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GREAT SUCCESS

Home Week!

CBAND AND GLORIOUS was the sunshine, balmy and refreshing the breezes in Pinckney on August 3 and 4, 1904! Nature seemed a willing coadjutor of the citizens of Pinckney in their tireless efforts to make the home-coming of her self-expatriated sons and daughters the success such an object deserved. And they camethey came by the scores, by the hundreds! And what a splendid array of men and women from the four corners of the earth they were! Old age, middle age, youth and infancy were among the visitors. And Pinckney's people opened their homes and their hearts and bade them welcome. And so they were—each and all of them! They were as glad to be here as we were to have them once more among us. Our town was gaily decorated with flags and bunting. while the word "Welcome" was prominent everywhere; the nomes of our citizens never looked more inviting. Visitors

hted-citizens satisfied. Pinckney's first essay at the ent of her children who had made their homes in other places was successfully launched, successfully carried through, and at 12 o'clock on Thursday night, when tired nature demanded a respite from the two days' strain, success shone from the eyes and glowed, from the faces of all. From the Rocky Mountains to the Atlantic and from the Straits to the Mexican Gulf, children of Pinckney had made pilgrimages to do honor to the place of their birth. Some of these pilgrims had prospered in worldly affairs in their new homes. Some are bankers, merchants, lawyers, editors,—but they all met here as the common sous and daughters of a common heritage. They were very much pleased and gratified at the successful efforts of our citizens to give them welcome, and they were not in the least charv in expressing their approval. Farmers and their families from miles around augmented the merry throng. It was estimated that there were 2,000 people at the park on Thursday afternoon. There was no hitch in the proceedings; everything moved along nicely, and all throughout the throng the dominant note was one of gladness.

To the visiting sons and daughters of Pinckney we extend the hand of brotherly love, and bid them remember that in 1906 Pinckney will try to outdo her efforts of 1904.

Wednesday, Aug. 3, the first day of the Old Boys' and Girls' Reunion, was a hummer. The weather bureau favored us with a beautiful day, and the crowd began to gather early. Those who had not arrived previously came in train loads, and by 3 o'clock there was a large crowd and the success of the reunion was assured. Many of the old 'uns said that every string minutes paid for all their in trying to come, and all ated the committee on their enterprise in bringing about such an enjoyable occasion.

All found relatives or friends to meet and care for their wants, and at the noon hour many families gathered around the well laden tables and enjoyed a family reunion.

and girls" was in the main very pleasant. Of course there were some families where the hand of death had caused heart aches, but the rejoicing over meeting many living friends overbalanced grief, and all enjoyed Pinckney and Vicinity :- It is very gratithe reunion of friends, relatives and fying to me, as well as to those having the schoolmates of the long ago.

In returning to Pinckney they did not find the ruins of a once prosperous yillage, as is sometimes the case, but they found that the old home town, while it had not grown as rapidly as some others, had enjoyed a healthy growth, and is cleaner, brighter and better than ever. Many of the old landmarks that were remembered by some had been burned down, hood, and to bring back to your memories but all have been replaced by good, lives substantial brick buildings, and all of In those early days, and especially in them occupied. The residents have always taken pride in their homes, and key, and it was customary for the village officials to present the keys of the village to visiting friends as a testimonial of every two or three years, and there are no "tumble-down shanties" to mar the beauty of the village.

Taken altogether, the "old be girls" returned to one of the villages in the state of Michigan designed people who we

of Oak Grove arrived, 28 strong, and the music rendered enlivened the day

At 3 o'clock the ball game—Howell vs. Pinckney—took the crowd to Johnson's park, where an interesting game was witnessed, the score being 4 to 4 up to the last half of the niath inning, when Pinckney made one score, winning the game. Mr. Otis Brown of Idaho, umpired the game in an impartial manner.

The reception in the evening was an event long to be remembered. The opera house was "jammed," and hundreds could not even get inside the doors. An attempt was made to see that all the "old boys and girls" received seats, but even that was impos sible.

E. R. Brown, president of the vil-The home-coming of our "old boys lage, presented the key in a pleasant manner, and E. T. Kearney of Jack son, Neb., responded in his usual pleasing style.

PRESENTATION OF VILLAGE KEY.

Mr. Chairman, Old Boys and Girls of arrangements of this

E.R. BROWN.

holding a reunion. You have come here today to renew old acquaintances, to revisit the scenes of your early childsome of the most enjoyable years of your reunion, having been born here.

affair in charge to

see such a hearty

response to the in-

vitations sent out in

the home-coming of

the old boys and

the welcome that was extended to them on all pecasions of this kind.

The time has passed, however, when it necessary to present village keys. Our illage extends to you a hearty welcome, and our doors are open to receive you.

We have a key, nevertheless, which has at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E

St. Mary's Annual Picnic.

The annual picnic of St. Mary's parish was held on Thursday last. The rain of the day previous had laid the dust, and Thursday was an ideal day for the event. The crowd was the largest that ever attended the picnic, and all entered into the enjoyment of the occasion with a

There was the usual big dinner, and over 600 sat down at the tables. The speeches were excellent, but the ball game -Chelsea Stars vs. Howell Independentswas the drawing card, and there were over 600 who paid to see the game, which was won by Howell by a score of 9 to 4. The game was clean from start to finish. Umpire, Otis Brown.

The dance at the opera house in the evening was largely attended, nearly 150 tickets being sold.

Taken altogether, it was one of the most successful picnics ever held, and the society took in \$000.

LOCAL NEWS.

Will Dunning and wife visited relatives in Saginaw the past week.

F. J. Wright and wife, of Owosso, were guests of his parents here Sunday.

Brighton is arranging for a carnival or gala day some time the last or this month. Mrs. W. O. Foot, of Lansing, is spend-

ing a few days with her brother, I.S.P.

Base ball game at Pinckney, Thursday, at 3 p. m.—North Hamburg vs Pinckney Junior Stars.

The North Hamburg Social Club will have a debate at the Smith home, west of Lakeland, Saturday evening. Everybody welcome.

H. C. Harris and wife returned to Cripple Creek, Col., Saturday evening, after spending several weeks with his mother and other relatives here.

The next meeting of the North Hamburg Literary Society will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Smith Saturday evening, Aug. 20th.

The social at the Thos. Burchiel home under the auspices of the Young Ladies Guild, was a very interesting event. The musical program was especially fine.

Does the local and other news in this issue interest you? So will every other issue for the coming year. Send in your \$1.00 and keep in touch with things at

During the storm of Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 10th, the large barn belonging to James Marble was struck by lightning, doing considerable damage to the building besides killing Mr. Marble's best horse.

Miss Maud Cole, of Owosso, spent the past week with her uncle, F. I. Andrews, and family. Miss Cole was on her way home from the summer normal at Ypsilanti to resume her duties as teacher in the Owosso schools.

A party of boys invaded the home of Bert Nash last Saturday evening declaring they had come to help Orville celebrate his 16th birthday. They were hospitably entertained by Mr, and Mrs. Nash and enjoyed a pleasant evening.

The regular monthly missionary meeting met last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Placeway. The usual number were in attendance, and the free-will offering was one dollar. We feel especially grateful to the ladies who are so faithful to help in this work.

Bill Peck, who started the Linden Leader seven years ago, has sold his right girls in this their and title to the paper and business to D. E. first attempt at Blackmer, of Hillsdale county, who has already taken possession. Bill was alway identified with everything up to date, and his town will lose one or its "pushers." He was over to our "old boys" and girls"

At Detroit, on Aug. 9th, occurred the marriage of one of our most popular and highly esteemed young ladies, Miss Loretta Shehan, and Mr. Edward O'Brien, a very popular and enterprising young man of Ypsilanti, Mich. The bride was handsomely gowned in pearl white crepe de chine trimmed with point lace. The groom were conventional black. After the oeremoney a sumptnous dinner was served con designed and built especially for this Kaye, the spacious dining halls of whiteconsion, and it is to be used in all cases of were tastily decorated with palms and t software, fower, the orchid.

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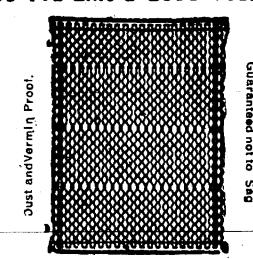
Pinckney, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yourand, of Howell, are the fond parents of a seven-pound girl, born Aug. 9. Mrs. Y. was formerly Mabelle Daley.

R. E. Finch has been building a new boat the past week, H. G. Briggs assisting in the work. We pity the fish when Rube Andrews enjoyed Saturday afternoon at takes out his new boat.

Mrs. Lottie Sweetland, of Detroit, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. E. Reynolds, of Marion, the past week. She returned home Saturday, accompanied by her nephew, Frank Reynolds, who will spend a week in the city.

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Mise Winnie Caverly, of Dundee, has been the guest of friends here the past

H. G. Briggs and wife, Miss Maud Cole of Owosso, the Misses Edna and Antoinette Willey of Ypsilanti, and Miss Florence Portage lake.

During the last week we have been ably assisted in the mechanical department of the DISPATCH by Robert E. Corcoran, of Dayton, Ohio, who we found to be a competent all-round printer. He left Saturday evening for Lansing.

Edward A. Bowman,

The Busy Store.

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TEEPLE HARDY

The burdens which appear easiest to carry are usually carried by other

England goes right on opening up Tibet, which will presently get to buying Krupp guns.

In the Philippines gas is made from cocoanut oil. In this country most of it is made of wind.

"Love cures insanity."—Newspaper headline. "Similia similibus curantur. - Dr. Hahnemann.

Owners of automobiles cannot see why the people do not drop everything else and build good roads.

declared to be an improvement on his previous works. It is shorter. Mrs. Bob Fitzsimmons is a woman

of refinement. She says so herself,

Hall Caine's forthcoming novel is

and certainly she ought to know. By the way, what's the duty on Guatemala ants? Do they come under the head of farming utensils, or

One nice thing about a straw vote is that it can be made to show up well for either side, according to the pleas-

The collapse of Lou Dillon will no doubt lead some people to say that man's strenuous life is sometimes too much for the horse.

ure of the taker.

Although the medical experts have discovered the malaria microbe, they hesitate to import an opposition microbe from Guatemala.

it is certainly thoughtless and inconsiderate of the British lion to roar so loudly just at this time when quiet is so desirable at Peterhof.

Cotton seed has been found to be a good substitute for meat. This being the case, the early formation of a cotton seed trust may be expected.

When Russell Sage hears about the young man who went crazy while on his vacation he will, of course, regard it as a clear case of just retribution.

The trouble about trebling the Czar's guards is that the operation may surround him with three times the ordinary number of anarchists.

Admiral Skrydloff has observed that a lack of information as to international law is a handy thing for a naval officer to have about him at times.

Rudyard Kipling has written a poem the meaning of which has to be explained in footnotes. There can be no doubt after this that Rudyard is a real poet.

A New York youth tells his guardian thathe cannot live on a paltry \$18,000 a year. Guardie should ask him if any special reason why he

Whatever Minister von Plehye may have been guilty of—and his record, to say the least, is not a spotless one -his coachman, who died with him, was innocent.

In attempting to effect social reform by means of a model saloon the know how to reach a great part of the New York population.

Now that war balloons for dropping explosives upon the heads of the enemy may be used in the far east, look out for a new and richly variegated bunch of war rumors.

"Newport dull?" says Harry Lehr. "Why, Newport's not dull; it's unconscious." And can this be the Harry Lehr who bends his intellect to the subject of red neckties?

Still, the Shanghai liar hasn't sent out anything as good as the tale about the frog who ate some dynamite paste and then hopped so high he exploded and wrecked the establishments.

It **«**eems \that Esopus wasn't named after Esop, but is an old Indian name, which the early Dutch settlers spelled Evariously Esopus, Seopus, Sopus and Sopers. Now can you pronounce it?

Henry M. Stanley left over \$750,000, chieffy the result of the sales of his books. It pays to be an explorer if you continue the exploration properly after you have come back to civilization.

A Massachusetts doctor says the wearing of smoked glasses prevents hay fever. He probably believes, also, that people can be free from rheumatism if they will carry petatoes in their Dockets.

HE MICHIGAN NEWS

Showing What's Doing in All Sections of the State

Not Faverable on Wheat and Only Fairly So on Others.

The Michigan crop reports for August, estimates the wheat yield in the etate this year at eight bushels an acre, based on returns from threshers. The wheat crop proves to be the poorest grown in the state in many years. The quality and yield is even more disappointing than looked for before threshing time. In many cases the quality is exceedingly poor, being wholly unfit for milling purposes.

Rye as a farm crop is proving to be more valuable than wheat this year. The average estimated yield per acre is, in the southern, central and northern counties and in the state, 12 bushels.

The condition of corn as compared with an average is, in the southern and northern countles, 73, in the control counties 66, and in the state 72.

The 'estimated average yield per acre of oats in bushels is in the southern counties 30, in the northern counties 26, and in the state 33,

The potato crop is in very good condition in most parts of the state. The condition in the southern and northern counties is 86, in the central counties and in the state 87.

The sugar beet crop is in fairly good condition. Farmers have been taught many valuable lessons by experience in regard to growing sugar beets so that not so many difficulties are met as in the past.

The prospect fer apples is very good at the present time. The trees of most varieties are well set with fruit. Tho prospect for an average crop is, in the southern counties, 70, in the central counties 72, in the northern countics 48 and in the state 69.

The peach crop will be light this year outside of the fruit belt. There hardier varieties in favored locations.

ROUGH SPORT.

Four Boys Tried a Mock Lynching Bee for Fun.

John Harvey, of Calumet, had warrants sworn out for the arrest of four young men, Emmet Downing, Harvey Jones. Peter Wertin and Christ Messner, on the charge of ill-treating his two sons, William and Alfred Harvey. The four young men are about 20, years of age, and the Harvey boys about 17. From what could be learned from the father of the boys and the lads themselves, their companions enticed them to go into the woods with them for a little fun. The larger boys hit upon the idea of having a mock lynching. Of course, the younger members of the crowd were the victims. Their hands were bound, and they were made to dance around with scarcely any clothing on. This done, a rope was placed about their neck. The lynching part had not progressed very far before the boys began to yell, hold their annual picnic August 25. which scared the lynchers, who finally desisted. The neck of one of the Harveys was left quite raw by the rubbing of the rope.

Out of Marquette,

Owing to the recent decision of the supreme court that prisoners convicted of crimes committed prior to the enactment of the indeterminate sentence law in September, 1893, and sentenced fields are being shipped from Battle under its provisions, should serve only Creek by the western railroads." the minimum term given to them, six convicts, the first of a score or more. were released from Marquette prison Sunday. Of these, the maximum | 22 terms of three were ten years and in two other cases five years. The men released are: John Westerberg and John Macki, from Iron county; Henry Carson, Cadillac; John Robillard, Ba-New York reformers show that they raga; John Granburg, Alger county; Thomas Nesbitt, Flint.

Found Him Dead.

Love's young dream was short and bitter for Leotis Wheeler, aged 21 years, of Fife Lake. He was married to a 16-year-old girl last February, and it is said that their relations have been troublous. On Saturday it is said that Wheeler bought five ounces of arsenic. When his wife returned from berrying about supper time she saw him lying in bed, and supposing him to be asleep she did not disturb him until supper was ready. When she went to arouse him she found he was dead. The young wife says he lead threatened several times lately to commit suicide.

Three Escape From Jackson.

The three notorious Richmond bank dent. robbers, John Allison, Slater and Will- The premium list of the state fair iam Spellman, escuped from Jackson to be held at Pontiac September 12state prison/about 3:30 o'clock Tues. 16, has been issued. It is printed on day morning by rigging up a ladder fine book paper, with choice illustraout of gas pipe which they placed tions. against the west wall. No one saw Railroad Commissioner Theron W. them go, not is anything known of Atwood has been confined to his house their whereabouts. It was six hours with rheumatism since Saturday, but later that the discovery was made, and is improving and expects to be out the men had by that time made good their escape.

Eventy Years for Gilfoil.

William Gilfoil, convicted of the murder of James Gaffney, a. Port Huron saloonkeeper, on the night of July 2, was spatenced by Judge Tappan to Jackson for a maximum period from a scaffold, 85 feet to the botto of 20 years or a minimum period of 18 of the drydock in the Davison shipyars years. Gilfoli took his sentence coolly, at Bay City, striking on his head and and stoutly pretested that he was not shoulders. One side of his skull was

Panic-Stricken.

Jumped to Save His Life Only to Less

In a panic-stricken jump for his life. Frank Braemer, aged 28, married, and a areman on the Borne City reilroad, rolled back to his death under the very wheels of the derailed engine he sought escape from while the men who had faced the same danger and remained in the engine cab escaped uninjured. With a grading gang the engine was returning to Boyne City, hauling four sand cars. In a deep cut the engine, with eight men in the cab, jumped the track. The flat cars piled up behind, and Braemer jumped, hit the clay bank of the cut and fell back under the engine. Frank Aldread, who jumped a moment later, broke a leg. The rest of the men were not even scratched. as the engine remained right side up.

Trio Broken.

Thomas Morton, a well-to-do, middle-aged bachelor, of the Scotch settlement, married Estelle, youngest of the Smith sisters, Almont farmers. Thursday. Twenty-five years ago Oliver Smith died, leaving three young daughters in possession of a fine farm and home. The daughters hired help and managed the farm, having never resigned the supervision to an overseer, and the farming of the "Smith sisters" has become a synonym for excellence. But now the trio are parted. They will farm no more. The married pair will occupy the fine residence until lately owned by W. W.

Series of Sulcides.

Edward D. Porter, of Grand Rapids, who swallowed strychnine with suicidal intent on Saturday night after brooding over the suicide of his wife two weeks ago, died Sunday will be a fair crop of some of the night. In the suicide of Porter is revealed a series of suicides in the family of his late wife. Her mother was the first to end her own life, and a few weeks later a daughter also committed suicide. Two weeks ago the last of the daughters, Mrs. Porter, took poison and died a few hours later. Then Porter, broken-hearted over the death of his wife, followed her example.

The Acid Route.

Ellen Tubbs, wife of George Tubbs, went from the home of her sister and scommitted suicide Saturday morning in an outhouse near her husband's roadhouse, by swallowing carbolic acid. The cause of the deed is thought to have been an estrangement between the woman and her husband. It is supposed that she intended to take the poison before him, but was prevented by his absence. She leaves two children,

MICHIGAN NEWS NOTES.

The Lenawee county farmers will

The Pioneer picnic for Arenac county will be held at Twining Aug. 27, Gilbert Dufresne, of Omer, lost an arm by getting caught in a heading

Frank Shotwell, of Au Gres, had both of his arms broken by falling from a hay mow.

Many harvest hands for the Dakota

The annual fair of the Flint River Valley Agricultural Society will be held near Burt, September 20, 21 and

The 16-year-old stepdaughter of John Pulford of Port Huron township, has had him arrested on a serious charge.

An apparent attempt to poison one or more members of the family of Ollie Davenport has stirred Hadley township greatly.

Elmer Keesburg, aged 18, of Jennings, who was playing ball with the Defiance, O., team, was killed in a train wreck near Warren O.

Wm. Clark, who on the night of Aug. I fell down stairs at the home of his son-in-law, Fred A. Platt, in Lansing, died Sunday from his injuries.

Miss Olive Cameron, of Port Huron, has recovered consciousness after 48 hours, having been overcome after winning a running race at Tashmoo

Lenman J. Winchell died at the hospitai in Jackson—from concussion of the brain, due to a fall or blow. He had been unconscious since the acci-

again in a few days.

Roy White, aged 7, of Ithaca, fell from the tongue of a lumber wagon. which was hitched behind another wagon, and the wheels passed over his head, crushing his skull.

Michael O'Brien, aged 65 years, felt sed and he was instantly billed

family lives in Muskerin but he had lived alone several years.

Frank Rolls Agon IS a Renton Hat for meat wagon driver, is believed to have jumped into the land wise left a note to that effect and it is said that his accounts were short.

The annual reunion of the Third Michigan cavalry will be held at Lansing September. Is and 16. It is fortythree years since the first reunion at Camp Anderson, Grand Rapids.

The state oil inspector's report for the quarter ending June 30 shows fees collected were \$8,023.90, or \$093 more than the expenses. The department, has a balance of \$5,281.07 on hand:

Falling headfirst through a trap door, Jack Dean, a Houghton teamster, was literally scalped. His skull, though laid bare by wounds, was not crushed and he will probably recover. Henry Newberry, of Flint, reported

to the police that he was held up near the Durant-Dort carriage factory and robbed of \$0. Two of the men held Newberry while a third went through his pockets; .The state tax for the maintenance

of the state militia is based on the population of the state and this-year will be considerably increased as the tax will be spread according to the new enumeration,

A. H. Brown, president of the Eureka Brick Co., had his arm ground to jelly in a brick machine at Grand Rapids. He is one of the most promineut Oddfellows in Michigan, Leing past grand master.

As a general thing, upper peninsula crops are this year promising large and profitable yields, and it is declared by experienced farmers that for "quickgrowing weather" this summer has never been surpassed.

The Huron river has reached the lowest stage in the memory of the oldest inhabitants. It is easily waded across at Ypsilanti. There is not enough water coming down to run the mills and the dams are going dry.

The directors of the Kalamazoo & Grand Rapids Electric Road Co. have decided to begin, bulliling the road this month. It will be fifty miles in length, connecting Kalamazoo and Grand Rapids by a circuitous route.

A dead "Flying Roller," Mrs. Alice Tucker, 34 years old, was taken to the Benton Harbor morgue Thursday, the rest of the "Rollers" being arraid to touch the corpse. The body will be buried without services of any

Every saloon was closed and drug stores declined to see any liquor Sunday, and Benton Harbor was a dry town for one Sunday at least, as a result of the order of Maxor Gillette that the Sunday closing laws be en-

John Corrigan, a Benton Harbor merchant, was roused by burglars in his bedroom. Corrigan had \$1,500 in cash in the room, the result of some late evening transactions, and saved it by opening fire on the invaders with his revolver.

Working on the tip that the three working on the tip that the three ers, \$2@4 75; canners, \$1 25@2 40; Richland bank robbers who escaped bulls, \$2@4 15; calves, \$2 50@5 50; from Jackson were bound toward Texas fed steers, \$3@4; western steers, Monroe on a freight train, a squad of officers awaited and caught ten tramps. One man, believed to have been Slater, escaped.

The report is entirely without foundation that Three Rivers is full of smallpox and has caused considerable annoyance to residents. There are two eases on the Ransom Craw farm, several miles from the city, but not the least apprehension is felt.

John Tripplet claims to have round a rich iron ore deposit on his homestead, section 6, town 48, range 47, some 10 miles north of Ironwood and only four miles from Lake Superior. The steel trust officials are out now investigating the proposition.

Because they could not have beer in Port Huron park, the big picnic planued by the Detroit brewery workers was called off at the last moment, much to the chagrin of the Port Huron workers, who had planned a big reception in the Detroiters' honor.

Judge Smith, of Flint, in granting George Lewis a divorce from Emma Lewis and giving defendant \$10 a month for the support of the children, said he thought it was a crime against the state for courts to compel such mismated couples to live together

Mrs. Rose Allen and two children who had been making their home in box cars in Grand Haven for several weeks and living nomadic lives, were \$1 07%

The inquest into the death of Leman Winchel, of Jackson, who was taken dying from the home of Mrs. Frank O. Reynolds, failed to show how he received the fatal wounds, a broken By sample, 1 car at 99 %c per bu. neck, ruptured brain blood vessel, a

will save the corn erop.

ton is one of the best he ever any and that the review was most satisfied of ss. No. 3, 95co ; No. 2 red. factory. He had visited state chaps \$1 01 to 1,05 %. in Illinois and Indiana this year and Corn—No. 2. 44% 6; No. 2 vallows according to his statement Camp Oats—No. 2. 32@ 13% c; No. 2 waite. Boynton excels both in location and 35% (176c; No. 2 waite. 25% (176c; No. 2 waite. sanitary regulation and thoroughne of defiliant practices and

ing on the track near Horsey. His One Mandand, Liven Look in a Railroad

One of the most terrible catastrophes in the sauroad history of the evening when train No. 11, souri Pacific rullrand wards

the Denver & Rio Grande tween Pueblo and Derive through a trestle near Eden, eight miles north of Pueble, carrying the smoking and chair cars, which were filled with passengers, into the swirling, surging torrent which rushed underneath. So far as learned, be-

tween 80 and 100 persons perished,

Dry creek, which is one mile worth of Eden, is 50 feet wide, in feet deep and has steep banks. A cloud purst had filled the creek and water was flowing over the trestle as the train started acress. The engine got almost over, but slipped back, and the baggage car, smoker and chair cars plunged into the torrent. The engine fell on its right side. The chair car was carried half a mile down Fountain creek. The baggage and smd were washed down this streetn. have not been found. The diner

sleeper did not go down. Dry creek empties into the Pounc tain less than a half mile below the wreck. There was no water in Dry creek two hours after the accidenta-

AMUSEMENTS IN DETROST.

Week Ending Aug 20. TEMPLE THEATER AND WONDERLAND-Afters noons 2:15, 10c to 25c; Evenings 8:15, 10c to 50. Weitney Theater.-"On the Suwance River Matinees, 10c, 15c, 25. Evenings, 20c, 20c, 20c,

STEAMERS LEAVING DETROIT.

WHITE STAB LINE-Foot of Griswold st; Bosts for Port Huron and way ports daily at 6:34 a.m. and 2:80 p.m. For Toledo at 4:80 p.m. Leave Port Huron for Detroit 6:39 a.m. 3:45 p.m. DETROIT & BUFFALO STEAMBOAT CO:-- Foot of Wayne Street; for Buffalo dally at 4:0) p. r DETROIT & CLEVELAND NAV. CO; I

St; for Cleveland daily 9:30 a.m: an For Mackinsc, Monday and Saturd Wednesday and Friday at 1:30 a. m

THE MARKETS. LIVE STOCK.

Detroit-Butchers' grades steadyt. ers and heliers, 1,000 to 1,200. @4 50; grass steers and helfers that are fat, 800 to 1,000, \$3 50@4; grass steers and helfers that are fat, 500 to-100, \$2 75 @ 3 15 choice fat cows. \$3 25 @ 3 65; good fat cows, \$2 75 @ 3 25; com mon cows, \$2@2 50; canners, \$1@1 78 stockers, 500 to 700, \$2 25@2 85; stock helfers, \$2@2 50; milkers, large, young, medium age, \$30@45; common milkers. \$15@25; milch cows and springers-steady for good grades; common dull,

\$20 @ 45. Veal calves-Best grades, \$6@6 25; others, \$4@5 75.

Hogs-Light to good butchers, \$5 45. @5 50; pigs, light yorkers, > 40@5 45; oughs, \$4 50@5; stags, 1-3 off. Sheep—Best lambs, \$5 50@5 65; to good lambs, \$5@5 25; yearlings, \$3@ 75; fair to good butcher sheep, \$30

25; culls and common, \$1 75@2 25. Chicago—Good prime steers, \$5 @6; poor to medium, \$4 @ 4 90; stockers and feeders, \$2@4 10; cows, \$1 25@4; helf-**\$**3 65 **@**4 25. Hogs-Mixed and butchers, \$5 15 @

5 50; good to choice heavy, \$5 1565; 5 45; rough heavy, \$4 9065 10; light, \$5 2565 50; bulk of sales at \$5 156. Sheep—Good to choice wethers, \$8 60 @4 15; fair to choice mixed, \$2 75 @ 3 50; native lambs, \$3 55@6.

East Buffalo.—Best export steers, \$5.60@6; a few prime, \$6.25; best 1,200 to 1,300 lb shipping steers, \$4.50@51 good 1,050 to 1,100 lb butcher steers, \$4 @4.25; 900 to 1,000 lb do, \$3.75@4; best fat cows, \$3@3.50; fair to good, \$2.75@ 3; trimmers, \$1@1.50; best fat h dry fed, \$4@4.25; medium heifers. @3.50; fat helfers, grassers, \$3 common stock heifers, \$2.50@3:2 feeding steers, 900 to 1,100 lb, deh \$3.65@3.90; best yearling steers, 3.25; common stockers, \$2.50@3; expe bulls, \$3.25@4; bologna bulls, \$3@3.25; little Jersey bulls, \$2.50@3. Hogs—Heavy, \$5.55@5.65;

\$5.60@5.70; yorkers, \$5.90@6; pigs, \$6 Sheep—Best lambs, \$6@6.25; fair to good, \$5.50@6; culls and common, \$4.25

@4.75; mixed sheep, \$4@4.25; fair to good; \$3.75@4; culls and bucks, \$2.50 @3; yearlings, \$4.75@5. Best calves, \$6.50@7; fair to good, \$5.50@6; heavy,

Grain, Rte.

Detroit-Wheat-No. 1 white, \$1 07 bid; No. 2 red spot, 2 cars at \$1 03 1/4, cars at \$1 04, 5 cars at \$1 05, 2 cars at \$1 05%, 8 cars at \$1.06, closing at \$1 07½ bid; August, 5,000 bu at \$1 03½, 5,000 bu at \$1 04½, 10,000 bu at \$1 05, closing \$1 07½ bid; September, 3,000 bu at \$1 3½, 10,000 bu \$1 04%, 10,000 bu at \$1 05, 5.000 bu at at \$1 04, 5,000 bu at \$1 04%, 5,000 bu at \$1 05%, 10,000 bu at \$1 06, closing weeks and living nomadic lives, were \$1 07½ bid; December, 5,000 bu at today sent to Vestaburg, Montcalm county, the sheriff of that county having telegraphed that they hailed from there. 07, closing \$1 08% bid; May, Corn-

black eye and a severe blow in the small of the back.

Branch county was relieved of the worst fouture of the prolonged droughed for at 27p per but.

It was the first rain in over four weeks in Noble, Gilend, Kinderhook and California townships. Nothing but a seasonable rain during the two weeks at \$7, 10 at \$5.0, 15 at \$6, 10 at \$5.50.

Gen. Grant said that Camp Boyn \$1 50 per by

NEWS.OF THE WORLD

Brief Chronicle of All Important Kappenings

THE JAPS WIN.

The Part Arthur Plact Shattered and Now Russia Has a Chance to Rejoice.

become widely scattered.

One torpedo boat destroyer put into The christening of the heir will take captured by the Japanese.

lugchou, but advices to the Ger- was the surgeon in attendance. southeast of that port.

torpedo bout was captured off the tidings to the people of the Russian Chinese coast, and Tokio hears that a capital. The effect was electrical. number of the vessels of the squadron With the boom of the first gun the have returned to Port Arthur.

within 24 hours.

already formally protestbapan, through France, against boat destroyers in attacking the Rus- | dated August 6, says: sian torpedo boat destroyer Ryeshitelbeen communicated to the powers.

cutting out one, then there is no Koomloubojak, Cougan, Karabazar and qustion in the minds of the officials Sayto, butchering men and outraging here that the Japanese have committed an offense against international law, by violating Chinese neutrality and in addition have broken the agreement they entered into at the beginning of the war, at the instance of venge on July 25. At dawn bombs the United States government, to limit the field of warlike operations to Manchurin and Korea and their waters. Should this prove to be the case, the results probably would be grave and vexatious.

Up Goes Wheat.

Wheat made a big upward flight in Chicago Thursday, soaring 43-8c to 47-Sc above the lowest figures of the day. The closing price was within 8-4c of the top and showed a net gain of 27-8c a bushel as compared with yesterday's final figures. The New York wheat market came

in like a lamb and went out like a lion. It began with bear selling right and left on favorable northwest weather news and the satisfactory monthly crop report and ended with bulls conducting one of the biggest crop. Early pressure carried September in New York down to \$1.035-8; on the late bulge it touched \$1.073-8. eaching a new high record for the

A son and heir to the Russian Dispatches from various points in throne has been born. The empress dicate that the attempt of the Russian and the child are doing well. The Port Arthur squadron to reach Vladi- event occurred at 12:30 o'clock Privostok failed and that the vessels have day, the 12th. The child will be christened Alexis,

Chefoo, where she was boarded and place in a fortnight. It will be a cercmony of the most elaborate sort. In The hattleship Czarevitch, the cruis- accordance with Russian imperial law or Novik and a torpedo bout have ar- there were present besides the emperived at Tsingchou, at the entrance of ror, Baron Eredericks, the master of Kiso Chou bay, the German concest the ceremonies, and Prince Dolgosion on the southern shore of the Shan- rouky, grand marshal of the court. tung peninaula. According to other Dr. Rott, the emperor's family phytches the cruiser Askold is also sician, was in charge, and Dr. Hiruch

foreign office do not include her. The announcement from Peterhof other Russian cruiser and a tor- was immediately followed by a sapedo boat destroyer are reported as lute of 101 guns from the imperial near Shanghai and four battleships are yacht lying at anchor off the palace, of the Saddle Islands, about 70 miles but it was 2:45 p. m. when the guns of SS. Peter and Paul fort, opposite Chefoo reports say that one Russian the winter palace here, conveyed the people in the streets, who had been The German foreign office has given momentarily expecting the event for instructions that the uninjured Russian 24-hours, stopped to listen and count warships at Tsingchou must leave port the guns. Only 31 are fired for a girl. When the thirty-second boomed and The Japanese system of communica- the people were aware that at last tion has heretofore been so perfect an heir to the throne was born there that there can be little doubt that the were scenes of rejoicing everywhere, government is thoroughly informed of and before the salute was finished the the position of the various vessels of whole city had blossomed with flags the escaped fleet and will be able to and bunting, and the shipping in the them into neutral ports harbor was dressed. Then the bells them with overwhelming of the churches began to ring wildly.

Turkish Atrocities.

The Tabriz, Persia, correspondent of the action of the Japanese torpedo the London Daily News, in a dispatch

"On July 13 a band of Armenian ni at Chefoo and towing her away revolutionists appeared near Outchfrom that port, and the protest has kilissa. Turkish soldiers and Kurds, finding an excuse, attacked and de-If the expedition was a genuine stroyed the villages of Outchkilissa, women.

> "Two large Armenian bands marching to Sassun to help the insurgent leader Antranik attacked the garrisons at Mossunzory and Goutchagh for rewere thrown into these places, killing many, and severe fighting ensued.

> "A majority of the soldiers were killed and the garrisons resembled graveyards. One band forced its way through the Kurdish tribes towards Arjess. The number of soldiers killed amounted to several hundreds."

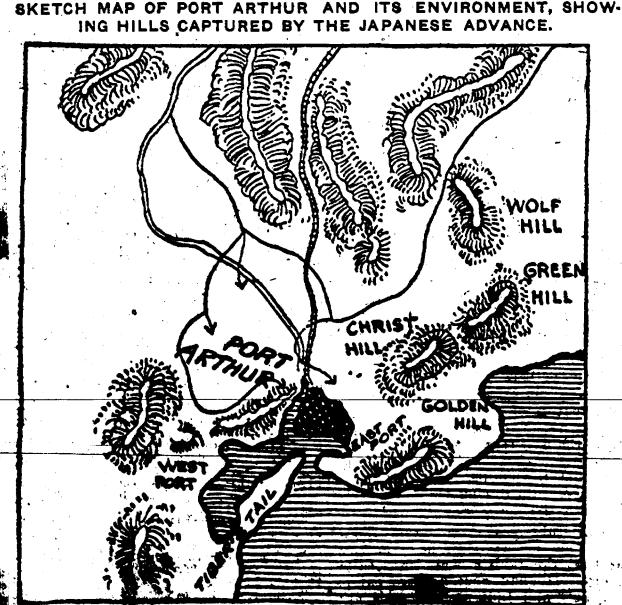
Filipinos in White House

Picturesquely, but quite adequately garbed, a party of eight Moro and Igorrote chiefs, constituting a part of the Philippine exhibit at the St. Louis exposition, paid their respects to President Rocsevelt at the White House.

The exchanges between the chiefs and the president were informal, but happy in their tone. Through Antero, a bright 15-year-old Igorrote boy, who acted as interpreter, the Moro dattos and the Igorrote chiefs expressed their pleasure at being received by the presstampedes of shorts yet seen on the ident and told him he might depend upon their loyalty to the American government,

Following the ultimatum given the packers by the Butchers' union that a general strike would go into effect Ingering for weeks between Wednesday, the order became operative and death, former U. S. Senator at the time set. The plants affected G. G. Vest passed peacefully away at are those affiliated with the "beef Sweet Springs, Mo., Tuesday. He had trust." A difference of opinion exists been so near death for the past three already as to the number of men on days that the end came without a strike; the union opinion being that struggle. He was conscious until the strike is complete, while the packabout 2 a. m. Sunday morning, when ers state that only about 50 per cent he sank into a state of coma from of the men have left, and that these

places will be quickly filled. which he never aroused.



Hill and Wolf Hill have been taken after deeperate fighting, and Russians and Poppie liges show d leading into Port nes with arrew, points, show tee taken by the Jap Japanesa Chinèse war.)

Some men believe in luck because

Matrimoniel matches are often lighted on money boxes.

It isn't what a man owes, but what he pays, that keeps him broke.

The more a man goes around in the world the less cranky he becomes.

A woman laughs in her sleeve when a man begins to talk through his het.

Nothing takes a man down so com-

pictely as to have a woman blow him

The sexton rings the church bell after the young man rings the other

When I hear some men talk I wonder if the fool-killer is taking a vacation.

A clever woman knows what a man means when he says things he doesn't mean.

The further back a man can trace his descent the longer he has been on the downward path.

The height of some men's ambition is to be seen on a corner talking to the owner of a saloon.

The sins of omission are probably those a man would have committed had he thought of them.

When the right woman comes down the pike she finds a man's heart strings easier to play on than a hand organ.

No man is so strong or so great that he is not afraid of somebody, and in nine cases out of ten that somebody wears petticoats.

FROM THE PENCIL'S POINT.

Money makes der automobubble go. der pace dot kills.

A foolish man is one who thinks he understands women.

would avoid that tired feeling. A sensible man is one who has the

Never argue with others if you

shine if he vishes to shine in society.

commonest kind of common sense.

usually whistles better than he works.

Many a man who isn't quite sure of Eat.

the Biblio but tentimited

Churches should put in special entranços for men who have the side-

Society women who appear in evening dress are candid st least, they don't try to conceal much.

If a young man would get up with the sun he shouldn't stay up later than 10 p. m. with the daughter.

TWELVE "DON'TS."

Don't show favoritism.

Don't werry the children.

Don't indulge them foolishly.

Don't repel their little confidences.

Don't lose your temper with the children.

Don't leave them too much with the servants.

Don't get impatient at their most unanswerable questions.

Don't give way when you have de-

cided on any plan for them.

Don't forget to encourage them, and praise their little efforts to please you.

Don't worry about them. Guardian angels still exist, even in the twentieth century!

Don't disagree about them. The father and mother should always be in unison in their training.

Don't forget that they are God's children, let to you for a season.—Liverpool (Eng.) Mercury.

THEIR FAVORITE DISHES.

Washington was noted for his fond-A lucky man seldom believes in ness for hickory nuts, and the amount he could consume.

> Charles Sumner's private secretary tells of the statesman's sweet tooth for chocolate creams.

Dr. Holmes said of the peach: "When Nature has delivered it to us, in its perfection, we forget all the lesser fruits, and if not found by the River of Life, an earth-born spirit might be forgiven for missing it."

Andrew Jackson surrendered to ice A man has to be some kind of a cream at first taste, when Mrs. Alexander Hamilton intruduced it into Washington; and swore his usual The man who whistles at his work oath—"By the Eternal"—he would have it at the White House, and he roof. did-at the next reception.-What to

Does it pay to regain your cheerful orsonality?

Does it pay to sip power from its very fountain head?

Does it pay to increase your creative power and originality?

Does it pay to get a firmer grip on your business or profession?

Does it pay to regain your lost confidence by upbuilding your health?

Do you want to get rid of the sears

and stains of the year's campaign?

Will a fresh, vigorous brain serve you better than a fasged, jaded one?

Does it pay to exchange flaccid,

stiffened muscles for strong, elastic ones? Does it pay to get a new grip on

life and to double your power to do good work?

Does it pay to renew the buoyancy and lightheartedness, the spontaneity and enthusiasm of youtl.?

Does it pay to put iron into the blood and to absorb granite strength from the everlasting hills?

Does it pay to get in tune with the Infinite by drinking in the medicinal

tonic from the everlasting hills?

Does it pay to get rid of your nagging, rasping disposition so that you can attract people instead of repelling them?-Orison Swett Marsden in Suc-

THOUGHTS FROM THE ANVIL

Wise is the man who uses his stumbling-blocks as stepping-stones.

The price of popularity has made bankrupt many a man't nature.

No day is more dangerous than the one that dawns without its duty.

Life, like every other blessing, derives its value from its use alone.

Do not emphasize your own virtues by enlarging on the failings of others.

Purposes, like eggs, unless they be hatched into action, will run into de-

The man who has never been unfortunate cannot appreciate good for-

The man who whines out a hardluck story generally has a leak in his

Poverty is the sixth sense.



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Thanks, "Awfully."

It has required considerable thought, work and planning to issue this souvenir edition, and we are not alone responsible for the success of the scheme. Cur thanks are due G. P. Brown, Brook-13 n. N. Y.; Ed T. Kearney, Jackson, Neb.; Prof. W. A. Sprout, Anderson, Mich.; G. W. Fykes, Detroit, Mich.; H. F. Sigler, Mrs, S. Grimes and Charles L. Grimes, Pirckney, Mich., for assistance in securing tects of interest; Charles J. Tee. ple, W. W. Barnard and Mrs. H. W. Crofcot for photos from which we had cuts made.

On His 88th Birthday.

DR., WILLIAM H. HAZE, LANSING, MICH.

I now am eighty-eight. And with the living still, Wending my weary way Up life's last rugged hill.

The most have gone before,— I journey with the few; I soon shall reach the shore,— The end almost in view.

I leave my earthly home With tenderest regret; Each spot so dear to me With many a tear I've wet.

The sorrow and the joy, The sunshine and the gloom, Have only made more loved The place I call my home.

But I will leave it all. And seek my heavenly rest: Soon will the signal call,— Gcd kneweth what is best.

The shifting scenes of time No longer bind me here: I seek a happier clime,— A home without a tear.

Old Home Week!

(Continued from First Page.)

order that you may know where this key may be found should you wish to use it, think it proper that a representative of the old boys and girls here seembled should be chosen to have the care and keeping of the same, and I know of no person more fitted to shoulder the responsibilities connected with this duty than Mr. Ed T. Kearney, of Jackson, Neb., who is with us this evening. [Applause.]

In behalf of the residents of this village, I now have the pleasure of placing at your disposal this key, and with it the best withce of the village officials.

LISICNSE BY E. T. REAFNLY.

I am a happy man,-always have been -but there never was a time in my life when I can icck into the faces of so many of my old friends and companions, and reto us as the "old boys and girls" of this beautiful village we used to call home. I came nearly a thousand miles to greet

H. C. Harris, coming from the gold fields of Colorado, had gone me several hundred miles better, and Otis Brown capped the climan by coming from Idaho! I am pecual that would be me village should be the house of being among the first welcome home her sons dang ter ard we appreciate your welcome. The committee having the event in charge are to be congratulated on the success of the undertaking, for it is already a success far suspessing my hopes. I am fully repaid for my trouble and expense in making the trip.

We accept the key of the village, sin-cerely hoping that the trust given us will not be lesses, and that it may be returned anternished by any recident or unseemly action on the part of any. I thank you for his privilege, and here that these gatherings may continue from time to time until we meet in the land where parting is

Following the atove came a solo by Miss Edith Finckney of Deticit, great. granddeughter of Mr. Pinchney, who

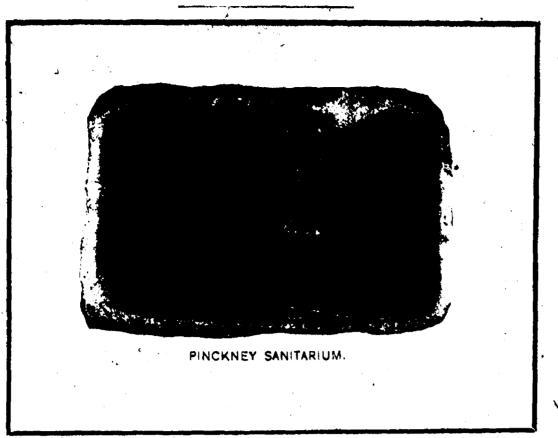


MISS EDITH TINCKNEY.

settled in this county at an early date and from whom the village derived its name. Miss linchney has a fire voice, and her singing was cheered to

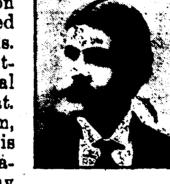
To Prof. W. A. Spreut fell the task

The Pinckney Sanitarium.



This institution has just completed its first year of existence. Drs. H. F. and C. L. Sigler are the proprietors, with Miss Etta Ste-

vens as resident nurse and Mrs. N. M. Vaughn as matron. It is a beautiful structure, located on East Main street, and surrounded by spacious and beautiful grounds. The building is fitted with the latest and most approved hospital fixtures, and heated by steam heat. It is strictly a private sanitarium, and the sole object of its owners is to furnish a place where their patients requiring hospital care may be properly taken care of and not



be subjected to the objectionable features of a general hospital. The past year has been a successful one for the institution, and a great part of the time it has been taxed to its utmost capacity.

of giving the address of welcome. and more formal proceedings were turned loose. all may judge, as the speech appears in this issue. We will say, however, that there was no one in the audience who was better pregared or who could so fittingly welcome the "old boys and girls," many of them having been his pupils in the days of yore.

DR. H. F. SIGLER.

G. P. Brown of Brocklyn, N. Y., also be found in full in this issue.

an original reading and responded to dron. an encore. Miss Burch is certainly deserving of much credit, as she is a reader of the first rank and can hold may be proud to number her among ber former daughters.

when I felt happier than at this mement, Spelling School, which brought to the minds of the older ones those good ceive the welcome that hes been accorded old days when the battle of words between rival districts taught the youngsters the art of spelling better than old friends at this time, only to find that any latter-day method, as well as giving them more confidence.

> Mrs. Dede Mann also read a poem by the same writer, which was pub- he recited a poem which he composed on lished in the Disparch many years his 81st birthday, commemorating that ago, and was descriptive of the school and pupils that attended at that time.

Miss Pinckney closed with a vocal selection, and the crowd broke up with a Quaker benediction, and the hand shaking was long and extended. The evening had been a bright cne when they separated it was with the derson and Ann Arbor clubs. wish that they might meet again in like manner not later than two years

THE EVENTS OF THURSDAY.

morning for the picnic. Practically all of these were old boys and girls who frolstories, but never did cold chicken and voice of friend sound so sweet.

It was one of the most enjoyable occasions Pinckney had ever known. Although everybody had greeted everybody it had been in anticipation, and the coffee had their part in it.

Most of the town people and their guests walked to the grove along the banks of the old mill-pond and over the millrace. Those from out of town came in carriages, and all were there early. No one wanted to miss anybody or anything. Long before moon all were present. Then with great pleasure that your committee having the stories of the old days which were the old boys' and girls' reunion in charge can

how well he was able to do the same No sewing circle of half a century ago ever had busier tongues wagging, but, instead of idle gossip, which often carried the sting of jealousy or hatred, there was the "Do you remember?" sweetened-yes, sanctified-by the honest, hearty laugh, or the answer was given.

Dinner was served on cloths spread under the trees. The groups, made up of read an original roem, which may those most intimately acquainted, swapped stories and food with one another, and Miss Franc Burch of Detroit gave | coffee was served to all from a great caul-

Soon after dinner all were summoned to a platform in the center of the grove, where there were many impromptu speeches by the orators among the groups. an audience spell-bound. Pinckney George Sykes made a capital master of He received his early education ceremonies. Armed with a neck-yoke from one of the carriages, he quieted the Mrs. Kate Kearney Brown read a noisy tongues and made clever hits in his roem written by Prof. Sprout over introductions of the other speakers. Among thirty years ago entitled "The Old the speakers were Eddie Kearney, Frank L. Brown, W. P. Van Winkle, Father Comerford and the venerable Dr. Henry Haze. The remarks of Dr. Haze were of special interest because of his relationship with Dr. Charles W. Haze, who, while living, owned the grove in which the picnic was held, and whose memory is so pleasant to all who have called Pinckney their home. At the close of his remarks event. The speeches of all were reminiscent and full of tender affection for the old town and the good people who were once their elders, and whose precept had made their lives successful and happy.

At the close of the speech-making groups were again formed and pictures were taken by W. W. Barnard. Then all went in the lives of these present, espe- to an adjoining field and witnessed an excially the "old boys and girls," and citing game of baseball between the An-

opera house, the objects of which were both pleasure and a benefit from the "old Not less than two thousand persons such occasions when they we e young. gathered in Haze's Grove on Thursday The hall was crowded and the program consisted of the old-fashioned dances with which all were familiar. An interesting icked under the branches of the same feature was the part taken by many who trees when they were young. Many and had never before danced in a cotillon. many a time had they eaten here and told Religious scruples and personal choice were relegated to the rear when the welapple pie taste so good, and never did the fare of old friends and the success of their reunion were mentioned.

> The day ended as it began, beautiful and happy, but richer in realization than

the day before, the hand shake and the The unprecedented success of the two-"So glad to see you" were as hearty as days' home-gathering, and the pleasure exany that ever passed between friend and perienced by visitors and citizens alike, friend. The weather was supremely de- are ample recompense to the committee lightful and the food abundant. The soul having the matter in charge, and now our tingles and the mouth waters as the recol- citizens turn to the future, hoping the lection of it all comes back, for the food next meeting will be equal, if not superior, to the FIRST REUNION OF THE OLD BOYS AND GIRLS, held on August 3 and 4, 1904.

THE COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

The work of a committee is always fraught with more or ies disappointments and annoy ances, as even moderately close observers of human nature will readily understand; but it is held in respaint the night before by the point to the fact that, saids from a lack of under-

standing on the part of a few that it was not to be a money-making scheme for a few at the expense of the many, but rather a grand rounion of old friends and acquaintanous of earlier days, our work was very pleasant, and the many happy, smiling faces attested to the success of the social features of the reunion. Kight hundred souvenir programs were mailed, mostly to people at a distance. In spite of the hard work by the committee to "dig up" all the names of former residents, we dad several omissions, for which we are sorry. We received many answers and regrets from people whose hearts were with us, but who were prevented from attending by unavoidable causes. Quite a number of the invitations were not answered in person or by mail,-a breach of good manners too apparent to further mention. The attendance both days was large, and on Thursday the crowd was estimated at 8,000. Our thanks are due Mrs. C. W. Haze for the free use of her beautiful grove, and to the Oak Grove band for the fine music rendered. We may mention here that the band made no charge for their services. but were given their entertainment and the use of the opera house one night. The managers gave the use of the opera house for committee meetings

and the reception. The	following gave money
for the expanses:	•
H. F. Sigler\$5 00	F. E. Wright\$ 5 00
G. W. Teepla 5 00	G. W. Reason 5 00
F. L. Andrews 5 00	J. H. Tuomey 5 00
W. E. Murphy 5 00	Floyd Reason 5 00
J. J. Teeple 5 00	H. W. Crotoot 2 00
C. L Sigler 5 00	W. S. Swarthout. 2 00
J. A. Cat well 5 00	George Green 9 00
F. G. Jackson 5 00	Village Council 50 00
F. A. Sigler 5 00	Licenses 16 00
W. W. Barnard 5 00	
Total receipts	\$142 00

The following is the expense account: W. W. Barnard, ribbons, etc.....\$ 6 00 Mrs. Monroe.... D. L. Murta 2 00

H. W. CROFOOT, F. L. ANDREWS, H. F. SIGLER.

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR THE NEXT MEETING. The committee appointed to elect officers for the next meeting met at the DISPATCH office Wednesday evening, August 10, and elected the following:

President-G. W. Sykes, 1022 Champlain street, Vice-President - E. T. Kearney, Jackson, Neb. Secretary - F. L. Andrews, Pinckney. Treasurer - G. W. Teeple, Pinckdey.

It was auggested that the first week in August each year be known as "Old Home Week." and all by other evidence of sincere emotion as who can do so make it a point to visit the old home that week, when they will stand a chance of seeing many old friends, The regular meeting of the "old boys and girls" will probably occur every two years. The amount of the annual dues has not yet been decided upon, but will be made known as soon as the

The ascociation starts out with some money in the treasury and the best of feeling among all.

Percy G. Teeple.

Mr. Teeple was born in Pinck ney, Mich., November 9, 1870



partially in the "old red school house" and later in the new. For several years he was bookkeeper There was dancing in the evening at the for the Pinckney Exchange Bank. In 1892 he married Miss Ola Love, and for four years Mr. Teeboys ane girls" for "Blind Billy" Hoff, ple was bookkeeper in a bank at who played the violin for them on many Newberry, Mich., Upper Peninsula. About 1897 he went to Marquette, where he engaged in the village now stands but before there was Northwestern Company, and has risen until he occupies the position of district agent.

Robert La Beron.

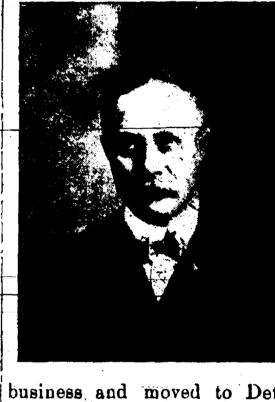
Dr. Robert Le Baron was born in Batavia, N. Y., in 1888. He came with his parents to Michigan and settled in Farmington soon after. At 11 years of ageth came to Pinckney to live with Dr and Mrs. C. W. Haze. Here he spent His boyhood and early manhood. He graduated from the medical department of the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor in 1861, and the following year left for the war, having been appointed assistant surgeon of the old Fourth Michigan regiment.



At the close of the war he located in Pontiac, where he has remembered ever since, and is one of the influential men of the town. was for many years a member of the school board; he served on the state's pension board, and is at the present time surgeon of the Michigan Military Academy at Orchard Lake. He has many friends here, as the hearty welcome he received from the "old boys and girls" showed, and we are always glad to see him in Pinckney.

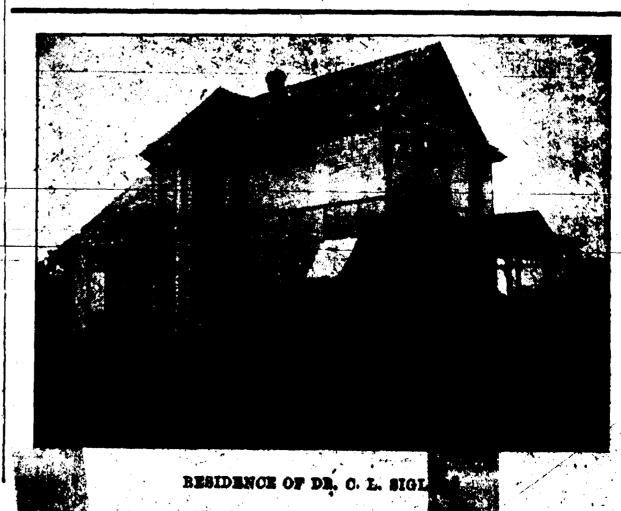
Geo. W. Sykes.

was born in the old mill house Feb. 22, 1850. He worked in his father's carriage shop until 1891, when he engaged in the insurance



business and moved to Detroit. He has been employed by the same firm ever since and lived in the same house. Mr. Sykes was the chief mover in the instituting of the "Old Boys' and Girls' reunion here, and to him is due much of its success. He is an allround good fellow, and there are many worse ones in jail.

The grandfather of Geo. W. Sykes, with his family, settled in Putnam township in 1834, just one half mile west of where the the life insurance business for the any signs of a village. His father, Samuel's Sykes, was at that time only nine years old. Later Samuel Sykes run the mill eighteen years and was in the carriage business until his death in 1903.



Reading the Bible.

It was the meeting of the Christian Endeavor society. Near the close the leader suggested that each one should tell what part of the Bible he read the most and give the reason.

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papa retired.

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had lingered in the drawing room with the young people. "It is 9 o'clock. At this time George and I usually go into committee."/Then

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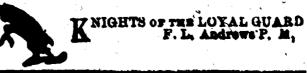
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WORLD'S FAIR FAR BEYOND EXPECTATIONS

Verdict of a New York Writer Who Spent a Week at the Exposition at St. Louis in July.

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The World's Fair at St. Louis is now in the midst of its splendid seada. Colossal, complete, cosmopolitan, it commands the attention of the world as no other enterprise of the exesent year. From all nations there are pilgrims coming to this shrine, and from all our states and territories there is a constantly growing throng of visitors. United States Senators, Governors of States, men eminent in science, art and letters-all express anqualified admiration for the Exposition and free acquiescence in the oftrepeated statement that this is by far the greatest and best universal expoaition ever held.

During July a well-known magazine and newspaper writer from New York. Mr. Addison Steele, spent a week at the World's Fair, inspecting the grounds, buildings and various attractions as thoroughly as was possible in that limited period. Returning home, Mr. Steele published in Brooklyn Life the following appreciative comments on the Exposition:

In the expressive language of the cay. St. Louis "has the goods." I had expected much of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, for I had kept in touch with the making of it from its very inception, five years ago; but after nearly a week of journeying through this new wonderland I must confess that in every essential particular it is far beyond my expectations. The biggest and best it was meant to be and the biggest and best

ent parts do justice to their hobility of architecture and general grandeur. Then again in the ground plans and bird's-eye sketches—the only possible manner of showing it-the ran-shaped arrangement of this group looked stiff and unsatisfying. Far from that, it is quite as remarkable in its way as the famous Court of Honor of the Columbian Exposition. In one respect it is even more notable, for instead of two grand vistas it offers a dozen. The main vista is, of course, the one looking up the Plaza of St. Louis-whose crowning feature is the great Louisiana Purchase Monument—and across the Grand Basin to the Cascade Gardens. On the right are the Varied Industries and Electricity buildings and on the left Manufacturers and Education, these-with Transportation and Machinery still further to the right and Liberal Arts and Mines beyond at the left-making up the body of the fan. For its handle the fan has the Cascade Gardens-rising in a grand terrace to a height of sixty-five feet above the floor level of the buildings mentioned and crowned by the great Festival Hall, the Terrace of States and the East and West Pavilions-and the Fine Arts building directly behind.

The Pike has in the Tyrolean Alps the finest concession that I have ever seen. There is a great square with many quaint buildings, a little village street, and above the snow-clad mouninfinite variety, and as a rule the full money's worth is given. The enormous Jerusalem and Boer War concessions are not on the Pike.

It is a case of dine at the German Pavilion and die at the exposition. In a beautiful Moderne Kunst building adjoining Das Deutsche Haus the best fcod and the highest prices on the grounds are to be found, the table d'hote lunch and dinner costing two and three dollars, respectively. There is also a la carte service. Everything considered, the prices are not excessive, and at least one meal should be taken there for the experience. Another should be taken at the Tyrolean Alms either outdoors or in the gorgeous dining-room in the mountainside. The best French restaurant is at Paris, on the Pike. Lower in prices and in every way admirable are the two restaurants conducted by Mrs. Rorer in the pavilions of Cascade tural building. These are not free cler. There are no end of restaurants Lor lodging no one need pay any more tains—which look very real as the at St. Louis than he feels that he can

Gardens. The east one has waitresses and no beer and the west one waiters and beer. For a blt of lunch Germany, France and England all offer delicious pastry in the Agriculads, but time-saving tips for the travto fit all purses on the grounds. I tried nine of them and nowhere found the prices more than they ought to be. As a matter of fact, for neither food

LOUISIANA PURCHASE MONUMENT AND PALACE OF VARIED INDUSTRIES.

It is. The exposition, rumors notwith | evening falls. The best scenic rail- | afford, and yet be well fed and housed, standing, is quite finished.

One of the greatest, and certainly one of the most agreeable, of my many surprises was the extreme beauty of the main group of buildings. For the simple reason that the camera does not exist which could take in the wast picture as the eye sees it, the early views of the group—a bit here and a bit there—gave a scant idea of the scheme as a whole. Nor did the early views of the ten individual huildings which make up its compon- | dancing. For the rest the Pike offers

Bayaria Takes Step Forward. Miss Dixie Lee Bryant, the first woman to receive such an honor, has heen made a doctor of philosophy by a Bavarian university. Miss Bryant is a member of the faculty of the state normal and industrial college at Greensboro, N. C., being professor of biology and geology in that institution. She has been on leave of absence for three years, studying in Germany, where she has just taken her doctor's degree. She is a native of guest: Mentucky and graduated with the dewree of hachelor of science in the

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Church and School for Indians. Mother Katherine Drexel of Philadelphia, founder and head of the Order of the Blessed Sacrament, composed of nuns who devote their lives to the uplifting of the Indian and negro, has offered \$500,000 of her own private fortune with which to build a church and school for the Indians of the Winnebago, Neb.; reservation. The only condition is that the indians consent, and this Father Scholl of Homer, Neb., has obtained.

road yet devised affords several fine glimpses of the Alps and there is a very graphic exposition of the Oberammergau passion play in the little church. The Cliff Dwellers' concession also looks very realistic at nightfall. It is elaborate in arrangement and the courting, snake and other dances by the Southwestern Indians make it another of the Pike shows which should be taken in by all. In Seville there is an amusing marionette theater and some genuine Spanish

if he will use ordinary common sense in making a selection out of the abundance offered.

Hot? Yes, but on the two hottest days of the summer at St. Louis I suffered no more from the heat than in New York before leaving and after returning. Every day of the seven there was a breeze at the fair grounds and it was always possible to find a shady spot. The nights were cool and comfortable.

ADDISON STEELE

How the Waiter Lost a Tip. At one of the Kansas City hotels where the colored waiters give especially good service, but always expect adequate remuneration for the same from the guests, a waiter was especially officious the other day in serving a man from whom he expected a liberal tip. When the meal had been served and he was standing off at one side, eagerly looking for an opportunity to be of service, he said to the

"Didn't yo' have a brothah heah last week, sah?"

"No," said the one addressed, "I be-

lieve not." "Well," continued the waiter, "theh was a gem'man heah at mah table what looked ve'y much like you, and he was so well pleased with the service that he gave me 50 cents when he

left." The guest had by this time, finished his meal, and as he arose he said to the expectant servitor:

"Come to think of it, Sam, that was my brother that was here, and I guess he paid you for the whole family. He may be back again in a week or two." -Kansas City Journal

Ancient Phases Corrupted. Ancient Picts in England were called by the Celtic word "pehta" or fighters. This was Latinized into Picti. So, too, Barbary of the ancient maps is a monument to the miscalling of the Berber tribe by the Greek word signifying "barbarian." Even the legend of the victory of Guy of Warwick over the dun cow is assailed by ruthless etymologists, who insist upon its I loll this side of the sigzag fence derivation from his conquest over the 'Dena gau," or Danish settlement, at the champion's gates. The Celtic words 'alt maen" are responsible for many "old man" crags upon sea coasts and among mountains. They mean,

There has been some little stir over a rumor that the kaiser intends that the crown prince mall visit America this autumn. The date of the departure from Germany has not yet been arranged, but from other whispers there is some probability that the first stop of the prince, who will make an all-around-the-world cruise in a warship, will be at Newport, and the date of the visit September.

German Crown Prince Coming.

however, "high rock'"

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Youthful Diplomating Got Neatly Out of Tight Place.

Ned was 7, Budga was 4. They had the small boy's propensity for Papeling avery stary out that came in their direction, without drawing any line of color or antecedents. The grown-ups had "protested" without avail and nearly every day found an additional half-starved kitten running about the place. At last the boys' father had an inspiration.

"See here, boys," he said. "I am altogether too poor to feed any more kittens. I simply cannot afford it. Now, if you really want to keep this last little yellow kitten you have brought in you will have to buy milk for her with your own pennies. But, remember, she must be well fed and the first time I find her crying for comething to eat she will have to go.

The boys talked the matter over and readily agreed to this arrangement. The following day, however, the yellow kitten was crying piteously for food when the father came home. Only one of the culprits being present the vials of wrath broke on his head.

"Budge," he said sternly, "didn't I heard that cat yelling around here b. all dealers. Price 50c. she would have to go?"

"Yes, papa," Budge replied hastily. But you see, I only own half the cat and it isn't my end of the eat that

ENGINES TESTED IN SHOP.

ingenious Arrangement for Giving Locomotive Its Trial Trips.

One of the greatest triumphs of engineering skill is to be found at the Great Western railway works at Swindon, England, where an ingenious contrivance for giving a locomotive its trial trip without leaving the scene of its construction is in operation. The feature of the testing plant is that the engine, after being placed on the machine, runs on wheels fitted with tires which correspond to the trend and section of the permanent way. A clever braking arrangement secures a representation of the difficulties encountered in running on the metals and all the tests usually made on a trial trip can be conducted inside the works with all the appliances at hand. The dangers of a breakdown and subsequent blocking of the main line are thus obviated and the work of experimenting is simplified. This machine is the invention of the locomotive superintendent, J. G. Churchward, and is said to be the only one in Europe.

Landseer's Luggage.

Sir Edwin Landseer had a man servant who evidently looked upon his master as the greatest man in the world, and even when Prince Albert called, which he did occasionally when riding up to St. Johns woods, he would be told that "Sir Hedwin was hout," because the faithful "Cerberus," as he was called, thought his master did not want to be disturbed. There were other amusing stories about the same valet. On one occasion, when traveling to the north with Sir Edwin, he was very anxious about the luggage, and kept getting out whenever the train stopped to see if it was all right.

"What do you want?" said the

"How about the luggage?" said Cer-

berus. "What luggage?"

"Why, two trunks as black as hink and marked with hell."

"Marked with what?" "Why, hell for Landseer, of course."—From S. A. 'Sketches from Memory."

Admiring the Mower.

love the swish of the gleaming blade,

The thump of the lusty tread, Where the timothy stalk is lowly laid And the daisy bends its head.

There's freedom here in the mighty sweep Distilling the bay's perfume; There's freedom here in the hands that And conquer the clover bloom.

Here toil is king, and the beaded brow Seems never a-wrink with care; Here work is play—or it seems somehow To me it is-but there,

But there where the lusty mower goes With a strenuous stride along-Perhaps he'd sing, if he could, A different sort of song?

For here I loll in the shade immense, He broils there in the sun.

Protected the Judge,

After the jury in a Texas case had listened to the charge of the court and gone to their room to deliberate upon the verdict, one of the twelve now, but work hard and can walk went right to the point by saying: 'That thar Pike Muldrow orter to be convicted on gen'ral principles. He's bad as they make 'em."

As the hum of approval went around a weezened little juror said: 'I heerd that Pike guy' it out that he'd go gunnin' fur us if we sent him up, jes' soon's he got out, an' fer the jedge, too."

"We must pertect the jedge," thoy agreed, and the verdict was "Not guilty."-Detroit Free Press.

Uhicago Baciety Woman Who Was Sa Sick the Could Net Sleep or Est. Cured by Doan's Kidney Pills.



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in the kidneys and pelvic organs. The urine was thick and cloudy and I could barely eat enough to live. feit a change for the better within a week. The second week I began eating heartily. I began to improve generally and before seven weeks had passed I was well. I had spent humdreds of dollars for medicine that did not help me, but \$6 worth of Doan's Kidney Pills restored me to perfect health."

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English University Students Evidently Are Not Literary.

At the English universities the libraries are so little used that they have become famous as places of unbroken solitude. One yarn told to illustrate this is to the effect that an elderly fellow of Caius college, Cambridge, got tired of life and determined to put himself quietly and unostentatiously out of the way, so that the world in general and Caius college in particular should know him no more. Being a man with a great love still for his college, he made up his mind that no scandal should be caused by his sudden departure. So he debated in his mind on the ways and means. His decision was an inspiration. He bought a decent length of rope and hanged himself in the college library. But his hopes were doomed to disappointment. He was discovered a year and a half later.

Farmers Have Advantage.

The Rev. J. R. Lawrence, United States government expert potato grower, North Middleboro, Mass., believes that "there is more room in the world for a farmer who can preach than there is for a minister who had to farm to get a living."

Spins and Sews Its Nest.

The little tailor-bird not only saws but spins, weaving raw cotton into thread for its own purposes. With this thread it sews with actual stitches a sack of leaves in which to rear its

JUST ONE DAY

Free From the Slugger Brought Out a Fact.

"During the time I was a coffee drinker," says an Iowa woman, "I was nervous, had spells with my heart. smothering spells, headache, stomach trouble, liver and kidney trouble. I did not know for years what made me have those spells. I would frequently sink away as though my last

hour had come. "For 27 years I suffered thus and used bottles of medicine enough to set up a drug store—capsules and pills and everything I heard of. Spent lots of money but I was sick nearly all the time. Sometimes I was so nervous I could not hold a plate in my hands! and other times I thought

I would surely die sitting at the table. "This went on until about two years ago when one day I did not use any coffee and I noticed I was not so nervous and told my husband about it. He had been telling me that it might be the coffee but I said 'No. I have been drinking coffee all my life and it cannot be.'s But after this I thought I would try and do without and drink hot water. I did this for several days. but got tired of the hot water and went to drinking coffee and as soon as I began coffee again i was fiervous again. This proved that it was the

coffee that caused my troubles: "We had tried Postum but had not made it right and did not like it, but now I decided to give it another trial so I read the directions on the package carefully and made it after these directions and it was simply delicious. so we quit coffee for good and the results are wonderful. Before, I could not sleep but now I go to bed and sleep sound, am not a bit nervous miles. Nervous headaches are gone, my heart does not bother me any more like it did and I don't have any of the smothering spells and would you believe it? I am getting fet. We drink Postum now and nothing else and even my husband's headaches have disappeared; we both sleep sound and healthy now and that's a blessing." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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The "Old Red Schoolhouse."

Paper Read by Prof. William A. Sprout Before the Reunion of the "Old Boys and Girls" Wednesday Evening, August 3, 1904,



"THE OLD RED SCHOOL HOUSE."

he first school house was erected of logs in 1837 but was followed later by The Old the kind that will never grow old. Red School House, which was erected on the present school site but was burned in Under his skillful management the 1887, and the present beautiful structure arose from the ruins. -

ever received in connection with my prooccasion a few years ago, when at the close a semi-cordial friend seated in the audience was heard to remark, "Well, Sprout can't make a speech, but he knew how to train his scholars to speak."

This sounds the key-note of my part in the program this evening. You will not be disappointed, therefore, when I read the commonplace remarks I have to offer. "My scholars" will complete the illustra-

We are assembled here to-night in honor of the home-coming of the sons and daughters of Pinckney.

Pinckney welcomes home again to night both her native and her adopted childrenenough to catch the home feeling and to know us for what we are.

What a throng of tumultuous memories sweep through the brain? How the heart throbs with indescribable sensations of mingled pleasure and pain, as we note the years, -in the old familiar land marks; in the faces of the friends of our childhood; in our native village-"loveliest village of the plain"-famed in story as the Monta. short of the mark in point of cute of pioneer days!

deepest feelings of human nature. It has been the poet's theme from time immemo-

dering to far western lands in hope to better his lot resolutely determines, as the old home fades from view, to return when fortune has smiled upon him, and revel haunts of early days.

The love of home is the basis of patriot ism and the chief guarantee of a nation's birth or residence, but the town, the state or the country in which he lives.

America, pre-eminently the land of loyalty, is a land of adopted citizens and adopted homes. The American, restless and migratory, is frequently a man of many homes, to each of which he becomes entered on the register during the first two more or less attached; but it is the home of his childhood around which memory Adelbert Carr, lingers longest, and the heart-strings vibrate to the sweetest harmonies.

How sharp the recollection of youthful Emmett Kearney, scence and incidents! How vivid our first impressions; how sweet our childish fan- | †George Carr. cies, are time has dulled the senses and Archie Alderton filled the brain with the conflicting thoughts | Edgar Clark, and emotions of the stern realities of life! Frank Eaman,

Wet there ever a melon, "old boys," in theselector days, that gave the deliciously Charles Newton, ecstally flavor of that rich, red, dripping John Crosman, slice we surreptitiously ate on that hot Au- John Crosman, gust afternoon when we were wild little

Were there ever such bewitching little Hugh McKeever, maide as those whose pink cheeks and sancy brown eyes so bewildered and entangled our baby affections in that early apringtime when the gateways of life were just swinging open for us?

Has like ever seemed, so good as when, in the ley air of winter, we coasted down the glistening incline, or in wild abandon dashed, and splashed shout in the old swimming-hole in the sultry-days of summer?

the haloyon days of early youth, its sarth was beeven and speech was truth, the copying green were honey dew, it would was now.

very large portion of the interest connected with this home-coming gathers | | Ida Forb about that center of attraction and infin- Ida Voor tale ence of our earliest years, the district | Mary Smith

.I think that the highest compliment I vitations sent out by the committee is printed a picture of a long, low, ordinary look- steps ing building, in front of which stands a

door stand many of us.

began teaching in 1865. An addition had been made to the original building, and the school started off with two departments, my sister Mary having charge of the primary room. The following names were and remained so for fifteen years. In 1887 house burned will remember how, during the last

EDITOR OF THE DISPATCH,-

You ask me to contribute an who, in passing, have tarried with us long "Old Boys' and Girls' Day" story. ermore" and "Esman" districts, Began teaching in the district The following' I think' covers the ground and contains all of real in-

"I was born; grew up; educated changes wrought by the swift-gliding myself, with some small assistance; taught school in Pinckney." As the above however, falls

space, I will pad it out with a few The idea of home-coming appeals to the less important details as nearly as possible to the required limit.

I was born in the state of New The penniless emigrant or pioneer wan- York. At the age of 1, my father, mother, a few friends, and myself, drifted down the Allegheny and Ohio rivers, in a flat-boat, to Sciponce more in the familiar scenes and io, Ind. The voyage was slow, laborious, and dangerous. I was scalded, swept over a 12 ft. dam, safety; for, in its widest sense the word run down by a steamer, and narhome includes not only the place of one's rowly escaped death in many other ways. Five years after, in a covered wagon, we came to Michigan and settled in Unadilla town-

John Eaman

*Cass Goodrich.

†George Ingram;

Arvid Gardner.

†Matilda Darrow

Georgie Clark,

Frances Clark.

Ross Nobler

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*Preston Brown,

Maggie Kearney,

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Blia Kearson

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Malina Bellow,

*Emma Si

Ada Thompson,

Olivia Bertwistle,

*Lelia Huze.

*Warren Goodrich,

tOria Jackson,

†James White,

*Kirke Haze,

*Louis Coste,

Frank Powers,

†Frank Sykes,

Willie Jenkins,

*Estella Thompson,

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Hattie Enman,

*Hettie Sigler.

+Susie Darrow,

Mary Monks,

†Hattie Campbell,

Abbot Coste,

*Sanford Jenkins,

*James McQuillan,

†Alanson Curtis,

*Carey Van Winkle, Sabra Ella Brokaw. The following were enrolled in the primary room the first year and did not pass to my room during this year:

Luella Haze, Lydia Reason, Flora Reason, Mary Bates Albert Brower, Dudley Coste; Alfred Monks, Willie Markey, Mary Voorheis, tHerbert Davis, *Frank Moran, James Greer, Annie Conklin, James Markey, Clara Eaman, John Carr, Ross Knickerbocker, Frank Dopkins, Frank Hecox, Fayette Sellman, †Genie Thompson, †Warren Gardner, Mary Switzer, Annie White, Kate Smith, Hattie Haze, Mary Doody, Cora Brokaw,

Mattie Speer. *Present. | Deceased. In the spring of 1868 the school was suspended by the advent of smallpox in the

village. boys, was hired. Mr. B. was a man of energy, scholarship and good sense,—one of young lady student, now the wife of a prominent "California Uncle," with Grace Campbell, Frankie

school was regenerated. Order, enthusiasm and progress re-entered to stay, and On appeal to me the case was argued by the rewhen, in 1873, he resigned and I was rewhen engaged I had but to follow in his foot-

During the year 1876-7 Raiph Sellman was principal. At the close of the year he resigned and I was elected to succeed him.

During all the time I was principal of briefy in a moment.

During all the time I was principal of the school prior to 1877 my sister was my It is the old red schoolhouse 20 years assistant, but late in the fall of this year a and its pedal rod that kept constantly falling ago, and in that group before the open lady came into the primary room to teach arcises, and those glorious old songs that were whose name appears in the list just read as sung with such delightful gusto: Narragansett It was my fortune to be the principal Lizzie Crofoot. She had in the meantime Bay. Daisy Dean, Little Brown Church in the teacher in that old building for 15 years. I become related to me by marriage. We Wale, Minnie, Kittle Clyde's Sister, Will You Love Was When I'm Uld's Lilly Dale, Gathering Un the

to a fixed rate, for every error.

why you never married."

room on top

her first born and her youngest-and all autobiographical sketch for the I attended school in the "Liv- tense home study.



WILLIAM A. SPROUT.

for a total of 26 years -- a little over a quar-

When I reflect upon the far-reaching in-

fluence of the teacher's work and example,

I should be appalled at the fearful respon-

sibilities I have carried were it not for the

high record for virtue, intelligence and

As so many of those whom I addres

this evening have been pupils of mine in

the old red schoolhouse, it may not be un-

interesting to them if I pause here to in.

dulge for a few moments in reminiscence.

the two greatest bugbears the student had

to nerve himself to encounter were compo-

sition and declamation. To encourage

them in composition a scheme was put in

operation called a school postoffice. A

frame 2x3 feet in dimensions was con-

structed, with locking doors at the back,

containing letter boxes with glass fronts

Stamps and currency were issued by the

teacher, who represented the government.

A banker and a postmaster were elected by

To begin with, an equal amount of our-

rency was issued to sach pupil. The re-

mainder was deposited in the bank, from

and places for stamps and money.

his note properly indorsed.

the pupuls.

In the ungraded school of those days

schools of the village of Pinckney.

the old red schoolhouse burned.

ter of a century.

ship. From there we removed to and at the State Normal; the best Putnam, where my home has school I ever attended was that of pockets. The result is that we are here to-night to observation. experience, and in-grasp once more the friendly hand and renew the

> schools early in life. Took charge of Pinckney schools in the tworoom, "Old Red Schoolhouse," in lags clustered around the public square. In room, "Old Red Schoolhouse," in it contained only the original survey. There are it contained only the original survey. There are 1865. In 1869 succeeded I. W. a good old-fashioned flouring mill, a few stores and shops; a place where buggy-rakes were made; a small one-room country schoolhouse; a rough, a small one-room country schoolhouse; a rough.

turned to Pinckney. When the new building was erected in 1888, I graded the school and was Supt. and princi- walks, street lamps, to pal of the high school for 10 The mail came twice a week. The years, with an interval of 3 years shipping point in wagons. Ligher in business, at Anderson. Have taught in Pinckney a total of 26 of enterprise struck the place, and all tool Behold to-day in her hotider dress. years. My pupils are scattered in many states-from Detroit to New Orleans, and from New York to Honolulu and the Philippines—in business, the professions, and in their country's service; and I am proud to know, are distinguished for integrity, ability, and

Yours respectfully,_ WILLIAM A. SPROUT.

days of that term, as if in premonition of the impending catastrophe, we sang again and again the It has fallen to my lot to be identified words of one sad, sweet dirge; and that the last with the educational interests of Pinckney notes of school-time song that ever swelled our hearts and rang around the wails in that old red eart-warm hymn divine-

God be with You'Till We Meet Again.' Old boys and girls, let us sing that hymn when we separate to-night, for we shall never all meet wether again—on earth. The subject of perhaps the greatest interest

connected with school life in Pluckney, and which I had thought to speak of at considerable success made by those who have gone length, I shall be compelled for lack of time to forth into the world of battle from the pass superficially over. It is the school excibition. For many years it was the custom to close the

teacher. Each one receiving a letter looked it year's work with a grand entertainment in which over catefully, marking each mistake in spelling, all, or nearly all, of the nupils had some participants, and charging the writer, according These entertainments were of great help to the These entertainments were of great bein to the o a fixed rate, for every error.

The total charge the writer had to pay to the I think the old boys and girls here present will agree with me also that they were times of gree The first result was that a good m ny pupils enjoyment

One of the first exhibitions we held was in the soon became bankrupt and had to go borrowing, while others got rich rapidly. Much interest was manifested and much impressed in the line of the manifested and much impressed in the line of the manifested and much impressed in the line of the manifested and much impressed in the line of the line of the line of the manifested and much impressed in the line of the On Priday afternoon we usually had formal

Sigler, Ellen Darrow and Dede Wheeler.
"Starting in Life," a pretty little comedicta,
was rendered by G. P. Brown, Emma Sigler, Ellen compositions. Sometimes each pupil would read bis own production, and sometimes the composi-tions would be collected into a school paper and Darrow, George Sprout and Arvid Gardner, Two read by two of the best pupils appointed as edi-tors. Subjects were sometimes given out by the and started in real life. They journeyed west, and the journeyed east, and they are here to night, full of the dell has of a happy home and the I remember on one occasion I gave to one of the rewards of a well merited success. Sabra Brokaw spoke of "Beauty, Wit and Gold," and little Genie prettiest and brightest of the old girls-I think Thompson pondered that momentous question, "What Then?" What then! After earth, what then? For gentle Genie the question has been she is here to night, but she will give no sign this topic: "Why I Never Married." A very piquant and entertaining little essay was the result; but at 'he close she turned the tables on me neatly in this wise: "And now, ar. Sprout, hav-

answered. "Refinement" was played the first time by John Cowley, Lelia Haze, Katle Kearney and Terence Shields. It was so successful that it was rendered, with some changes in the cast, at several ing discussed the topic you gave me to the best of my ability, and shown you most conclusively why I never married, I would be pleased to know

cceeding exhibitions. The teacher's desk in those days was simply a | I have only long table with two drawers in front and lots of along the line I have only time to touch at the many station

"Capuletta" was rendered by Emmett France, At first I found it a very convenient place Uses Good ich and D. P. Markey, with Elia Keeraround which to seat turbulent youngsters and ney as Juliette. D. P. Markey (if present with keep them out of mischief.

But later a change came. It was such a good place to study, so handy to help, so quiet and free from interruption that, from being a place of Josepu Placeway, Charley Grimes and others. humiliation to be shunned, it became a place of foot, Jessie Burnett, Ida Fuller and others appears to be sought. also remember "The Great Elixir," in

Intelligent and prosperous farmers; mechanics in "City and Country." I am giving the nau and merchants; men and women of varied trades just as they stand on my old records. During the next three years three texchers in succession presided in the schools; presiding officers of legislative assembled and the school was reduced to a state of chaos. Then Mr. G. P. Brown, one of the old boys, was hired. Mr. B. was a man of enchain and women of varied trades just as they stand on my old records.

Later on Eugene Campbell comes in as Land, but in insurance circles; principals of public cast. Man is Sigler as Little Red Riding Head, blies, have sat around that old table, digging deep into the mysteries of mathematics, literature and sold Boreas, George Green as the Sing Rolus, Jimmie Allen as Old Boreas, George Green as the Sing Rolus, Jimmie Allen as Old Boreas, George Green as the Markey among the Boys, was hired. Mr. B. was a man of enchair under the old clock in the corner.

schools, once had a sharp contention for the pos- Bar Room," given three times at intervals of sev-session of it. Each claimed prior permission, eral years. Katie Kearney as Mehitable, G. M And the old clock in the corner looked down | The part of little Mary Morgan was taken in sucupon it all with an approving smile; and once in cession, with fine effect, by Cora Brokaw, Frankie a while, when pupils got a little noisy, although Burch and Mabel Mann. The last time the play a while, when pupils got a little noisy, although its striking mechanism was never allowed to be wound, its rusty old wheels would suddenly begin ney, Grace Campbell, G. W. Sykes and Mrs. Spront for an hour held the delighted attention Many of you will doubtless remember the old of the au melodeon, with its weak legs, its leaky bellows humors. of the audience and sent them home in the best of

I cannot close without some allusion to the work

Dr. H. F. Sigler, who soon became interested. of Dr. Sigler, H. W. Crofoot and F. L. An It was a strenuous committee, and they wa PATCH an inch square that you did not see

Old residents long gone were hunted up, their addresses obtained and invitations sent. Our citiobservation, experience, and in- grasp once more the friendly hand and renew the associations of bygone days. Many, of course, through distance and busin as responsibilities.

have been unable to come, but they have caught the inspiration and are with us in spirit to night.

The village of Pinckney, the first time I drove an ox team into it with a load of when sell, was but a little hamlet of small wooden by hospitable, unconventional population; plenty of vhisky, and that was about all

From natural causes it had failed to man the the wheat and carted it in Deglet, the

patriotic, our beautiful l'inckney, w homes, her well-taught schools, her

pits and her enterprising press, -pecial mention must be made of ablic improvement. 1 do this from but from a sense of public duty. I weler sanitarium. Fitted with all med an ecte appliances for the successful treatment of die should be the price of our blessing to the sick and afficted skill and the public spirit of its found house days; to all those who have gone

that historic building; to the younger cour yillree, gaaduates and students of to her after whose stennch Pinckney and vicinity



THE OLD SWIMMING

which any pupil could borrow by giving The office was open for mail delivery on

Ella Nash, ara Kultur *Mollie Pullen, Adelbert Nobie,



G. P. BROWN.

Mr. G. P. Brown was a farmer's boy, and the early part of his life was spent on the farm acquiring the best preliminary education he world can give—that of indusby, honesty and self-reliance. He Precious childhood! Where the artist was born Oct. 29, 1848, on the old The sweet innocence, the virtues, homestead of Dr. Isaac Brown, his grandfather, two miles east of Markey, His father was Mr. Brown, who died some Childhood passes, and new voices three years ago. His mother, Mrs. Sarah Brown, lives in Pinckney and is in good health.

Mr. Brown taught his first achool when he was 17 years old. He was afterward principal of Pinckney public school and of that at Union City and principal Overwhelmed with sense of vastness, of the high school at Pontiac. He received part of his early education in Pinckney under the Like a haze in Indian summer, painstaking guidance of Prof. William A. Sprout, and he graduated from the University of Mich- Clouds our minds and we remember with the class of 1877.

I was his intention to follow beaching, but chance threw him Oh, the cheerless, old red schoolhouse! into the vortex of daily newspaper Grimy windows, tottering chimney, work, and he remained in it. He is now the New York representative of the editorial department of In a rough and barren common, the Chicago Chronicle.

He married Miss Emma Sigler, the daughter of John Sigler, wno belongs to the ranks of the "old boys and girls." They studied That is taught us of this puzzling afterward together and taught together. They have two children: Mabel, who has acquired No artistic crayon pencil Writes our problems on the board, suciderable skill as an artist, and has recently graduthe Brooklyn , high What we proudly call our blackboard ill enter college this

When We Were Boys and Girls.

Composed and Read at the Old Boys' and Girls' Reunion Wednesday Evening, August 3, 1904, by G. P. Brown, Brooklyn, N. Y.

I sit musing in the twilight,—
In the evening a fading glow,— And in vision pass before me Days and years of long ago.

You and I again are living In a world that knows no care,— In the tender age of childhood,— All our sweetest memories there.

We are dancing in the sunlight; We are laughing in the rain; Weary only, or unhappy,
When o'ercome by sleep or pain.

Flowers, birds and sparkling sunshine, As we frolic in the fields; Toys and games for indoor play When to night the daylight yields,—

All are grouped within this picture Which our memory paints so clear, And a halo hovers near them As though heaven itself were here.

If a cloud obscures our pleasure In its passing now and then; If a tear reveals a sorrow Caused by whim, perchance by pain;

Cloud soon passes, and the tear drop Leaves no line upon the face, For a mother's love has dried it Ere it finds a resting place.

Who but faintly can reveal Of a life which is ideal?

Where the writer and the language To portray the faith and trust Of a child in all things living,— In a fate, perhaps unjust?

Now are calling us away From our paradise of pleasure, From our aimless, idle play.

Youth, they tell us, as we listen, Shrinkingly, in fear and doubt, Now demands of us endeavor,— Now requires our earnest thought.

Out into the world we venture,— Oh, how wide and long it seems; Far surpassing all the pictures Of our fancies, of our dreams.

As though plunging into space, We direct our footsteps school-ward, Where begins life's long, long race.

All that passes on that day When we first sit on the benches And forget our childish play,

Little else than that the soul Is now struggling for its freedom From restraint, for self-control.

Whittled desks and creaking floors. Long and low, it is unsightly, Squatting in a patch of green,

As though fearing to be seen. Not a map or cheering picture Hangs upon the dingy wall;

Neither globe nor compass aids us To remember half of all

Round old world that goes spinning Off through space as though quite heedless Of its ending or beginning.

And no polished felt eraser Does our humble school afford.

Is a board and nothing more, Blackened once with paint, but later Gray and greasy as the floor.

Dim the tigures, blank the writing, Oftentimes, we try to place On the rough and fading surface On this relic of a race

That existed in past ages, And had used it,—there's no doubt,— In the caves it called its dwellings, Barring storms and wild beasts out.

Crude and cruel are the benches Where we sit from day to day; Short legs dangling, long ones curling, As the floor gets in the way.

Is it wonder that we harbor Deep resentment, and employ Our old jackknives in the carvings Which time only can destroy?

Stand we now before the teacher, Dumb with awe at all he knows: Trembling lest his deep displeasure We incur and feel his blows.

For we know by intuition,
Or from tales by children higher, That the slightest deviation From the rules provokes his ire.

Drawling out in listless manner Letters "A" and "B" and "C," As directed, but not knowing What their use may ever be,

We receive our first day's lesson And are profited, 'tis clear, Much as parrots are repeating
Words and phrases which they hear.

Our first lesson! What a picture! Straight we stand at teacher's knee, Open mouthed and all expectant, Trembling like an infant tree

At the foot of some majestic, Gnarled old oak, as gentle breeze Which the parent heeds not, feels not, Seems its very life would seize.

What is learning? Do we need it? Will it make us large and strong Like the man who sits before us? Will our lives be good and long

If we listen and remember All the names of those queer signs He calls letters? How their angles Seem to fascinate our minds

Soon the alphabet is mastered And our proudest day has come, When we read and write and figure On our first bewildering "sum."

Harsh the methods of our teachers In these early days of school, With mind training less important Than observance of a rule.

For a whisper to our neighbor, Though it be as soft and low As the breath of summer evening, Brings us punishment, we know.

Still we whisper, taking chances, Not because of innate sin, But because our youthful spirits

Will not stay locked up within. Oft the drudgery of the school room Is relieved by harmless pranks,

For which, speaking mildly, do we Hardly get the teacher's thanks. Thus from boys of little stature, And from girls of slighter build,

With our minds just budding shyly, In a soil but poorly tilled, We soon grow to adolescence, To the life that has new charm, When we find our tasks grow lighter

If we bear them arm in arm. So we tell a comrade slyly,-He or she of other sex,-In a note in secret posted, How our problems tease and vex.

And the answer is so helpful That we write and write again, But not always of our studies, It is very, very plain.

From the missive of the school room, From the gentle word expressed Of the sympathy and favor Of mere boys and girls confessed,

Often springs the love which binds them In a comradeship for life,— Boy and girl who trust each other May become the man and wife.

Charmed the days we spend in study, Poring over books that tell How to make our lives more useful And bring happiness as well.

True, our school work is machine like, As we figure, write and read To fulfill the old-time maxim That the "R's" are all we need;

But the cravings for more knowledge. Than these élementals bring Soon transforms the lifeless text-how... Into active, living thing,

Like a friend with hand extended, When his help we sorely need, Is the dear old thumb-worn school book; It is more than friend, indeed.

School days are not all for study; Recreation claims its share And our whole-souled youthful pastimes Rob our lives of useless care.

Not in all the wide world over Are there brighter scenes than these, When we gather for our dances In the summer 'neath the trees

To the dancing add the games
Which bring hands and lips together, Prompting hearts to make their claims.

School room now is closed forever; Books are hidden deep in dust, To the friends we love and trust. With our hearts at point of breaking And our eyelids wet with tears, We behold the last of all this Long procession of the years,-



THE PRESENT HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING.

Sighing for the sweets of pleasure Which they brought us day by day, Grieving that we disregarded Much of good along our way.

If we only might look forward, As we now have seen the past, -See the pitfalls, know the dangers, Find true friendships,—at the last,

When the final page is written Of the story of our lives, There might then be something worthy Of the praise for which each strives.

In this retrospect 'tis fitting That we linger for a word In remembrance of the comrades

Who, while sleeping, have not heard The glad summons to reunion Of the town's old boys and girls.

Though they come not, we forget not. As time ever onward whirls. Much we owe among our elders, Who long since have passed away,

To one grand and noble spirit, Whose sweet influence will stay To inspire us, to protect us, Until death has claimed us all,-

Whose deep sympathy and counsel

Have saved many from a fall. Epitaphs are written only After men are dead and gone. And the tombstone is the witness Of the good which they have done.

Would it harm them if they, also, Knew while living what the world Has been tardy to acknowledge,-If to them it were unfurled?

Let us try it. On this platform, In our presence, is a soul Which is shining like a beacon At our final, happy goal.

Leads it now, as it has ever. On and upward, straight and true. Have we followed? Shall we follow? It will neither wreck nor rue.

Teacher, friend, and kind companion; Honest, faithful, ever true; All his life an inspiration; All his faults both small and few.

Profit we by his example, More than ever can be told. So we honor and we bless him, Aye, we crown him, not with gold,

Nor with laurel, which would cover Brighter crown of silvered hair; But with deep and true affection, Such as kings may never wear.

All the past is now behind us; Soon tomorrow will appear; Then another, and another, Till the last of all is here.

Let us hope that day is distant, And will find its journey long, While we often lift our voices In reunion's happy song.

An Octogenarian Pickneyite.



In acknowl- old days." edging the receipt of our invitation to the

JAMES B. EAMAN. 86 years of age, his letter shows that he still has a clear head, and, were he a little stronger bodily, nothing could have kept him away

knows more of the first settlement | Simple Simon's escapades in the shade.

from the reunion. He says:

of Pinckney than I do. My father and I went up to the Marble farm a year or more before the village was laid out. We owned the Charlie Wood farm at the time. We went to Pinckney to live in the spring of 1843. Pinckney has had some distinguished citizens. Professor Kirkland and his wife, the author of "The Home in the West," came from the presidency of a female seminary in Detroit and afterward had charge of a like seminary in New York. Judge Stansbury, a New York lawyer, and Dr. Stansbury, a New York physician, who were brothers of Mrs. Kirkland. Mrs. Stansbury was a Scottish music teacher in York. So you see Pinckney was founded and settled by highly educated and distinguished people."

A Few "Yarns,"

Spun by Old Boys and Girls.

While listening to some of the old boys spin yarns, we heard something like this:

"Do you remember how when a youth you filled your old bat full of water at the spring, and, standing with one toe in the sand and the other on a flag stone, threw back your head and imbibed your fill of the sweetest nectar in the world? Of course it spoiled the shape of your hat, but, if we could go back to that period of bare feet and tumble bee sting, we would drink from our Sanday tile if. we had to break into society wearing a skull cap. We have tried 'em ali ways, with the cherry and without, but never yet have we tasted beverage that delighted the palate and satisfied thirst as did that ambrosia beside the bubbling spring."

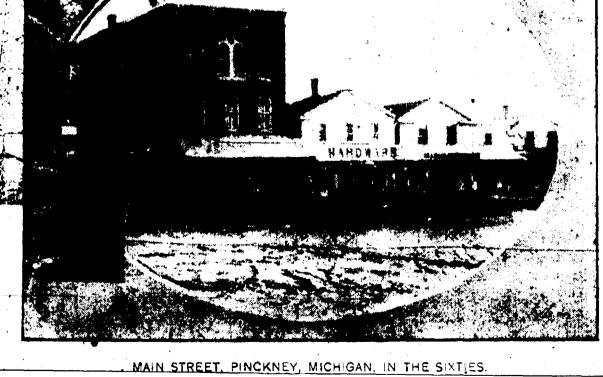
"How we'l do I temeinber when coming out from the "old swimming hole," finding my clothes tied up in knots so I would be a half hour in dressing, while the mischief maker enjoyed the fun. Those were "good

We also listened on the quiet to some of the "old girls," as they told of some of their fun, and that most graphically described was that of slidreunion, James ing down the straw stack, and as we of listened we tried to think how barren Benton Harbor of trolic must the life of the girl have gives us a little been who was born and reared withof Pinckney's out having slid at least-once from the early history, top of the stack and landed ker plank Although over in a bed of chaff! We pity the youngster who has not enjoyed the

Could we publish half of the yarns we heard spun during the reunion we could turnish our readers with interesting leading for years, and it illus-"I can think of no one now that trated would put Buster Brown's and



ENTREST. PINCKNEY, MICHIGAN, 1904.

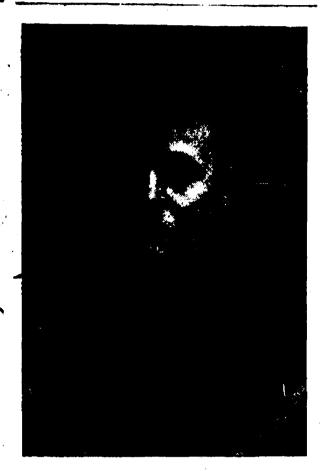


Through the courtesy of P. G. Teemacte. We are enabled to give our padents view of the main street of Carrier as it appeared during the httee, and many of our readers will remainter the street scene when these the business places, and, ind vof a fine cement walk down Main street past the opera house and Dreparce office, a path answered the

That the village at that time with pla of Marquette, who sent us the no sidewalks answered the purpose goes without saying, but "things do Or in winter at our firesides move." and in the course of human events it became necessary to expand, and now we have a beautiful main street with cement walks. We give a | And the last word has been spoken picture of Main street se it appears today, looking west from Dr. H. F. Sigler's residence.

Pinckney's **Oldest** Citizen.

past week are jet uppermost in our hundreds of present and former citithoughts-events which brought once zens remember as the Pickett house, more to our village so many old boys which for many years stood on the Andrews, Pinckney, Mich.-My Dear and girls to visit again the scenes and south side of Main street, a few feet associations of years gone by-it is



MR3 SAMUEL GRIMES.

indeed most fortunate and fitting that we are able to present to our many friends and readers a sketch of Pinckney's oldest citizen, not in years, but oldest in point of residence.

We question whether it has ever before been the privilege of any village or city to boast that, sixty-seven years after its birth in the wilderness, it could number among its active and leading citizens the first child born in the village, and, further, that the life with the life of the village.

entire life of sixty-seven years.

Frances Noble, the subject of this of all who know her.

A Few Facts.

At the beginning of 1836, with-

in the present limits of Pinckney,

there were but three houses, al

The first frame building erected

was the blacksmith shop built and

for many years run by Mr. Noble.

The shop stood by the mill stream

a few rods west of the mill. The

lumber was sawed at a mill near

the Huron river. In this shop,

Nov. 15, 1836, the first horse shoe

The frame of the flouring mill

was raised Sept. 20, 1836. Its

four big mill stones and the ma-

chinery were hauled from Detroit

by horses. The first grist was

The first postoffice was kept in

a bureau drawer in Benjamin Wel-

ground April 26, 1837.

ler's boarding house

built of logs.

was set.

While the memorable events of the sketch, was born in the house which east of Percy Swarthout's home. This was the first frame dwelling house into his new home several months before the so-called "first house," built by William Kirtland, was completed. A part of the old home remains today in a good state of preservation, it being the back of the building just south of the hotel, nearly hidden from sight by ivy vimes.

France, Noble was the first child to be enrolled in the Presbyterian church, the first church organized here, and was always closely identified with that church, as she has ever been and is today identified with its successor, the Congregational church Of the original membership of this church but one person besides Mrs. Grimes is now living.

The oldest of a family of eight children, seven of whom are living, she alone has spent her life in the place of 1er birth. On June 7, 1854, she was united in marriage with Samuel Grimes, and the fifty years of their married life they have lived in the same block where they still live.

Visitors during the past week have noticed many changes in the old town during ten or twenty years' absence. What a panorama of life and its changes has it been the privilege of our oldest citizen to witness! As one passes up and down our streets, with its neat homes and substantial buildof that child was exactly co-incident ings; as we wander through the cities of the dead, on the banks of our beau-Such is the remarkable fact concern- tiful lake and gaze upon the hundreds ing the life of our respected citizen, of tomostones, all of which have been Mrs. Samuel Grimes, oldest child and erected within her recollection, we daughter of Leonard and Annie No- form a slight conception of the multible, who was born in Pinckney Aug. tude of changes wrought by the hand 1. 1837 the very year and month of time within the limits of even this which gave our village its birth, and little community. May she, who has here, within three blocks of the house been a witness of every event in the where she was bo.n, she has fived her life of our village, be spared for yet many years of usefulness, is the wish

When I Go Home.

It comes to me often in silence, From the diary of Leonard No-When the firelight sputters low, ble, who left Connecticut in 1836, When the black, uncertain shadows and, after a journey of hearly two See wraiths of the long ago; Always with a throb of heartache months by wagon, following the That thrills each pulsing vein "blazed trail" through the forest, Comes the old, unquiet longing located here and built his home, For the peace of home again. these interesting facts were taken: I'm sickof the roar of cities.

> And of faces cold and strange; know there's warmth of welcome, And my yearning fancies range Back to the dear old homestead,

With an aching sense of pain; But there'll be joy in the coming When I go home again.

When I go home again! There's music-That may never die away, And it seems that the band of angels On mystic harps at play Have touched with a yearning sadness On a beautiful, broken strain, To which is my fond heart wording,-

When I go home again. Dutside of my darkening window Is the great world's crash and din, And slowly the autumn's shadows Come drifting, drifting in. Sobbing, the night wind murmurs

To the plash of the autumn's rain; But I dream of the glorious greeting When I go home again.

-Eugene Field.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—REV. 4. W. MELNE, PASTOR.

A Couple of Letters.

The following letters received by members of the committee express the feelings of many who enjoyed the reunion:

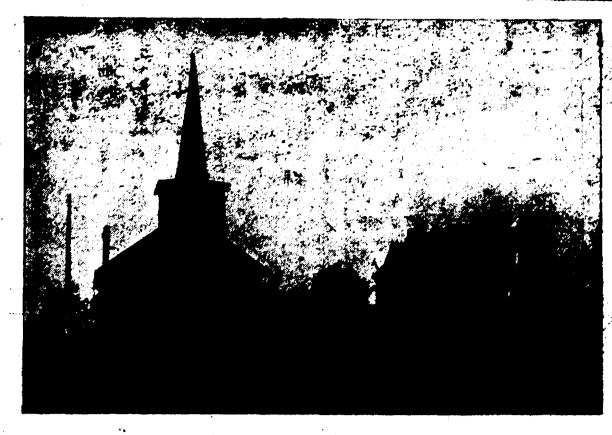
ANDERSON, Aug. 5, 1904.—F. L. Sir: I think the one thing most conspicuous in the "old boys' and girls' days" doings was the gratification, built in Pinckney, Mr. Noble moving the pleasure, the perfect abandon of delight shining from every face.

> I fancied I had heard old Gabriel's trump, and that the resurrection morn was upon us, and that the good had just entered paradise.

I want to make a proposition to the people of Pinckney, and to all who sympathized with or had any part in the home coming movement, and that is that all the old tomahawks, big and little, of whatever name or nature, that we have been hacking at each other with, be buried, and buried so deeply that all the earthquakes of all the ages can never uncover them again. Let an era of good feeling be inaugurated. Let us, with clean hearts, lofty aims and charitable feel ing, start in the race anew. It will give us a new lease of life and a new hold on heaven. For peace and fel-W. A. SPROUT.

St. Johns, Mich, Aug. 5, 1904 -Friend C. L. Grimes, Pinckney, Mich. -Dear Sir: Arrived home yesterday afternoon all safe and sound, after having spent two of the most pleasant days in my life. Pen and ink cannot express the kind feeling and thanks I have for you and others who worked so hard and faithfully to bring about the pleasant gathering we all enjoyed so much. _ only hope the "meetings' were as pleasant to all as they were to me. Again kindly accept my thanks. Yourserespectfully,

W. J. BLACK.



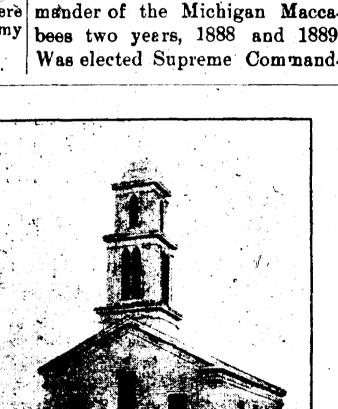
ST. MARY'S CHURCH AND PARSONAGE-REV. M. J. COMERFORD, PASTOR

to Eva Gene, daughter of W. E. **Phompson.** In April 1879 moved to Ann Arbor. was there until Sept. 1, 1881. During this time he studied law under Mr. Jerome life! Knowltou, and was admitted to to West Branch, Ogemaw Co., in Sept. 1881. While there in ad- other. dition to following his profession, he was in the Real Estate and Insurance business. Dabbled somewhat in politics, was Circuit Court Commissioner, Judge of Probate, twice a member of the House of Representatives at Lansing, last term was speaker of the House.

Has taken an active interest in

practice in April, 1881. Moved sorry.

the Maccabees. Was Great Commander of the Michigan Maccabees two years, 1888 and 1889. Was elected Supreme Command-



M, E. CHURCH and PARSONAGE-REY, R. L. COPE, Pastor

Daniel P. Markey.

James and Catherine Markey, was since that time and still occupies born in the township of Bunker-that position. hill, Ingham Co., Mich., on June 27, 1857. In 1865, when but 7



years old, his family moved to Pinckney where they resided until 1802. "D. P.," as he is generally called, therefore spent his boyhood days in this village, attended our public schools, and graduated (?) under the tutorship of Prof. W. A. Sprout. He spent part of his time as a clerk for Mann & Teeple, F. A. Decker, and N. G. Beebe. Taught school in the Cady district, at Pettysville, at North Lake, and in the Harris district south of town.

Was married January 13, 1878,

er of the Maccabees of the World in 1891 and has been unanimous-Daniel P. Markey, oldest son of ly re-elected at each Review

An Old Lease.

Mrs. S. Grimes brought to this office this week the "Agreement of Lease" between her father and mother, Leonard Noble and wife, to School District No. 2, Putnam township, for the school site which was near the present home of A. B. Green. The lease was only to last while the land was used for school purposes, and, when Stansbury, district board; F. G. Rose, still stands, one of the notary; E. Barnard, register of deeds. ney's early history.

Echoes of the Reunion

Yes, we must gather again.

Everybody was young again. Two of the happiest days of my

Those who did not come will be

We were so glad to see one an-

I have enjoyed every moment of Even the "old girls" led in 1

cotillon. How often would you hear "Do

you remember?" 1 met many whom I never ex-

pect to see again. I would not have missed the reunion for anything.

The time was too short; it was so full of enjoyment.

It makes me think I am back in the old care-free days.

Even the babies came in for their share of patronage. No marshal was needed for the

"old boys' and girls'" day.... A grander crowd never congre-

gated in our village before. Distance could not keep me

from meeting with the old boys. Though a stranger, I enjoyed seeing the "old boys and girls"

I enjoyed it as well as those who came back to visit the old

In the evening—what a crowd on the street, and what a refined gathering!

The Pinckney people are to be congratulated on the success of the reunion.

The Romeo and Juliet act was in evidence everywhere; nothing secret about it.

Statesmen, crators, lawyer professional men, laborers all met as in the days of the old red schoolhouse.

A Pioneer Building.

This, the first frame dwelling bouse co menced in Pinckney, was exected by Will liam Kirtland in 1936. The boilding #

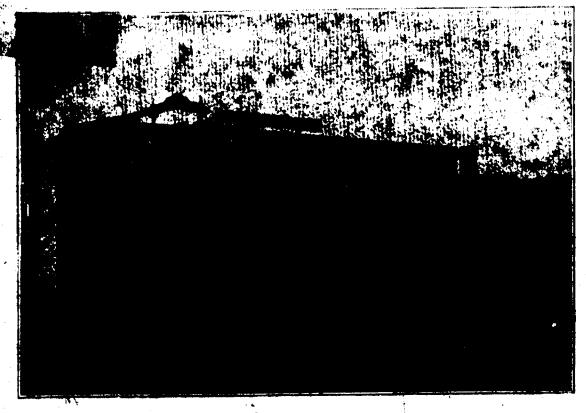


begun in early summer but for lack of smooth terial was not completed till late in the of above year. The consecr materials was the present site was chosen, reverted prepared at the saw mill elterated as Postback to the owner. The lease was age river, and the chingles, glass and mile given the 3d day of October, 1839, were brought from Detroit by wagen. In and was signed by Leonard Noble, this house Mrs. Kirtland waste the book, Anna Noble, William Stevens, Wm. "A Home in the West" The old house



COMGREGATIONAL PARSONAGE.

Your Old Home Paper.



HOME OF THE PINCKNEY DISPATCH

THE PINCKNEY DISPATCH was launched in 1883 by Jerome Winchel, and at once was received by our villagers as a wel-

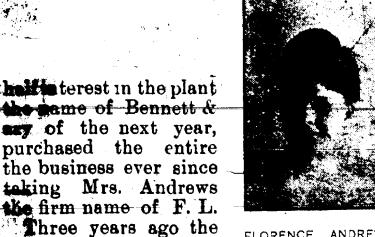


come addition to the industries of the town. In 1884 it passed into the hands of J. L. Newkirk, and in 1886 A. D. Bennett purchased the plant. He sold the same to J. T. Campbell in 1887, and a year later bought it back. In June, 1890, the present own-

er, F. L. Andrews, purchased a

EL ANDREWS.

ner of Main and Mill



MRS. F. L. ANDREWS.

and it was run under Andrews until Februwhen Mr. Andrews outfit and has continued with the addition of into partnership under Andrews & Co. brick building at

FLORENCE ANDREWS

streets was purchased for a home for the DISPATCH and converted into a residence as

The aim of the DISPATCH has always been, and is now, to further the interests of Pinckney and her citizens, and to this end the proprietors were strong movers and spared neither time, work nor money to make the "old boys' and girls'" reunion a success, and cannot help but feel proud at the outcome of the venture. The work had been arduous, but all felt well paid in seeing the happy faces that they were instrumental in bringing together.

This issue of the paper has cost plenty of cash, as well as hard work, but the editors feet that it will be appreciated, and, like the Fink Edition" of 1896, will be preserved among the keepsakes of ar subscribers long after the writer has laid down the pen.

Hon G. W. Teeple.

George W. Teeple was born in Steuben county, New York, Aug. 1848, and came to Michigan

best of appliances, and still continues the business.

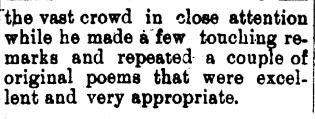
Mr. Teeple has held many offices of trust, from town-clerk-to state senator, to which houor he was elected in 1896. His strict attention to business and honest dealing has enabled him to go from the little desk in the corner to his present commodious quar-



Dr. Haze was born near Port Hope, Canada, April 13, 1816. He moved with his father soon after to Niagara county, New York. They came to Oakland county, Michigan, in 1837. Dr. Haze graduated in medicine at Cleveland, Ohio. From 1847 to 1849 he practiced at Pinckney with his brother, Dr. C. W. Haze. \mathbf{He} was married in 1840. In $\mathbf{1864}$ they moved to Lansing, where they have since resided. Dr. Haze served two terms in the legparents in 1859. He islature, was at one time mayor of perved his clerkship in the store the city, and has been connected W. S. Mann, and upon the with many enterprises in the city. death of Mr. Mann he became the He has always been an earnest, manager. In 1884 he prominent member of the Central tablished the Pinckney Ex. M. E. church.

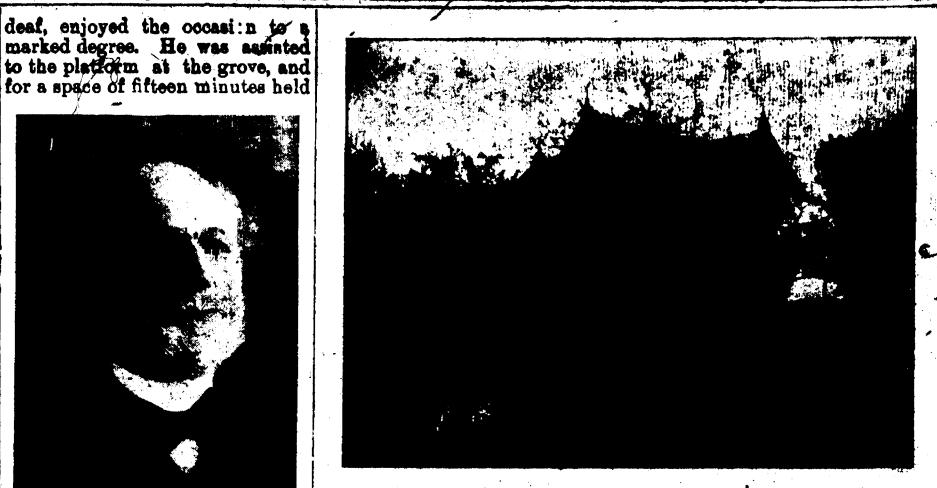
change Bank, doing business in Dr. Haze was present at the old regr of the Mann store. Later boys' and girls' reunion, and, al with and brick bank with the though sightless and partially

Miss Franc Adele Burch.



DR. WILLIAM HENRY HAZE.

deal, enjoyed the occasi:n to



RESIDENCE OF DR. H. F. SIGLER.

My soul looks up in voiceless praise Beside the tranquil sea, While visions rare of other days Come drifting back to me. Sweet echoes of the olden songs I sang the wide lands through, To lonely hearts and hungry throngs, Return with meaning new.



He received all of his schooling in the "old red schoolhouse." At the age of 11 he began clerking for Jerry Dunn, afterward clerk-

E. T. Keerney.

whose "physiog." we present, was

born in Pinckney March 28, 1861.

The subject of this sketch, and

ing three years for Sigler Bros. In the spring of 1881 he went to Sheldon, Iowa, where he had a position in the postoffice and general store for five years. He then became assistant postmaster at Yankton, S. D., where he remained three years.

April 14, 1886, he established the Bank of Dakota County at Jackson, Neb., which he now owns. He was admitted to the bar of South Dakota and Nebraska in 1890, but does not lay much stress on being a lawyer. However, he is the proud owner of the Ideal Stock Farm, stocked with 150 short-Miss Franc A. Burch was born time. Since then she has taught horn cattle and as many more Poland-China hogs. elocution and given public read-

June 8, 1887, he married Miss Clara Miner, and is the proud father of three girls-Helen, aged 16, who is in Pinckney; Gertrude, aged 12, and Editha, aged 9. He is well and happy (always was), proserous in a small way, and nearly tickled to death to have been present at our homecoming week. Anyone who ever stayed over a night in Pinckney will have a right royal welcome if they call on Mr. Kearney at his place of business in Jackson, Neb., and will be given a drink of milk

Miss B. has always been a hard where the play was given two worker and has known what it is from the Ideol Stock Farm.

evenings. Her father died when to drink deep of the cup of sorshe was fourteen years of age, and row in the loss of father and two years thereafter she began mother, and the necessary contact her school teaching career, the with the world.

ings in the States and Canada.

Last year she gave, with mark-

ed success, that popular story,

Patch."

"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage

last two years of which were in She has never despised any the Intermediate Department of kind of honorable labor, and is sons and daughters with renewed zest and the Pinckney schools. During proud to say there is no kind of the five years of school teaching housework or sewing that she she studied vocal and piano music does not understand and has done. She believes the supreme work of Then followed a course in the life should be character building, Detroit School of Elecution, from and that woman's greatest and which Miss B. was graduated in best work is in the home.

"Old Home Week" gives renewed courage to the people of the towns, the general uplift, and spurs them to improve their conditions in order that they may each year greet their returning show them the improvements made in

their little towns during the year. No matter how long a man has lived in a new place, his ties are closest with the place of his childhood. It does him good to go back there and to keep in touch with the town or village of his youth; and, more than that, it does his old neighbors good to see him and to know that, though he has prospered in a new country, he still keeps an interest and a love for the old.

"Old Home Week"

under several good teachers.

a few miles from our village and

received her early education in

When eight years of age she

played little Mary in "Ten Nights

in a Bar Room," going with the

Pinckney "troupe" to Howell,

the "Old Red Schoolhouse."

le Pronounced a Good Thing.

"Old Home Week" is fast becoming an institution in the United States. & was first started in New Hampshire by Governor Rollins in 1898, and was such a success that other states have taken it up, until now many states have their "old home' reunions. In most states the event has been launched by the metropolis, but in Michigan it was left for the smaller towns. Last year Paw Paw had a very successful 'home week,' and this year Finckney gives the ball another push, and now all along the line villages and cities are taking up the 'old home week' idea. Even Detroit talks of following in our footsteps.

I know not when the sun may dip His forehead in the foam And beckon to my tide-rocked ship To seek the Isles of Home; I know not when my sails may glide

Behind the sunset hills, But peace—to manhood's prime denied -My being spids and thrills,



REGIENOR OF J. J. TEEPLE.



RESIDENCE OF J. A. CADWELL.

CHAPTER XHI. Continued. He turned to Radelog and was shout to speak when a servent apreared, "An importal messenger seeks immediate audience with the

minister of police!" Karsichest turned pate. Micholas, deeply, agitated, placed his hand on his mother's arm.

Katherine, with an undefined dread of something, breathed heavily in convulsive gasna.

Another second and the imperial messenger entered the room. Going directly to General Karsicheff, he handed him a large envelope of an ominously official appearance.

The minister taking the envelope, militopen with feverish anxiety, and nking heart and burning eyes following:

Constantine Karsicheff, Minister of Police.

"Sir: His Imperial Majesty has been graciously pleased to make the following orders:

"I. Constantine Karsicheff is hereby removed as Minister of Police and deposed from all other authority heretofore vested in him as such mnister.

"II. Paul, the Count Nazimoff, is hereby appointed Minister of Police to succeed Karsicheff, deposed, and will take possession of the official seal and assume all powers of such ministry at twelve o'clock this day, precisely.

"III. Constantine Karsicheff will, without delay, proceed to Siberia, act as civil and milithe province of To-

"Given under the great seal of the Gortschakoff, Chancellorie. "Prime Minister."

With a deep groan, Karsicheff dropped the paper.

"Good God, it is the blow I feared," and he sank back in his chair.

Nicholas picked up the paper. "Give it to me," said the countess, as she almost snatched the document from his hand. A glance told her its contents. She looked at the clock. It wanted but ten minutes of the time-of the hour of noon.

"His excellency, Paul, Count Nazimoif," announced a servant. Katherine stood erect in a moment. She would give no sign of her bitterness of heart, however deeply she felt the

Count Nazimoff entered the room. He was dressed in full uniform.

Karischeff half arose and then sat back.

Count Nazimoff approached and extended his hand. "Believe me, my dear Karsicheff," he said, "I was not desirous of this position. But his majesty having sent for me and having proffered the honor, it was not to be refused."

The suggestion of a smile passed over the pale face of the deposed minister. "I am quite sure the position cannot be in better hands," he said. Katherine looked at the clock. It was within five minutes of noon.

She looked at her husband and he

understood the meaning. "I have finished my work," said Karsicheff, turning to Count Nazimoff gain, "for, as you doubtless know, I have succeeded in capturing the lead-



ers of the Nihihstic conspiracy. His majesty, I had hoped, would have recognised my services in a different way," he said with a bitter smile, "but his majesty knows best. It is my last duty to prove my loyalty by sentencing the enemies of my soverelen and I shall do it to the end." He pansed.

Katherine was furious. She determined to take matters into her own hand. "General Karalcheff," she said to the count, "is still minister."

"Until twelve o'clock," replied the count; "It still wants a few minutes. of the hour."

"Then bring in the prisoners, and, let the general finish his work," said, Katherine, looking toward Radalog. The latter opened the door and

with a file of four soldiers guarding him another prisoner was brought in and placed in position before the minister of police. Count Nazimoff took a seat by the side of Karsiches and gazed curiously at the scene.

"This is another of the vile gang of conspirators captured this morning," said Karsicheff to the count, and then, turning to the prisoner, whose face was concealed by the hood of his greatcoat, he assumed a tone of judicial severity, and said: "Drop your hood, prisoner. What is your name?"

The prisoner dropped the hood and stood like a statue as he answered, "Alexis Nazimoff!"

"Alexis Nazimoff!" was repeated by all in the room—all save Ivan and Ilda.

With a cry of bitterest anguish from his breaking heart Count Nazimoff staggered to his feet. Fer a moment he vainly essayed to speak, but

his tongue refused to utter a sound. "Oh, my father!" The cry was wrung from the surcharged heart of Alexis as he stretched out his shackled hands.

Paul Nazimoff, weak and trembling, found his voice at last. "Alexis, my son, my boy," he cried in anguished tones, "what does this mean? Oh, my God, my God!"

He pressed his hands first to his heart, then to his throbbing brain. "Father!" said Alexis.

"Speak, speak out! Oh, God, speak out!" cried the stricken count. "You. you, my boy here—here—charged is Imperial Majesty's with crime with plotting the assassination of your sovereign! Speak. Alexis; say that it is false! Don't you see my heart is breaking?" -"I swear to you, father, it is not

true. I am innocent." "You hear," faltered Count Nazi-

moff, looking wildly around. hear-he is-"

"He is guilty whoever he may be," spoke up the officer in command, "for I myself found concealed on his person, in his cigar case this sign—the sign of the assassin chosen to kill." He held up his hand!

The Red Rouble!

"My God!" Paul Nazimoff fell back and buried his face in his hands. The clock showed that it wanted but a minute of the hour.

"Quick," said Katherine, rushing to her husband's side. "You have ample proof of his guilt. Sentence him to Siberia—it will bring him and Olga together."

Karsicheff sat stunned! The terrible disclosure of Alexis'

identity had shaken him.

"Quick," urged Katherine, "it is your last chance!"

The iron will and relentless purpose of his wife swayed Karsicheff now as they had often swayed him before. It nerved him to a deed that, left alone, he would never have

"Alexis Nazimoff," he said, "there can be no doubt of your guilt with this damning evidence of your unholy purpose found in your possession. You have forfeited your life, but my last act shall be merciful. I spare your life. I sentence you to twenty years in the mines of Siberia!"

Karsicheff rose from his desk. The clock began striking twelve, and as the strokes rang out they fell like a knell on the ears of nearly all present. Turning to Paul, Count Nazimon, Karsicheff, taking a bunch of keys from his pocket, said, "My work is finished. Count Nazimoff, to you I resign my seal, my keys, my powers. I have done my duty to the end -the rest is yours!"

Radaloff approached Count Nazimost—Count Nazimost, the new minister of police—and as he passed the countess he gave her one look that repaid all the insult she had heaped upon him less than an hour before. 'What is your excellency's command regarding the other prisoners?" he asked, saluting Count Nazimoff. "There is one more to be disposed of. She says she is the wife of that man," and he pointed to Ivan.

Katherine caught the word. His wife! Ilda's brother's wife. She too must suffer. None of them must

"Count Nazimoff," she said, "my engaged in meting out justice to this lister. gang of assassins. There is one more -that man's wife. She too should be punished here and now."

Paul, Count Nazimoff, looked up slowly. He had aged ten years in loss than two minutes.

"Not now," he said faintly; "not now. We have had enough ofof-" He could say no more. Katherine spoke again.

"It ill becomes the minister of his severeign to abow his weakness at such a time as this," she exclaimed. 'My husband, at the expense of his feelings, nerved himself to do his duty-now do yours. Russia needs an

example now!" Almost involuntarily Count Nask

most raised his hand. It was to beg Radaloff saw the motion and interpreted it to mean that he should bree duce the primers in a -act 5 A In another moment he had left the from and a second later re-entered it with a heavily draped figure clinging to his arms. He had to support her er ste would have fallen.

Egure supported by Radaloff.

"She is the wife of that man," exclaimed the countess, indicating Ivan. "There can be no excuse for delay. She was captured with the rest—is it not so?" and she turned flercely to the officer in command.

"It is so, madame, and she was arrested while standing by the printing press, upon which we found this prociamation."

As he spoke he displayed the placard in red.

"You see—you see, Count Nazimoff." exclaimed the countess, "there can be no doubt. Act—and a heavy sentence too."

"Poor girl." The count glanced at the veiled and shrinking figure before him. "She may be innocent. She---' "She cannot be innocent with the



proof of her guilt in that treasonable proclamation," shouted Katherine 'Sentence her!" "What is your name?" asked Paul

Nazimoff in a faint voice. The girl said nothing. She seemed

to shrink still more.

"Speak, girl-your name! You are that man's wife; do not deny it," said Katherine. "My name is-"

The vail feil, and the pale face was exposed to the gaze of all present, as Olga stood forth with trembling form and fainting heart. "Olga!"

Above the exclamation of horror surprise and amazement with which the name was spoken by all, there rang out a wild shrick of anguish and despair as Katherine Karsicheff rec ognized her daughter. "Olga!"

Again the shriek echoed until i struck terror to all within hearing.

"Olga-my daughter-his wifethat man's wife—no! no! no! Oh God, Count Nazimoff, you do not be lieve this, you cannot believe this My daughter, the affianced wife of your son-she here-with thesethat man's wife! It is not so-my God, my God, I swear it is not so. Do not sentence her! Spare her! Spare her. Here on my knees at your feet I beg, I implore you, by the love you bore your dead wife, have mercy on her, on me—on all—have mercy, have mercy!"

'You have urged my duty well, madame, I must perform it.'

"Mercy, mercy, mercy!" screamed Katherine, fairly groveling at his

"I sentence her," said Count Nazimoff, "to Siberia—with her parents!"

CHAPTER XIV.

On the Road to the Mines. Three days after the events narrated in the preceding chapter the doors of the great prison of Petro pavlovsk in St. Petersburg swung open. The entrance was guarded by a squadron of Cossacks, and a line of prison vans stood near, ready to move at the word of command with the first detachment of political prisoners from among the hundreds ar rested during the wholesale raids of husband laid down his work while the police made by order of the min-

Of the prisoners arrested in the Nihilist rendezvous, four—Oraminsky on the Park Ca. So trial bottle and treation in the Restaurant of the prisoners arrest days the of Dr. Kline's Greet Nerve Hestory of the Restaurant of the Park Ca. So trial bottle and treation in the Restaurant of the Restaurant o and Hersy being two-were septenced to death; the others, without exception, to exile - in Siberia for terms ranging from ten years to life Kirshkin's fate alone was undecided. He had made a full confession of all For children testhing, softens the gume, reduces to he know and it was determined to he knew, and it was determined to keep him in St. Petersburg in hopes that he could furnish the authorities with still Taller details of the great conspiracy.

Two by two, heavily shackled, the prisoners moved slowly from the prison and took their places in the waiting vans

(To be continued.)

WOLF HUNTING IN LAPLANCE

and more than the same of the same of the Natives Aun Down Animals on Skie and Dispetch Them With Spears. VI'be most sorthern point of Spandinavia or Finland is inhabited by Laps. The latter live in the valleys and are amployed chiefly in agriculthre; the former keep to the mountains and they are mery wealthy, ow-. Katherine wointed to the trembling lug to their immense herds of reindeer, which graze summer and winter in the open.

. If the snow is very deep in winter the herds are brought down to the more sheltered valleys. In spite of constant watchfulness they are even there not rate from the invasion of wolves, whom hunger drive down to the lowland from the forests.

The mountain Laps in consequence organize wolf hunts during the winter. They pursue the animals on skis, or snowshoes, and owing to the great speed at which they can get over the frozen snow they soon overtake the flying beasts and kill them. The huntsmen carry nothing but a short heavy spear, which they drive home with a practiced hand. Only when wounded do the wolves attack their pursuers, otherwise the cowardly brutes seek safety in flight.

Letter Writing a Lost Art.

To one who closely studies human nature letters constitute the best literature. They reveal the little idiosyncrasies which go to make up character. They expose the heart, especially if written without the thought of publication. Sometimes, as in the case of the correspondence between Robert Browning and Elizabeth Barrett, it seems a sacrilege to lay bare to the world so much of private confidence. In other instances, as in the letters which Liszt and Wagner wrote to each other, the world is the distinct gainer by the publication. In fact, so rich is English literature in epistolary wealth that we hate to regard letterwriting as a lost art. The truth, however, forces itself upon us and we must accept it, endeavoring to console ourselves with the thought that what we have lost in genuine corresponwe have lost in genuine correspondence we may have gained in other \$1,200 TO \$3,000 A YEAR

Voice From Arkansas.

Cleveland, Ark., August. 15 (Special).-Nearly every newspaper tells of some wonderful cure of some form of Kidney Disease by the Great American Remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills, and this part of Arkansas is not without its share of evidence that no case is too deeply rooted for Lodd's Kidney Pills to cure.

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that Contain Mercury, as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell Count Nazimoff raised his head, and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such you have urged my duty well, ma. articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured cury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c. per buttle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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In the great coal mines of Bohemia the average wages inside for nine hours is 86 cents:

Piso's Cure cannot be too highly spoken of as a cough cure.-J. W. O'Barns, 200 Third Age. M., Minnespolis, Minn., Jan. 6, 1999;

The value of the high school property in the United States is \$125,000.



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NORTH HAMBURG.

Mrs. Fletcher, of Mason, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. Weller.

Dave Bennett and family visited at Raiph Bennetts Thursday.

Mrs. I. W. Bennett and son, Adelbert, of So. Lyon, are visiting friends at this place.

Rev. and Mrs. Stephens, of Plymouth, called on John VanFleet and wife, Wednesday last.

A lawn social and musical for the benefit of Rev. G. W. Myine, will be held at the Wegand home Pettysville, on Wednesday evening, Aug. 24th. The committee urge the attendance on this occasion of all friends of the pastor and the church. The following program will be given:-Inst. solo, Lulu Benam; Solo, Henry Kice; Solo, Bert Benam, Inst. Solo, Mrs. Bert Appleton; Solo, Rev. Mylne; Solo, Florence Kice.

Wednesday the Aid were very nicely entertained at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Smith, of Lakeland. The meeting was called to order by our president, Adda Kice, and opened with an instrumental solo by Lulu Benam; all joined in singing from C. E. hymn book followed by scripture reading by Mrs. Chas. Rollison; prayer was offered by Mr. G. W. Mylne. The secretary being absent the report was omitted. Hazel Benam gave a pleasing recitation about "The Ministers visit at their House," which was heartily encored; two choice select readings were given by Mrs. Chas. Switzer and Mae Van Fleet. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in a social way.

MARION.

Bernard Murningham is having a new house built.

her brother Henry.

Joe Turner an inmate of the County House died last week.

Willis Smith is preparing to have an addition put on his barn.

Mrs. Len Parks is entertaining her brother Amos, and wife from Chicago.

Mrs. Robt. Russel and daughter, of Jackson, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred

Titmus. Mrs. Lilian Walker (nee Dickerson) and children, of Republic, are visiting friends and relatives around her old home.

WEST PUTHAM.

Will H. Gardner is suffering from su mac poison.

Mrs. Ray Backus, of Marion is visiting her parents.

H. B. Gardner who has been quite sick is some better.

Miss Mse Hackett of Detroit, is visiting at D. M. Monk's.

Miss Ella Murphy is entertaining a friend from Jackson,

Wellington White is enjoying a weeks outing at Portage lake.

Edward Spears spent Sunday with his

sister, Mrs. William Doyle. Mollie Kelly, of Ann Arbor, is enjoy-

ing a vacation with her parents.

and wife, Sundayed at Mrs. L. B. Whites. Mrs. Mary Ketchene, of Monette, Mo., is visiting friends and relatives in this church will hold an ice cream social at the vicinity.

family, spent Sunday at James Marbles' of | first effort since organizing, let all turn out Anderson.

PETTYSVILLE.

Steve VanHorn is plastering his new

Ad Mercer and wife, of Toledo, visited his parents here the past week. Ruben Gannon, of Toledo, formerly of

this place, spent Sunday with James Van Horn and family.

WEST MARION.

Geo. Bullis is painting his barn.

Randolph Corndeffer is building a silo. The busy hum of the threshing machine is again with as.

Ernest Schooly, of Fowlerville, is spending a few days at A. B. Farringtons. W. B. Miller and wife spent Sunday a

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Allen. Mrs. Will Allen and Miss Myra Wood-

worth are soon to visit friends at Traverse

The LAS will meet with Mrs. Henry Smith Beptember 8. A cordial invitation

The friends of John Heffernan are sorry

to hear of his poor health, and hope his year with such success that they make it an stay at the conitarium will prove beneficial. annual affair.

UHADILLA

Geo. Stowe has bought the Quilt place. Wm. Pyper was in Fowlerville one day

Miss Myrtle Smith is visiting relatives in White Oak.

Fred Williams, of Dansville, visited at Perry Mills' Sunday.

Pearl and Edith Hadley, of Detroit, are isiting relatives here.

father here the past week. Geo. May and wife, of Stockbridge, vis-

ted relatives here Sunday. Miss Vina Barton was the guest of rela-

lives in Pinckney last week. Holden DuBoise and family have moved

into the John Marshall house. L. M. Harris is visiting his mother and

ther relatives in New Jersey. Miss Rose Harris is visiting her sister

Mrs. Harley Andrus, in Pontiac. Nelson Bullis and wife, of Gregory called on relatives in town Sunday.

Miss Bernice Harris spent last week with Sidney Collins and wife of Lyndon. Mrs. John Watson and daughter spent

the last of last week with her mother in Lee Barton, of Pinckney, was the guest

of his cousin, Warren Barton, Saturday Misses Sarah and Grace Hudler, of Mu-

relatives here. The Unadilla Sunday school will join the surrounding schools in a picnic at North

nith, are guests of their sister and other

Lake, Tuesday Aug. 23. Eva and Raymond Stapish returned home Sunday from a weeks visit with their

sister, Mrs. John Watson of this place. Miss Erma Pyper returned home last week from a three weeks visit with her

brother Alex. and wife at Grand Ledge. Dr. DuBoise and wife after spending two weeks in Petoskey returned home last Miss Clara Love, of Howell, is visiting week. The Dr. is much improved in

> Fred Densmore who was severely kicked by his horse, two weeks ago, was able to be taken to his home in Dansville last

> Rev. Geo. E. Sharp, of the Greenwood ave. M. E. church, Jackson. will assist the pastor at Quarterly meeting services at the M. E. church here next Sunday morning.

The Grange and Farmers Club picnic as North Lake last Saturday was largely attended, and a good program was rendered. The ball game score war 9 to 5 in favor of

PLAINFIELD.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Chipman visited in Jackson the last of last week.

Mrs. Harris, of Lansing, has been visiting relatives here the past week.

Owing to poor health Harvey Ostrander

has been obliged to give up farming.

Miss Margaret Wasson is spending a few days in New York visiting friends there.

Communion services next Sunday morning at the Presbt. church, Rev. Jones

The Misses Elsie and Jessie Welhusen, of St. Johns, are taking an outing at Port-

age lake with their cousin, Bula Baughn. Remember the picnic at the grove near Lamereaux lake, Iosco, Aug. 26—held un-Chas. White and family, Frank Smith der the directions of the Iosco and Plain-

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian home of Mrs. Andrew Jackson, on Thurs-Mr. and Mrs. Kirk VanWinkle and day evening, Aug. 25. This being their and help them make the social a grand

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Vacation is almost over.

field Granges.

Some refreshing rain this week. W. E. Murphy, Gale Johnson and Marion Reason are spending the week at St. Louis taking in the World's Fair.

The L. A. S. of the Lakin appointment will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bland, Thursday, Aug. 25. Every body cordially invited.

The many friends of Wirt Parton will be glad to learn that he has been promoted by the Anketell Co. to a position in their bank at Sanilac Center.

Morley Vanghn returned Monday from Vassar where he has been spending a week with his aunt, Mrs. Ella Teeple. He reports "the time of his life."

About fifteen of the little friends of Walter Reason gathered at his home Monday to help him celebrate his nineth birthday. Of course they had a big time.

The city of Paw Paw are in the throse of their second "old home week." That city started the ball rolling in this state last

Mumie and Bianche Ruen, of Chicago, are visiting their grand persons here.

Chas. J. Teeple and wife are spending a week or more in Buffalo and at Niagara Falls.

Mrs. Floyd Reason and daughter Florence, and son Clare, are visiting her parents in Port Huron.

Does the local and other news in this issue interest you? So will every other To My Old Friends, New Friends and 92 of Mortgages, on page 164 thereof, an wished-For Friends: Eugene Joslyn, of Howell, visited his \$1.00 and keep in touch with things at

> We have added a few names to our subscription list the past week but will be glad to add many more. You certainly want your home paper to keep in touch with matters at the old home.

The Young Peoples Church Benefit Society gave Miss Eva Grimes a very pleasand farewell surprise, Tuesday evening, as she is about to leave town for an extended time. The amusements were of the most diverting kind, and refreshments excellent,

Bills were issued the past week announcing an auction sale of household goods at the Congregational parsonage Tuesday, Aug, 23d. Stephen Durfee and family, being about to move to Texas, desire to sell their household goods. Sale begins at I o'clock p. m.

James Burden of Gregory, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, could not withstand the shock and passed away Tuesday morning Mr. Burden was well k nown by a large circle, having been a best known.

Error Corrected.

amount at the end was left blank to be sharpening wheel is made of that marvelfilled at the last report but by error went to ous substance. "Carborundum." Write press without the correction. The amount | them for particulars of the little wonder.

Letter of Acceptance.

DETROIT, MICH., AUG. 16, '04. Mr. F. L. Andrews, Pinckney, Mich.

My Dear Andrews: Yours of the 15th inst. at hand notifying me of your "Old Boys' and Girls' " committee action in selecting me to act as your President. While I feel there are others who would fill the position with far more credit to the association, I want you to know that I very much appreciate the honor conferred upon me, and will do my level best to make the homecoming of the Old Boys and Girls such an occosion that not one will miss coming with

us to the biennial reunion in 1906. Thanking your committee for the honor shown, I remain, youry Resp'y, GEO. W. SYKES.

M. E. Church Notes.

No prayer meeting tonight.

During the time required to renovate and beautify the church, services will be held in the Opera House at the usual hour. There will be no preaching service next Sunday morning as Rev. Cope will hold communion services at Unadilla.

Sunday school will be held in the Opera House at 11:30. Preaching in the evening at 7:30, Rev. G. E. Sharp of Jackson will preach. Everybody welcome.

Quarterly meeting services last Sunday; Rev. Grey, of Brighton, Rev. H. Palmer, of Whitmore Lake, assisted the pastor.

Congregational Church.

Conducted by Rev. G. W. Myine.

Sunday 21st August-morning service as isual, and sermon by the pastor. In the evening he will preach at the M. E. church, Hamburg, by request.

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dated September 12, A. D. 1902, and re-

corded in the office of the Register of

Deeds for the County of Livingston, State

of Michigan, September 18, 1902, in Liber

gage was duly assigned on September 18, 1902, by the said William P. Yan Winkle

to Frank Bailey of Howell, Michigan,

same date last aforesaid in Liber 90 of

Mortgages on page 156 thereof, it being expressly provided in said mortgage that should any default be made in the pay-

ment of the interest or any part thereof on

any day when the same is made payable by the terms of said mortgage, and should the same remain unpaid and in arrear for

the space of thirty days, then and from

thenceforth, that is to say, after the lapse

of the said thirty days, the principal sum

mentioned in said mortgage, with all ar-

rearage of interest thereon, should, at the

option of the said mortgages; his executors,

administrators or assigns, become and be dueand payable immediately thereafter and

default having been made in the payment

of three installments of interest of eighteen

dollars (\$18.00) each, which, by the terms of said mortgage, became due and payable on the twelfth day of March, 1903; on the

twelfth day of September, 1908, and on the

twelfth day of March, 1904, respectively,

and more than thirty days having elapsed since each of said installments of interest

became due and payable, and the same or

any part thereof not having been paid, the

said mortgagee and assignee, by virtue of

the option in said mortgage contained, do

consider, elect and declare the said princi-

pal sum of three hundred dollars (\$300.00),

secured by said mortgage and remaining

unpaid, with all arrearage of interest there

on, to be due and payable immediatel

There is claimed to be due at the date

this notice the sum of three hundre

thirty-five dollars and seventy-seven centu

(\$335.77), and no proceedings at law or in

equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any

part thereof, notice is therefore hereby giv-

en that on Friday, the fourth day of Novem-

ber, A.D. 1904, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the west front door of

the Court House in the village of Howell.

in said county, that being the place of

holding the Circuit Court for the County

of Livingston, in which said mortgaged

premises to be sold are situated, the said

the lands, premises and property situated

in the Township of Howell, County of

Livingston and State of Michigan, de-

scribed as follows, to-wit: The undivided

one-seventh interest in the northwest quar-

ter of the northeast quarter, the north half

west half of the east half of the northeast

quarter of section number thirty (30); the

southwest quarter of the southeast quarter.

the southeast quarter of the southwest frac-

tional quarter, the east half of the north-

east quarter of the southwest fractional

quarter and the southeast quarter of the

southeast quarter of the southeast quarter

of section number nineteen (19), all in

township number three (3) north, of range

number four (4) east, and containing in all

two hundred sixty-eight (268) acres of land,

more or less, the whole of said above de-

scribed premises being occupied, mort-

Dated at Howell, Michigan, August 8.

WILLIAM P. VAN WINKLE.

WILLIAM P. VAN WINKLE, Attorney

gaged and used as one parcel and farm.

FRANK BAILEY, Assignee.

A. D. 1904.

The Ladies of the M. E. church will bold a tea at Mrs. R. E. Finch's Fritions of a certain mortgage whereby the power therein contained to sail has beday eyening, Aug. 19, from 5 o'clock until all are served. Everyone cordcome oper tive, made by Julia A. Mountain in the City of Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan, to William P. Van Winkle of Howell, Livingston County, Michigan, ially invited.

The Benk That Treats You Right."

Hail, greeting and farewell after the joyous week, and a word to remind you that in Jackson, Neb., I have "the bank which assignment was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds on the that ALWAYS treats you RIGHT," which is always hungry for more business. We pay 4 per cent. interest on time deposits, have depositors in Pinckney and seven other states, and will keep your money absolutely safe for you if favored with your business. The bank is eighteen years old past, with its total losses less than fifty dollars and not a penny of bad debts. May we number you among our customers? Write, and see how easy it is and how pleased I will be. Sincerely,

ED T. KEARNEY. Cashier Bank of Dakota County, Jackson,

(The oldest bank in the county.)

A Handy Household Tool.

We received this week from Luther Bros. Co., of North Milwaukee, Wis., one of their "Fire Fly" sharpeners, and to say that we are well pleased hardly expresses stock buyer among farmers for many years it. It will grind perfectly the lightest tool and had won many friends. He will be as well as an ax. To the housewife, carsadly missed in his home town where he is penter, butcher, mechanic or any one by whom tools are used the "Fire Fly" is indispensable. It is built for utility and convenience. Quickly and easily attached or In the write-up of St. Mary's picnic the detached from work bench or table. The We soon found it indispensable in th printing office.

Business Pointers.

mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public vendue to the highest bidder of There will be an all night hop at the premises contained in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be required to the Dexter opera house, Monday evensatisfy the amount due on said mortgage, ing, Sept. 5. Dance bill 50 cents; rewith interest and legal costs, including an freshments, a-la-carte. Good musicattorney fee of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) provided for in said mortgage, that is to say, Chamberlain & Lennon, Mngs.

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Mortgage Sale. Default having been made in the conditions of

for Mortgagee and Assignee.

a certain mortgage whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative, executed by JACOB D. GALE and SARAH GALE his wife, of Genoa, Livinesten County, Michigan, to Monnis R. VARHORE then of Marion, Livingston County, Michigan, now deceased, dated the fourth day of February, A. D. 1887, and recorded in the office of the Hegister of Deeds, for the County of Livingston, State of Michigan, in Liber 66 of mortgages, at page 152 therof; there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of Twenty seven hundred and Sixty dollars, (\$9760.00) and no precoodings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is therefore hereby given, that on Saturday, the third day of Saptember, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forencen at the west front door of the court house in the village of Howell, in said county, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for the county of Livingston, in which the mortgaged premises to be sold are cituated), the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public vendue to the highest bidder of the premises contained in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be required to latisfy the amount due on sail mortgage, with interest and legal costs including an attorney fee of thirty-five dollars provided for in said most gage; that is to say: The northeast quarter of the south east quarter of section number twentyfour (36) township two north of range four (4) East Michigan containing forty scres. Also the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section number twenty-five (%) township two north (frange four East Michigan, containing forty acres. Also the west half of the northwest fractional quarter of section number thirty ('10) in township two north of range five East Michigan containing ninety four and eighty-

two one-hundredthe (94 89-100) scree by Government survey thereof. Dated, June 6th, A. D. 1904.

JANNETTE VANHORN. Executrix etche lest Will and Testamen of Monne

William P. Van