends in Chelsea.

Mont Nowlan, of Jackson, was in town the last of last week.

Mrs. C. S. Jones and son are visiting in Charlotte a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Clark, Jr., visited relatives in Charlotte the past week.

John McClear of the 35th Michigan, is very sick with fever, at St. Joseph's hospital, Reading.

We request the weather prophet to furnish us with fine sleighing and good skating for Thanksgiving.

Will Dunning and wife attended the funeral of his mother at her late home in Hamburg Sunday at 10 a. m.

Frank Moore who has been home on a sick furlough, returned to his regiment at Augusta, Ga., Wednesday.

Mrs. Cephas Dunning, an aged and highly respected lady, of Hamburg township, died Thursday, Nov. 10. Funeral was held at the home Sunday a 10 o'clock. She leaves a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn their loss.

Kirk VanWinkle began school in Iosco last Monday.

Dr. H. F. Sigler is so proud over his new title of grand pa that he is unapproachable.

The Unadilla boys came over to play foot-ball with the Pinckney team Saturday but the game failed to materialize on account of the snow and slush.

Rev. Carl S. Jones of Pinckney will preach at the Cong'l church next Sunday, Nov. 13. A full attendance is requested as business relative to pulpit supply will be considered.—Chelsea Herald.

John Sigler of Leslie and daughter, Mrs. Preston Brown of New York and Mrs. Grattan Sigler of Leslie, were here the last of last week and removed the remains of Grattan Sigler from vault to the cemetery where they were buried.

Miss Josephene Harris was pleasantly surprised by a number of her friends, last Saturday evening, it being her birthday anniversary. They presented her with a handsome music rack and other presents. Refreshments were served, and all enjoyed a very pleasant time, wishing that her birthday might come more often.

Born to Dr. C. L. Sigler and wife Nov. 15, an 8 lb. son.

Several of the Masonic brethren attended a School of Instruction at Fowlerville last Tuesday night.

Casper Sykes and son have been to Stockbridge putting in a steam heater for one of its citizens. They also put one in the hotel at Hamburg.

Yea! Verily, So Are We.

It must be that the Pinckney Dispatch is well circulated in the 35th Michigan. October 27 the DISPATCH published a letter from one of our boys at Camp Meade, and the following week a letter was published in the Fowlerville Review, signed by E. A. Burden almost identically with just a few words changed and the names of those who took part in the games were left out. Now last week low and behold the same letter appeared in the Republican at Howell with J. J. Gannon's name signed and its editor is somewhat puzzled over the fact where the Review got its letter. Yea! verily so are we; although our curiosity goes even a step farther and wonders where the Republican got it.

We know where the DISPATCH got its letter, as it came direct, by request, straight from the pen of one of our "boys in blue" from old Pinckney, who signed himself, "One of the Boys" which gave others the opportunity to sign "any old name" and have it appear at "any old place." The DISPATCH would be pleased hereafter to receive due credit.

Anderson Farmer's Club.

The meeting of the Anderson Farmer's Club at the home of Mr. F. W. Allison, on Saturday, Nov. 12, was well attended. An excellent program, which related more closely to agricultural topics than usual, was rendered. A paper on "The Culture of Small Fruits," was read by Miss Mollie Wilson and the discussion of the same was led by Rev. N. Pierce. In speaking of small fruit culture, Rev. Pierce said: that he did not hope to arouse as much enthusiasm as by discussing Pingreeism, but he thought the subject could be made pleasant as well as profitable.

He said, in part: that but few realized the aggregate value of small fruits, and further, that instead of decreasing in value, they were growing more profitable each year. His experience had taught him that the Wilson and Warfield varieties of strawberries were the best for sandy soil, and would give good results when grown there. Raspberries, he said, required a heavier soil than strawberries.

R. G. Webb spoke a few minutes further upon the same subject, but said that Mrs. Webb had always attended to the care of the small fruits and could give a better talk than he.

The remainder of the program, and the appointment of the committees followed and the next meeting was arranged to take place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hemmingway, near Pinckney, on the second Saturday in December.

The Club appointed as delegates to the county convention of Farmer's Clubs, C. A. Frost, R. G. Webb and Norman Wilson.

Several new members joined at the close, and the meeting was in every way a successful one. A program for the next meeting is being prepared and will, we hope, be carried out.

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MICHIGAN NEWS SUMMARY.

Doings of the Week Recorded in a Brief Style.

CONCISE AND INTERESTING.

Roof of a New Theater Collapses at Detroit Killing Twelve Men and Severely Injuring Nearly a Score of Others—Our Troops Go to Cuba.

Dreadful Disaster at Detroit.
The new Wonderland building, on Monroe avenue, near the Campus Martius, Detroit, was nearing completion and was almost ready for dedication as a playhouse for the people when one of the most terrible catastrophes occurred ever known in the history of the Michigan metropolis.

A newly-patented roof, was just being completed. It consisted of heavy trusses laced between with iron rods in which was laid four inches of cement and on this a thick layer of concrete. This made an absolutely fire-proof roof and it was also of great weight.

There were about 40 men employed in the structure, when, without an instant's warning, the entire roof fell in upon them carrying the upper gallery floor and an immense amount of scaffolding and temporary work down to the lower floor. The workmen were buried under an indescribable mass of debris consisting of heavy iron and steel work—broken and twisted as though they were lath—timbers of all kinds, brick, cement and mortar. Fortunately but a small portion of either wall fell or it is likely not a man in the building would ever have escaped alive. The walls were left standing in a dangerous condition.

The noise of the falling, crushing, grinding mass was followed by the cries and groans of the poor fellows in the ruins. The fire department and hospital ambulances were on the scene in a very short time and even then the work of rescue had been begun by spectators who risked their lives under the dangerous walls. An immense crowd soon blocked the street. Within half an hour seven mangled forms had been removed and sent to the hospitals and morgue, and the work was continued until 12 dead bodies had been removed and 15 badly injured workmen had been sent to the hospitals. Two of the latter will probably die.

While the work of rescue was going on at night by the aid of electric lights which had been hastily put in, a portion of the east wall fell when about 250 persons were in the building. Most of the brick fell outside the structure, however, and no one was severely injured, although a score were scratched and bruised in their efforts to reach the street.

The owners of the building, the architect and the contractors declare that they cannot say what was the cause of the catastrophe. But a thorough investigation will be made and the blame placed if possible. Mayor Maybury called a mass meeting of citizens at which \$1,000 was raised as a nucleus of a fund to assist the families of the dead and injured. The financial loss was about \$30,000.

Big Appropriations Wanted.
The several state institutions have made their estimates of expenses for the biennial period and will ask the legislature for the following appropriations: Industrial school for boys, Lansing, \$135,000; school for deaf, Flint, \$242,250; school for blind, Lansing, \$64,250; home for feeble minded at Lapeer, \$232,855.35; northern Michigan asylum, Traverse City, \$64,850; asylum for dangerous and criminal insane, Ionia, \$8,100; upper peninsula branch, Marquette, \$19,539; state reformatory, Ionia, \$14,200; upper peninsula hospital for insane, Newberry, \$226,930; eastern Michigan asylum for insane, Pontiac, \$62,750.24; industrial home for girls, Adrian, \$102,574; state public schools, Coldwater, \$79,002.32. The total appropriations asked for foot up \$602,494 for current expenses and \$672,967.71 for special improvements. The first item is favored as estimated by the state board of corrections and charities, but they recommend that the latter be reduced to \$455,664.35, making a total of \$1,058,158.35.

Judge Corbett Shot by His Son.
News received from Trout Lake, in the upper peninsula, of the accidental death of Judge Roecoe L. Corbett, of the Thirteenth judicial circuit, created a sensation at his home at Traverse City throughout the state, as he was well known. Judge Corbett and his eldest son had just established a camp at Trout Lake, as was his annual custom. By the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of his son the judge was shot dead.

Woman Elected Prosecutor.
Mrs. Merrill L. Abbott, Democratic candidate for prosecutor, of Ogemaw county, was elected by an easy majority. She is a graduate of the law department of the University of Michigan and is a bright and witty speaker.

Bed Axe Presbyterians will erect a \$2,000 brick church.

Disasters on the Lakes.
A wintry storm which assumed the proportions of a blizzard on land was a gale of terrific force on the Great lakes and caused much damage to shipping. The schooner Iron Cliff broke from the steamer Iron Duke near Chicago and drifted upon the beach and was totally wrecked. The crew was rescued with a great deal of difficulty on account of the huge waves that rolled in from Lake Michigan. The men were compelled to jump into the water, being then hauled into the lifeboat. Some of them were unconscious when rescued. The Iron Cliff had a cargo of salt. She is owned by the Detroit Transportation Co., of Detroit and was insured for \$30,000.

The S. Thal, a two-mast schooner from Milwaukee, foundered off Glencoe, Ill., and the crew of five drowned. The steamer Chisholm, which went ashore on Isle Royale two weeks ago, was completely wrecked by the gale. The steamer Curtis, of Tonawanda, arrived at Port Huron without her three barges, the Fasset, Reed and Holland, giving every evidence of having passed through a terrific gale. Part of the deck load had been swept away and considerable water was in the hold. The Fasset went ashore at Sand Beach and the crew was taken off by life-savers.

The schooner Lena Neilson, with lumber from Manistee to Benton Harbor, struck on the bar at the entrance to St. Joseph harbor. She spread canvas and freed herself, but lost her rudder and was driven ashore with heavy seas breaking over her. The crew of four men clung to the rigging while the life-savers attempted to reach them.

The big steel freighter North Star, belonging to the Northern Steamship Co., arrived at Detroit after a passage from Buffalo which was the most exciting she ever had and all hands were thankful to escape.

Ship Canal Across Upper Peninsula.
Articles of association of the Lake Michigan & Lake Superior Ship Canal & Dock Co. have been filed with the secretary of state. The capital is \$50,000, the intention of the company being to increase this as the work progresses. The object of the company is to construct and maintain a canal from Lake Michigan, starting point in Delta county, to Lake Superior, at a point in Alger county.

Michigan Banks in Fine Shape.
Bank Commissioner Maltz statement on the condition of the 176 state banks and three trust companies of Michigan at the close of business Sept. 30, shows an increase over the report of May 5 of \$1,944,215.35 in loans and discounts, stocks, bonds and mortgages; \$1,343,867.25 in total cash on hand; \$2,979,956.28 in total deposits; \$328,979.60 in savings deposits; \$2,417,293.79 in commercial deposits.

STATE GOSSIP.

Co. A, Coldwater, 32d Michigan, has been mustered out.

One St. Louis, Mo., firm paid \$75,000 to fruit growers about Muskegon for apples this season.

Patrick Murphy, aged 40, was burned to death in the destruction of his blacksmith shop at Detroit.

The discovery of a 10 foot vein of soft coal is reported from Saganing, 25 miles north of Bay City.

Minden City has established a monthly auction sale for the benefit of the farmers of Sanilac county.

James Jackson, aged 17, was crushed to death between a heavy piece of machinery and a freight car at Delray.

The schooner D. S. Austin lies on the beach near Ludington a total wreck. Life-savers took off the crew.

The Paragon Oil Co., of Toledo, has erected two large buildings at Bay City, and proposes to buck the Standard.

Ward Murray, formerly of Mason, was struck by a falling tree and instantly killed while prospecting in the Klondike.

Harry Holden, a boy, was found in the Michigan Central yards at Jackson with both legs cut off below the knee by a train.

Capt. Vernou and wife and 36 men of the 19th U. S. infantry, have left Ft. Wayne, Detroit, to join their regiment in Porto Rico.

Mrs. J. L. Pierson, of Eaton Rapids, found a two-months-old babe on her porch. She will keep him and name him Wm. McKinley.

The funeral of Elihu H. Boynton, St. Clair's soldier boy of the 31st Michigan, whose death occurred at Knoxville, was held at St. Clair and was largely attended.

The Muskegon Woman's club tendered a reception to Mrs. L. N. Keating, in honor of her election to the office of president of the Michigan Federation of Women's clubs.

A bright light on Lake Huron, off Alpena, caused the Thunder bay life savers and the Sturgeon point crew to scour the lake for 30 miles without finding the burning vessel.

Chicory raising promises to divide the honors with sugar beet raising in Bay county. There is as much money in chicory as in sugar beet and less care is required in its cultivation.

Thomas E. Peck, the 20-year-old son of a prominent Grand Rapids druggist, committed suicide at Chicago by shooting himself in the head.

Peter Kramer, a truck farmer, living near the Center Line school, near Warren, shot and killed a chicken thief, who was identified as a worthless character known as Schrader.

While hunting near Marquette Alfred Laroehelle, aged 21, in pulling his gun from the buggy accidentally discharged it. The full charge entered his right lung, causing almost instant death.

The timber having all been cut in the vicinity of the Metropolitan Lumber Co. has shut down its mills at Metropolitan, Dickinson county, and the town will soon be another deserted village.

Lightning destroyed the barns and sheds, together with 1,300 bushels of grain and other contents, belonging to James Anderson, in Troy township, Oakland county. Loss \$3,000; partly insured.

Wm. Eames, a prosperous farmer of Fairfield township, Shiawassee county, took off his coat and laid it on the fence, and his cows ate it up, and along with it went \$305 which was in one of the pockets.

John Brown, of Birch Run, Co. A, 32d Michigan, was sick three weeks at Santiago with diphtheria. He has since had yellow fever and is now suffering from typhoid. He has been ill four months.

Ruben Austin, driver of a coal wagon at Jackson, went to sleep on a small platform about 16 feet above the floor in the engine room of the Eldred mills and rolled off. He struck on his head and was killed.

The body of Lawrence Goss, Bay City, steward on the lost steamer Doty, floated ashore at Ganges. Considerable Doty wreckage came ashore near Sangatuck and Grand Haven, including one of the steamer's lifeboats.

The Mohawk Mining Co., of Houghton, has ordered the steel for an extension of the Traverse Bay railway and will complete the line before winter. The new stamp mill, costing \$150,000, will be built on Lake Superior.

The evaporator owned and operated at Pinckney by Rowley & Rowley, of New York, burned to the ground with all its contents. It was running day and night. Loss \$1,200, with no insurance, and 30 hands are thrown out of employment.

The schooner Aberdeen broke loose from the steamer Nyack when leaving Grand Haven, and was blown ashore by a heavy gale, and was completely wrecked. She was owned in Cleveland and was insured for \$40,000. The crew was rescued by life-savers.

While repairing a car in the C. & W. M. yards at Muskegon Edward De Lange was instantly killed by a train of cars bumping into the one on which he was working. His head was completely severed from his body. He leaves a widow and five children.

Gov. Pingree has received from the U. S. government \$14,259 for the support of inmates of the Soldiers' home for the quarter ending Oct. 1. The government contributes \$100 per inmate per year.

The Michigan Portland Cement Co. has come in possession of nearly 400 acres of land near Quincy containing the finest quality of marl. The company will erect the largest plant of its kind in the world.

Lightning struck the house at the Arcadian mine, at Houghton, seriously three carpenters. The bolt traveled down a water pipe and knocked senseless a Finn miner who was working 300 feet underground.

It has been decided that the 31st Michigan will be located at Santa Clara, Cuba, and the 35th Michigan, near Havana. The latter is already started for Atlanta from Camp Meade and the 31st will leave Camp Poland, Knoxville, as soon as possible.

Thomas O'Leary, a lumberman of Davison, was driving to Flint when he picked up a stranger who wanted a ride. The stranger offered O'Leary a drink from a bottle. He accepted and shortly afterward became unconscious. When he recovered the stranger was missing with O'Leary's overcoat and \$330.

Toledo advices say: A. E. Stillwell, president of the Kansas City & Gulf railroad, is slated as the new president of the Detroit & Lima Northern. The Stillwell people will place \$2,000,000 in the road. The name of the road is to be changed; it will be known as the Central Terminal & Connecting railroad.

The state board of pharmacy held a two days' session at Lansing, and a total of 57 candidates were examined, 13 being granted certificates as pharmacists and six as assistants. The board will meet in Detroit in January, Grand Rapids in March, Star Island in June, Houghton in August and Lansing in November.

Judge Martin V. Montgomery, commissioner of patents under Cleveland, ex-judge of the supreme court of the District of Columbia, later appointed judge of the U. S. district court, and one of the best known attorneys in Michigan, is on his death bed at his home in Lansing. The disease is a cancerous growth of the liver and other complications.

TICKINGS OF THE TELEGRAPH

News of the Day as Told Over the Slender Wires.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN NEWS

The Spanish Peace Commissioners Refuse to Give Up the Philippines on the Demand of Uncle Sam—The French Republic in Danger.

The Spanish peace commissioners have flatly refused to accept the proposition made by the Americans to take the entire Philippine group and to reimburse Spain for her "pacific" expenditures there. The Spaniards presented their case in a lengthy statement in which they held that the United States had no ultimate rights in the Philippine islands and could have none save by the consent of Spain in these negotiations and upon terms satisfactory to her. According to the Spanish contention, the United States entertained no thought of annexing the Philippines when the protocol was signed or it would have been expressed in the protocol as clearly as the conditions regarding the cession of territory in the Antilles and the orient. The Dons declare that Spain distinctly informed M. Cambon before the signing of the protocol that Spain's control of the Philippines should not be affected by the protocol. They further maintain that the capitulation of Manila having occurred after the signing of the protocol and thus after the suspension of hostilities was invalid.

The Spanish commissioners charge the U. S. with wrongfully appropriating public moneys belonging to Spain by seizing the tariff duties at Manila, and they formally demanded the return of these moneys in the sum of \$1,000,000. On the same premises the United States was declared to have made and held as prisoners the Spanish troops at Manila in violation of international law because done after the suspension of hostilities under the protocol. A further charge made was that by the imprisonment of the Spanish troops at Manila the United States had prevented Spain from quelling the insurrection and had thus contributed to the violence against Spain after the cessation of hostilities. The Spaniards also cited the refusal of the Americans to consider the Cuban debt, on the ground that it was not sanctioned in the protocol and demanded an adherence to this precedent in the discussion of the Philippines, regarding a cession of which the Spanish commissioners held the protocol to make no mention.

Maria Teresa Lost.

The Spanish cruiser Maria Teresa, which was raised by Constructor Hobson, at Santiago, and started for the United States, was caught in a furious storm near San Salvador island, and went down in water three miles deep. The crew was rescued by the wrecking tug Merritt, which with the U. S. steamers Vulcan and Leonidas, acted as escort to the Maria Teresa.

Later advices report that the Maria Teresa, instead of going to the bottom stranded on Cat island, in the Watling group. The navy department sent orders to the Vulcan at Norfolk and the Potomac at Santiago to leave immediately for Cat island, and if the vessel is found to do everything possible to save her. The expedition will be under command of Capt. McCalla, who commanded the Marblehead in the Spanish war.

To Overthrow the French Government.

Information from a reliable source reveals a well-organized plot in Paris, in the event of the inquiry before the court of cassation proving favorable to Dreyfus, to foment a riotous outburst in the French capital, to attempt to overthrow the civil power and to assassinate the leading champions of Dreyfus. The police have warned those friends of Dreyfus to change their residence temporarily, or at least to carry revolvers.

Germany and Turkey are Now Allies.

Berlin dispatches, from a well-informed source, say that Emperor William's visit to Turkey led to an agreement by which Germany undertakes to support the integrity of the sultan's Asiatic possessions, for which Germany will receive commercial and industrial privileges. It is believed this agreement is tantamount to an armed alliance between the two countries.

Fire in the U. S. Capitol.

An explosion of gas in the sub-basement of the capitol at Washington badly wrecked the supreme court room causing \$10,000 damage. It was thought at first that valuable records had been destroyed, but fortunately, investigation showed that this was a mistake.

Marchand's Men Ordered Back to France

Paris: The Matin confirms the report that the government will instruct Maj. Marchand to return to France with his expedition from Fashoda by way of Jibuti, on the gulf of Aden, "the only route consistent with French dignity."

The transport Panama has arrived safely at New York with 400 soldiers from Santiago.

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A SIRDAR'S BULLET.

Gen. Kitchener's Singular Experience in the Campaign of 1885.

The Sirdar of the army in Egypt, on whom the eyes of Englishmen are now turned from every quarter of the empire, has had a very extraordinary experience, having allowed a bullet with which he had been wounded, and which he now preserves as a memento. During the campaign of '85 Major Kitchener was hit in the side of the face by a bullet, during a skirmish near Suakim, and was taken down the Nile, and thence to the Citadel hospital at Cairo, where, despite all the efforts of the surgeons, the bullet could not be located, the X-rays being then unknown. On the authority of Sergeant Bilton, late of the medical staff corps, who is now in London, and who was then specially detailed to look after the injured officer, the wound was a healthy one, and very soon healed, and the medical officers came to the conclusion that the bullet had worked its way out without being noticed on the passage down the Nile. Bilton one day tempted his patient's appetite with a tasty beef steak, which the major had no sooner attacked than he put his hand to his throat exclaiming: "Bilton, if there's no bone in the steak, I've swallowed that bullet; I felt it go down." This proved to be the case, the bullet passing through the alimentary canal without injury to the distinguished officer.

No man was ever so completely skilled in the conduct of life as not to receive information from age and experience.

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

When we are out of sympathy with the young our work in this world is about over.

STORIES OF RELIEF.

Two Letters to Mrs. Pinkham.

Mrs. JOHN WILLIAMS, Englishtown, N. J., writes:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I cannot begin to tell you how I suffered before taking your remedies. I was so weak that I could hardly walk across the floor without falling. I had womb trouble and such a bearing-down feeling; also suffered with my back and limbs, pain in womb, inflammation of the bladder, piles and indigestion. Before I had taken one bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I felt a great deal better, and after taking two and one-half bottles and half a box of your Liver Pills I was cured. If more would take your medicine they would not have to suffer so much."

Mrs. JOSEPH PETERSON, 513 East St., Warren, Pa., writes:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I have suffered with womb trouble over fifteen years. I had inflammation, enlargement and displacement of the womb. I had the backache constantly, also headache, and was so dizzy. I had heart trouble, it seemed as though my heart was in my throat at times choking me. I could not walk around and I could not lie down, for then my heart would beat so fast I would feel as though I was smothering. I had to sit up in bed nights in order to breathe. I was so weak I could not do anything."

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A FELON'S LOVE.

BY HENRY W. NESFIELD.

CHAPTER VI.—(Continued.)

After some further conversation the man Luke ceased to take any further notice of the young man, beyond an occasional glance, as if he were trying to remember where he had seen his face before. Baynes very shortly afterwards got up and went off home to his hut.

As one of the men had informed Luke, Mr. Hall happened to be short of hands just then, and upon applying to him the next morning he got taken on.

Things went on for some time very much as usual. There were cattle-brandings, breaking in of horses, and Sunday kangaroo-hunts, indulging in a drunken bout at Sullivan's, the "Bush Inn," a few miles off, the latter diversion being much to Mr. Hall's inconvenience and disgust.

Sullivan's "lightning" rum was not only guaranteed to make men drunk, but it had the peculiar effect, after a few days' steady drinking, of sending them raving mad. This was not to be wondered at, as Mr. Hall frequently told his men on the station, for the chief components were spirits of wine, brown sugar and tobacco.

A noticeable alteration had taken place in Tom Baynes' demeanor since the arrival of Robert Luke upon the station. He seemed to have relapsed into his old moody manner, which he had apparently got rid of as he had become used to the place.

He was now never in the men's hut longer than was absolutely necessary for the performance of his duties, and he shut himself up more than ever away from them all.

"How precious fond of that missus of his he must be!" said Luke one night. "It's queer no one's ever had a sight of her. Hasn't no one for certain ever seen her?"

"Not as I knows on," returned one of his mates. "What does it matter to you if you see her or not? She's an invalid, that's what she is. And be's a good mate, and provides good grub all round."

"I'll try and get a look at her, and 'chance the ducks,'" retorted Bob Luke. "What right has she to go and shut herself up? It puzzles my brains where I have seen that chap Baynes before."

After this Luke was constantly prying about in the endeavor to get a peep into Baynes' hut. One night he succeeded in creeping close up to it without disturbing the inmates. There was, however, no possible means of peeping in, so Luke lay down in the shadow behind the chimney and listened. He could not catch a single word. If the inmates of the hut were talking they must have been doing so in very low tones. By-and-by, however, the door opened, and in the stream of light that came from within, Luke beheld a woman walk out into the open air. A shawl partly concealed her features as she went down the little garden path to the gate.

Then she stopped for some ten minutes with her back towards the watcher, looking out into the night.

"I shall see her better when she is coming back," thought Luke.

But at that moment the lamp inside the hut, was extinguished, and he could see nothing more than the shadowy form of the woman as she turned round and re-entered the dwelling.

Robert Luke felt baffled, and his curiosity became keener than ever. When he reached the hut in which he slept, he found it empty. The men were still haggling over their greasy cards at euchre in the kitchen.

Sitting down by the plank table, upon which stood the slush lamp—a tin pail full of sheep's fat with a rag for a wick—Luke pulled out an old pocketbook, and drew from it a worn and dirty paper. Unfolding it, he read the heading, "One Thousand Pounds Reward." The rest of the printed matter, which he read through carefully, contained the description of Edward Bartlett and Anne Dodson.

"Well, it ain't them at any rate," he grumbled, as he replaced the paper in its cover. "Man with fair complexion, gray eyes, shortish—That won't do. Baynes has dark eyes—a quite middling height. Hair, might be, but eyes—no, it ain't him. Besides, I saw them both in court when Bill was tried. I have 'em!" He cried, springing to his feet and bringing his fist down with a crash upon the table. "That's where I saw the face like his. It was Anne Dodson's! Supporting 'em' is a brother of Anne Dodson's, and her name is hidden."

CHAPTER VII.

"Baynes," said Mr. Hall, as he was starting out for the run,

"I want you to go down to Sullivan's this afternoon—you know—the public-house where the coach stopped when you came up. The drays are up from town, and we are so short of a number of things that I am sending some pack-horses to meet them, so you can load up with whatever you think we most require. The bullocks are so done up that I hear they will not be able to come any farther for the next three days. Very provoking it is, to be sure. I suppose all the men will get drunk there. However, it can't be helped."

"How am I to go, sir?" asked Baynes. "On foot?"

"Oh no!" replied Mr. Hall, laughing. "I hear you are rather afraid of mounting a horse, but I have left my mare Vinegar up in the yard. She is quite quiet, so you need not be alarmed. One of the men will saddle her for you, if you don't know how to set about it."

Tom Baynes set out shortly after the men's dinner was served, amidst roars of laughter and much chaff from the station hands.

"What, never been on a horse before, Tom?" cried one. "Get along with you! Hold tight on to her mane—that way. Now then, off you go! Stick to her, mate! Ho, ho, ho!"—and, spanking the old mare on the flank with his hand, he started her off in the proper direction.

Mr. Hall stopped at the kitchen upon his return in the evening, and called one of the men out to take his horse.

"Has Baynes come back yet?" he asked.

"No, sir," the man replied. "I don't see how he could get back tonight. They will have to unload a good part of two drays to get at the things he wants."

"True. Ah, well, there's not much fear of his getting on the drink—that's one reason why I sent him! If you had gone, Charlie," he added to the man. "I don't suppose I should have seen you back for a month."

"Very likely, sir—that is, if once I tasted," replied Charlie. "Most curious way it is with me—if I don't taste I don't want it, once I've had a sup, there's no stopping of me. I must go right away to the end of my cheque."

"Well, take my advice, and never taste again, Charlie," said his master, as he walked off in the direction of the house.

While this conversation took place, Robert Luke was standing close by; and shortly afterwards he walked over to the store, where everything the men required could be purchased, from boots and shirts to patent pills.

"Good evening, Luke," said the storekeeper. "And how's the world using you? Want some tobacco, or what? We shall have a heap of new things up in a day or two, when the drays arrive."

"No, thank you," replied Luke; "I just came over to beg an envelope and a sheet of paper. The mail-bag is made up tonight, isn't it?"

"Yes, in half an hour. Writing to your girl, Luke?" asked the man as he threw over the required articles. "Put it short and sweet."

"No, I am not writing to my girl," replied Luke—"only to a brother."

Leaning on the counter in a quiet corner of the store, Robert Luke set to work, and wrote the following letter—

Care of Charles Hall, Esq., Redmount Station, Barrier Ranges, N. S. Wales, May 25th, 18—.

Dear Bill—Come out at once. Never mind the public. Leave your wife to look after it. I am on the right track. I didn't serve five years in the Metropolitan Police for nothing. When I landed I made my way up country. I didn't stay long in Sydney, as I thought it was the wrong place to look for them. You know I felt certain that they had made for Australia, because in Bartlett's evidence he swore you had talked of going there; and you assured me afterwards that it was him as was always talking of it.

Well, after working my way from station to station, I arrived here. The first night I entered the kitchen I was startled by the resemblance of the cook—a man called Baynes—to the girl Anne Dodson who gave evidence at your trial, and who is now wanted. He bears such a strong likeness to her that I am sure he must be a relation. What is more, he is lately out from home, and there is a mystery about his wife, who is constantly shut up in a hut here. My belief is that Baynes is Anne Dodson's brother and is keeping her here in hiding until he can clear her off elsewhere.

I mean to see her tonight, whether

or no. Baynes is away fetching some stores, and won't be home until morning. So now's my chance!

I will let you know by next mail how I succeed, but don't wait for letters. Come out here—we'll have that thousand pounds yet! You can swear to them, as you lived in the same service. I cannot be certain, as I only caught a glimpse of them in the court, but I fancy I should know the man Bartlett anywhere. I will remain here or in the neighborhood until your arrival. Your affectionate brother,
ROBERT LUKE.

Varysburg, N. Y.

The envelope was addressed to "Mr. William Luke, 'Hare and Hounds,' Islington, London," and, having read the letter carefully through, Luke sealed it up, and dropped it into the mail-bag.

He retired to rest that night at the same time as the other men who slept in his hut.

"The last man dowses the glim!" shouted one fellow as he rolled himself up in his blanket.

"That's me," replied Robert Luke, as he took off his boots. Then, having extinguished the light with his finger and thumb, he threw himself down upon his bunk.

Hour after hour passed, and the steady stentorian breathing of his companions told him that they all slept. Presently he raised himself gently to a sitting posture, and in doing so he made the wooden bunk creak. He listened for some seconds. No—the men were undisturbed. Gradually he reached the floor, holding his breath lest the slightest noise on his part should awaken one of his companions. Then he felt his way in his stockinged feet softly to the door, which was secured by a common wooden latch. He managed to open the door without a sound, and, when outside, he let the latch fall slowly into its place with the string attached to it from without.

He paused and listened, but they all slept on.

The moon was nearly at the quarter, and the shadows from the Ranges lay broad and dark upon the lower ground beneath. Beyond the cry of a night-hawk or owl, the whir of a bat, or the croaking of frogs in the stagnant pools near the creek there was not a sound to be heard.

Luke walked along in the direction of Baynes' hut, which, lying in the shadow of the hill, would have been difficult for one not knowing the locality to discover; but Robert Luke knew his way well.

In a few minutes he stood outside the door. There was no sign of life to be seen within. He tried the handle, and found that the door was locked. Then he crept round to the window, which was unglazed and had coarse calico nailed across in lieu of glass. After peering about for some minutes, he detected a speck of light shining dimly through an inner curtain. Probably there was a moth-hole in the blanket which had been hung inside to prevent the light from being seen from without. The keyhole and every chink seemed stopped securely.

How easily he might slit the calico across with his knife and effect an entrance! But then, suppose his surmises were to prove wrong, what excuse could he make for thus disturbing the woman in the middle of the night?

Luke's heart beat fast. It seemed to him as if he were on the very brink of making some discovery, and yet was to be balked.

He stood still and thought a while. Then it occurred to him that he might knock, pretend he was ill, and ask for brandy. The men on the station had none, he knew. Yes, there could be no harm in that.

He knocked on the panels of the door, but no answer came. He knocked again, and spoke.

"Mrs. Baynes, would you kindly give me a drop of brandy if you have such a thing. I am sorry to trouble you at this time of night, but I am not very well. I am Luke—Bob Luke."

Still not a word came in reply. He called out again more loudly—

"Mrs. Baynes—d'ye hear, Mrs. Baynes?"

Growing bolder, he determined to try the strength of the door.

Placing his shoulder against it, he turned the handle and leaned upon it with his whole weight.

Suddenly the door gave way, and he was precipitated into the room. Recovering himself, it was yet several seconds before he could distinguish any objects around him—the sudden transition from the darkness without to the glare of a lamp had dazzled his eyes. When he recovered from the first confusing effects of the light, he saw a sight that sent him staggering back against the wall, and for a moment deprived him of the power of speech. He was bewildered, and could not find breath to say the words which were upon his lips.

A sound of horse's hoofs approaching the hut made him suddenly look round, and then he knew no more. A fearful crash upon his skull deprived him of his senses, and he fell heavily to the floor.

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Hypnotists Disprove of the Idea That There is Any Such Thing.

At a recent meeting of the British Medical Association, held in Edinburgh, the subject of hypnotism was a principal topic of discussion, and many interesting statements were made by physicians and other scientific investigators concerning it. That it has been usefully employed in curing some persons of the morphia habit and of the drink habit seemed to be established, but as to its general value as a therapeutic agent there was much difference of opinion, and no conclusion was reached. An interesting point that was left unsettled was: "Does the hypnotizer infuse power into the mind of the patient, or merely evoke it?" Instances were given of cases where there was actual transmission of power from the hypnotizer to the hypnotized, but in the large majority of cases no such transmission occurred. Naturally the "criminal suggestion" feature of the subject was most debated, and Dr. Bramwell, an eminent London physician, stated that he had not during his nine years' experience with hypnotism ever seen an instance where a patient had received the least suggestion of an act that would be repugnant to him in his normal state. To a question by one of the members, "Whether the hypnotized patient could be got to sign a check for £500 under the statement that it was only for £5." Dr. Bramwell replied: "Absolutely and certainly not. A hypnotized subject did not lose one single power which he had in the normal state; on the contrary, he gained others." This is quite interesting and goes far to disprove the sensational stories that have appeared in the newspapers from time to time concerning hypnotism as a defense in criminal cases. Novelists have also been active in disseminating the belief that persons can be influenced by hypnotic suggestions to perform acts they would not perform when in a normal condition. Dr. Bramwell and other scientific investigators have now quite effectually exploded this delusion.

A Gigantic Grand Duke.
The only man known who is obliged to take his own bed with him wherever he travels is the Grand Duke Paul of Russia. He is so very tall that it is impossible for him to obtain a comfortable night's rest unless he can sleep in his own bed, which was made specially for him. The bed itself is constructed so that it can be packed into a small trunk.

The first paper ever made in the world was manufactured by wasps. War destroys men, but luxury destroys mankind.

Comfort for Women.

Some time ago Pullman's Palace Car company built three parlor cars for the B. & O.'s New York trains, and the radical departure from other cars of this character lay in the toilet room for ladies, which was eight feet in length. Recently the same company has built eight new sleepers for the New York-St. Louis line of the B. & O., and the designer of the cars has evidently been impelled by the popularity of the ladies' retiring room in the parlor cars to give to the ladies a vast deal more space than they ever had before in sleeping cars. These new cars are said by the Pullman people to be the finest they ever turned out, and the ladies' retiring room is exceedingly commodious, and contains, besides other toilet necessities, a dresser with a long pier glass. The cars are finished in vermilion wood, decorated with inlaid marquetry work, and the upholstery on the backs and seats is entirely new and different from any heretofore used, being a sort of a mignonette with a dark green border and a center pattern of bright color. A similar design of ornamentation has been applied to the ceiling, giving the car an arabesque effect. They are also supplied with all the modern appliances, such as wide vestibules, anti-telescoping device, air pressure water system and are lighted with Pintach gas. A very pleasing effect is obtained by the oval windows of opalescent glass, the first that has been used in the construction of the sleeping cars.

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F. L. ANDREWS - EDITOR.

THURSDAY, NOV. 17, 1898.

Interesting Items.

The time necessary for the conversion of a forest tree, or part of it, into print paper, in a recent test, was two hours and twenty five minutes.

George B. Richmond, who died at Lansing, Mich., recently, was the original inventor of the electric telephone which was in use before the Bell patent was filed. He never realized anything for his invention.

A patent has been granted to a New Jersey man for electric cars without either trolley or wires. No conductors are necessary and any kind of wheels may be used as the current is not returned through the body of the rail. The cost of the operation is said to be much less than that of the ordinary system.

The Grand Army of the Republic has done more than any other agency to silence and counteract the complaints that have been made by the volunteers concerning their hardships and their treatment during the late war, says the Chicago Record. The veterans of 1861-5 have made the tender feet of '98 ridiculous by comparing experiences. They claim that if they could have had one-half the comfort and supplies which were enjoyed by the volunteers of the late war, they would have considered themselves in paradise.

While looking up the record of a revolutionary soldier, a rare and valuable historical document was discovered in the Pension Bureau. It is a book which was written by Major Fred Wersenfels, who accompanied the expedition, a complete roster of the officers of the ill-fated American army which invaded Canada during the winter of 1775-6, under the command of Gen. Benedict Arnold. There are 86 names on the roster, many of whom afterwards became famous, among them being Aron Burr, aide-de-camp and judge advocate; Gen. Wooster, Col's. Livingston, Waterbury, Clinton, Campbell and VanRensselaer. All the histories of the expedition against Quebec have omitted the names of the sub-ordinate officers because no list of them was known to exist, although many historical writers have made diligent and lengthy searches for it. This roster will take its place among the valued archives of the government, but permission to copy it will be given to historical societies by the pension Bureau.—Washington News.

Discovered by a Woman.

Another great discovery has been made and that too, by a lady in this country. "Disease fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly and could not sleep. She finally discovered a way to recovery by purchasing of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and was so much relieved on taking first dose, that she slept all night and with two bottles has been absolutely cured. Her name is Mrs. Lather Dutz." Thus writes W. C. Hammick & Co., of Shelby, N. C. Trial bottles free at F. A. Sigler's drug store, Regular size 50c and \$1.00 every bottle guaranteed.

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Grease marks on wall paper may be removed by applying a paste of pipeclay and water to the stains, and allowing this to dry on all one night or day. Then the powder should be gently brushed off without scraping the paper.

An Ionia farmer studying economy mixed sawdust with the cornmeal fed to the chickens. It worked so well that he gradually reduced the quantity of meal until the ration was all sawdust. About this time a white hen stole her nest, and after reposing three weeks on thirteen eggs, she came off with twelve wooden legged chickens and one wood pecker.

The editor riseth in the morning and knoweth not what the day may bring forth. If he telleth all the news he runneth a great risk of having a tin ear put on him and if he telleth not the news, the people say he is n. g. and there is no joy in it. The crafty man cajoleth him into giving him a 50c puff for 5c cigar, and all fond mothers frown on him if he fails to flatter their freckled face broods. And all his ways are ways of woe and his days are full of sorrow. The insurance man setteth snares for him and on the whole he has a deuce of a time.

With reference to the future of bicycles in Mexico, it may be interesting to state that for the last four years the demand has increased with each successive year more than five per cent over that of the preceding year. There is no doubt that anyone having capital to start a manufactory in this republic would meet with success, and that large gains would insure to the investors in such an enterprise. There are good prospects, too, for the manufacture of rubber tires and rubber parts of bicycles. The raw material can be obtained in Mexico for this purpose.—New Ideas.

The Birmingham Canal Navigation Co., England, claim to own the oldest steam engine. It was constructed by Boulton and Watt in 1777, the order being entered on the firm's books in that year as a single acting beam engine with chains at each end of a wood beam and having a steam cylinder 36 inches in diameter with a stroke of 8 feet, and erected at the Canal Company's pumping station at Rolfe street, Smethwick. During the present year this remarkable, which has been regularly at work from the time of its erection to the current year a period of about 120 years, was removed to the station of this company at Ocker Hill, Tipton, where it will be preserved as a relic and example of what good management will accomplish.—New Ideas.

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	Mich. Air Line Div. trains leave Pontiac at	7:00 a.m. 11:00 p.m.
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WESTBOUND	Saginaw Gd Rapids and Gd Haven	7:02 a.m. 7:42 p.m.
	Gd Rapids Gd Haven Chicago and Interm'diate Sta.	7:07 p.m.
	Saginaw Gd Rapids Milwaukee Chicago and Interm'diate Sta.	7:38 p.m.
	Grand Rapids & Gd Haven	7:44 p.m.
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LOCAL NEWS.

\$885 have been paid out for sparrow bounty the past week in Washtenaw county.

Do we want wood on subscription? you ask. Yes if we can have it now while it is cold weather, next summer will hardly do.

It is rumored that Clarence Tooley who went from this county with a party to Klondike, had been drowned in one of the rivers in Alaska.

Last week we had the misfortune to break our press which caused some delay but the breakage was fixed in fine shape by the new machinist, A. E. Brown.

The Howell Woman's Club have secured a lady, principal of a cooking school in Chicago, to give them five lectures on the fine art of cooking. Tramps had better steer clear of Howell if they do not want to be fed on the failures of the cooking class.

C. H. Jones of Kawkawlin Township, Bay Co., had the misfortune to lose two swarms of bees which was the work of an old bear and two cubs. They made three visits but the last time Mr. Jones was on the lookout for them and fired one shot while they were in the yard and before they got eighty rods from the house, he shot the old bear and one cub. It caused great excitement all over the neighborhood.

Last year Charles Dana Gibson illustrated "The People of Dickens" for the Ladies' Home Journal. The pictures were so successful that this year and during the next year, W. L. Taylor, the New England artist who has made such rapid strides in his art will illustrate "The People of Longfellow" in the Ladies' Home Journal. The poems selected are "The Palm of Life," "Hiawatha," "Evangeline," "The Courtship of Miles Standish," "The Children's Hour," "The Village Blacksmith," and others.

Don't forget that we keep wedding stationery on hand and can fill an order on a short notice; give us a call.

In our hurry last week we failed to mention the teachers association which was held at the school-house here. The rain interfered with the success of the meeting but the afternoon program was carried out and was much enjoyed by the few present.

FARMERS' CLUB.

All persons in Livingston Co. engaged in agriculture who are interested in the organization of Farmer's Clubs are requested to be present at a meeting to be held in the court house at Howell on Saturday, December 3rd, at 1:30 p. m. for the purpose of organization a County Association of Farmer's Clubs and to transact any other business that may properly come before the meeting. Each club in the county is also requested to send four delegates to this meeting. Let every person in the county who is engaged in agriculture remember that he or she is especially invited to attend this meeting and participate in its deliberations. By request of Howell Farmer's Club.

Mrs. E. R. Smith, Cor. Sec.

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It Is Not a Harmonious Celebration to Witness.
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 dame 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 bride-maids, 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's

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SOCIETIES:

The A. O. H. Society of this place, meets every third Sunday in the Fr. Matthew Hall. John McGuiness, County Delegate.

Pinckney Y. P. S. C. E. Meetings held every Sunday evening in Cong'l church at 8:30 o'clock. Miss Bessie Cordley, Pres., Mable Decker Sec.

EPWORTH LEAGUE. Meets every Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock in the M. E. Church. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone, especially young people. John Martin Pres.

Junior Epworth League. Meets every Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, at M. E. church. All cordially invited. Miss Edith Vaughn, Superintendent.

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KNIGHTS OF MACCABEES. Meet every Friday evening on or before full of the moon at their hall in the Swarthout bldg. Visiting brothers are cordially invited. CHAS. CAMPBELL, Sir Knight Commander

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ORDER OF EASTERN STAR meets each month the Friday evening following the regular F. & A. M. meeting. Mrs. MARY READ, W. M.

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ANDERSON.

Will Singleton is home from Grand Rapids.

Mrs. David Smith, of this place, is visiting relatives in Saline.

The winter term of school opened at at this place on Monday with Wm. Smith as teacher.

The Isabell Elevator Co., are building a bean house at Anderson and will be ready for work soon.

Austin Walters started first of the week for Flat Rock where he will spend some time visiting relatives.

UNADILLA.

Bert Harris is home for a few days.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Watson Nov. 9, a son.

The foot-ball team go to Leslie Friday to play the Leslie team.

J. D. Watson and wife of Chelsea were over to see their nephew Sunday.

Lewis Roepcke is very busy these days buying poultry for Thanksgiving market.

Mrs. Watson and daughter, Jennie are visiting friends and relatives at Durand and Bancroft.

PARSHALLVILLE.

Ed. Merrithew returned to Ypsilanti, Monday, to school.

John Shephard and family, of Perrington, are visiting her mother, Mrs. John Bidleman.

Mrs. Chas. Cole, of Owosso, spent the last of last week with her parents, B. F. Andrews and wife.

Evangelist, G. L. Manley, of Saginaw, is assisting in special meetings at the M. E. church this week.

Scarlet fever has broken out in family of W. C. Wolverton. Miss Berkley who has been there for a few weeks, is very sick.

Mrs. N. B. Kirk and son John, of Howell, called on friends here the past week, while on their way to visit relatives in Tuscola Co.

HAMBURG.

Dan Thomas is building a new residence on his lot near the village.

Lewis DeWolf is building a fine woodhouse. Something new. Western style.

School began this week in the Wood's district, with Miss Agnes Brady installed as teacher.

There will be an eye social at Shaffers Hall on Saturday evening next. Benefit M. E. church.

Mrs. Bert Royce and her granddaughter, Pauline, started last Tuesday for Ill., to visit relatives.

School began last Monday with Miss Mary Cullen as teacher. Miss Cullen has taught in our school two years with the best of success.

Roy Hendricks passed from this life at the home of his fathers, W. W. Hendricks, on Tuesday last. He leaves a father, mother, brother and three sisters. The funeral services were held at his home Saturday, and he was buried in the Hamburg cemetery.

Would like correspondents address, please. [Editor.]

EAST MARION:

Mr. Montague is recovering slowly from his fall.

Miss Mae Cummiskey commenced teaching in the Hause district this week.

Mrs. Hinkley has been under the Dr's care for some time and on Sunday last was not expected to live.

Miss Edith Pierce was at Howell Tuesday.

David Roberts of Dakota is visiting old neighbors and friends here this week.

John Ricketts has an abscess on his hand. He was in Pinckney Saturday and the Dr. lanced it.

Lucius Wilson sang a solo at the club meeting which was heartily encored but he did not respond.

Mr. Hart visited his father the fore part of last week and did not get home until Friday on account of the storm.

Rev. N. W. Pierce officiated at the funeral of Mrs. C. Dunning of Hamburg, Sunday. She had long been a resident there and a host of friends mournfully followed her to the grave.

Mr. F. Allison and wife entertained the Anderson Farmers' Club right royally last Saturday; and the ladies of the club know how to set a table equal to the best. Many visitors responded to Mr. Allison's invitation and were present on the occasion.

Additional Local.

Next Thursday is Thanksgiving. Floyd Reason has a very sick horse.

Our merchants are getting their goods ready for the holiday trade.

The Misses Katie and Mary, and M. J. Ruce, were in Detroit the latter part of last week.

Mesdames F. A. Sigler and Carolina Van Winkle were guests of Mrs. C. V. Van Winkle the first of the week.

Roger Carr is trying his hand at the art of type-setting in the DISPATCH office. We hope to retain him for one year.

Rev. O. J. Golden and wife of Michigan Conference are visiting at the home of Mrs. Golden's uncle, William Gawley.

A cornet band of 16 members has been organized at this place. This is an attraction that has long been looked for and should be supported by the public.

Miss Josie Reason has secured a position in Marquette and returned to Detroit last week from her visit in Philadelphia going from there to begin work immediately.

Some unknown person is swelling around in the five-dollar gospel helmet, belonging to the M. E. presiding elder of the Ann Arbor district. The good man attended a business meeting in Fairfield and hung his golgotha on a hook, whence it was "hooked", and a cheap, out-of-plumb affair left in its place. Several prominent persons are suspected, but the Press knows 'em and says they can prove an alibi, as they never go to church.—Jackson Herald.

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Perhaps your muscles need more strength, or your nerves; or perhaps your stomach is weak and cannot digest what you eat. If you need more strength then take

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F. G. Jackson did a very large mercantile business last Saturday. It pays to advertise.

Frank Coleman, of Lansing, is visiting friends and relatives at this place and Anderson, this week.

The Seniors of the P. H. S., will present the stirring and popular five-act drama, "Under the Laurels or Foiled At Last" at the opera house in this place on Saturday evening of next week, Nov. 26. For particulars see bills.

Robt. Griffith, a Michigan Central switchman, was caught between two freight cars in the yards at Jackson Sunday morning, resulting in a fracture of the left shoulder, which will lay him up for several weeks. Rob formerly worked in this office.

English Clergymen's Sons.

The prolific Mr. Douglas Sladen, says St. James' Budget, has an interesting article in last week's Church Bells on the work done for England and the empire by the sons of the clergy. In the course of it he writes: "It has been said of our army that the best officers are English, the best Scots, and the best private in the making of England the clergy have done the year's service performed for our army the Scotch sergeants. There are enormous numbers of the sons of backbones, who have grimly, bravely, and without recognition formed part of the irresistible phalanx of pioneers who have carried our drum-beat and our red flag across the world. It has always seemed to me that the sons of the clergy and the Judges are apt to have an unusual amount of spirit and virility. It looks as if the suppression of natural instincts by the holders of these, the most sacred and responsible offices in the community, found its vent in their sons. Judges' sons are proverbially wild at Oxford. Sons of clergymen, to their honor—for wildness at college generally implies expense—do not sow wild oats at the universities, but lead adventurous lives in the colonies." The article elaborates the fact that a large number of empire-makers, such as Warren Hastings, Drake and Nelson, were all sons of clergymen.

Such Is War.

The actions of men wounded in battle are often misunderstood. General Fuller, as quoted in the Chicago Inter-Ocean, cites a pathetic instance of this kind: In the midst of battle General Fuller was trying to check the flight of panic-stricken men. One poor fellow came stumbling along, not heeding a word that was said to him. Indignant and impatient, Fuller, as he came near this man, leaped from his horse and touching him with his sword, said sharply, "Go back, sir!" The man looked up with an expression of anguish and despair on his face that said as plainly as words, "I am looking for a place to die." He opened his blouse and showed a big, gaping wound in his breast. Then he dropped to the ground. The general instantly dismounted, but almost as he raised the man's head to his arm the poor fellow breathed his last.

Killed by Cigarettes.

Raymond Chappel, aged 16, of Westfield, Ind., died this week from the effects of poisoning produced by the excessive use of cigarettes. Four days ago he was taken ill with a severe cold. His throat had been badly lacerated by the poison from the cigarettes, and blood poisoning set in. It evidently reached his lungs, and he died in a few hours afterward. The young man was an inveterate smoker, and invariably had a cigarette in his mouth. It was the first thing he craved in the morning and the last thing before retiring at night.

Strategy.

A little Somerville girl who is away for the summer is afraid of the dog at the house where she is visiting. The other day, while the dog was lying in the front hall, she astonished the people on the front piazza by making her appearance through the door. "Why, how did you venture to come by the dog?" somebody asked. "Oh," she said, "I waited a minute, and while he was itching his leg I skan out."—Somerville (Mass.) Journal.

Norway's Ancient Wooden Churches.

Some of the wooden churches of Norway are fully 700 years old, and are still in an excellent state of preservation. Their timbers have successfully resisted the frosty and almost arctic winters because they have been repeatedly coated with tar.

Proprietor Some Day.

Spacer—The office boy seems to have had quite a good time on his holiday. Liner—What makes you think so? Spacer—Since his return all his letters come addressed as "editor."

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52 inch all wool checks, their price \$1.25, sale price.....98c
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