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October 26, '07

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LOCAL NEWS.

- N. H. Caverly is ready to repair your harness.
- of his uncle, Geo. Fuller the past too high to recognize whether it was week.
- E. L. Thompson and wife are visitng relatives in Fowlerville and Howell.
- Frank Hall has been moving his goods to his newly purchased farm west of town.

Wm. Wolverton, proprietor of the Linden, Genessee county, Mills was in town on business the last week.

The hardwares have been busy the past week setting up stoves that have been stored up during the summer. Do not forget that the Heisig auc-

tion is taking place today. He has a large amount of personal property to dispose of.

Mrs. Wm. Potterton and daughter of Hamburg were guests of her parents, A. B. Green and wife a couple of days last week.

Wm Pennington sent us the past week a pumpkin that weighed an eyen 50 pounds. It was a bouncer and made pies for a week or more (?)

Mark Bell knew that the editors family must be hungry and last Friday sent us in five potatoes that weighed six pounds, and fine. One weighed just 13 pounds.

The ladies of the M. E. Church will bold their annual fair Friday and Saturday, Nov. 15-16. Then will be the time to secure Xmas gifts for your friends as many fancy articles will be on sale.

We learn that a danghter was born to Mrs. Irene Moore of Bay City recently. Mrs. Moore was the wife of E. L. Moore, dentist, who accidentally shot himself at Portage lake early this

Pinckney, Mich., Sept. 19, 1907.

"The Most Important Notice" for 1907, in to all our customers that have not settled all accounts and notes PAST DUE are requested to do so on or before October 1, and any that do not see us and arrange payment will receive a statement requesting them to pay at the Pinckney Exchange Bank November 1. Please call at our store before October 1, 1907.

Most Respy Yours,

Teeple Hardware Co.

Practically Closed Down.

The flouring mills of this place, which have been in existence ever since before the village was thought of, are practically shut down on account of lack of water, caused by the verdict of the Supreme Court ordering the water lowered 20 inches. There is not enough water to run the flouring stand at all and the feed can only run at less than one-third its capacity and then does not do good work.

It seems to bad that such a state of things should exist over a small parcel of land of as little value as that in question. The mill has always been and still is a great factor in the building and keeping up of the village and some move should be made to recain

Mr. Peters purchased the mill several years ago of Thos. Birkett and has commenned suit against him for damage, the suit being on at this term of court and the end is not yet.

See the Ballon!

The cry of "see the ballon" was meant in earnest Tuesday noon as one of the ballons that started in the race Monday from St. Louis, Mo., was seen passing directly over the village head-A. Kies of Leroy, Ill., was the guest ed east, bearing a little south. It was the American baloon or not, Others report seeing one at a different hour so it is thought that two of them passed over here.

Cong' / Church Notes

Last Sunday morning Communion Service was observed. Rev. Gates preached a very impressive sermon, Subject, Jesus and his blood, Matt. 26-28. The attendance was good.

Subject in the eyening, A broken and contrite heart. The thoughts presented from the evening subject closed the days service fittinly. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

M. E. Church Notes.

Services as usual next Sunday and the sacrament of the Lords Supper will be administered in the morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Scheonballs of Chelsea spent Sunday with her parents, R. W. Lake and wife.

S. G. Teeple of this place and W. H. S. Wood of Howell have been drawn from this county to serve as U.S. jurors.

Geo. Culy was called to Battle Creek on Friday last to attend the funeral of his little grandson who died suddenly Thursday.

S. G. Teeple recovered the old family horse that was stolen a couple of weeks ago and there is hopes of finding the man that stole it. The horse him to the House of Correction in had changed hands two or three times-

The Sayles family reunion was held Saturday Oct. 19. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Sayles in this village. Owing to a recent death in the family only about 25 met to enjoy the pleassocial visit. Guests were present from St. Ignace and Stockbridge. A bounteons dinner was served and the day was one that will long be remembered by those present.

The 7th annual fair of the Cong'l society will be held at the opera house Friday and Saturday of this week, Friday the sale of articles from the booths will begin at 3 p.m. Supper from five until all are served. Price 20 cents. Saturday night the annual chicken pie, also fried chicken and biscuit supper including many good things the ladies know so well how to serve. Price 25 cents. Those who have not contributed for the booths. please hand or send their donations in as early as possible Friday and help a good cause along. Everyone cordially invited to come and have a good time. See Our New Books The Finest Line for Gifts

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lage of Pinckney. . . .

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Our new Fall line of hosery is full of BARGAINS

Even at the high price of cottons we have not advanced the price of Stockings

Ask to see No. 14 for Boys, Misses and Children at Ask to see No. 415 for Boys, Misses and Children at Ask to see No. 15 for Boys at

121c 15c

November Style Book and a Stamped Collar Pattern for the asking

W. W. BARNARD

Mr. and Mrs. Alphus Smith are entertaining Mr. Smith's brother and wife of Newark, N. J. It has been 20 years since they visited this place and find many changes.

from the U. of M. accompanied by their friend Dr. Carmichel of Ann Arbor. They spent the day hunting squirrels, reporting fine sport. We are glad to learn that they like their work and are doing fine.

Howell had a "Jack the spitter" until last week. For some time some unknown person has been spitting tobacco juice on ladies white dresses in Howeli and a week ago the officers arrested Bert Salsbury, who confessed to the crime and Justic Harger sent Detroit for ninety days.

Farm Wanted

Anyone having a farm for sale can perhaps find a customer y writing me at once giving full particulars as to Sigler Bros. were home Saturday land, buildings, water. location, and cash price. Any where from 40 to

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At Home.

PINCKNEY,

"I never was a hand to go gawping round!" contemptuously exclaimed an old woman who boasted of never having and a railway train or a trolley car or any town but her own. The zeneration of stay-at-homes in the country is perhaps passing away—the women-they were chiefly womenwho prided themselves on their selfimprisonment on farm or in village as a virtue, serving to demonstrate their devotion to home and children and duty. There is a class of men in the business world who have the same point of view in regard to the object of life. Such a one, dying at the age of 88, left a record of 55 years as the head of a banking house, during which he had been absent from his desk but two days-and those were accounted for by a sprained ankle. No vacation, no travel, no day of summer leisure with wife and children-55 years of steady, unswerving routine! There is something impressive in the story of a lifetime of persistent toil. But there is another point of view which deserves respect. The gadabout may be a useless member of society; but the stay-at-home is likely to be a narrow one. We find ourselves on this little planet, with its oceans and mountains and mighty rivers and wide prairies. We know not whence we came, nor if we shall ever pass this way again. Surely, exclaims Youth's Companion, we may do our task better in our own appointed place if we look about the world, feed our minds with the glories of nature, and discover how men and women before us have lived their lives, and embodied their aspirations

grass grow where only one grew before was long ago pointed out as deserving well of his fellow creatures, into service, Lieutenant Governor Kelbut if distinction is due to such a ley refusing to allow senate officials one, what, asks the Chicago News, shall to said of the man who develops no tribute of honor and gratitude could be too great for such a one. Prof. Gilman A. Drew of the Universuch debt will eventually be paid, for he has been conducting studies and experiments which lead him to believe that there is no biological reason why a hen should not lay more than one egg a day. This being true it follows that the same American enterprise which increases the quantity of all turned to the hen and compel her to from the house. do her full duty. A hen's time is of no value in other directions, and if permitted. She should have no afternoons off. The eyes of the world are now expectantly fixed on Drew and the further results of his experiments.

The man who makes two blades of

ing and sculpture.

A New York woman who is a famous authority on cooking has gone bankrupt while endeavoring to cater to the appetites of the people of her town, where she ran two restaurants. This innocent person should have known not being played. The bill was gone that the way to make money in New York is to lay in a dozen celluloid sandwiches and a large stock of alcoholic beverages. To try to tempt the New Yorker with good cooking is one of the strangest vagaries thus far recorded, declares the Chicago News. What he wants is something to stimulate his thirst, not allay his appetite. It is well known that good cooking tends to destroy the craving for drink. Yet this expert in the culinary art deliberately undertook to practice her specialty in Gotham! New Yorkers do not want their craving for drink destroyed, so they probably breathe more freely, now that the scientific cookshops have landed in bankruptcy.

The New York board of education is to investigate the question of corporal punishment, as it has been charged | 75 to 4. that the discipline of the schools has been undermined by the powerlessness of the teachers to punish and the advantage taken by the children in their knowledge of this immunity. Is Solomon to be vindicated in these modern times and his wisdom admitted when he said that to spare the rod was to spoil the child? In his own day, it may be remembered, Solomon was considered a very wise man, and his record has not been signally broken by modern sages

Minchney Misspatch PASS PRIMARY BILL

Legislature Adopts Amended Law Before Closing Special Session; Five Vote Against It.

ONE PRIMARY NEW FEATURE

Retains 40 Per Cent Clause and Provides Nomination of U. S. Senators; Upper House Abuses Warner, Returning Message.

WHAT THE SPECIAL SESSION HAS DONE.

PASSED THESE BILLS.

General primary bill, fixing the first Tuesday in September as general

Military bill, increasing the per capita tax from five to six cents, appropriating \$40,000 for state armories and providing pay for enlisted men. Juvenile court bill, giving probate court charge of all such cases. Bill for the annexation of part of the village of Fairview to the city of

Bill authorizing the state asylum at Newberry to purchase land. Bill amending act relative to the purchase of voting machines.

REFUSED TO PASS THESE.

Bill authorizing refunding of Wayne county road tax.

To place telegraph and telephone companies under the ad valorem system of taxation. To authorize the state board of tax commissioners to value the ocean

mileage of express companies in computing the valuation of these companies. To restrict lobbying by requiring lobyists to register, and compelling corporations employing them to make a statement of amounts paid them.

To restrict watering of stock and over-capitalization by steam and electric railroads by giving the board of railroad commissioners supervision over

Sensation followed sensation in the final session of the legislature. First,

task for failing to pass the kind of a primary election bill he favored. in the great arts of building and paint- The members retaliated by endeavoring to secure a quorum in the senate law. in order that a stinging rebuke in the form of a resolution might be read into the record. In the effort to secure a quorum the Lansing chief of police and two officers were pressed to search for the missing men.

Shortly before time for adjournment a quorum was secured through a race of hens that would habitually the efforts of the police and the scalay more than one egg a day? Surely ate resolution was passed and went into the record. The vote was 15 to 2. The legislature succeeded in passing the boxers' primary bill, the administrationists capitulating at the last mosity of Maine may be the one to whom | ment and running up the white flag. They declared the boxers' bill was better than none at all.

PRIMARY BILL FIGHT.

In token of defeat the senate administration force reported out the boxer five counties in the state. primary bill and passed it with dispatch, meekness and resignation.

This decision was reached after a conference following the defeat of the other agricultural products will be Dickinson bill that had been sent over

It was a foregone conclusion that the session could not be held over another day and the administrationists she can occupy what has hitherto been came to the conclusion that they did that point. idle leisure in producing more eggs, not care to accept the responsibility then no laziness on her part should be of having the session close without at least abolishing the double primary

system which has proved so costly. Senator Fyfe acted as spokesman, and in reporting out the bill said that while it was not just the kind of a bill that ought to be passed, he was convinced that it was the best that could be obtained under the circumstances. The boxers were so taken by surprise that they could hardly believe their not be overlooked that it threw the senses and there was a rush for the clerk's desk to see if some trick was waited until the last moment, fondly over very carefully to see that no and finally, with defeat but a question changes had been made and then the of minutes, they wilted. work of passing the bill was taken up.

Senator Fyfe wanted to insert an amendment that would make it clear was meant.

from chagrin. recess. Representative Dickinson de- 40 acres. voted twenty minutes to explaining the provisions of the bill and pointing

So far as being a workable measure trial Thursday morning in the circuit at \$1 13 1/4, declined to \$1 12 3/4, advanced the new bill is vastly superior to the court, Saginaw. The aged prisoner to the opening price and declined to present law. In addition it provides pleaded not guilty and is defended by for one primary day instead of two J. P. Devereaux, of Chesaning. His and gives the people a chance to nomdemeanor has not changed since the 3 cars at 70 ½c, closing at 70c.

Oats—Cash No. 3 white, 2 cars at inate candidates for United States day of his arrest on the charge of 57½c; No. 4 white, 1 car at 57c; sample, senator. The big point on which the killing his wife with a club and he still, 1 car at 57c governor lost out is the provision relinsists that he is innocent. quiring that candidates for governor and lieutenant governor must secure two weeks and a large number of wit- \$1 89; January, \$1 88. 40 per cent of the vote cast to secure nesses were subpensed by the state. a nomination is retained. The practive evidence is entirely circumtical effect of this is that unless some stantial. candidate for governor shows that he is the popular choice the nomination will be made by a state convention. 'at green apples and died.

Some Glaring Defects.

There are several glaring defects in Governor Warner read the riot act to the bill, due to the prejudice that exthe legislature in a final message, ists in some sections of the state, as when he took the members to reflected by their senators, as to how far the primary system should be extended. Several senatorial districts now operating under the primary system will be affected under the new

It is provided that in senatorial districts where all the counties do not operate under the primary, the proposition must be resubmitted by petition. Under the last senatorial reapportionment several primary counties were joined to convention countles, with the result that they will have to petition to have the primary proposition submitted and in case the convention county polls the largest vote will not get it.

The biggest change from the present law is the provision relating to the election of delegates to the county convention which in turn elects delegates to the state convention. It is provided that only counties which mary system shall elect delegates to 313 injured as the result of automosystem. This will hit some thirty-

Wayne Back to Caucuses.

It will result in throwing Wayne back to the caucus system to choose delegates to the county convention, for the reason that Wayne, Kent, Muskegon and Alpena counties are exempted from the provisions of the bill, and Wayne has no local act to cover

Summed up, the bill aims to make the primary system optional instead of compulsory in the various districts. "We are greatly pleased with the working features of the bill," was the

only comment that Attorney-General Bird had to make regarding the bill. That the administrationists are mad clear through is putting it mildly, but they were outgeneraled. The boxer bill had so many features that could burden of action upon them. They

hoping that some boxer would desert

Found a Coal Mine.

that the 40 per cent provision applied gan Odd Fellows were fortunate in to the governor and lieutenant gov- buying Cooley park, of 81 acres, in ernor, specifically, but even this was Jackson, for the home for aged memdenied him, the others contending that bers and orphans. They secured with the context showed very cleraly what it a coal mine. The coal is from two to four feet thick and the average On the final passage of the bill the quality of Jackson county coal. It is vote was 28 to 2. Whitney and Ely found at a depth of 60 feet on the voting against it, the former because west and between 90° and 100 feet on he is against primary reform and Ely the eastern part of the property. W. F. Ward, who owns adjoining coal The house had adopted the senate leases, says this coal will yield from concurrent resolution to wind up busi- 3,000 to 7,000 tons per acre and that ness at midnight when the bill was the revenue would amount to from sent over and it was decided to get \$250 to \$700 per acre. He estimates the thing over with before taking any that the coal covers an area of about

Peter Clark's Trial.

own bill, after which it was passed, with the murder of his wife near Mer75 to 4.

The case of Peter Clark, Chargon | Detroit.—Wheat—Cash No. 1 cd., control of the murder of his wife near Mer\$1.06; December opened unchanged at \$1.07%, lost ½c, recovered the loss and declined again to \$1.06%; May opened

The trial is expected to take about

Selina Pearise, aged 4, of Pontiac,

Taft to the Filipinos.

Secretary Taft opened the Philippine assembly in the National theater Thursday morning in the presence of a large growd of people.

In his address Mr. Taft reiterated his former statement regarding the Philippine islands, declaring that his views announced two years ago regarding the independence of the Philippine people were unchanged. He did not believe that they would be fitted to govern themselves for at least a generation, but he added that the matter was entirely in the hands of CONGRESS.

The secretary denied emphatically that the United States had any intention of disposing of the islands, said he had absolute confidence in the Fillpinos, denied that he was disappointed in their inability to legislate conservatively, and asserted his belief that they felt their responsibilities and acknowledged the necessity of supporting the American government. Mr. Taft refrained from making any suggestions regarding specific legislation on the part of the Philippine assembly, but he recommended that attention be paid to the civil service.

Fighting Chinese Boxers.

The imperial Chinese troops detached from the Yang-tse-Kiang valley cantonments since the anti-missionary outbreak at Nan-Kang-Sien, have driven the so-called Boxer rebels into the mountains on the borders of Kwang-Tung. In an engagement at Chung-Yi, the troops killed 70 of the insurgents. The government has cashiered many local officials on account of the disorders in the south of China, all of which the government believes, were connected with the revolutionary movement and especially with the anti-Manchu organization headed by Sun-Yat-Sen.

Trouble on Lake Steamers.

Typhoid fever has caused trouble on several lake vessels the past season, and this has resulted in the issuance of an order at Washington directing the surgeons in charge of marine hospitals at lake ports to make rigid examination of all vessels where typhoid has been reported. Water tanks are the most likely sources of typhoid germs if they are not closely watched, and these will receive particular attention at the hands of the examining

Cholera Spreading.

The cholera which has been spreading the whole past summer from Samara has now broken out violently in Kieff. There were 180 cases Wednesday, and Thursday there were 30 deaths. The city was unprepared, there are insufficient quarters, and corpses are lying on the hospital floors. It is feared that the infection is being disseminated throughout the south-

An Auto Record.

tween June 21 and September 21 of been heard from them. nominate county officers by the pri- this year 41 persons were killed and the county convention by the primary bile accidents in the state of Massachusetts, as far as they were recorded by the association. This covered 211 collisions, an average of 21/2 daily.

THE MARKETS.

heifers, 800 to 1,000, \$4604 65; grass picked up on the hill 100 yards away." steers and heifers that are fat, 800 to ,000, \$4 $\mathcal{O}4$ 65; grass steers and heifchoice fat cows, \$3 75@3 85; good fat @2 85; canners, \$1 25@1 75; choice lognas, hulls, \$3@3 15; stock bulls, \$2 50@2 75; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000, \$3 50@3 85; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000, \$3@3 50; choice stockers, 500 to 700, \$2 85@3 25; fair stockers, 500 to 700, \$2 50@2 75; milkers, large, young, medium age, \$40@50; common milkers, \$20@35.

last week; best grades, \$7 75@8; others \$3 50@7; milch cows and springers

than last week; best lambs, \$6 75; fair to good lambs, \$6@6 25; light to common lambs, \$4@5; yearlings, \$5; fair to good butcher sheep, \$4@4 75; culls and

Hogs-Market, good grades 10c to 15c, and pigs 30c to 40c lower. Range of prices: Light to good butchers, \$6 40 @ 6 50; pigs, \$5 50@5 75; light yorkers, It has been discovered that Michi- \$6 25@6 40; roughs, \$5 25@5 50; stags,

> \$4 25@5; hest fat cows. \$3 25@3 75; fair to good, \$2@2 50; medium, \$1 75@ trimmers, \$1 50; best fat

\$1 12½; No. 2 red, \$1 03; mixed white, 1 car at \$1 06½; No. 1 white, \$1 06. Corn—Cash No. 3, 69c; No. 3 yellow.

Rye-Cash No. 2, 3 cars at 91c. Beans—Cash, \$2 15; October, \$2 15 bid; November, \$1 95 bid; December, Cloverseed—Prime spot and October, \$10 75; December, \$10; March, \$10 10; sample, 20 bags at \$10 75, 25 at \$10 25, 15 at \$10, 12 at \$9. 5 at \$8 50, 4 at \$8; prime states \$2. 75; sample, alates prime alsike, \$9 75; sample alsike, 6 bags at \$9 50, 5 at \$8. Timothy seed-Prime spot, 20 bags at

AWFUL EXPLOSION OF POWDER MILLS.

FONTANET, IND., WRECKE

The Whole Village Wiped Out and th Country Round About is Panic Stricken.

Inhabitants Homeless.

From 25 to 30 persons dead and dying, 100 injured and every house in Fontanet destroyed, rendering 700 residents homeless, is the result of the explosion of the mills of the Dupont Powder Co., near Fontanet, at 9:15 o'clock Tuesday. The mills burned and the bodies of the killed cannot be recovered. Every building in the town and within a radius of half a mile, including the school hou e, is wrecked. The Big Four railroad ran a special train to the scene of the accident with physicians and the injured were brought to the hospitals in Brazil. Supt. Monahan, of the powder mills, is missing and is supposed to be in the debris. Panic prevailed among the

residents of the surrounding country. There were three explosions shortly after 9 o'clock and a fourth one at 10 o'clock, in which a number of the physicians were slightly injured, among them Drs. Willien and Moore, of Brazil.

The shock from the explosion was felt in Indianapolis. At Crawfordsville, 35 miles from Fontanet, the shock cracked a brick wall and sank tiling in a floor one inch. At Brazil, Ind., 15 miles from Fontanet, nearly all the windows in town were shattered and many buildings damaged. The full force of med, 100, was employed at the powder mill, which was working to its capacity to supply orders.

A slight shock similar to that of an earthquake, was noticed in Cincinnati. Prof. Porter, of the University of Cincinnati, reported it as very slight, but distinctly noticeable. In southern Indiana several points reported a shock in a more severe form and it was

also reported from Hamilton, O. Burned and mangled in every conceivable way, writhing and distorted, the rescued heap of dead and dying presented a ghastly sight and the screams of agony were nerve-racking.

Supt. Monahan, of the plant, was sitting in his office at the time of the explosion. He was instantly killed. His body was not found. His home, not far from the mills, was blown to A report issued by the Safe Roads | pieces. It is believed his wife and Automobile association shows that be- two sisters perished, as nothing has

> State Supt. Nash, of the Dupont Powder Co., who was seriously injured about the head and hips, at a hospital

"Supt. Monahan, myself and T. T. Kellup, representative of the Eastern Co., of Wilmington, Del., were in the business office. Monahan and I were looking over the morning's mail, Mr. Detroit.—Cattle—Extra dry-fed steers Kellup was reading a newspaper. That and heifers, \$5.30; steers and heifers, is the last I remember until I was 1,000 to 1,200, \$4.50@4.85; steers and nicked up on the hill 100 words area."

Preparing for War.

Gen. Linevitch, commander-in-chief of the Russian Siberian army, has reported to the general staff in St. Petersburg as follows:

"The Japanese government is erecting hastily in Manchuria and Korea fortifications and sending enormous quantities of ammunition to the place. Under disguise of various business en-Veal calves-Market 25c lower than terprises they are buying properties from Chinamen in all the stragically important points adjoining our Sheep and lambs-Market 25c lower Siberian frontier, especially around Vladivostok and Blagoveshtchensk, to accumulate the ammunition.

"Hundreds of similar cases indicate the preparation of war. Similar preparations are reported in the navy and in the harbor of Koraskoff in Sagha-

Carnegie Defends the Negro.

Andrew Carnegie, in an address at the Philosophical institution in Edinburg, appeared as the champion of the negro in the United States. He traced their development from slaves to citizens, the gradual decrease of illiteracy among them, their participation in church affairs, and told of the enormous expenditure of money for churches and schools.

Mr. Carnegie contended that the negro is a saving man, and he repudiat: ed the idea that he is lazy. The negro, Sheep—Market slow; best lambs, he said, has become of immense eco7 30@7 40; culls, \$5 50@6; yearlings, nomic value and is indispensable. Mr.
7 75@6; wethers, \$5 5005 75; ewes, Carnegie admitted, however that the negro problem is still unsolved.

Floods Cause Great Distress.

Dispatches from the center and south of France confirm the worst reports of destruction caused by the floods. The rivers Loire, Rhone and Saone and their tributaries are raging. torrents, the water in some places be ing the highest ever recorded. In hundreds of cities and towns there is from two to ten feet of water in the streets, Great distress has resulted,

Railroad traffic is utterly disorganized. At places the roadbeds have been washed away and the stations are nnder water.

Fortunately the storm center is now moving seaward, the weather clearing and the worst appears to be over.



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June day, since Tim's harsh, "Come, out wid ye," had roused her to daily toil, until now, wearled and disconsolate, she had crept, barefoot, up the back stairs to her room, not one moment's rest or one kindly word had been hers.

Below, in the one living room of Tim's Place, the men were grouped playing cards, and the medley of their oaths, their laughter, the thump of knuckles on the bare table, and the pungent odor of pipes, reached her through the floor cracks. Outside the fireflies twinkled above the slow-running river and along the stump-dotted hillside. Close by, a few pigs dozed contentedly in their rudely constructed sty.

A servant to those scarce fit for servants, a menial at the beck and call of all Tim's Place, and laboring with the men in the fields. Chip, a girl of aimost 16, felt her soul revolt at the filth, the brutality, the coarse existence of those whose slave she was.

And what a group they were!

First, Tim Connor, the owner and master of this oasis in the wilderness, 60 miles from the nearest settlement; his brother, Mike, as coarse; their wives and a half a dozen children who played with the pigs, squealed as often for food, and were left to grow up the same way; and Pierre Lubec, the hired man, completed the score.

There was another transient resident here, an old Indian named Tomah, who came with the snow, and deserted his hut below on the river bank when spring unlocked that stream.

Two occasional visitors also came here, both even more objectionable to Chip than Tim and his family. One was her father, known to her to be an outlaw and escaped murderer in hiding; the other a half-breed named Bolduc, but known as One-Eyed Pete, a trapper and hunter whose abode was a log cahin on the Fox Hole, ten miles away. His face was horribly scarred by a wildcat's claws; one eye-socket was empty; his lips, chin, and protruding teeth were always tobacco stained. For three months now, he had made weekly calls at Tim's Place, in pursuit of Chip. His wooing, as might be expected, had been a persistent leering at her with his one sinister eye, oftrepeated innuendoes and insinuations of lascivious nature, scarce understood by her, with now and then attempted familiarity. These advances had met with much the same reception once ! accorded him by the wildcat.

she could not guess, and yet some speed down the river! queer intuition told her that it conlistening.

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then the sound of whispered converse, tures, yellow-eyed and sharp-fanged! low yet distinct; reached Chip from window.

hunerd more when you fotch her."

ather's answer, in almost a hiss.

heart came to Chip.

Pete's voice.

"What, 60 miles to a settlement? For must be a damn fool!" "An' if she no mind me?"

Wal, thrash her then; she's yours." Pete: "I gif you one-feefty now, an' one hunerd when she come."

quick about it, or I'll take her out to | crawling things seemed all about.

morrow, and you'll never see her again; so fork over."

"And you lotch her to-morrow?" "Yes, I told you.". And so the has gain was concluded.

Only a moment more, while Chip sat numb and dazed, then came the sound of foctsteps, as the two men separated, and then silence over Tim's Place.

And yet, what a horror for Chip! Sold like a horse or a pig to this worse than disgusting half-breed, and on the morrow to be taken—no, dragged—to the half-breed's but by her hated father.

Hardly conscious of the real intent and object of this purchase, she yet understood it dimly. Life here was bad enough-it was coarse, unloved. even filthy, and yet, hard as it was, it was a thousand times better than slavery with such an owner.

And now, still weak and trembling from the shock, she raised her head cautiously and peeped out of the window. A faint spectral light from the rising moon outlined the log barn, the two log cabins, and pigsty, which, with the frame house she was in, comprised Tim's Place. Above and beyond where the forest enclosed the hillside, it shone brighter, and as Chip looked out | she could at least plunge and die, as a upon the etheral silvered view, away to the right she saw the dark opening Chip was very tired. All that long into the old tote road. Up this they had brought her, eight years before. Never since had she traversed it; and yet, as she looked at it now, an inspiration born of her father's sneer came to her.

It was a desperate chance, a foolhardy step—a journey so appalling, so almost hopeless, she might well hesitate; and yet, escape that way was her one chance. Only a moment longer she waited, then gathering her few belongings—a pair of old shoes, the moccasins Old Tomah had given her, a skirt and jacket fashioned from Tim's cast-off garments, a fur cap, and soft felt hat-she thrust them into a soiled pillow-case and crept down the stairs.

Once out, she looked about, listened, then darted up the hillside, straight for the tote road entrance. Here she paused, put on her moccasins, and looked back.

The moon, now above the tree-tops, shone full upon Tim's Place, softening and silvering all its ugliness and all





The Ever Present Menace of a Wil derness Assailed Her.

Tomah's hut, across the river, a shin ing path bright and rippled.

In spite of the awful dread of her situation and the years of her hard, unpaid, and ofttimes cursed toil, a pang of regret now came to her. This was her home, wretched as it was. Both these visitors were now with Here she had at least been fed and the group below. That fact was of no warmed in winters, and here Old Tointerest to Chip, except in connection | mah had shown her kindness. Oh, if with a more pertinent one—a long con- he were only in his hut now, that she ference she had observed between | might go and waken him softly, and them that day. What it was about, beg him to take her in his canoe and

But no! only her own desperate cerned her. Ordinarily, she would courage would now avail, and realizing have sought sleep in her box-on-legs that this look upon Tim's Place was bed; now she crouched on the floor, the last one, she turned and fled down the path. Sixty miles of stony, bush-For an hour the game and its med-encumbered, brier-grown, seldom-trayley of sounds continued; then cessa- eled road lay ahead of her! Sixty tion, the tramp of heavily shod feet, miles through the somber silence and the light extinguished, and finally—persistent menace of a wilderness, silence. A few minutes of this, and peopled only by death-intending crea

With only a sickening, soul-nauseoutside. Cautiously she crept to her lating fate awaiting her at Tim's Place, and her sole escape this almost insane "I gif you one hunerd dollars now, flight, she sped on. The faint, spectral for se gal," Pete was saying, "an' one rifts of moonlight through interlaced fir and spruce as often deceived as aid-"It's three hundred down, I've told ed her; bending boughs whipped her, ye, or we don't do business," was her bushes and logs tripped her, sharp stones and pointed sticks bit her; A pain like a knife piercing her she hurried over hillocks, wallowed through sloughs and dashed into tan-"But s'pose she run away?" came in gles of briers, heedless of all except her one mad impulse to escape.

Soon the ever present menace of a wilderness assailed her,—the yowl of a wildcat close at hand; in a swamp, the sharp bark of a wolf; on a hillside But I no gif so much," parleyed above her, the hoot of an owl; and when after two hours of this desperate flight had exhausted her and she "You'll give what I say, and be was forced to halt, strange creeping.

of Old Tomah returned to her. With home of a broad, slow-running stream, him the forest was people by a weird; uncanny race, sometimes visible, and sometimes not-"spites," he called them, and they were the souls of both man and beast; sometimes good, sometimes evil, according as they had been in life, and all good or ill luck was due to their ghostly influences. They foilowed the hunter and trapper day and night, luring him into safety or danger, as they chose. They were everywhere, and in countless numbers, ready and sure to avenge all wrongs and zeward all virtues. They had a Chieftain also, a great white spectra who came forth from the north in winter, and swept across the wilderness, spreading death and terror.

To Chip, educated only in the fantastic lore of Old Tomah, these terrors now became insanity breeding. She could not turn back-better death among the spites than slaving to the half-breed; and so, faint from awful fear, gasping from miles of running, she stumbled on. And now a little hope came, for the road bent down beside the river, and its low voice seemed a word of cheer. Into its cool depths last resort.

Soon an opening showed ahead, and a bridge appeared. Here, for the first time, on this vantage point, she halted. How thrice blessed those knotted logs now seemed! She hugged and patted them in abject gratitude. She crawled to the edge and looked over into the dark, gurgling water. Up above lay a faint ripple of silver. Here, also, she could see the moon almost at the zenith, and a few flickering stars.

A trifle of courage and renewal of hope now came. Her face and hands were scratched and bleeding, clothing torn, feet and legs black with mud. But these things she neither noticed nor felt—only that blessed bridge of logs that gave her safety, and the moon that bade her hope.

Then she began to count her chances. This landmark told her that five miles of her desperate journey had been covered and she was still alive. She began to calculate. How soon would her escape be discovered, Pete, her purchaser, she felt sure, and to Pete Bolduc." its squalor. Away to the left stood | there was a possible chance that he might return to his cabin before doing Or perhaps he might sleep late, and thus give her one or two hours more of time.

> And now cheered by this trifling hope and lessening sense of danger, her past life came back. Her childhood in a far-off settlement; the home always in a turmoil from the strange men and women ever coming and going; the drinking, swearing, singing, at all hours of the night, her constant fear of them and wonder who they were and why they came. There were other features of this disturbed life: frequent quarrels between her father and mother; curses, tears, and sometimes blows, until at last after a night more hideous than any other her mother had taken her and fled. Then came a long journey to another village and a new life of peace and quietness. Here it was all so different-no redshirted men to be afraid of, no loudvoiced women drinking with them. She became acquainted with other children of her own age, was sent to school and taken to church. Here, also, her mother began to smile once more, and look content. For two years, and the only ones Chip cared to recall, she had been a happy schoolgirl, and then came a sudden, tragic end to it all. Of that she never wished to think. It was all so horrible, and yet so mercifully brief.

The one friend life held, her mother, had been brought home, wounded to man?" death amid the whirring wheels of the life ebbed away, a whisper or two of i love and longing, and then the sad farewell made doubly awful by her father's frowning face and harsh voice. At its ending, and in spite of her fears and tears, she was now borne away by him. For days they journeyed deeper and deeper into a vast wilderness, to it drizzle on his chin, 'n' he hain't but halt at last at Tim's Place.

Like a dread dream it all came back now, as she lay there on this one flat spot of security—the bridge—and listened to the river's low murmur.

All through her mad flight the wilderness had been ghostly and spectral in the moonlight; now it had become lost in inky blackness, yet alive with demoniac voices. All the goblin forms and hideous shapes of Old Tomah's fancy were rushing and leaping about. Now high up in the treetops, now deep ! in the hollows, they screamed and shrieked and moaned.

And now, just as this fierce battle of worst, and Chip, a hopeless, helpless mite of humanity, crouched low upon the bridge, suddenly a vicious growl reached her, and raising her head she saw at the bridge's end two gleaming

CHAPTER II.

Martin Frisbie and his nephew Raymond Stetson, or Ray, were cutting boughs and carrying them to two tents placing tin dishes, knives and forks -Youth's Companion.

And now the erratic, fantastic belief and a low table of boards. Upon the two cances were drawn out, and halfway between these and the table a camp-fire burnt.

Here Levi, Martin's guide for many trips into this wilderness, was also occupied, intently watching two pails depending from bending wambecks, a coffee-pot hanging from another, and two frying-pans, whose sputtering contents gave forth an enticing odor.

Twilight was just falling, the river murmured in low melody, and a few rods above a small rill entered it, adding a more musical tinkle.

Soon Levi deftly swung one of the pails away from the flame with a hookstick and speared a potato with a fork.

"Supper ready," he called; and then as the rest seated themselves at the table, he advanced, carrying the pail of steaming hot potatoes on the hooked stick and the frying-pan in his other

The meal had scarce begun when a crackling in the undergrowth back of the tent was heard, and on the instant there emerged a girl. Her clothing was in shreds, her face and hands were black with mud, streaks of blood showed across cheek and chin, and her eyes were fierce and sunken.

"For God's sake give me suthin' to eat," she said, looking from one to another of the astonished group. "I'm damn near starved—only a bite," she added, sinking to her knees and extending ber hands. "I hain't eat nothin' but roots 'n' berries for three days." 'Angle was the first to recover. 'Here," she said, hastily extending her

plate, "take this." Without a word the starved creature grasped it and began eating as only a desperate, hungry animal would, while the group watched her.

"Don't hurry so," exclaimed Martin, whose wits had now returned. "Here, take this cup of coffee."

Soon the food vanished and then the girl arose. "Sit down again, my poor child," entreated Angie, who had observed the strange scene with moist eyes, "and tell us who you are and where you came from."

"My name's Chip," answered the girl, bluntly, "an' I'm runnin' away and who would pursue her? Only from Tim's Place, 'cause dad sold me

> "Sold-you-to-Pete-Bolduc," exclaimed Angie, looking at her wideeyed. "What do you mean?"

"He did, sartin," answered the girl, laconically. "I heerd 'em makin' the bargain, 'n' I fetched three hundred dollars."

Martin and his wife exchanged glances.

"Well, and then what?" continued

Angie. "Wal, then I waited a spell, til they'd turned in," explained the girl, "and then I lit out. I knowed 'twas 60 miles to the settlement, but 'twas moonlight 'n' I chanced it. I've had an awful time, though, the spites hev chased me all the way. I was jist makin' a nestle when I seed yer light an' I crept through the brush 'n peeked. I seen ye wa'n't nobody from Tim's Place, 'n' then I cum out. guess you've saved my life. I was gittin' dizzy."

It was a brief, blunt story whose directness bespoke truth; but it revealed such a pigsty state of morality at this Tim's Place that the little group of astonished listeners could scarce finish supper or cease watching this muchsoiled girl.

"And so your name is Chip," queried Angie at last. "Chip what?"

"Chip McGuire," answered the waif, quickly; "only my real name ain" Chip, it's Vera; but they've allus called me Chip at Tim's Place."

"And your father sold you to this

"He did, 'n' he's a damn bad man," mill where she worked; there were a replied Chip, readily. "He killed some few hours of agonized dread as her hody once, an' he don't show up often. I hate him!"

"You mustn't use swear words," returned Angie; "it's not nice."

The girl looked abashed. "I guess you'd cuss if you'd been sold to such a nasty-looking man as Pete," she responded, "He chaws terbaccer 'n' lets

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

ARE LOFTIEST OF MINES.

Worked by Incas and Now to Be Opened by New Comparty.

It is thought that the old Caylloma silver mines in Peru are probably sit uated at a greater elevation than any other considerable mines in the world. Their altitude varies between 14,000 and 17,000 feet. They were worked by the Spaniards in the sixteenth century, and before that, it is believed, by the sound and spectral shape was at its Incas. An English company is now preparing a hydro-electric plant for them. This plant will be situated at an altitude of between 15,000 and 16, 000 feet. It will derive its power from a waterfall on the Santiago river, and in a dry season from Lake Huaillacho. one of the sources of the Amazon. The power will be transmitted by cable about three miles. At the highest mines the pressure of the atmosphere standing in the mouth of a bush- is only eight and one-half pounds a choked opening into the forest. In square inch, and water boils 24 defront of this Angle, Martin's wife, was grees below the ordinary boiling point.

HUSKS STILL GROWN

an abundance of food for THE PRODICAL SONS.

Arabs and Moors Eat Carobs—Cyprus Exports Them as Food for Cattle to a Very Large Extent

The "husks" of the parable of the prodigal son are still extant in the countries bordering on the Mackets ranean. Consul General G. E. Ravedal writes from Beirut as follows comcerning this food:

"Arabs and Moors eat them. In the south of Et rope carobs are employed as food for horses, cattle and swine. In Cyprus, next to barley, they canstitute the principal article for export. The total yield of the island of carobs or locust beans (not to be confounded with St. John's bread), in 1906, amounted to 69,000 tons. In August the carob tree is seen bearing both flowers and ripe fruit. The latter is a pod, brown and leathery, four to eight inches long, a little curved, and containing a fleshy and at last mealy pulp, of an agreeable sweet taste, in which lie a number of shining brown seeds; these are bitter and of no use.

"On account of the abundant sugar contained in carobs, the latter form a nutritious and fattening food for horses and cattle. England, for the feeding of cattle, imports large quantities of carobs, in the form of flour (that they may be more digestible) from Spain, Italy, Crete, Samos and Cyprus. Most of the Cyprus carobs however, are exported in bulk, and the grinding is done in England. A considerable quantity of this 'cattle food' is exported from Great Britain to the United States. If proper steaming facilities existed between the United States and Levant, carobs would probably be carried direct to the United States to be prepared there into cattle food. Carobs are also used in considerable quantities especially in France, for distillation, and the spirits obtained are deemed choice. Carobs are also employed for the production of a semi-liquid substance, resembling molasses, largely used in the manufacture of oriental sweets.

The carob tree, which is quite distinct from the locust tree of America, seems to prefer the mild climate of the southern sea coasts and islands of the Mediterranean. It is, however found in the Lebanon, for instance and its introduction into the north of India has been recommended on the supposition that it would prove ar important addition to the resources of the country and a valuable safeguard against famine. The produce is ex ceeding abundant, some trees yield ing as much as 900 pounds of pods The wood is hard and much valued and the bark and leaves are used for tanning. The carob tree propagates freely. The cultivated trees have all been grafted.'

Copper in Japan.

Copper, with a value of \$12,000,000 stands first on the list of metals of Japanese production. Gold follows with \$2,000,000; then silver with \$1, 650,000, and iron with \$1,300,000. Lead shows \$160,000; antimony, \$45,000and manganese, \$40,000. The value of the sulphur output was \$287,000, and the value of other mine products is trifling. The future of Japan's mining industry, with the exception of coal, is entirely speculative, with the chances against its important devel opment in any line. Yet probably as long as there are indications of metals there will be hope and holes in the ground.

Doing Venice.

Fair American (hearing musicians singing airs from "Il Trovatore") -Say! These Italians ain't vurry orig inal. Guess I've heard that tune on our street organs in New York since I was a gurl.—Punch.

Uncle Sam's Limit.

The secretary of agriculture protests against the irresponsible an nouncements that the government stamp is equivalent to a guarantee that goods so stamped are exactly as represented as to quality. Uncle Sam guarantees nothing. He only inspects as far as he is able, but he does not insure the purchaser against possible adulteration. The government does all it can to maintain the standard, but if the manufacturer puts other material in the package the action must be taken against him and not the government.

Irish Kings.

There were plenty of Irish kings n early history and they were good fighters. Some historians have traced the line of native sovereigns of Ireland back as far as the time of the flood. Heber and Heremon in 1300, B. C., are the first of whom there is any absolute certainty. Following them were 169 kings all of whom except fifteen died in battle or otherwise by violence. Home rule was in existence until 1172.

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L. L. Holmes Stock Now in The Hands of The National Mercantile Co. of Chicago

In order to sell \$10,000 worth of Clothing we have placed our stock in the hands of the National Mercantile Co., of Chicago, for a period of ten days, commencing Saturday, October 26, at 9 a. m. and continuing up to and including Wednesday, November 6. This will be the most mighty avalanche of bargains ever put before the people of any town in the state of Michigan. Our entire \$10,000 stock will be placed on sale for these ten days of terriffic selling, starting at 9 o'clock in the morning, at prices never before heard of in the history of Livingston county. At the prices every article is being marked for these ten days selling, we expect to sell over \$5,000 worth the first four opening days, and the balance in a few more days' time. Every price quoted we guarantee is absolutely correct. Bring this document with you and see if we keep our promise.

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The Holmes Clothing Company's two large socks at, Belding and Pinckney, Michigan, have been merged into one and could, by a long drawn out sale, reduce the stock to nominal figures. But prefer to place it in the hands of a well-known and reliable concern for quick disposal. For that purpose we will inaugurate the most stupendous scientific sale of modern merchandise that Livingston County ever held, A bargain event that will surpass any-

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We hereby give notice to every man, woman and child in Livingston County and vicinity that our entire stock has been placed in the hands of the National Merchantile Company, of Chicago, for tendays' selling, starting Saturday, October 26th, at nine o'clock in the morning. We advise you, one and all, to be on hand early and avail yourselves of this great money saving opportunity to save many dollars on your wearing apparel. Beyond a doubt, this will be the greatest sacrifice sale of good quality. high grade merchandise eyer offered the people of the State of Michigan.

Our word has been always as good as our bond and our reputation stands as living monuments to our honesty and integrity as a merchant, and we say to you here as man to man, that when we make a statement to you over our signature, like the above, you may well believe that this ten days' sale which starts Saturday, October 26th, at nine A. M. will be the most stupendous sacrifice and one of the kind that seldom occurs in a community. The low prices which we will have on the entire stock all marked in plain figures for our sale will amaze the public.

Pledging every statement herein made, we remain Very truly yours,

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> Section 1. Every person dealing at retail in gasoline, benzine or naptha shall deliver the same to the purchaser only in barrels, casks, packages or cans painted vermillion red and having the word "gasoline," "benzene" or "naptha" plainly stenciled thereon. No such dealer shall deliver kerosene in a barrel, cask, package or can painted or stenciled as hereinbefore provided. Every person purchasing gasoline benzine or naptha for use shall procure and keep the same only in barrels, casks, packages or cans painted or stenciled as hereinbefore provided. No person keeping for use or using kerosene shall put or keep the same in any barrel, cask, package or can painted or stenciled as hereinbefore provided: Provided, however, that in case of gasoline, benzene and naptha being sold in bottles for cleaning and similar purposes, it shall be deemed sufficient if the contents of such bottles are so designated by a label securely pasted or attached thereto with the words "gasoline, benzine" or naptha," printed in bright red ink in letters not less than one-fourth inck in size.

Sec. 2, It shall be the duty of the state oil inspector and his deputies to enforce the provisions of this act; and their compensation and expenses while so engaged shall be paid from the fund derived from inspection of illuminating oil.

provisions of section one of this act shall nor more than fity dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed ninety days, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court, before whom such conviction may be had.

Sec.4. Act number one hundred eightyone of the laws of eighteen hundred ninety

nine is hereby repealed. This act is ordered to take effect November 1, 1907.

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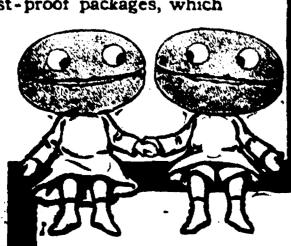
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If you take DeWitt's Kidney and Biadder Pills you will get prompt relief from backache, weak kidneys, inflamation of the bladder and prinary troubles. A week's treatment 25

Sold by F. A. Sigler, Druggist.

The move for good reads a few years ago was headed by bicycle riders and manufacturers. That has changed now and the auto manufactures and drivers are working hard to get good roads. Well, it does not make wuch difference as, long as we get them how they are secured but this state should certainly improve her "ways."

Hard Times in Kansas.

The old days of grassboppers and drouth are almost forgotten in the prosperous Kansas of to day; although citizen of Codell, Earl Shamburg, has not yet forgotten a hard time he encountered. He says, "I was worn out and discouraged by coughing night and day, and could not find relief till Sec. 3. Any person violating any of the I tried Dr. Kings New Discovery. It took less than one bottle to completebe purished by a fine of not less than five | ly cure." The safest and most reliable cough and cold cure and lung and throat healer ever discovered. Guaranteed at F. A. Siglers drug store 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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general debility, eour risings, and caterris of the stomach are all due to indigestion. Redei relieves indigestion. This new discovery represents the natural juices of digestion as they exist in a healthy stomach. combined with the greatest known tools and reconstructive preperties. Kodel for dyspopola does not ealy relieve indicentic olps all stomach troubles by cleans rifying, sweetening and strong membranes lining the st

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Reports from the middle west say that the Steel Trust is going into the manufacture of bricks, purely for its own consumption of course. But it has been requiring the price at which all the principal brick firms would sell out to it. This move toward monopolizing another source of building material is only natural.

Ont of Sight.

"Out of sight, out of mind," is an old saying which applies with specia force to o sore, burn or wound that's been treated with Bucklen's Arnical salve. It's out of sight, out of mind and out of existence. Piles too and chilblains disappear under its healing influence. Guaranteed by F. A. Sigler, Druggist, 25c.

again and delivered a short address at the university hall, Ann Arbor last son, of Dublin, Ga. "She has taken week Wednesday at the rousing foot ball meeting. He said that he had reached the height of his ambitionto stand on that platform and address an audience.

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NOTARY PUBLIC WITH SEAL

AT DISPATCH OFFICE

State Sunday School Association.

The Michigan State Sunday School Association is planning to hold the greatest convention ever held in the state, Nov. 18 15 in the city of Kala-

The following Sunday school specists will be present and take part in the program:

Tuller & Meridth, New You Rev. A. C. Dixon, D. D. Miss Clara Louise Ewalt, Warren, O. Prof. E. A. Fox, Louisville, Ky. Dr. Wm. Byron Forbush, Detroit. W. C. Pearce, Chicago. W. N. Hartshorn, Boston, Mass.

Every Sunday school in the state should send one or more delegates.

You never have any trouble to get children to take Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. They like it because it tastes nearly like maple sugar. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup is a safe sure and prompt remedy for coughs and colds and is good for every member of the family.

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Council Proceedings

Of the Village of Pinckney

REGULAR.

Monday, Oct. 7, 1907.

Council convened and called to order by Pres Dunn.

Present; Trustees Farnam, Smith, Van Winkle and Pres. Dunn.

Absent; Teeple, Roche Nixon. Minutes of last meeting read and

Moved by Smith and Van Winkle that note of Wm. T. Moraa agains the village of Pinckney be paid.

Ave: Farnam, Smith, Van Winkle and Pres. Dunn.

Moved by Smith and Farnam that clerk be authorized to collect damages on street lamp broken in southern part of Village.

Aye: Farnam, Smith, Van Winkle

and Pres. Dunn. The following bills were read:

M. Lavey special police Aug. 1. S. P. Johnson, ltg lamps

13.00 etting posts Jas. Smith, marshall service 14.55

Total \$29.55

Moved by Farnam and Van Winkle tnat bills be allowed.

Aye: Farnam, Smith, Van Winkle and Pres. Dunn.

Pres. Dunn appointed John Jeffries to serve as marshall during absence of Marshall Smith.

Aye: Farnam. Smith. Van Winkle and Pres. Dunn.

Upon motion Council adjourned. R. J. CARR, Clerk

His Dear Old Mother.

"My dear old mother, who is now Railroad Jack is in the state eighty three years old, thrives on | Electric Bitters," writes W. B. Brunthem for about two years and enjoys an excellent appetite, feels strong and sleeps well." That's the way Electric Bitters affect the aged, and the same bappy results follow in all cases of female weskness and general debility. Weak, puny children too, are greatly strengthened by them. Guaranteed also for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, by F. A. Sigler, druggist 50c.

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Some people call Peruna a great tonic. Others refer to Peruna as a great catarrh remedy.

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Our reply is, that Peruna is both a tonic and a catarrh remedy. Indeed, there can be no effectual catarrh remedy that is not also a tonic.

In order to thoroughly relieve any case of catairh, a remedy must not only have a specific action on the mucous membranes affected by the catarrh, but it must have a general tonic action on the nervous system.

Catarra, even in persons who are otherwise strong, is a weakened condition of some mucous membrane. There must be something to strengthen the circulation, to give tone to the arteries, and to raise the vital forces.

Perhaps no vegetable remedy in the world has attracted so much attention from medical writers as HYDRASTIS CANADENSIS. The wonderful efficacy of this herb has been recognized many years, and is growing in its hold upon the medical profession. When joined with CUREBS and COPAIRA a trio of medical agents is formed in Peruna which constitutes a specific remedy for catarrh that in the present state of medical progress cannot be improved upon. This action, reinforced by such renowned tonics as COLLINSONIA CANADENSIS, COR-YDALIS FORMOSA and CEDRON SEED, ought to make this compound an ideal remedy for catarrh in all its stages and locations in the body.

From a theoretical standpoint, therefore, Peruna is beyond criticism. The use of Peruna, confirms this opinion. Numberless testimonials from every quarter of the earth furnish ample evidence that this judgment is not over enthusiastic. When practical experience confirms a well-grounded theory the result is a truth that cannot be shaken.

The Sinful Human Heart.

A clergyman was addressing a youthful class in Sunday school. To illustrate the idea of regulating the sinful human heart he took out his ing. Ronald McDonald, a sawyer, was watch and held it up that all might

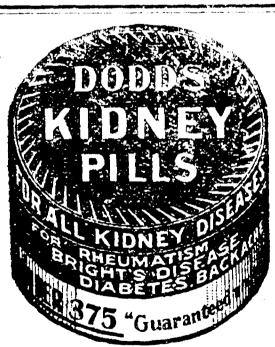
"See this watch," he said. "Just imagine that it does not keep good time-that it goes all ways but the right way. What ought I to do with

Instantly a little boy held up his

Not to Be Wasted.

Ben Cary had near his house a swamp, which was a breeding-place for herds of man-eating mosquitoes. Some enterprising neighbors, who learned of the crude oil treatment, went to Ben and tried to persuade him to exterminate the pests.

"Exterminate 'em?" said Ben. "Not much. Not much. Why, Mis' Cary an' I just paid \$32 for screening the side piazzer that she's been pestering me about for years. How we goin' to get any good of it, if we kill off the skeeters?"-Youth's Companion.





Section Control

M. BRAKEMAN'S NEGLECT WRECKS PASSENGER TRAIN AT PALMS; SIX INJURED.

COLLIDE ON OPEN SWITCH

One Cremated and Four Injured in Spectacular \$75,000 Sawmili Blaze at Bay City.

With a crash that fairly rattled this village to its foundations, northbound passenger train on the Port Austin branch of the Pere Marquette struck an open switch in the yards and telescoped an extra freight on the siding. Six persons were injured; two critically. Palms, with a population of 100, is a junction of the Harbor Beach and Port Austin branches of the P. M., about 70 miles from Bay City.

Railroad officials who visited the scene of the accident unhesitatingly ay the blame to carelessness of the rear brakeman of the freight in not closing and locking the switch. It is said there were no switch lights

The escape of Fireman Highborn, of the freight's engine, was the feature of the collision. Highborn was perched on the pilot of his engine attending to his headlight when the smash came. He had but an instant's warning, but instead of jumping he dived for the smokestack and then dropped to one side without a scratch. Had he remained on the pilot he doubtless would have been seriously injured if not killed. Four of the injured will be taken to their homes.

\$75,000 Sawmill Blaze at Bay City. William Lapham was burned to death and four others injured in the destruction of the Kern Manufacturing Co.'s sawmill plant which was burned to the ground at Bay City, entailing a loss of \$75,000. The mill consisted of a double band saw and resaw, a lath mill and shingle mill, and was one of the most complete plants on

the river. The fine saydust powder, accumulated through years of sawing, acted almost as an explosive and the 100 men at work in the mill escaped through windows and over tramways, leaving their coats, hats and tools behind them. So blinding was the smoke from the puffs of burning dust that many of the men were forced to

crawl out on their hands and knees. William Barber, a filer, had his hands and face literally cooked, as he leaped through a window out of which the flames were already comburned about the head, neck and hands, and Richard Tucker, a filer, was injured slightly by jumping through a window. Eugene Kellogg, a fireman, was overcome by heat, but

P. M. R. R. Gets on Feet.

Plans for taking the Pere Marquette railroad out of the hands of a receiver "I know!" he shouted. "Sell it to and allowing it to reorganize received the sanction of Judge Horace Lurton, of the United States court. All accounts with the road shall be submitted to Judson Harmon and William W. Crapo as arbitrators, who have plenary powers. If the arbitrators differ they are to name some third party. Cancellation of the lease of the Pere Marquette is made one of the duties of the arbitrators, and the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railroad is to turn over to the reorganizing committee of the Pere Marquetto the stock which it holds in that road.

'Phone to Every Six Persons.

In proportion to its size, Marquette has more telephones in use than any other city in the state. One company has 1,400 instruments installed in residences and business places, and another has 400. This is a total of 1, 800. The estimated population being 10,800, this gives one telephone to every six persons in the community. With lighting rates the lowest in the state, it's a humble Marquette home that hasn't its telephone and its electrical illumination. The lighting seroperated by water power.

Condemn Divorce Laws.

heir four days' session at Traverse City with the passing of resolutions | local business men. condemning lax divorce laws and for-

Short Session Expensive.

although not all the bills are in yet. Chicago and sold them for 37.50 per as in salaries.

Unhappy Family.

is under arrest in Lansing on a charge James Lloyd and married his brother, held in Battle Creek next week.

MICHIGAN BRIEFS.

Mrs. E. B. Thomas, near Charlotte, fell from a load of hay while assisting her husband, and will die from a brok-

Henry Kingsley, 71, the tallest man in St. Clair county, is dead. He was 6 feet 7 inches tall. He was a member of the G. A. R.

John Keliher, a Grand Trunk engineer, was thrown from the cab of his engine near Marcellus, Monday, and lies in a critical condition.

Martin Wright, aged 20, of Lansing, fell senseless when sentenced to two and one-half to five years in Ionia for larceny, and his mother swooned.

Mrs. William Day, a prominent Camden woman, slipped and fell down & high flight of steps in the rear of their home, and broke her wrist.

Students of the Hillsdale college held a "ghost" dance and after burning a dummy, visited the professors homes attired in fantastic costumes.

Clyde Cole, of Lansing, was rescued from a burning room while helplessly ill, and officers believe he tried to cremate himself, because of a love af-

Many mayors and county officials have asked Gov. Warner for permission to join his party to the Jamestown exposition for Michigan day, October 26.

To hunt wolves and win the bounty of \$45 on each hide, offered in Hough ton county, George T. Perkins, Frank T. Smedley and Fred L. Perkins have him. gone north.

Fire in the garage of C. J. Bousefield, in Bay City, destroyed two autos, damaged two others and communicated to three adjoining houses, causing a total loss of \$6,500.

Florence Gray, who shot and killed Frank Brown, of Three Oaks, was acquitted on the charge of murder in for the color of your trousers."-"Un-Laporte, Ind., the jury holding she acted in self-defense.

Andrew Weed, the man in greasy overalls, who bid \$27,000 for the Michigan Female seminary, failed to produce the cash and it was sold to O. M. Allen, who bid \$25,000.

Carl Jaschek, aged 19, released the trigger of a shotgun while cleaning it i in preparation for a hunting trip, and was found dead by his mother with a charge through his stomach.

Thirty-five machinists, who demanded the reinstatement of three men who were discharged by the Clark Motor Co., of Jackson, for being active unionists, were paid of and released.

Senator William Alden Smith asked the commerce and labor department to countermand the order for tearing down the lighthouse at St. Joseph, built where LaSalle first erected a

Prosecuting Attorney Foster, of Ingham county, gave Judge Wiest evidence of misconduct by jurors, who are said to have visited saloons and talked about cases, and several may be dismissed.

While examining a revolver at Waters Phil Bibenski accidentally shot John Skinski, the ball entering the hip. Skinski is in a serious condition. Bibenski thought all the shells had been discharged.

The cornerstone of the new Y. M. C. A. building at Port Huron was laid by the grand lodge, F. & A. M., of Michigan. The structure will cost \$35,-000. The speakers were Judge Law and Lincoln Avery.

Patrick Reagan, switchman on the Grand Trunk, at Port Huron, fell into a car loaded with hogs and before he was rescued his legs were quite badly chewed. His injuries are not thought to be serious.

Conductor Edward Dingman, of the Soo line, was cut on the face and hands by two men who refused to pay their fare, but he succeeded in locking them in the baggage car, and they were arrested in Manistique,

The tenth district W. C. T. U. convention, in session at Bay City, elected the following officers: President, Mrs. M. E. Randall, of Bay City; corresponding secretary, Mrs. M. E. Asman, of Bay City; recording secretary, Mrs. C. S. Bates, of Kingston; treasurer, Mrs. A. L. Bassingthwaite, of

Bay City. At the East Saginaw club luncheon was given leading Michigan Central vice is provided by a municipal plant officials. The entertainment was in charge of the leading manufacturers and jobbers and was for the purpose of extending the mutual acquaintance The Michigan Baptists concluded and increasing the friendly relations between the railroad officials and the

Albion's high school football feam hidding Baptist elergymen to marry may be forbidden the gridiron if the divorced people unless the divorce pupils aren't good. Last week the were secured for reasons they think | students took all the books from the Christ would accept. Child labor was desks and piled them in a heap in the condemned and more efficiency in the center of the room. The school heard public schools urged. The work of says it cost \$25 to get things in shape the anti-Saloon league was sanctioned. | again and threaten a suspension of athletics if there is a recurrence.

H. J. Coleman, of Marshall, has re-Auditor-General Bradley estimates ceived the highest market price ever that the expense of the special legis- paid for cattle in the Chicago marlative session will be about \$25,000, ket. Mr. Coleman took 20 head to The expense includes salaries of mem-hundred bounds. The cattle weighted bers. \$7,920; mileage and salaries of 26.750 bounds and he received \$1, legislative employes, beside inciden- 939.37 for them. Mr. Coleman is well tals. For a short session the members known in the Detroit market, where receive almost as much in mileage he and "Father" Casey, of Marshall, do most of their selling.

While mingling with the high school football team in a practice game at Minnie Lloyd, wife of Charles Lloyd, St. Johns Supt. E. D. Palmer sustained a broken rib and minor injuries about of assaulting her mother-in-law, who the face and head that will lay him is 70 years old. Complaint was made up for a day or two. Mr. Palmer is to the court by James Lloyd, a son of secretary of the State Teachers' assothe aged woman and formerly the hus- ciation, and this accident will interband of the defendant. The prisoner | fere somewhat with his work in prerome time ago secured a divorce from | paring for the annual meeting to be

FIVE MONTHS IN HOSPITAL.

Discharged Because Doctors Could Not

Levi P. Brockway, S. Second Aye., Anoka., Minn., says: "After lying for

five months in a hospital I was discharged as incurable, and given only six months to live. My heart was affected, I had smothering spells, and sometimes fell unconscious. I got so I

couldn't use my arms, my eyesight was impaired and the kidney secretions were badly disordered. I was completely worn out and discouraged when I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, but they went right to the cause of the trouble and did their work well. have been feeling well ever since." Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box.

A Whistler Criticism.

Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

The late James McNeil Whistler was standing bareheaded in a hat shop, the clerk having taken his hat to another part of the shop for comparison. A man rushed in with his scape and the minute world at his feet hat in his hand and supposing Whistler to be a clerk angrily confronted he is still keenly alive to the virtue

"See here," he said, "This hat doesn't fit."

Whistler eyed the stranger from head to foot and then drawled out:

"Well, neither does your coat. What's more, if you'll pardon my saying so, I'll be hanged if I care much der the Spreading Chestnut Tree" in Everybody's.

STATE OF ORIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, | 88.

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They Always Gladden the Heart iko Podostrian.

In a walking trip a milestone along the way is the most companionable fellow in the world; your spirits rise as you near him as though you were about to greet a human friend, and they keep almost consistently on his high level till his brother a mile distant advances to meet you.

And when you overlook one of this friendly company because of an encroaching bank or screening boughs, says the Travel Magazine, his neighbor further on comes to you doubly welcome. At the latter end of this passage in the journey your spirits flag a trifle as though oppressed by a sense of desertion. You may even scowl at the overhanging bank which is more than a party to this conceal-

Those worthy persons who attend to the roads should see to it that every milestone within their province stands out frankly from its leafy background. Observance of this, however, would rob the wayfarer of that leap of the heart which is his when the stone tells the story of two miles done rather than one. For however much the landmay claim the footfarer's admiration of decent distances covered in his day's journey.

John Brown Jurer.

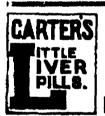
Williams Abrams Martin, the solitary survivor of the 12 men who convicted John Brown, is still living in Virginia. He has celebrated his seventy-fifth anniversary.

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Traced a Body to a River, Says a London Report.

At extraording case of clairvoyance by a child has caused considerable interest here, telegraphs our Christiania correspondent. About a fortnight ago a man living in the Oesterdal valley disappeared suddenly from his home, and all search proved vain. The child, John Floettum, 14 years of age, was sent for eight days after the man's disappearance.

The boy walked around the house where the man had lived and got a photograph of him, which he carefully examined. Sitting at a table, with his left hand covering his eyes, he drew some lines on a slip of paper, the lines indicating where the man had walked. The perspiration poured down the boy's face, and he often stopped. When at last he "saw" a place where the man had sat down under a big tree, he was exhausted and had to give up for the day.

People were sent out to search, with the boy's sketch as their guide. The whole population of the district followed, and excitement was high as the crowd followed the course the man had taken, step by step, as indicated by the boy. Night came on before they reached the tree, and the search was adjourned till next day, when the boy himself led the party.

He took them to the tree, and there found the lost man's handkerchief. From the tree the boy went straight to a river, but again he became so exhausted that he had to give up. However, as soon as he came home he said he could plainly "see" where the man was.

Early next morning the search party, with the boy, took a boat, which was steered according to the boy's directions. After a while he suddenly rose and said, "Here he lies." A search was made and the body was found at the bottom of the river on the very spot the boy had pointed out

The boy only three months ago discovered that he possessed this extraordinary sense of clairvoyance. During this time he has given many proofs of his strange power. A man went to him and told him that he had lost a gold ring in a field last autumn as he was loading hay on a cart, and the boy soon told the man that the ring could be found among the hay on his farm, pointing out the very place, where the ring was immediately found. The boy has achieved other feats equally remarkable.

Old Turkish Joke.

Among the many anecdotes related of the old Turkish joker, Nasir-Eddin-Khodja, is the following: Khodja went one evening to the well to draw water, and looking down to the bottom he saw the moon. Quickly he ran into the house and got a rope with a hook attached to the end of it. This he lowered into the well. The hook caught fast on a stone. Khodja pulled desperately, the hook gave way and there was the joker flat on his back staring up into the sky.

"Upon my soul," he exclaimed, perceiving the moon, "I have had a bad fall, but I have put the moon back in thing."-Youth's Companion. its place."

Torpedo Boats of the World.

An English government report shows that France now has 39 submarine torpedo boats in service and 50 under with 25 built and 15 under way. The figures for other nations are: Russia, 13 and 15; United States, 8 and 4; Italy, 2 and 4; Japan, 5 and 2; Germany, 1 in course of construction.

Flying 3,000 Miles.

The most wonderful bird flight noted is the migratory achievement of the Virginia plover, which leaves its haunts in North America and, taking a course down the Atlantic, reaches the coast of Brazil in one unbroken flight of 15 hours, covering a distance of over 3,000 miles at the rate of four miles a minute.

Royalty's Cats.

Cats hold as high a place as dogs in the hearts of our society animal lovers. Queen Alexandra owns several fine chinchilles and Persian cats. Princess Alexander of Teck and Prince Maurice of Battenberg also possess valuable specimens, but the rest cat fancies: among the royal family to Princess Victoria of Schleswig-Holstein, and the only royal cattery is the one now established at Cumberland lodge. This has been arranged on the most up-to-date principles, and has curtained windows and a front door with a knocker and letter box. The portals are surmounted by s crown and the initials "V. S. H."

Giant Boy.

Greene county, Pennsylvania, has produced a prodigy in Stanley Wright, its youngest school teacher, who for height and avoirdupois it is believed stands without a peer in the state. Young Wright is a product of Richhill township, and though only 17 years of age, stands 6 feet 7 inches in his hose, weighs 265 pounds and is still growing. He wears a No. 18 shoe, which be has made to order.

MIX THIS YOURSELF

RECIPE FOR SIMPLE HOME-MADE KIDNEY CURE.

Inexpensive Mixture of Harmiess Vegetable ingredients Said to Overcome Kidney and Bladder Trouble Promptly.

Here is a simple home-made mixture as given by an eminent authority on Kidney diseases, who makes the statement in a New York daily newspaper, that it will relieve almost any case of Kidney trouble if taken before the stage of Bright's disease. He states that such symptoms as lame back, pain in the side, frequent desire to urinate, especially at night; painful and discolored urination, are readily overcome. Here is the recipe; try it:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce: Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

A well-known physician is authority that these ingredients are all harmless and easily mixed at home by shaking well in a bottle. This mixture has a peculiar healing and soothing effect upon the entire Kidney and Urinary structure, and often overcomes the worst forms of Rheumatism in just a little while. This mixture is said to remove all blood disorders and cure the Rheumatism by forcing the Kidneys to filter and strain from the blood and system all uric acid and foul, decomposed waste matter, which cause the afflictions. Try it if you aren't well. Save the prescription.

NO STAIN ON HIS RECORD.

That's Where the Driver Had the Best of the Preacher.

A New York clergyman, who often spends his vacation in fishing the streams of the Adirondacks, was on one trip adopted by a handsome setter dog, which insisted on following him from camp to camp, as he moved along the stream.

One day he met a party of men working upstream with a native guide. The guide immediately recognized the dog as his own property.

"Trying to steal my setter, are you?" he shouted at the clergyman. "I'll have you to jail for this! There's a law in the woods just as big as you have in the city."

The clergyman endeavored to explain that he was an unwilling companion of the dog, which had refused to be driven away, but to little effect until he added a two-dollar bill to his

"It's queer what strange things happen to a man up here," he said to the stage-driver who later carried him away from the woods. "That is the first time I was ever accused of stealing a dog."

"Yes, sir," replied the driver, sympathetically, and added, after a moment's pause, "For myself, sir, I have never been accused of stealing any-

Saw It Come Out of a Cow.

A little city boy and his sister Dorothy were taken to the country for the first time.

The two children were happy as the day was long. In the late afternoon construction. England ranks next, they watched the cows come home, heard with delight the tinkling cowbells, and the little boy even went to the barns to see the milking done.

At supper, just as Dorothy was lifting her glass to her rosy lips, the boy

cried out: "Oh, Dotty, don't! You musn't drink that milk. It's not fit to drink. It

came out of a cow; I saw it." OLD SOAKERS

Get Saturated with Caffeine.

When a person has used coffee for a number of years and gradually declined in health, it is time the coffee should be left off in order to see whether or not it has been the cause of the trouble.

A lady in Huntsville, Ala., says she used coffee for about 40 years, and for the past 20 years has had severe stomach trouble. "I have been treated by many physicians but all in vain. Everything failed to give relief. Was prostrated for some time, and came near dying. When I recovered sufficiently to partake of food and drink I tried coffee again and it soured on my stomach.

"I finally concluded that coffee was the cause of my trouble and stopped using it. I tried tea in its place and then milk, but neither agreed with me; then I commenced using Postum, had it properly made and it was very pleasing to the taste.

"I have now used it four months, and my health is so greatly improved that I can eat almost anything I want and can sleep well, whereas, before, I suffered for years with insomnia.

"I have found the cause of my troubles and a way to get rid of them. You can depend upon it, I appreciate Postum." "There's a Reason." Reas "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

DID NOT WANT TO BUY.

The Great Musician Had No Use for

wonderful thing. It almost realizes the wish of the Scottish poet, the wish that we might see ourselves as others see us. We can now, at least, hear ourselves, a thing impossible before. The phonograph teaches us many valuable lessons. When I was in the army, before I realized the capabilities of my voice, I played the flute. A phonograph salesman brought a phonograph to my quarters and tried to sell it to me on the instalment plan. I was undecided. Finally the man took out a blank cylinder.

"'See,' he said, rather reluctantly, here is a blank cylinder. You may make a record on it, then we will run it off and you shall hear yourself. It's a costly favor I am doing you, but it will show you what a fine instrument

"'I'll get my flute,' I said. 'I'll play a flute solo.'

"Well, I played my best into the machine. It seemed to me that I had never combined before such feeling with such accuracy. I was more than pleased with myself. Then the man put in the cylinder, and the music be-

"'Really me, just as I played?" "'Precisely, sir, precisely. And

Spent \$300 on Doctors and Remedies but Got No Relief-Cuticura Cures in a Week.

toes my skin was rough and sore, and also sore under the arms, and I had to stay at home several times because of this affection. Up to a week or so ago I had tried many other remedies and several doctors, and spent about three hundred dollars, without any success, but this is to-day the seventh day that I have been using the Cuticura Remedies (costing a dollar and a half), which have cured me completely, so that I can again attend to my business. I went to work again to-night. I had been suffering for eight years and have now been cured by the Cuticura Remedies within a week. Fritz Hirschlaff, 24 Columbus Ave., New York, N. Y., March 29 and April 6, 1906."

Something New in Tablecloths. She had come into the store to buy tablecloths and she stated in the beginning that she wanted something

showed her everything in stock, but

"Oh, dear!" she exclaimed, fussily,

'haven't you anything different?"

air of interest:

right around the edge." "Why, yes! Let me bave that

Wisdom of Solomon.

His Production.

A great tenor had been singing for some hours into a phonograph.

"The phonograph," he said, "is a

"I was delighted.

gan to issue forth. I frowned.

"'Is that me?' I said.

"'Yes, sir,' said the man.

now,' said he, "do you want to buy the

phonograph?" "'No,' said I; 'I want to sell the flute.' "

SKIN SORE EIGHT YEARS.

"Upon the limbs and between the

The salesman was patient and

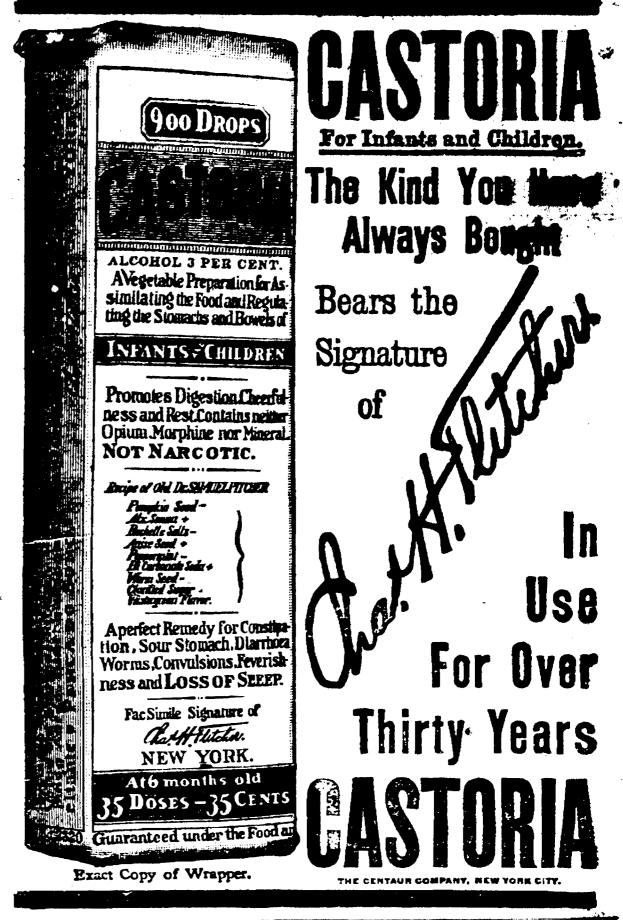
nothing suited.

The clerk brought out one of the discarded tablecloths that he had put hack on the shelf, and said with an

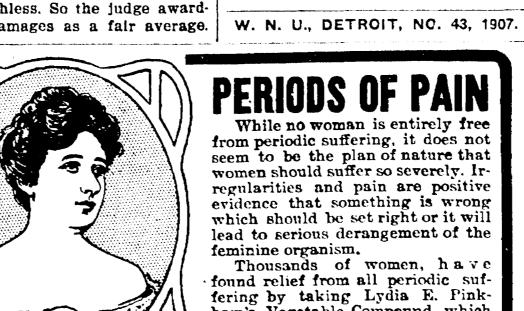
"Here is one of the very newest designs, madam. You see, the center is in the middle and the border runs

one," she said eagerly.

In a dog case at Felixstowe, England, one witness testified that the dog whose loss was being sued for was worth \$125, while another swore it was worthless. So the judge awarded \$62.50 damages as a fair average.







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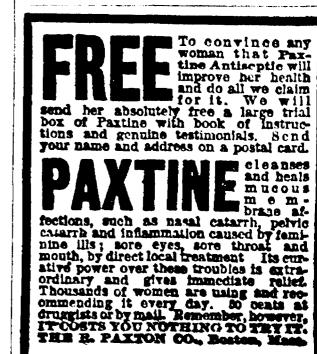
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Phil's resolution ACT III Parlor in VanCruger's country house, two days later "Yo' har me spoke, sah!" Wayside and Sally Songe and Sunshine A frightened darkey Miss Sedier interferes Bright prospects A comical buttler

ler that ever buttlered! Tony's quest A sad mission appears Applying the thumbscrews Act IV Tony's humble home, six week's later Strugles with receipts A comical cook Wayside's resolution Barclay's villainous threat Tooys return voice from the grave The price of liberty A fathers right to protect his child

Barclay meets his master The Judges home as before, two years latter Wayside's plans Lens and Philip

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NORTH HAMBURG,

Mr. and Mrs. Goo. VanHorn visited friends in Howell Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Clark of York, Neb. is visiting at the home of Jas. Boylan.

Mr, and Mrs. James Nash are visit ing friends at Grand Ledge and other

There will be no services at the church next Sunday on account of the convention at Hamburg village.

The Putnam and Hamburg Farmers Fred Marshner club will meet at the home of Mr, and Mrs. Arthur Schoenbals Saturday of this week. The club was to have met there in September but the day being a very rainy one, the club failed to materilize. As Mr. and Mrs. Scheonhals kindly extended to Oct., let every one go prepared to take some part. Mrs. A. Merchant Those who were to have taken part in Roy Hirst Sept. program will be expected to Mrs. J. A. Nelson to speak their "little piece" Saturday Mrs. R. W. Hodges Please bring laphoards and dishes filled with eatables.

UNADILLA.

J. W. Harris was a Chelsea visitor vour life last Sunday.

'The Unadilla Cornet Band is planning to give a social on Wednesday eveing, Nov. 27.

The social given by the C. E. society last Friday evening was well attended and a good time reported.

It is reported that nearly all of Gregory had a severe attack of Americanis-baseballitis last week Thursday and in consequence, most of the business places were closed, school was also dismissed.

their fall work—Bullis & Kulin's ele- all is sold out vator in Gregory was entered last Thursday night and their safe broken open and a small amount of money taken; Fenn and Vogets store in Chelsea was entered last Saturday night and some merchandise taken.

108CO.

Mrs. J. Rolfe is very sick with typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Greening were in Howel! last Thurs. An airship was seen in the

southeast Tuesday noon.

Mr. Williams is very sick at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Rock. Mesdames Mary and Bessie Munsell

attended the funeral of David Dutton at Plainfield last Friday.

ANDERSON.

Mrs. Hattie Hoff of Lansing is visiting friends here. Mrs. Chas. White and Mrs. E. Bur-

den were in Howell Monday. Ralph Whitney of Toledo spent

Sunday with Sidney Sprout.

pending the week with her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Sprout.

Mrs. Williams and son, Carl, of Mackinder Monday.

J. J. Hinchey, a veteran in the Civil war is visiting relatives in Anderson 9th Mich. Cavalry, retiring with the rank of Major.

LAKELAND.

Mrs. Gilmore visited friends here the first of the week.

C. E. Smith and wife visited relaives in Howell the first of the week. Mrs. John Bergen visited at Wm

Mercers of Pinckney on Thursday last Mr. Tasmer of Ann Arbor has sold his cottage here to H. A. Bromley of

Toledo. Dan Tompkins who has been suffering with typhoid fever is able to walk

John Van Horn, wife and son Ed ward, visited their son Dave on the

farm over Sunday. tives and friends around here.

Rex Bennett of Ann Arbor visited at John Bergan last Thursday. He reports that his wife is gaining fast after a tussel with scarlet fever.

L. A. Saunders expects his son home for a vacation from the battleship Conneticut. On his return he expects to take a trip around the world.

Great Going-out of Business Sale

I have decided to retire from the Mercantile Business and will place on sale my entire stock of merchandise aggregating (\$30,000.00) Thirty Thousand dollars, for what it will bring. My entire stock is now complete in every department.

Dry Goods Dress Goods

Ladies', Misses', and Children's Cloaks, Jackets and Furs made Skirts and Wrappers, Yarns, Blankets, Carpets; Men's, Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes; Men's, Boy's and Children's Clothing Men's, Ladies' and Children's Underwear Hats, Caps, Gloves and Mittens

Crockery, China, Lamps G-roceries

All must be sold out for what they will bring I have disposed of all my ealestate in Howell, and have but a short lease of the store in which to close out my enrire stock Prices in all lines of merchandise are higher than ever before, but the opportunity THIS the GREATEST SALE ever held in Livingston county, enables you to buy all your Fall and Winter Goods for Less Money than you ever bought clean, up to-date merchandise before in

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Money Saving Opportunity

To get a new Suit of Cloths, a Carpet, Cloak, Fine set of Dishes Cheap Thieves and robbers are beginning want everyone in the county to attend this sale. Sale will continue until

ALL PRODUCE, DRIED APPLES, ETC. TAKEN

A lot of empty Pork barrels and Mest Crocks for Sale Best Salt Pork per lb. 94c per lb. 10c Lard

Ham per lb. 11c BIG DEPARTMENT STORE A. J. Prindle

Quitting Business in Pinckney Holmes Clothing Co's. Stock Doomed.

The Public Benefit.

The public of Pinckney, Livingston County and vicinity will benefit greatly by the tremendous sacrifice sale of the Holmes Clothing Co's, two stocks which have been sold to the National Mercantile Company of Chicago who bought the entire stock a. m. as all other hours will be devoted to and fixtures at a very low figure. The Nat'l Mercantile Co. say that they propose to sell the Holmes Clothing stocks out im- | gle garment, suit or overcost, hats or undmediately and within a few days time at Mrs. Sidney Collins of Waterloo is prices never heard of before. For good will remain closed in order to get the enquality olothing, suits, overcoats, hats, tire stock invoiced and everything marked shirts and underwear this closing out quit | down in plain figures to the very lowest business sacrifice sale of the Holmes possible limit in order to sell the goods Clothing Co's, stocks will be a sale in out rapidly, as the stock must and will be Stockbridge were guests of Mrs. F. W. every meaning of the word, such as the sold in a few days time. The store will public of Pinckney, and surrounding coun- not be open for business until the opening try have never had before or will possibly day of this great sacrifice closing out quit ever have again The National Merchan- business sale, which starts Saturday, Oct. and vicinity. He was Captain of the tile Company, of Chicago, who have 26th, at 9 a.m. Think what this great bought out the entire Holmes Clothing clothing sacrifice sale means to you right at Co's stocks say that they will not move, the beginning of the fall season. when you pack or ship away one dollars worth of need the goods the most. At the prices the Holmes Clothing Co's stocks, that it we understand this stock of clothing, suits, will all be sold in Pinckney and that at overcoats, etc. will be sold at, the public ing invoiced will be sold at, everything predict that the entire stock will melt away will be sold out quickly inside of a few rapidly like a snowfall before a July snn. days time. It is a sale such as the public The opening day of this big sale, Saturday has opportunity to attend about once in a morning, Oct. 26th at 9 a.m. will be the ingston County and surrounding country ing trading. As soon as Holmes Clothing will, without doubt take advantage of the Co's doors are open to the public in order grand opportunity to secure for themselves to facilitate the serving of the immense suits, overcoats, hats, underwear, etc. at crowds who will attend this gigantic quit

the prices the entire stock, which is now be- will certainly take quick action and we lifetime, and the people of Pinckney, Liv- collossal event, and we advise early mornabout 45 cents on the dollar. The Nation. business closing out sale. A word to the al Mercantile Co. informs us that they have | wise should be sufficient, and we advise engaged twenty extra salespeople in order you to be on hand early, and benefit acthis quit business sale, and closing out of your arrangements to be here on opening the Holmes Clothing Co's stocks. We be-, day. Wait! Wait! Wait!-Prepare acspeak for this quit business clothing sale cordingly and make your arrangements to a gigantic business, as the Holmes Clothing | be here on opening day, Saturday morn-Mrs. Eliza Fletcher returned to Co's reputation for carrying good quality ing Oct. 26th at 9 a. m. You cannot Chelsea last week after visiting rela- clothing is well known in Pinckney, Liv- afford to miss this sale. IF YOU VALingston county and vicinity, as during UE MONEY, THEN PREPARE ACtheir career in business in Pinckney, they CORDINGLY. carried only the most reliable quality of men's, boys' and childrens' clothing The entire stock from the Belding, Mich., store has moved to Pinckney and merged into one comprises nothing but fine hand tailored suits and overcoats of the worlds most famous high art tailors such as Stein Block & Co.; Ederheimer Stein & Co.; Black & supplement.

attract thousands of people to Pinckney, an the public know the character of the Holmes Clothing Co. good quality clothing and the people are always ready to save themselves one-half on their purchases whenever that opportunity presents itself. Merchants from Pinckney or vicinity wishing to buy portions of this stock or any part of the fixtures, safe, counters, etc. will please call between the hours of 8 and 9 the immense crowds of people who will wish to buy this stock at retail by the sinerwear. The store which is now closedto serve the vast crowds who will attend cordingly. Drop everything and make

It will certainly be a great feast of

clothing bargains, and the sale no doubt

Besides our other job and newspaper work this office has issued 15,000 large bills for the National Mercantile Co. of Chicago this week. The to of the bill appears on page four

Pinckney Bispatch.

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Miss Franc Burch was in this place first of the week.

Mrs. T. J. Gaul is visiting relatives. Jackson this week.

Mrs George Green and daughter are hting in Jackson and Battle Creek Miss Blanche Martin is visiting her ter, Mrs. Chas. B. Eaman of Ann bor.

Mrs. Jennie Barton is having her house painted. R. E. Finch is doing the work,

Dr. W. T. Wright was called home to Ann Arbor to attend the funeral of his mother this week.

Mrs. Frank Sigler, who has been spending several weeks with her daughters in Detroit, returned home this week.

It never rains but it pours—the job rooms of the Disparch office have had cloudburst the past week. Quick and good vork tells in the long run.

Principal, I. J. Gaul and the Misses
Belle Kennedy, Mae Reason, Lela
Monks and Jessie Green, teachers in
the school here, and Miss Florence
Midrews left this morning to attend
the State Teachers Institute at Battle

There are those who seem to feel adly or ce in a while because no menion was made of their visits and enertainments, etc. They should repember that the editor of any paper neither consident or omnipresent ad unless someone informs him of affairs he has no way of knowed. We try to get all the news but a some that are really good once in talle.

Dexter has her hopes raised again about the electric line to that village. Surveyors have been setting stakes from the main line into that village. Good. Extend it up to Pinckney.

W. H. H. Seger and son James encountered a lively nest of "rattlers" near James Cunningham's one day recently. There were six fine, healthy fellows in the road all of which were killed.—Brighton Argus.

The people of Fowlerville gave Rey, W. G. Stevens of the M. E. Church a welcome reception at the church recently. Over 800 were present and a pleasant evening was spent. The people of that village are to be congratulated that conference sent them Rev. Stevens.

PLAINFIELD.

Rev. Kinnsman of Millville preached here last Sunday.

Some needed repairs are being made on the Prespt. church.

Etta Wasson of Ann Arbor spent a tew days last week with her parents here.

S. G. Topping and wife Mrs. E. L. Topping and Miss Braley made a bus iness trip to Howell last week.

The first number on the Plainfield Lecture course will be a lecture by Mr. Atkinson, Wednesday evening, Oct. 80.

Orrin Dutton of Kansas was called here by the death of his father and is spending a few days with his mother before returning home.

The Presbt. Ladies aid society will serve dinner at noon Thursday, Oct. 31 at Jas. Watkins Ladies are requested to bring their thimbies.

Dexter has ber hopes raised again State Christian Endeavor out the electric line to that village. Convention.

The 18th annual Michigan State Christian Endeavor Convention is to be held in Grand Rapids, Michigan, November 21st to 24th.

It is expected that there will be from five hundred to one thousand delegates and visitors in attendance Dr. Francis E. Clark, D. D., L. L. D., the founder of Christian Endeavor and the President of the United Scalety of Christian Endeavor, and Wm. Shaw, the Treasurer of the United Society, and other noted speakers will take part in the program.

This army of delegates and visitors are to be entertained by the Grand Rapids Christian Endeavor Union under the leadership of their efficient President, Rev. W. John Hamilton.

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