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### MICHIGAN NEWS.

The Crouch Tragedy.

The inquest in the famous Crouch family murder was resumed in Jackson, on Monday the 7th inst. with about 2,000 people crowded into the court room. All the officers were present, and R. E. Fraser and T. A Wilson, as the lawyers to watch the interests of the family and J. A. Parkinson to look after the defense of Julia Reese.

It was supposed that developments would b made as to the manner in which the sheriff had treated Julia Reese in order to wring a con fession from her, but the testimony elicited was all about the revolver which Mr. Reynolds claims to have sold to Daniel Holcomb. Calvin Cooper, of Leoni, who claims to have bought a 38-calibre revolver from Reynolds, was on the stand and swore positively that he bought to f Reynolds. Dan Reynolds and Enoch Reynolds, his father who keep the store known as "The Fair," Gertie Scoolord and Julia Weiger, two lady clerks, all swore as positively that it was a 32-calibre weapon that was sold to Cooper, and that the 38, the only one of that size ever in the store was sold to Daa Holcomb. The revolver which Cooper claimed to have bought of the Reynolds, together with the cartridges, was produced in court, and it proved to be a 38. It is evident that either Mr. Cooper or the storkeepers are grossly mistaken, or that there has been cullusion semewhere, and the revolvers exchanged in some way. nade as to the manner in which the sheriff had

s exchanged in some way.

The colored boy Bolles was examined, but youd the statement that there were things knew that he would not tell for anything, along could be gained. Other witnesses are examined as to Holcomb's whereabouts were examined as to Holcomb's whereabouts on the night the murder was committed, concerning the relations of the Crouch and Holcomb families, concerning the Crouch property and the disposition the old man intended to make of it, but nothing that could throw any light upon the mystery was brought out. Without leaving their seats the jury rendered a verdict that Jucob Crouch, Henry and Eunice White came to their death from pistol wounds at the lands of some person or persons unknown. The same verdict was rendered in the case of the stranger Polley.

St. Mary's Falls Ship Canal.

The annual report of the work done in 1883 at the St. Mary's Falls Ship Canal, as compared with that done the previous year, shows 4,315 vessels passed through the canal in 1883, which is 459 less than the number that passed through in 1882. The aggregate measurement of these vessels was 2,042,259 tons, 425,829 ons less than the aggregate for the previous year. This loss in tonnage is mainly due to the adoption of the new measurement of vessels. There were \$9,130 passengers carried by three vessels, an increase over last year of 9,874. Of freight carried there were 714,444 tons of coap, a gain of 284,260 tons; 31,024 tons of copper, a gain of 5,615 tons; 6c6 31 barrels of flour, a gain of 5,615 tons; 6c6 31 barrels of flour, a gain of 34,987 barrels; 6,677,025 bushels of grain, a gain of 2,475,(40 bushels; 781,723 tons of iron ore, a loss of 195,328 'ons; 87,131.0 0 feet of lumber, a gain of 4,348,000 feet; 109,910 tons of nanufactured iron, a gain of 17,040 tons; 70,898 barrels of salt, a loss of 105,714 barrels; 814 tons of silver ore, a gain of 729 tons; 191,571 tons of miscellaneous freight, a gain of 19,404 tons. The report is turnished by 0. M. Poe, Lieutenant Colonel of Engineers, U. S. A. year. This loss in tonnage is mainly due to

A Little Light on the Mystery.

A dispatch from Ovid to a Detroit morning paper says: Much interesting testimony is has been out west, and is said to have killed

in her bed on the evening of the 2d inst. She went to her room shortly after dinner, saying she did not want to be called until a certain hour. About 5 o'clock in the afternoon, the daughter Edith went to her mother's room, and found her cold in death. Mr. Holcomb and the Crouch brothers were in Jackson, at the time, and the young girl was alone with her mother. The husband and brothers were st once notified, and in company with a physician and coroner, hastened to their desolate home. Dr. Williams, the attending physician, mendlately began an invest gate n, which re-

gave was before a torrent, destroying much property and washing away like straws the houses of E. C. Raymond, E. S. Cleaves and his son, and demolishing a portion of the latter's foundry. It is supposed that Raymond, who is the teller of the first national bank of Houghton, his son and a servant girl, Mrs. J. W. Raymond, who is the wife of the clerk of the c ot since been seen.

The seventh day adventist conference has just ordered the Review and Herald printing offices at Battle Creek to do no more job printing for the public. The association was organized to print religious books and tracts only and the new officers are going to follow the rule whether they make any money or not. There has been no revision of the Michigan ratures since 1846. Leading lawyers throughout the state thick "such things ought not to e" and clamor loudly for an over-hauling of ar statute books.

Peter Moore's store in Gladwin, in which the ligace postoffice was located was desired.

about \$5,000.

The new year starts in with 390 boys at the eform school, ranging from four to six feet i height, and from fifty to 165 pounds in clash. This is the largest number that has ver been in the school at one time, and the rospects are that there will be upwards of 100. A happier and healthier lot of boys canot be found in the country, there not being a graph case of sightness in the hospital.—Laus-

Citizens of Houghton have raised a subscription of \$1,400 for the wife and two children of Chas C. Baymond, who lost his life in the Houghton mill disaster on the 1st inst.

There will be but one enumerator in each town There will be but one enumerator in each town or city, but the boards have the power to appoint assistants in their discretion. The work of the enumerator is reviewed by the board, then by the county clerk, and if it passes all the prescribed scrutiny, the county clerk issues a warrant on the county treasurer for pay for the enumerator's services. The compensation will be \$2.50 a day, and there are some minor charges such as mileage etc. sulowed.

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The restriction imposed by the land department of the Detroit, Marquette and Mackinac railroad company, to prohibit the sale of liquors in the new towns up the fine, by tuserting a restrictive clause in all contracts for land, has been abandoned. One firm in Kalamazoo made \$12,000 on

Tax collectors throughout the state report unsual promptness in the payment of taxes. Henry N. Walker of Detroit, commissioner of immigration, has sent his resignation to dovernor Begole to take effect January 31.

uilding at Owosso as soon as the weather will The Eggleston spring works at Kalamazoo, he largest establishment of the kind in the orthwest, has been sold to a stock company

George Sullivan, a laborer in a logging campear L'Anse, was instantly killed the other ay by a log rolling over him. Citizens of Jackson have clubbed together and will retain Messrs. Gibson, Parkitson and Ashley to defend Julia Reese, the domestic of the Crouch family, who has been in jail since the 21st of November

The cold snap which swept from the North-Michigan from lake to lake, accompanied by a sharp, crise, biting wind. In many places mow fell to quite a depth.

There is said to be a scheme on foot to build

There is said to be a scheme on foot to build a railroad from South Lyons to Charlotte, via Mason, thus making the distance between Detroit and Grand Rapids about 15 miles shorter. Mason people have pledged \$75,000 to any company that will construct a railroad through the town cust and west, and other towns have increased the sum to \$142,000.

D. F. Wadsworth & Co., bankers of Ishpeming, have failed for \$180,000.

Detroit stands no show for the national Democratic convention because, forsooth, that city hasn't accommodations for so large a

During the year 1883 the Detroit, Lansing and Northern railroad company paid out in Ionia an average of \$33,000 a month.

William Mathers, whose home was a mile north of Casnovia, Kent county, left his bed about 4 o'clock the other morning, wandered out in the celd and snew, wearing only his shirt and socks, and when found was in a dying condition, death ensuing soon after. He was about 70 years old. It is not known what caused himtodo as he did.

Theresa Lewis, the woman who figured so prominently in the Sophie Lyons case, has brought-suit against the Evening News of Detroit, for liber. Theresa thinks that paper damaged her reputation about \$50,000 worth. A Kalamazoo judge has just sentenced a aloon keeper of that place to prison for 18 months for swearing he did not keep his saloon

paper says: Much interesting testimony is promised from these parts concerning the Crouch tragedy and the probable perpetrators. The Elsie stranger has been traced and identified. His name is known, but the officers here refuse to give it. His father-in-law is an influential farmer living in Greenbush, Cinton county, named Smith. The stranger referred to has been out west, and is said to have killed.

Mrs. J. R. Hendryx, a pioneer of Calhoun county, died in Dowagiac recently.

The directors of the St. Louis, Sturgis and Battle Creek railroad elected the following officers: President, E. C. Nichols of Battle Creek; vice president, A. C. Waterman of Athens; treasurer, Nelson Eldred; secretary, Geo. E. Howes of Battle Creek; executive committee, E. C. Nichols, A. C. Waterman and V. P. Collier of Battle Creek; S. R. Cuip of Athens; Richmond Kingman of Battle Creek, R. B. Messer and E. H. Funk of Sturgts. The survey will be made immediately and the enterprise pushed vigorously to a successful completion. The organization comprises many of

cr mother. The missand and broaders were to one notified, and in company with a physican and coroner, hastened to their desolate one. Dr. Williams, the attending physician, mmediately began an invest gatien, which required in the discovery of poleon in the room, of an attorney fee of \$1,000, which was stricken out.

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Faint heart never helped fair lady. When she will she will; and this is the year she will.

southinest.—Artemus Ward
"I'm not exactly engaged," said
Tilda Squeers, "But I'm going to be."

Mike: "It's the Irish that does all the inventing in these days, sure." Jonathan: "Irish be hanged! the Irish don't invent anything to speak of, Americans invent everything," Mike: Thin per-

THE NEWS

WASHINGTON.

OUR LITTLE BALANCE.

A special to the Detrois Free Press from a special to the Detrois Free Press from the first part from the call year ended December 31. The total celpts of the government during that period \$175.041. have amounted in round numbers to \$178,341, 500, as against \$2.6,801,000 for the correspond ng period of last year, a falling off of about \$12.500,000 less than during the first half of \$35,000,000 less than during the first half of year, and the internal revenue receipt by about \$13,000,000, or at the rate of \$25 less by about \$18,000,000, or at the rate of \$25,000,000 decrease it reusions during the year, and \$26,000,000 for internal revenue. But it its probable that the failing off will not be so large during the latter balf of the year. In July owing to abnormal conditions, the customs receipts were nearly \$1,000,000 larger than for July of last year. In August the decrease was \$4,747,000, but since August the failing off has been less each month. In September it was \$3,657,00; in October \$1,856,000; in November, \$1,677,000, and December, \$1,577,000. In other words, the customs receipts each month since August have been steadily approaching the monthly receipts of last year. The expenditures during the first half of the current year have been in round numbers \$127,000,000,000, against \$129,000,000 for the corresponding period of last year. The surplus has been \$50,000,000,000 for first half of last year a decrease of \$27,000,000, or half of last year a decrease of \$27,000,000 for firshalf of last year a decrease of \$27,000,000 at the rate of \$54,000,000 for the current year. The Pension Office has drawn from the treasury over \$40,000,000 during the last six months.

How we stand financially.

During the first half of the current fiscal year
the interest-bearing debt was diminished in
round numbers \$61,000,003. The bonds actually redeemed and destroyed amounted to \$54ly redeemed and restrayed amounted to \$30,000.000. The amount redeemed during the last calendar year was nearly \$99,000,000. It is a notable fact that of this amount over hal were redeemed during the last six months. It is also a significant fact that the amount of gold coin and bullion now owned by the government is larger by \$24,000,000 than it was a year ago, and the amount of standard silve gold last owned by the government is less by \$8,000,000 than it was a year ago, and less by \$8,000,000 than it was a year ago, and less by \$8,000,000 than it was a year ago, and less by \$8,000,000 than it was a year ago, and less by \$8,000,000 than it was a year ago, and less by \$8,000,000 than it was a year ago, and less by \$8,000,000 than it was a year ago, and less by 000,000 than it was a year ago, and less by \$17,000,000 than it was six months ago, and less by \$9,00.000 than it was Nov. 1. The following is a statement of the public debt for the mount of December:

The storm of the early part of the month was general throughout the state. The thermometer ranged a l the way from zero to 15° below. Railroad traffic was seriously retarded by reason of the snow-drifts. Stock in many places suffered severely and some farmers report the loss of valuable stock.

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Total interest-bearing deba....\$1,276,885,150

Debt bearing no interest—
Matured debt....\$15,138,795

Legal tenders...\$16,799,696

Certificates of deposit 14,560,000

Gold and silver certiflectus .. 200 930.531 Fractional currency. 6 989 428 Total without interest..... Total debt (principal).....\$1,861,243.600

Joseph Ritchie, who was lumbering back of Alcons, went to the woods to work the other morning, and the day following he was found frezen stiff, having been killed by a falling Decrease since June 30, 1883. 53 (4) 48: Debt on which interest has ceased 14,560,000 demption certificates of deposit

Available assets-Cash in treasury... Bonds issued to Pacific Kallroads, interest payable by United States principal outstanding... interest accrued, and not yet paid interest paid by United States... Interest repaid by companies by transportation service..... 17,631,803 cash payments-nve per cent.

ANOTHER FATAL SNOW SLIDE. News from the mountains in Colorado report additional snow slides. At the Virginius mine several cabins were buried under an avalanche and four miners kiled, and a short distance away two cabins were swept away, and two miners lost their lives.

he year she will.

Of all the blessings ladies are the Chicago and St. Louis on February 1.

Of All Ite Olessings ladies are the not being a single case of sickness in the hospital.—Lausing Republican.

Hon Charles P. Reed, a representative electfrom Musk gon county, died at his home in "Yaven on the sits til.

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Matthew Hyde, a clerk in the office of Mrs. "Yaven on the sit in the heart of the cetablishment in a semi-conscious condition the other night. It is claimed that two men a few minutes before had entered the place, chiloroformed him and robbed him of \$162 and his watch. Matthew was not injured. He is treasurer of the Independent Order of Red Men, and \$150 of the money belonged to the society.

Representative Carleton is working vigorous yto secure the national democratic convention for Detroit. Western representatives are said to favor the plan.

Collector Livingston, who succeeds Collector Bell at the Detroit custom bouse, took the oath of office on the sist of December, and entered upon his duties at once.

Cap. George R. Hand, the veteran tign manger, well known at every port on the lakes, died suddenly at his home in Buffalo, N. Y., on the morning of January 2.

Michigan supreme court opens on the Sth inst, with 186 cases on the calendar.

"Thanksgiving always comes before Congress meets," said the youth to his father. "Why is it? "Because, my son." was the solemn reply, ' it is in the nature

COLD WEATHER.

Even Our Southern Friends Get a Taste of Northern Temperature.

of Northern Temperature.

An associated press dispatch from Chicago on the 5th says: The thermometer at 5 o'clock this morning dropped to 27 below zero, which, taken with the cold record of yesterday, makes it the most severe showing in the way of extreme weather known for many years. At 8 o'clock the the the mometer was still 24 and at the same hour Kansas City reported 24 below; Sr. Paul, 20; Omaha, 34; Dubuque 32; Des Moines 24 and Kackuk 25. Dispatches from southern Illinois and Missouri report that in nearly every instance peach trees are all dead. At St. Louis on the same date, the mercury fell to 23 degrees below. At noor it was 17 below. The day was the coldest since January 1, 1864, when the thermometer marked 26 below, the lowest on record at this point. A very heavy ice is still running through the harbor, and no gorges are yet reported below the city. At Kansas City the mercury marked 25 below zero, the coldest known in years. A stock train bearing 300 mules, mostly weanlings en route from Austin, Texas, blocked at Lee's summit, 20 miles from Kansas city. The animals were not acclimated, and 100 of them died from exposure. At Ft. Scott, Kansas, the thermometer stood 24° below zero, and an entire car load of mules were frozen to death within a few miles of the city. At St. Jiseph, Mo., the thermometer ranged from 23° to 82° below. At Nashville, Tenn.

ow in the morning, but at noon had risen to Several street car drivers and teamsters hands and feet frezen, in some cases amad hands and feet frezen, in some cases amutation being necessary.

At Louisville, Ky., the 5th of January was
ne of the coldest days ever known. The
uercury registered 18° below and stood at
last figure all day. At night it was still
older, the mercury standing 20° below. But
ttle suffering among the poor is reported as
st. State officials report several deaths from
eezing and much suffering among cattle not
set houses.

well housed.

In Cincinnati 24° below was the lowest point reached. At Wheeling, W. Va., 15° below was indicated by the mercury. At Leavenworth, Kansas, 21° to 4° below was the range, and at Topeka, Kansas, the mercury marked 25° below.

CRUSHED TO DEATH. A Workmen's Train Run Into by a

Freight Train and Twenty Seven Persons Crushed to Death. A Toronto dispatch of the Sd inst says: One of he most harrowing calamities that has hap-

pened in this neighborhood for a long time coured here this morning on the Grand Trunk Railway. A suburban train left the Union Station at 6:49. A car, attached was filled with employes of the bolt works, who live in the city and are conveyed to their daily labor city and are conveyed to their daily labor this means, the train stopping for them optie the works. After turning the curve at Parkdale boundary a freight train was obved coming cityward, but the impetus of trains was too much to allow the breaks to their duty in time, and the result was a rful smash-up ending in a shocking tragedy, cuty-seven persons were killed and many cris-shockingly injured. The affair casts a om over the city. The woulded are lying he hospital and several doctors are giving mevery attention. An eye-witness dethe hospital and several dectors are giving them every attention. An eye-witness de-cribes the scene at the wrock as heart-rending in the extreme. The conductor of the freight train, George Barber, is said to be responsible or the accident, as he was running his train without orders. He has been arrested.

A CONVENT BURNED,

And Twenty-Six of the Inmates Burned to Death.

St. Joseph's Roman Catholic convent in Belle ville, Ill. was burned to the ground on the 5th inst, and according to a United press special on the morning of the 6th twenty six of the inmutes were burned to death. The fire gained

The magnificent six-story building in Chica-o known as "B-auvrage," on the lake front ith all its flats occupied by some of the best smilles of the city, borned at 4 o'clock on the coming of the Sth. One hundred and fifty

CERTITE ES.

Fourteen conductors of Pullman cars on the Pennsylvania roal have been arrested for a series of embezziements in collusion with the regular conductors, by which, it is said, their employers have been swindled out of \$40,000 within the past four months. The arrests were made on evidence secured by a detective agency which makes a specialty of railroad and steamstip work, and which has been pursuing the investigation nearly five months, sometimes having as many as 20 detectives riding as ordinary passengers in the Pullman carson a single train. These detectives gave the conductors tickets purchased in the sunal way, after having carefully noted their numbers. These numbers were then traced and it was found that in a vast number of cases the palace car conductors, without punching the tickest, CONDUCTORS CAGED.

has accordingly given up the rectorship.

Currier, the young Alsatian, who forced his way into the senate, with the avowed intention of shooting Prime Minister Ferry, has been sentenced to three months' imprisonment. When arrested, Currien stated that the murdir of the French minister was agreed upon at a meeting of a secret society at Little. He threatened, that when released, he would be more successful in another attempt to kill M.

MONTREAL'S MISERY.

An associated press dispatch from Montreal of the 31 says: The water arose 16 inches during the night, and now all the buildings on St. lames street west are flooded with from three of live feet of water. The majority of the totels are without heating and cooking apparatus, and are refusing guests. Early this

The latest version of the recent accident to the czar of Russia is as follows: The czar was returning on the afternoon of December 17 to the Gatschina palace from a shooting excur sion, accompanied by his suite in eight sledges, with a number of servants. Although darkness was coming on the party noticed on the road ahead six men apparently peasants. The czar's aides droye forward and ordered the men to clear the way. The men saluted the officers and appeared to obey the order, but when the czar's sledge came on a level with them they suddenly wheeled around, fired at the czar thrice, and two of them ran toward him. The horses drawing the imperial sledge became frightened and galloged some hundred paces, when the czar was thrown out of the sledge. A bullet lodged in the czar's shoulder. It offers, however, no danger. The czar's followers immediately mounted the sledge horses and followed the assassins, who escaped in the neighboring wood. Owing to the depth of snow pursuit was fruitless. One of the pursuing officers ventured too far and has not yet returned. The Telegraph referring to the foregoing says: Whether the story is true or untrue the revival of nihilismis undoubted. The nihilist executive committee promised to give nibilist executive committee promised to give the present czar a fair trial No constitution and no reforms have been granted although promised. His trial has therefore ended.

ENGLAND SAYS WHAT SHE WILL DO. Affairs in Egypt are apparently approaching a crisis. Three official dispatches have been sent out from the foreign office in London. The first assured the knedive that England would maintain her postion in Egypt; the second guaranteed that England would undertake to resist any attempt at the invasion of lower Egypt by El Mahdt, but said this guaranty meantro more than that she would assume to cooline El Mahdt's operations to the Soudan and must not be construed as promising any assistance in resisting those operations so long and must not be construed as promising any assistance in resisting those operations so long as they were not an actual attack on Egypt proper; the third instructed the British Consul at Massourah to notify the king of Abyssinia that England would not approve of any military operations by Abyssinian troops in the Soudan, and would resent any attack upon Egyptian troops which might be operating in that region to maintain the authority of the khedive. The khedive resents the plan as laid down by England, and says he will light to the bitter end. He caided his cabinet together, and after discussing the terms on which England will assist Egypt the entire cabinet resigned, and ins steel up on their resignation being ed, and ins sterlup in their resignation being accepted. As a result of the conference in the British foreign office, 12 000 men have been prepared to embark for Egypt as soon as orders

are received. British men-of-war will be or-dered to the Red sea and the Suez canal, and prompt measures are expected CONGRESS.

JANUARY 7. garding the inspection of rivers and narbors; one from the postmaster general, trausmitting the report of the commission on railway mail service, and a communication from the secretary of the interior transmitting copies of all papers relating to the transfer of the land grant of the New Orleans, Baton Rouge & Vicksburg railroad. A number of petitions were presented from various sections of the country in relating to a relation to the country in relating to a relation to the country in the country in the control of the country in the country in the control of the country in the countr n relation to a rebate on tobacco. Among the fills introduced was one to facilitate the re-orm of the civil service, and a joint resolution for the immediate appropriation of \$1,000,000 for the preservation and repair of certain works relating to improvements along the Mississipni river. A resolution was agreed to, directing the scretary of the treasury to transmit all documentary information in his possession relating to the execution of the Chinese immigration act.

ben killed at Nacaric, Sonora, by the Apaches.
Frank Hurd of Toledo says the tariff issue
will be vigorously pressed when Congress acttles down to business, A Negro's cabin in Live @ak, Fla., burned the other day, and ten little children who were

ocked in were burned to death. Kuights of Labor in mass meeting at Kansas City denounce President Arthur for refusing to interfere in the case of O'Donnell.

per in 1883. Gen. McKenzie of the regular army, has been sent to the Bloomingdale, N. Y., insane asylum for treatment.

the other morning, and four men were drown-

A misplaced rail on the Illinois Central read, near Sloux City, Iowa, resulted in the death of two persons, and the serious injury of several Minister Lowell thinks he would encounter too much difficulty in discharging the duties as rector of St. Andrew's University, in view of his position as United States Minister, and

The jury in the Emma Bond case at Hills-noro, Ill., returned a verdict of "not guilty." Portugal takes offense at the portion of President Arthur's message in which he states that it may become necessary for the United States to take measures to protect their rights of trade on the Course of trade on the Congo. An express train on the Wabash road struck a wagon near Napoleon O., instantly killing

Dakota line was almost entirely swept away by |

Orrin J. Smith, aged 16, and Amelia Case, aged 13, of Jacksonville, Lehigh county, Pa., ran away and were married on the 3d inst.

ing points, where the custom of selling in cargo lots almost universally prevails. The chief cause of this depres-

France says she is willing to move against the False Prophet, if England declines. Chairman Randall, of the House Appropria-

Queen Victoria is soon to issue another book called "More Leaves from a Journal of life in the Highlands from 1562 to 1883."

er grades of lumber are not in demand. The failures at Grand Rapids and on the Highlands from 1562 to 1883."

The Senate committee on public lands favor donating part of the Ft. Smith military reservation to the city of Ft. Smith, Ark., for the support of free schools.

Dr. Edward Lasker, the eminent German evitable collapse was before them. The

John Allison, father of United States Senator was when timber that is being cut to-day into saw logs for next season's lumew days ago, aged 85 years.

The Ontonagon and Brule river land grant passed over. In this way thousands of estion is being vigorously fought.

Dense fogs have prevalled on the English poorer timber, which should have been coast for several days, and a number of vessels have been lost.

man.
Dr. Mary Walker called upon the president pon New Year's day. She wore her pants.
Mary N., seventeenth wife of the lare Brigham Young, elied at Salt Lake City a few days ago, in her 40th year. Sixteen other widows turvive him.

A Compliment for Michigan.

credit of having had constructed within its borders the largest number of miles of new road, as well as having ean be no other conclusion. The logs exceeded the construction of the two preceding years. An extension of 18 miles on the Newaygo branch of the Chicago and West Michigan; of four the total log crop for next season will miles on the Menominee river line of the Chicago and Northwestern; of three chicago and Northwestern; of three some of these logs will not reach the miles on the Detroit, Mackinaw & Marquette, and of 16 miles on the Flint and Pere Marquette were completed, in ad-Here Marquette were completed, in addition to which the Ithaca and Alma built its eight-mile line between those points and the Michigan Air Line extension of the Grand Trunk of Canada was completed from a junction with the period division at Ridgeway to Jackson, a distance of 90 miles. The new Michigan, and bills poured in with as much volume as on the first bill day of the seesten. Michigau's representatives Eidridge and Yaple introduced bills to remove the duty on friction or lucifer matches. Michigan and Ohio, which was built by the Seney syndicate which so successfully squeezed the Lake Shore people in the celebrated Nickel Plate deal was there was no great number of borrowers this winter for logging purposes; indeed, he said, the best men are doing deed, he said, the best men are doing over before known. What Michigan Central line. The Marquette, Houghton & Ontonagon extended its line from L'Anse to Houghton, 31

extended its line southwest to Wells on the Michigan Central railroad, and mortheast to Au Sable, a total of 22

balance on dividends on the stock for nies, with assets of \$646,458,544.

"It has been a standing announcement in the telegraphic columns of the press that, "War between China and France is inevitable." War is a bad and unwarranted thing, and to be deplored, but it would be a relief to have the process of butter-making, is indispensable; also a thorough washing of the butter in cold wa'er after it is taken from the butter-milk.

Said the corductor of a slow-going Western train to an impatient traveler "No, we are not be read but we do manager." ly bracing up to each other, and daring

Lumber Business in Michigan. A correspondent at Muskegon furnishes

A singular election case is before the Maryland legislature. In the Senate it was voted and to allow Hodgson, of Somerset county, to take oath, because he was a minister of the gospel at the election and therefore ineligible. The matter was referred to a committee.

A correspondent at Muskegon furnishes the Detroit Times a frank statement of statistics of the lumber trade in Michigan. He says: At no time since the panic of 1873 has the lumber trade exhibited the same duliness as this winter. Pension Commissioner Dudley says the publication of the pension list has resulted in bringing to light only about 200 allegations of fraud, and that of this number only one case thickering with the tariff, but in the most light of the pension list has resulted in the result of the pension list has resulted in the result of the pension list has resulted in the result of the pension list has resulted in the same duffness as this winter. This is in a measure probably due to suspense attendant upon congressional trike in the pension list has resulted in the pension of the pension list has resulted in the pension of the pension list has resulted in the pension of the pension list has resulted in the pension of the pension list has resulted in the pension of the pension list has resulted in the pension of the pension list has resulted in the pension of the pension list has resulted in the pension of the pension list has resulted in the pension of th hibited the same dullness as this winter. was serious.

Sebator Sabin, chairman of the National Republican committee, thinks payment of the national debt should cease, in fact, ought to have essent a year area. ing points, where the custom of selling vails. The chief cause of this depres-Wrightman and Graham, the two men charged with the Middlemiss, Ont., murder, have been held for trial at the April assizes. Gov. Robinson, of Massachusetts, was sworn into office on the 3d instant.

Manistee and at other points is much loss in aggregate than for aggregate than a great aggregate than for aggregate than a great aggregat less in aggregate than for several years past. One great cause is the quietness of the general business of the country, tion Committee, has announced the sub-committees. Mr. Horr, of Michigan, appears in the post-office and fortification divisious.

Two murderers were hanged at Newark, N. Scarcer now than ever before, and poorer grades of lumber are not in demand.

the line of the G. R. & I railroad were Failures for the first week in January amount to 319, the largest number ever reported in a measure to this state of affairs.

The manufacture of the coarser grades of lumber costs, just as much as the Circulars are being privately circulated in Washington asking the recipients how much they will be able to contribute toward the campaign fund. The matter is being a being subject to every they will be able to contribute toward the campaign fund. The matter is being investigated.

The issue of standard silver dollars for the first week of the new year was \$152,498, egainst \$616,000 for the same time last year.

The Senate committee on untille lands force. An effort is being made to pool the pig iron piles of common lumber along the rail-road and when the pinch come the inwho has been on a visit in this couplry since last May, died in New York a few days ago of heart disease.

The total coinage of the mints during 1883, amounted to \$60,095.749.

The total coinage of the mints during 1883, amounted to \$60,095.749. them long ago, that pine timber is fast Postmaster-General Gresham has notified imployers of that department, that if they durchase lottery tickets, they do it upon pain the night pressure policy of the past will The postoffice department has issued an order establishing a daily (except Sunday) ex-hange of through register of pouches between the postmasters at Detroit, Mich., and Wash-ngton, D. C. picked out by the loggers and others The funeral of the victums of the Grand Trulk disaster of the 2d inst. was held in Toronto on the 5th inst. Nineteen hearses were in the procession, and it is stimated that 40,000 people joined in the services. Senator Palmer of Michigan is an Arthur lumber, hence the large percentage of

and of this stock fully 60 per cent is of A terrible boiler explosion is reported from Bourneville, near Chillicothe, Outo, in which three men were blown to pieces.

and of this stock fully 60 per cent is of the common grades, the better qualities having been bought up for Chicago. Mrs. Haycock, the head cook at the Auburn House, in Joliet, Ill., who was so brutally assaulted by her lover George Frestune, has nation of the lumber trade. The logging operations of the present winter are unusually light. The new logs to be put in on the Muskegon and tributaries will not exceed 375,000,000 feet, while last winter the log crop reached fully 550,000,000 teet. From To the state of Michigan belongs the this it would be naturally inferred that

mills in time to be cut, and consequenty Muskegon will have the shortest log crop ever known in comparison with the capacity of the mills, which is over lences of the dullness of the lumber ousiness this winter is the large amount of unused money in the banks. At this time last year the two banks here had about \$250,000 cash on hand, while to s bears on the mill owners bears on the laborers, and the thousands of wage earners in this city were never so hard line from L'Anse to Houghten, 31 miles, by that extension acquiring a land grant of 80,000 ceres. The Detroit, Bay City & Alpena, a reorganization of the Tawas & Bay County, extended its line southwest to Wells on extended its line southwest to Wells on the lumber of the southwest to well so the southwest to well and the southwest to we

Gov. Cleveland's second message to length. The Pontiac, Oxford & Port Austin was completed from Pontiac north to Caseville, on Saginaw bay, 100 miles, of which 30 miles were built in decrease of \$407,054 in the year. The taxes on corporations amounted to \$1-935,179. The total tax raised for next ommends an amendment to the tax laws The gross earnings of the New York Central and Hudson River road for 10 years ended Sept. 30, 1883, were, according to the Stockholder, \$302.534.- sults. The tonnage shows an increase During the year 1883, 388,541 immigrants passed through Castle Garden. Of this number 17,000 were Germans.

Minister Hunt telegraphs Secretary Chandler, from 8t. Petersburg, that the remains of the Jeannette victims will reach New York about February 15.

Coording to the Stockholder, \$502,054. Sults. The tonnage shows an increase 228, a yearly average of \$30,353,422. Of 324,350 tons, while the shipments of gruze from Buffalo by canal were 42,350,916 bushels, against, 29,439,688 last year. The cost of public education was about February 15. yearly average of \$12.577,005. The net scholars and 31.570 teachers in the pub-earnings of the first year were \$13.262,- lie schools. Colleges, twenty-four; 089, and of the last year \$12,696.991
The gross amount of the first charges—
interest and rental—for the ten years

with resources of \$160,716 3.3, and 127 was \$47,895,004, a yearly average of savings banks, with resources of \$483, \$4,739,504. The first charges for the 662,000008, and sixteen loan and trust first year were \$3.548,934, and of the companies, with resources of \$160,137,-last year. \$5.369,839. The remaining 760. There are 198 insurance compathe 10 years was \$78.379 309, a yearly State prisons report a surplus of \$9,106 Deaths in New York City last year, 33,982; average of \$7,837,930. The balance for over expenditures. Cleveland recomthe first year was \$9 618 155, and for mends that all State charitable institu-It is reported that the newly discovered Cœur de Leon gold mire, near Portland, Orc., is very rich, and that 20,000 prospectors will enter the field in the spring.

11 is reported that the newly discovered Cœur the first year \$7,327,455. The company's funded debt was increased from pany's funded d The St. Lawrence at Montreal is blocked by ice, and the water has backed into the city, doing great damage. Many cellars have six feet of water. Large quantities of goods are spoiled. Great suffering exists at Griffintown from the submerging of dwellings.

The will of P. T. Barnum and its codicils cover 700 pages of legal cap, closely written, and property valued at \$10,000,000 to 27 heirs several of the latter being public institutions. An order at Wilkesbarre, Pa., suspends mining for three days a week till April 1; charged to scarcity of cars in the Wyoming valley and the blocking of all chutes and breakers with coal.

The jury in the Emma Bond account.

China and France shut up, put up, go to fighting, or quit, and not be eternally bracing up to each other, and daring At Woodville, Newaygo Co., Charles

and subtime leave b bind to conquer time \$60 t the other to "knock a chip off my shoulder." It begins to look as though wheels of the wagon passing over his There is a threatened uprising on the Franco-The town of Breckenbridge, Minn., near the one was afraid, and t'other dasent.' chest causing his death in two hours.

### MORE ON TRAMPS.

SOME PERTINENT INQUIRIES AND

ANSWERS.

Fifth Report on Tramps and Disorderlies.

(Official.) Since my last report I gave one Pat Sheehan a line to the sheriff, ordering him (the sheriff) to allow the man to stay over night; conditions that he leave by 9 A. M. the next morning, and he complied with the terms. Extreme cold his excuse.

Friday night officer Imus put in two men who were fighting, he said, and brought them to my office the next morning. I advised them to leave at once, as sham fights to get in jail, among tramps, were something which the statute did not contemplate, and if there was any law applicable to the case I thought the officers should be fined for stopping the pretended fight. In this case I advise the non-payment of any fees.

Saturday Fred Mathews came in my office and wanted to be sent to Ionia. I advised him, that I was powerless to do, but did direct him where he would find plenty of work at fair wages. Friday night about nine o'clock, two

large, ugly looking fellows, came to my house and wanted to "see the Jedge": and on being told that I was not at home, whined and complained of the cold and "did not know what they would do for a place to stay over night," but after I got home I heard nothing of them until the next day, when, on making a proper diagnosis of their case, I came to the conclusion that a little of the "spirits of fermenti" would have affored them proper relief, and although the county might have been minus a clerk, and the city one supervisor, yet the board of su- of Rugby school. Born December 24, pervisors will remember that I believe that a surplus of officers is much worse to deal with than the tramps. I learn that these two men have since found employment, and have made up their mind hereafter to live an honest, industrious and useful life.

On Monday I received a letter from the supervisors of Barry county wanting etry at Oxford—a position which he held me to give them our plan of managing for ten years with distinguished ability, tramps. I replied that we had no plan; He his now one of her Majesty's inspecthat all plans for three years had failed, and now we had commenced business, and was not spending any more time on Criticism,' 'Literature and Dogma,'

And now after one month's experience I have no doubt that the board of supervisors and common council, could they be together, would like to ask me a great many questions and hear my answers, that they might arrive at wise concluthem in this respect: Q.-Do you think this system will

break up the tramp business? A.-I do, to a very great extent, at ly' a few years ago." least so far as it has become a public

Q.—What do you think is the cause of so many tramps?

popular current opinion in regard to presided. idolizing loafers and dead beats, under the pretense of reform and charity. The business for the year ending December 31 custom of multiplying officers to an un-pardonable extent, and the desire of ahows a membership of 2,009, and propgard to the criminality of using the public funds without honestly earning them. S\$\\\ \frac{\$4,022,99000}{\$000}; the habilities, \$1,120, 000 which \$1,100 is for money borrowed. The total income for the year was \$18. ary than they actually agreed to work for when they were appointed or elected.

The mistaken means of public christian the year amount to \$6.297.42. Salaries The mistaken means of noble christian and fees paid amounted to \$1,153.45. women in feeding and clothing those One assessment was made during the year, who ought, could and would feed and amounting to \$10,860.26, and the rate clothe themselves. The false and illegal was \$2.75 per \$1,000. notions of superintendents of the poor about their duties and jurisdiction, and the strange and entirely modern notion of the board of directors: H. D. Platt, among some that a jail is a kind of thirdamong some that a jail is a kind of thirdclass boarding house, kept by the county, Fairchild, Ann Arbor. The old auditing instead of a place of confinement and

imprisonment. Q.—Do you not think this plan will was also re-elected. have a tendency to make criminals?

A .- No, decidedly. For when the pre- er was fixed at \$600. A.—No, decidedly. For when the prevailing and popular idea shall be that a Henry D. Platt and Stephen Fairchild healthy man or woman shall earn what were re-elected president and secretary they eat, there will grow up gradually a and treasurer, respectively, for the ensuing private way of thinking that it is a year. shame to eat what you don't earn.

Q.-Do you think a board of supervisors would be justifiable in rejecting all such bills?

A.—Almost entirely.

nate?

A.—This system will furnish the board a very close way of getting at the exact is a decrease of \$258.90 in the receipts from

the county? A.-My fees, I suppose, will be just what the board think they ought to pay.

have faithfully earned. Q.-Do not the officers and justices It will be seen that the reduction of postcomplain?

and I don't wish them to think they

A .- Some, but are fast becoming ac-

A .- I have no great trouble, but I do not like it, yet still feel determined to Number of letters and parcels register-

make it a success. Q.—Do all good citizens stand by you? A.—Universally so far as I know.

D. CRAMER.

harvesting ice. Dr. J. H. Conway was in the city Tues-

a series of temperance meetings in Flint, Another very interesting article on the

mer, Esq., is published this week. It should be read by every tax-payer in the

The Beethoven Gesangverien elected . Total ..... the following officers Monday evening: President, Geo. Haller; vice president, John Wotzke; secretary, Geo. Osins; treasurer, Fred. H. Belser; collector, B. A. Rayer; archifar, T. F. Hutzel; musi- Domestic orders paid. cal committee, Geo. Haller, John Wot-Postal notes paid.

Warranty Deeds. Wm. J. Clark to Chas. W. Fulton, lot

Edwin Kent to J. Underhill and Mary Remmel, property in Manchester, \$800. Eugene Donovan to Sarah Kingsly, 76 acres, sec. 12, Northfield. Robert H. Hardy to Eli Moore, property in Ypsilanti, \$1,100. L. M. Thorn to Chas. Carvin, lot in

Robert Campbell to Delphine Budd. 60 acres, sec. 22. Pittsfield, \$4,000. N. E. Sutton to B. Bauer, 45 acres, sec. 27, Northfield, \$2,754. Anna Mary Stebb to Christian Lam-parter. 15 acres, sec. 36, Freedom, \$1,300. Frank Cooper to Hannah M. Taylor, 65 acres, secs. 18, 19, 20, Lima, \$4,500.

Fires During 1883.

Moses Seabolt, chief of the fire department, has furnished THE DEMOCRAT with a list of the fires in the city during 1883. The department was called out 13 times and there were nine fires that resulted in losses worthy of notice. The total loss is placed at \$9,450, which is offset by a total insurance of \$7,550. In all but four cases the loss was fully covered by insurance. The following is the record:

Jan. 27-House at corner of Hill and Main streets, owned by Mrs. E. W. Morgan, \$2,000; fully insured.

Feb'y 7-Basement of court-house, \$50

March 24-Barn on Thompson street owned by John Taylor, \$500; insured. June 11-James H. Pulcipher's block. Lower town. \$100.

June 20-House in sixth ward, owned by Abner Lane, \$800, insured.

July 27-House on Spring street owned by Chas. Schultz,\$2,200; insurance, \$1,200 Aug. 18-House at No. 9, East Univer sity Avenue, \$2,500; insurance, \$2,000. Aug. 19-Barns on North State street, owned by Mrs. A. H. Tomlinson and Mrs. W. Boudinot, \$800; insurance, \$500. Sept. 22-House on 13th street, occupi ed by A. J. Lucas, \$500; insured.

Lecture at University Hall.

Mr. Matthew Arnold is to lecture a university hall, Friday evening, January 18, on the subject of "Literature and Science." The following biographical sketch, taken from "Men of the Time," may be of interest in this connection:

"Mr. Matthew Arnold is the son of the celebrated Kev. Dr. Arnold, head master 1822, at Laleham. He was educated at Winchester, at Rugby, and at Balliol college, Oxford. He was elected scholar in 1840, won the Newdigate prize poem (on 'Cromwell') in 1843, graduated with honors in 1844, and obtained a fellowship in Oriel col'ege in 1845. In 1857 he was appointed to be professor of Potors of schools.

"His principal works are 'Essays in 'God and the Bible,' 'Culture and Anarchy,' 'Poems.' 'Last Essays on Church and Religion,' 'Higher Schools and Universities in Germany,' 'Mixed Essays,'

"The university of Edinburgh conferred the degree of LL. D. on him in 1869; sions on this subject, I will anticipate the university of Oxford conferred the same degree on him in the following year, and the king of Italy nominated him 'Commander of the Crown of Ita-

Washtenaw Fire Insurance Company.

A.—The indecision of boards of su- was held at the court-house Wednesday Due or to become due for borrowed pervisors in regard to bills made unnec- afternoon, over 100 members being pres essarily for this purpose—the general ent. President H. D. Platt, of Pittsfield,

ANNUAL STATEMENT. The annual statement of the company' these officers to make a living out of their erty at risk to the amount of \$4,022,770 office. The extreme looseness in morals a decrease of \$82,810 from that of last which prevails at the present day in re-st,022,996 06; the liabilities, \$1,125, of The tendency of officers to get more sal- 547.83; the total expenditures, \$18,513.27

OFFICERS.

The following were re-elected members committee, composed of George McDou gall, G. A. Peters and Robert Campbell,

The salary of the secretary and treasur-

Business at the Postoffice.

The appended summary of the business done at the Ann Arbor post office in 1883 forms an interesting exhibit. The volume of business was about the same as in Q .- If not all, how will they discrimi- 1882. The aggregate of the amount of money orders issued exceeds that of 1883 by \$1,550.99, while there is a decrease in the total amount paid on money orders. There Q.—Will not your fees be expensive to the sale of stamps, postal and envelopes during the last six months of 1883 as compared with the corresponding time in 1882. As was expected there has been a decrease in the sale of postal cards, consequent to the reduction of postage. Dur ng the last quarter of 1882 the receipts ought to pay me one dollar more than I from this source were \$519,40; last year for the same peroid they were \$478.67. age has caused but a slight decrease in

the revenue from the sale of stamps. POSTAL DEPARTMENT. REGISTRY DEPARTMENT. COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

Receipts of office from July 1 to Dec. 31, 1882; Receipts of office from July 1 to Dec. 31, 1883. MONEY ORDER DEPARTMENT.

Business for 1882, Domestic orders paid ...... International orders paid......

These are Solid Facts.

The best blood purifier and system reg-ulator ever placed within the reach of ters. Inactivity of the liver, biliousness, jaundice, constipation, weak kidneys, or any disease of the urinary organs, or whoever requires an appetizer, tonic or mild stimulant, will always find Electric Bitters the best and only certain cure known. They act surely and quickly, every bottle guaranteed to give entire satisfaction or money refunded. Sold at fifty cents a bottle by Eberbach & Son. When a baby cries all night, do not become impatient. Be thankful that it

isn't twins. GRIGGS' GLYCERINE SALVE.—The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds, and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded O nly 25 cents. For sale by Eberbach &

As two ladies were gazing at the large black bear brought into town yesterday, one remarked. "Oh, what a nice buffale robe his skin would make!"

GRAVE ROBBERS.—Of all classes of people the professional grave robbers are the most despised. He robs us of our dear triends for a few dollars. How different is the new grave robber, Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which robs graves of thousands of consumptives.
This unequaled remedy for coughs, colds and consumption, whooping cough, croup and all throat and lung diseases, subdues and conquers these troubles speedily, safely and thoroughly. Trial bottles free at Eberbech & Son bottles free, at Eberbach & Son.

"I'm going to board," was what the log remarked on entering a saw mill. THE VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.-No family dyes were ever so popular as the Diamond Dyes. They never fail. The black is far superior to logwood. The other colors are brilliant. Well, Rich-ardson & Co., Burlington Vt.

LECAL.

Annual statement for the year ending becember 31, 1883, of the condition and affairs of the Washtenaw Mutual Fire Insurance Company, located at Ann Arbor, Michigan, organized under the laws of the state of Michigan, and doing business in the county of Washtenaw, in said state. STEPHEN FAIRCHILD, Secretary,

Ann Arbor HENRY D. PLATT, President. MEMBERSHIPS. imber of members Decem ber 81, of previous year... umber of members added 136 during the present year ... 2186 educt number of members

withdrawn during the year, and policies can-celed by reason of sale or Number of members now belonging to company ..... RISKS.

415,555 rotal.....\$ 4,521,185 educt risks canceled, with-drawn or terminated......\$ 498,365

Net amount now at risk by company \$4,022,770.00 RESOURCES. Reduction of above by assessments nassessed portion of said notes belong-ing to company.....We have no notes ash on hand.... essments of past year uncollected... 

Capital stock of the company...... 4,022,770,00 Total available resources..... 

money... Nature and amount of all other claims We have two small losses unadjusted estimated at... ...... \$ 1,125.00 INCOME. Premium or deposit notes taken dur-ing the year (carried inside).....none Cash premiums received during the 281.09 Year.... Cash collected on assessments levied 10,668 76 cash income from all other sources..... Received amount due on canceled

Received borrowed money to pay losses ...\$ 18,163.56 384.27 Total receipts and income.....\$ 18,547.88

EXPENDITURES. Losses actually paid during the year (of which \$489.77 occurred in prior 

Total expenses actually paid during the year...... \$ 18,547.83 SCHEDULE A.

NAME OF OFFICER OR DIRECTOR TO WHOM PAID. 

John Cook...... E. E. Leeland..... Peter Cook...... T. B. Goodspeed... Ex-director for the year 1882. SCHEDULE B.

Total schedule A...... ITEMS OF "ALL OTHER EXPENSES." Witness fees in Slayton-Riggs case... Auditing committee for 1882.....

Incidental - Cleaning office, express, ttorney fees in Slayton case. 10,160.00 Total schedule B ...... .....\$ 11,062.40

MISCELLANEOUS QUESTIONS, MISCELLANEOUS QUESTIONS,

1. How many assessments have been made during the year? Ans.—one.

2. What is the amount of all the assessments
made during the year? Ans.—\$10,860,26.

3. What is the rate per cent. of such assessments
on the property insured? Ans.—00275 per cent.

4. What is the rate per cent. of such assessments
on the premium or deposit notes? Ans.——
per cent. per cent.
5. What amount was re-assessed for assessments

that were not paid? Ans.—\$—.
6. What amount of losses are allowed to accumulate before an assessment is levied? Ans.—All flate Defore an assessment and an assessment, ring the year.

Those the company, in making an assessment, ovide therein for any surplus fund over the tual losses accrued?——If so, how much? Ans.—the last assessment we raised no surplus fund, the last assessment we raised no surplus fund,

is shall probably not hereafter.

What is the aggregate valuation of real propyinsured by the company? Ans.—

What proportion of damage or actual loss tained on real property does the company pay?

"Whot brids." 

\$ 52,542 94 STATE OF MICHIGAN 8 126,539 78 3,622 32 COUNTY OF WASHIENAW. } \$8. Henry D. Platt, president, and Stephen Fair-child, secretary of said company, do, and each for himself doth depose and say, that they have read the foregoing statement and know the contents thereof, and that they have good reason to believe and do believe, said statement to be true. HENRY D. PLATT, President, STEPHEN FAIRCHILD, Secretary.

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\$ 127,228 25

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\$ 134,881 00

SIEPHEN FARKHILD, Secretary.

Sworn and subscribed before me, at Ann Arbor, in said state and county, this ninth day of January. A. D. 1884.

C. H. MANLY, Notary Public, Washtenaw County, Mich. CARTER MEDICINE CO., New York, House Block.

City Locals.

Hats, caps, furs, furnishing goods, gloves and mittens, cheaper at E. J. Johnsou's, No. 8 North Main street, than any other house in the city. And don't you forget it!

Second street, enquire of Walker Brothers, builders, or at Walkers' Boarding For Sale- Two cheap village lots on house Ann Arbor, Mich.

Watches and Jewelry

46 South Main Street, Dealers in the Leading

AMERICAN WATCHES In Gold and Silver Cases, in Stem and Key Winding, Manufactur-ed by the Leading Watch

WATCH CHAINS.

Of Standard Quality and Various Patterns. A Large and Complete Assort-Lace Pins,

Ear Rings. Bracelets. Finger Rings,

Plated From the Most Reliable Manufacturers at Bottom Prices. The Repairing of Fine Watches is in Charge of Competent and Skilled Workmen, at Fair Prices.

And Studs.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION Ann Arbor Savings Bank

At Ann Arbor Mich, at the close of business Monday, Jan. 7, A. D. 1884. made in or accr dance with Sections 18, 19 and 67 of the Genera Banking Law as amended in 1871. RESOURCES.

Bonds and mortgages.

J. S. 4 per cent. registered bonds.

Verdrafts. Silver, nickels and pennies. .... Legal tenders, bank notes and gold 41,623 00 Total LIABILITIES. Capital stock Surplus fund Undivided profit January divider Due depositors. I do solemnly swear that the above stateme s true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. CHAS. E. HISCOCK, Cashier. ed and sworn to before me, this 8th day of January, 1884.

ADAM D. SEYLER, Notary Public.

Infants and Children Without Morphine or Narcotine.

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Estate of John Brokaw. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Washtenaw, holden at the probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Saturday, the 22nd day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty three.

Present William D. Harriman, Judge of Probate.

STUDENTS In the matter of the estate of John Brokaw, Are cordially invited to examine our stock as

In the matter of the estate of John Brokaw, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of George W. Brokaw praying that administrator of said estate may be granted to himself or some other suitable person.

Thereupon, it is ordered, that Monday, the first day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forencon, be assigned for the hearing of said ectate, and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the probate office, in the city of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in The Ann Arbor Democrat, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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WM. G. Dory. Probate Register. F. Rettich, Jr. Is doing a large business in the line of

Estate of Eiting, Minors. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw ss. At a session of the probate court, for the county of Washtenaw, holden at the probate of fice in the city of Ann Arbor, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four. Present, William D. Harriman, Judge of Pro-AWAY. If you don't believe it

bate
In the matter of the estate of Louise Emilie In the matter of the estate of Louise Emilie Eiting, minor,
Leonhard Gruner, the guardian of said ward, cemes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his anunal account as such guardian.

Thereupon, it is ordered, that Saturday, the 19th day of January instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the next of km of said ward and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the probate office, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county, and show cause if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed: And it is further ordered, that said guardian give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Democrat, a newspape printed and circulated in said county, two successive weeks preveious to said day of hearing.

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Estate of Fischer, Mingr. STATE OF MICHIGAN county of Washtenaw S. At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Washtenaw, holden at the probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

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Present, William D. Harriman, judge of probate.

In the matter of the estate George Fischer, John Fischer, Annie Fischer, Lewis Fischer and Mary Fischer, minors

Leonard Gruner, the guardian of said ward, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his annual account as such guardian.

Thereupon, it is ordered, that Saturday, the 19th day of January instant, at ten o'clock in the forencon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the next of kin of said ward and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the probate office, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account, should not be allowed: And it is further ordered, that said guardian give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in The Ann Arbor Democrat, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, two successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. I will not be responsible for any work left days from notice of finish. Cure, Headache, Burns, Sprains, Cuts Wounds, Rheumatism, Toothache, Earache, Blisters etc. Unequalled in quality at half the Price. 6 oz. 25 cts. Pints,

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WILLIAM G. DOTY, Probate Register.

Have your druggist order, if he has Notice to Creditors. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw ss.—Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the county of Washte naw, made on the Sist day of December. A D 1883, six months from that date were allowed CHARLES F. RISLEY, NEW YORK CREAM BALM and arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 1st day of July next, and that such claims will be heard before said court, on Monday, the 3ist day of March, and on Tuesday, the 1st 4av of July next, at ten o'clock in the forencon (feach of said days WILLIAM D. HARRIMAN, ROSE COLD.

Dated Ann Arbor Dec. 31 A. D. 1883. Estate of Henry Busenbark. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenan 55. At a session of the probate court for the county of Washtenaw, holden at the probate of bate. In the matter of the estate of Henry

Busenbark, deceased.

Calvin Mitchell, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased come into court and Calvin Mitchell, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased come into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such executor.

Therenpon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the 5th day of February next, at ten eclock in the forencon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the devisees, legatees and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the probate office, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered that said executor give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in The Ann Arbor Democrat, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, as. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 9th day of January, A. D. 1884 six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Pauline Hall, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 9th day of July next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on Wednesday, the 9th day of April, and on Wednesday the 9th day of July next, at ten o'clook in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated, Ann Arbor, Jan. 9, A. D. 1884.

WILLIAM D. HARRIMAN,
Judge of Probate. Notice to Creditors. ALYON&HEALY

Chancery Sale.

Chancery Chancery.

Charles Wells, complainant, vs. Milan D. Revolds and William P. Campbell defendants. In pursuance and by virtue of a decree of said court, mad Chancery Sale.

taining eighty acres of land, more or less.

Dated, Ann Arbor, Jan. 10th, 1884.

P. McKERNAN, Circuit Court
Commissioner in and for said county of
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ntities, or car load lots, at the FERDON LUMBER

JAS. TOLBERT, Agent. 'Tile, the Createst Labor-Saving Machine of the Age." To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune DWIGHT, Ill., March 16 .- One of the strongest

ment of Illinois. It is this: Acreage in corn in Livingston County Acreage in corn in Logan County, 1881... 140,859

of land (268,597), and have raised but a very small percentage of increase of corn over their brethern in Logan County, who only had to plow 140,839 acres. Let us give it another twist! A A farmer who has his land well tilled need only work eighty acres of land and grow just about as much corn as the man who plows 160 and takes all the risks of drouth and much besides. It is not fair, then, to conclude that the greatest labor-saving machine to-day of the age is the tile drain? From the same source of information I gather the following as regards the progress of tile-drainage in these two counties:

Feet. Total number of feet laid in Livingston

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DRAIN TILE

and most convincing facts that I have yet seen with regard to tile drainage is brought out in the December report of the Agricultural Depart

Livingston over Logan ..... VIELD. Vield of corn in Livingston County, 1881. .6, 983, 522 Vield of corn in Logan County, 1882......5, 070, 924 

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(\*\*OLDEN RULE LODGE No. 159, F. & A. M. T. Regular meetings at Masonic Hall, Thursday evenings on or before the full of the moon, BENJ F. WATTS, W. M. N. D. Gates, See'y.

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 12th, 1884.

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FULL ORCHESTRA!

A person with half an eye, as he looks at the stone steps leading to the court \$10,000 CHALLENGE BAND ! house, would know that Tute Horton

The first leap year party of the season 180 LAUGHS IN 180 MINUTES !!! of course foot the bills. They will take Admissioa 75, 50 and 35 cents. No extra charge in Ypsılanti.

for Reserved Seats now on sale at Watts Jewelry Rev. Mr. Sunderland and family have just moved into the new Unitarian par-UNIVERSITY HALL, sonage on State street, next door north of the church.

Thompson I. Clark, formerly of this city and Sharon, died Tuesday at Brigh-The Students' Lecture Association have ton. He was born at Otisco, Onondage the pleasure to announce that the next Lecture in their course will be given by county, N. Y., in 1816.

The Ann Arbor Savings bank, as us-MATTHEW ARNOLD, nal, makes a most excellent showing as will be seen by the statement published The Distinguished English Poet and n to-day's DEMOCRAT.

Chapman, section boss on the Toledo road, while disconnecting an air brake FRIDAY EVE., JANUARY 18th. '84. was caught between the cars and quite eriously injured last Friday.

Admission, 50 cents. Reserved Seats can be se-Monday, J. J. Walker shipped by excured without extra charge at Geo Osius & Co.'s and at Geo. Moore's, on Wednesday, Jan. 16 riers. This is a long jump, ten days beng required to make the journey.

The recent cold snap was general throughout the country. In many localities the thermometer running down to FRIDAY ..... JANUARY 11, 1884. from 24 to 48 degrees below zero.

> A case of pipes and smokers articles, valued at \$50, on exhibition at C. J. Durheim's tobacco store, will be raffled for as soon as the numbers are taken.

We wonder what became of the poor tramps during the recent cold snap. They certainly did not get into jail to warm their shins around a beautiful coal

Miss Buck and the Misses Hudson of

paper, in this section, at least, having week at this theatre. taken the New York Observer for 53

Henry B. Payne will succeed Senator Michael J. Fanning of Jackson, the Irish orator, will speak for the A. A. T. U., Sunday afternoan and evening, at 3 71/2 o'clock. Love feast in the morning "Science and Literature."

Reserved seats for Mr. Matthew Arnold's lecture, can be secured next Thirteen degrees below zero was the Wednesday morning at the book stores transacted the following business: of Osius & Co., and Geo. Moore's. Tick-Jas. Hobson is to teach the members

ets 50 cents.

value of which amounted to something ward, \$2.72. Ed. Kent of the fifth ward who sold

out some time ago and moved to Manchester, has sold his Manchester property and has moved back to Ann Arbor, this time to stay.

A piece of bark 20 1/2 inches thick from Temperance meetings every Sunday one of the mammoth trees of California, has been on exhibition at the St. James this week, It was taken away by the owner yesterday.

McAllaster comes to Ann Arbor to edu-

cate his children. Mrs. Ann McIntyre, who has lived in the third ward since 1861, died Monday

Intyre, also of this city. The officers are well pleased with the gone to Texas, where Mr. Doane is in new court house janitor, Spencer Craw-J. J. Walker attended the poultry and ford. The offices, court room and counpigeon show in Toledo Monday and cil chamber present a much neater ap-

pearance since the change. The First National bank elected the following board of directors Tuesday: P. Bach, C, H. Richmond, J. A. Scott, Jas. Clements, Wm. McCreery, A. Felch, Some 25 blue ribbonites attended the

H. Cornwell, J. W. Knight, J. M. Whee-

Miss Jame Halsey of this city, aged 93 residence of her aunt, Mrs. W. W. Wines,

dents of the poor meet in annual session | Suffolk county, L. I. W. L. Pack, formerly of this city, succeeds F. P. Bogardus, as cashier of the total, \$991.82. Pack has been connected with the bank

Nelson Murkson, who lived on D. for some years and is a young man well Van Gieson's farm in Lodi, died Monday competent to fill the position. A house in Dexter, owned by Dr. Gray Messrs. Jones and Welmore left town of Grand Rapids, and occupied by Dr. Saturday for Flint, where they join Dr. Wright, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning. Loss on dwelling \$800. No

insurance. Dr. Wright's furniture, library, professional apparatus, etc., were all destroyed. Insurance \$1,000.

The stomach of the lonely tramp con- taxes of the city was necessary to pay Ann Arbor telephone exchange handled tains an aching void, and as his eye falls for street lamps. At present the city upon a friendly officer, once so willing was paying the Gas Campany \$24 per ty's expense, he meets no sympathizing running could not be dissolved until

> zenbund last week the following officers should be made. The present contract were elected: Presiden', Jno. Walz; vice- was made in 1859. Since that time, Mr. president, J. F. Schuh; secretary, A. Heinzman stated, the company had

masters, H. Biermanns and A. Birk. At the armory hall academy of dancing A. L. Noble, E. J. Knowlton, and Dr. Friday evening, January 18, Prof. R. greater one. Rose are the trustees elected for three Granger will give a grand prize masquerade ball, to which a general invitation

number of prizes will be awarded.

The first page of the Manchester Enterprise last week contained a cut of the

J. H. Manning and O. I. Rogers.

Washtenaw county court house. L. E. Childs has been elected Capt. of tist church, Saturday evening, Jan. 19. the Ypsilanti light guard; lieutenants,

Tuesday elected W. W. Wines, E. Mann be given at the opera house to-morrow as captain, 1st and 2d lieutenants reevening. Read the opinion of the press; spectively. and Wm. Wagner, trustees for three

It will cost \$200 to repair the damages to pipes and boiler in the Keck furniture factory, occasioned by the recent cold facturers of carriges, sleighs, cutters and taken to Ashland, Newyago county for alities in a review of moderate length. usually appropriate, and the music, furto-night, and should not be neglected. comes off to-night. The young ladies Mr. Davis' diamonds will remain on exhibition to-day and a policeman will be in attendance.—Troy Daily Telegram.

> At the Baptist church, Saturday even ing, January 19th, the only original Fisk jubilee singers, from the Fisk uni-

Troy Daily Times: "Alvin Joslin was produced at the Griswold operation house last night with versatile Charles L. Davis representing the New England farmer. A large aucience manifested its In the fourth act Mr. Davis was eloquent which were almost as conspicuously souri, 1; Wales, 1; the birth place of 18 brilliant as the head-light of a locomopress to Settle, W. T., three Scotch ter- tive. In the same act Miss Jennie Noble, as Ella Milton, was the recipient of lin" orchestra furnished excellent music, the trombone, cornet and xylophone solos being the conspiuous numbers. "Alvin Joslin" will be produced at the We wish him success in life and would Griswold to-night for the last time.

> The Minnie Hauk concert company Saturday evening, January 26th.

Miss Maud Hudson returned on Mon- Murtha's almost invariable rule in referday from a two weeks' visit at Lansing. ence to rotation, the comedy will be re-Lansing, returned with her and will visit There has been no other attraction or Rev. Wyllys Hall, on the 13th of Decem-David Depew, of Pittsfield, is prob- of which we have any remembrance, that joy. Charlie thinks he stole a march on ably the oldest subscriber for any one has had a longer engagement than for a the "boys," and we will have to state

evening of next week.

Mr Matthew Arnold at universit hall, Friday evening next. Subject-

Of Interest to Tax-Payers.

Chief Nowland, dispenser of the poor fund, reported that he had expended T. J. Keech, superintendent of the \$150.93: First ward, \$31.10; second Ferdon lumber yard has handled the ward, \$15.06; third ward, \$38.46; fourth past year 1,500,000 feet of lumber, the ward, \$41.63; fifth ward, \$21.96; sixth

Mr. McAllaster's family from Indiana as per last report, \$3,035.72; contingent residence on Fountain street in the third Co., Pa., have taken up their residence fund, J. S. Henderson, hall rent, \$7; C. ward. Born in Brill, England, in June, in the Henion place on Main street. Mr. | Millman's order, \$196.19; total, \$3,240.- 1817, emigrated to America, and in May, 42; fourth, \$47.63; fifth, 18.75; sixth, ted a handsome competency. Tiring of afternoon at the advanced age of 84 \$91.99; general street, \$54.89; fireman's farm life he removed to this place in years. She was the mother of John Mc- fund, \$35; sixth ward engine house fund 1874, where he resided up to the time of men's fund, \$24.99; dog tax, \$100; total, | cal contests. \$8,967.35. Overdraft, general fund, \$3, 926.19; general street, \$1,694.39; first ward, \$10.18; third ward, \$777.83; fourth

Report of alderman Hiscock, chairman & Son. years, 5 months and 26 days, died at the of the finance committee, showing the Foresight: "But, Sylvia," said Hattie, The state association of superintenlents of the poor meet in annual session

Sunday. She was born in the parish of Binghampton, town of South Hampton,

Sunday. She was born in the parish of funds: First ward, \$4.30; second, \$33.
Binghampton, town of South Hampton, Suffolk county, L. I.

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Sunday. She was born in the parish of funds: First ward, \$20.75; fourth, \$29; fifth, \$27.
Of that." amount dispensed from the various eral street, \$46.03; contingent, \$385.59:

> county for arrests made by the police, to be transferred to the city treasury when the bills are audited.

Alderman Heinzman, chairman of the special committee on the matter of lighting the city, reported that the cost of lighting the city last year was \$3.765.65, chant tailor, said to her mother: "Mothof which \$1,714 was paid to the Gas er, I can always tell when pa makes a Light Company. One fourth the total to provide him food and bed at the coun- year for each lamp. The contract now better to be right than left; that those smile to appease the feeling of goneness. December next. At that time the com-At a meeting of the Ann Arbor schut- mittee believed a new arrangement Eisele; treasurer, F. Schmid; shooting- made a reduction of 371/2 per cent. to men. That is probably correct. There large consumers. He thought the city is not more than twenty-five per cent as

The Ann Arbor agricultural company is extended to the public. Grand march have their annual meeting for the electric at 9 o'clock. At half past ten o'clock at 10 o'clock fully before sundown."

The election of captain, first lieutensingers are to give a concert at the Bap- ant, second lieutenant and five members of the board of directors of company A, took place at their armory Monday even-"Alvin Joslin," a homespun comedy ing. J. F. Schuh, C. E. Hiscock and M. of the "Joshua Whitcomb" order, is to J. O'Brien were unanimously re-elected

The annual report of treasurer Hiscomedy company was the talk of the cock was made and showed a balance of town, even before the curtain was rung over \$200 in the treasury on January up at the Griswold opera house. The 1st. The report of secretary Watts showcelebrated band in their showy uniform, ed a total of 43 new members during the

The new board of directors of Compa-

S. B. Revenaugh, president. Dr. G. Hendricks, vice president.

W. W. Watts, secretary. C. E. Hiscock, treasurer.

C. M. King, quartermaster. S. B. Revenaugh, orderly sergeant. S. W. Millard, 2d sergeant.

Sid. Culver, 4th sergeant. --- Novie, 5th sergeant. Chas. Grossman, 1st corporal. W. W. Watts, 2d corporal.

F. Hoelgle, 3d sergeant.

G. W. Millen, 3d corporal. Geo. Apfel, 4th corporal. J. Kahoe, 5th corporal. F. O'Hearn, 6th corporal. H. Cole, 7th corporal.

Wm. Wanzeck, 8th corporal.

Mrs. Sam Langsdorf took dinner with Sam at the Cook house Wednesday. During the year 1883 there were 106 interments in Forest Hill cemetery. Of appreciation of the good points of the this number 14 were born in Germany; omedy by frequent applause. The prin- New Jersey, 2; Massachusetts, 3; New sipal characters were fairly sustained. York, 17; Connecticut, 1; Sweeden, 1; Michigan, 35; Scotland, 1; Ohio, 1; Engin his display of diamonds, some of land, 7; Vermont, 1; Ireland, 2; Mis-

not mentioned. Mr. Ed. Guinan, with Mack & Schmid, returned on Monday from a week's visit handsome bouquet. The "Alvin Jos- in the northern part of the state. It is currently reported that he took unto himself a wife while away. She is said to be a young lady of Hope, Midland Co.

remind him that the boys all smoke. Judge Joslyn rendered a decision Wednesday in the Northfield ditch case will positively appear at university hall, to the effect that a township drain commissioner has no right to clean out or have anything to do with a county ditch; The New York Dispatch says: Chas. | that the right is only vested in the coun L. Davis as "Alvin Joslin" had such a ty drain commissioner. The injunction warm and enthusiastic welcome during taken out by Anson Wheeler and others

Mr. Chas. J. Durheim, a prominent young business man, and Miss Anna peated nightly until next Saturday Eve. Beattie of this city, were married by the combination, in the past, or this season, ber. We wish the young couple much that we made a mistake when we printed last week an article about a rumor of

The annual meeting of the Unitarian society of this city, was held last Monday evening. The board of trustees elected for the coming year consists of Judge Harriman, Prof. Wilson, Mrs. J. M, Ashley, Joseph Whitlark, John Allen and The council met Monday evening and Prof. Langley. The year past has been the most prosperous in the history of the society. The new parsonage has been completed at an expense for building and ground of \$5,100, and is paid for. The society is out of debt, and has a small surplus in the treasury. One by one are the sturdy pioneers of

old Washtenaw passing away. Scarcely The petition of L, F. Wade, who asks a week passes but THE DEMOCRAT is damages in the sum of \$190 for the loss called upon to chronicle the death of of his horse, and damages to buggy and one or more of them. This week it is harness, occasioned by being precipitated our painful duty to record the death of into an opening in Pontiac street, Dec. | Wm. Humphrey, a highly respected citi-26, 1883, was referred to the city attor- zen, a man of large and extended acquaintance, and who had held offices of trust in the township of Lodi for a quar-The report of treasurer Schuh shows ter of a century. For some time he had the condition of the finances of the city | been afflicted with rheumatism, from up to Dec. 31, 1883; Balance on hand which he died Monday afternoon at his 91. Moneys disbursed, contingent fund, 1836 he found his way to the township \$774.64; general fund, \$1,393.19; first of Lodi, with only \$5 in his pocket. ward, \$44.74; second, \$31.43; third, \$46.- From this small beginning he accumula-\$350; total, \$2,888.68. Balance on hand, his demise. In politics Mr. Humphrey \$352.23. Represented as follows: Con- was an uncompromising democrat, was tingent fund, \$8,683.20; second ward, prominent at ward caucuses and convenward, \$138.19; city cemetery, \$20.97; fire- lions, and took a deep interest in politi-

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Feward, \$696.87; fifth ward, \$100.20; sixth ward, \$881.72; delinquent tax fund, \$527.74; total overdraft, \$8,615.12. Balance on hand, \$352.23.

Brilises, Sores, Cicers, Salt Michael, Friedman, February, Friedman, Friedman, February, Friedman, February, Friedman, February, Friedman, Fried 25 cents per box. For sale by Eberbach

if you climb that fence Mr. Tawmus

Can any one bring us a case of kidney or liver complaint that Electric Bitters will not speedily cure? We say they can The sum of \$10.54 charged to the not, as thousands of cases already permanently cured and who are daily reommending Electric Bitters, will prove Bright's disease, diabetes, weak back, or any urinary complaint quickly cured. They purify the blood, regulate the bowels, and act directly on the diseased parts. Every bottle guaranteed. For sale at 50c a bottle by Eberbach & Son. A little girl, whose father was a mermisfit, because he always gives you and me fits when he comes home-

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embrace three times as many women as should have a like reduction, if not a much fun in embracing men as women. TIME IS MONEY .- Time and money

"Aunt Jane," said an exasperated wife,
I wish it was a custom for women to dreds of dollars had been paid to physi-

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cians without obtaining relief. It cures constipation, piles, biliousness and all kindred disorders. Keep it by you.

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Baltimore, Md. It is curiously stated that a Hebrew's nose never grows after ten years of age Probably for the same reason that light ing never strikes twice in the same place-not necessary.

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Messrs. Johnston, Holloway & Co., wholesale druggists of Philadelphia, Pa., report that some time ago a gentleman handed them a dollar, with a request to send a good catarrh cure to two army officers in Arizona. Recently the same gentleman told them that both the officers and the wife of a well-known U.S. General had been cured of Catarrh by the two bottles of Elv's Cream Balm. Hand-painted suspenders are now worn, but lots of men will continue to hold up their pants with a leather belt

astened with a shingle nail. Mr. Paddrek, postmaster at Wolcott Y. Y., says: "I can safely recommend Rheumatic Syrup to all who are suffering with indigestion and rheumatism, as offered to the public. I have taken maly so-called remedies, but found no re-Syrup, and after | three weeks' use | had no pain, and could move around as well as ever. My difficulty was in my hips and back, and I feared I had some kind of kidney affection, but I am now entirefree from it and as well as ever.' NOT A HUMBUG.—Colonel Richard Forgham, of Lyons, N. Y., says that by he use of a few hottles of Rheumatic Syrup, he was completely cured of a very severe attack of rheumatism, which conalso said that he had no faith in patent medicines, but has changed his mind

since using Rheumatic Syrup. A race between a pigeon and a pony in isn't considered much of an exploit in this country, where a common American swallow will takelin all the pomes a bar-

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Annual meeting of the south-eastern

Rev. Mr. Sunderland will speak next Sunday evening at the Unitarian church on " Matthew Arnold."

and now of Miles City, Montana territory, is here visiting friends. D. Cramer has been elected a repretative to the grand encampment and

years by the M. E. church.

at the Probate Court, will please request Judge Harriman to send their Printing to this office. JOTTINGS.

Another big snow fall Tuesday. Only four persons in jail over Sunday. Roselen E. Hall divorced from Wm.

Judge Crane of Dexter, was in town

Company A has 81 members.

Ann Arbor Democrat.

The fat man's club elect officers tomorrow night. Monthly meeting of Welch post G. A. R. this evening.

Wednesday.

Pendleton, of O.

coldest around here.

M. railway near Owosso,

evening at the Courier office.

Methodist church last Sunday.

business.

Bay City.

Mrs. B. F. Watts returned from Charlotte on Monday. The Keck furniture company elect of- at 9 A. M. ficers next Tuesday.

of Co. A how to fence. E. H. Hudson entertained the Jenuie Calef Co. over Sunday. Iron is being laid on the T. A. A. & N.

merly opened last evening. Mr. J. C. Watts of East Saginaw, spent the first of the week here. The bicycle club have a meeting this

The sanitarium at Ypsilanti was for-

morning, afternoon and evening. Jas. Murphy talks temperance in Cropsey's hall next Monday evening. Several new members united with the

J. W. Stimson and family have gone to Kalamazoo to visit friends. Communion services will be held at the Methodist church next Sunday.

Election of church officers at the Congregational church, Monday evening Mrs. D. E. Doane and family have

The old hunter and sportsman, Guy Beckley, is once more a resident of West

temperance convention in Jackson Hon. J. D. Corey, of Manchester, favored THE DEMOCRAT with a pleasant call yesterday.

February 12-14. Wednesday evening the Keek furniture company declared an annual divi- First National bank in Ypsilanti. Mr. dend of 7 per cent.

of too much opium. Conway in his labors.

Michigan bee-keepers association at Plymouth, January 23. During the month of December the 950 state line messages.

John Leonard, formerly of this city

grand lodge of I. O. O. F.

tion of officers nday.

The original Fisk University Jubilee

The Chas. L. Davis "Alvin Joslin' Attention is called to the change of and the grand display of diamonds in past year. The company is in a flouradvertisement of Wagner Bros., manu- Cusack's show window, being the objects | ishing condition, and starts upon a new which set the people agog, and when the | year with chances of bettering. play commenced one of the largest and

The charges on freight received at Ann | merriest of audiences had assembled to Arbor and tickets sold by the Toledo enjoy the capital comedy. Mr. Davis is ny A met and organized on Tuesday road amounted to over \$250,000 for the one of the most ingenious of actors. He evening. The following is the result of does so much to amuse an audience that the election for civil and non-commis-The remains of Olin Woodard who it would be simply impossible to give sioned officers: died in the sixth ward Monday, were even a partial description of his comic-You should go and see him and enjoy the fun yourself. His company is good, the scenery and stage appointments unnished by his own orchestra, enchanting. The only opportunity to see the drama is

the past week that, contrary to manager is to remain perpetual.

The Fisk Jubilee singers. Saturday his marriage.

ney, aldermen Gates and Martin.

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The New York Express is a fast through train com Chicago. It reaches Ann Arbor at 11:23 and Detroit, 12:35 a. M.; Ypsilanti, 11:34, P. M. and Detroit, 12:35 a. M. W. RUGGLES, H. B. LEDYARD, G. P. & T. A. Chicago. Gen'l M'ng'r. Detroi

The common methods of treating the above named seases are not successful. So much all sufferers

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Things long forgotten, memories hushed,
Dreams I had tenderly buried from sight,
Longings unsatisfied, bright hopes crushed,
Of sunshine and gladness, of shadow and

f a sister's tears, and a mother's prayers,

Of trials, temptations, and victories won,
Of days of brightness, of freedom from car Or of striving to utter, "Thy will be done And I marvel much at the tangled skein

The parted curtains have left in sight, With threads of gladness and threads of pain, All mingled and twisted, the dark with the Ah! strangely woven, these lives of ours,
With a warp of gladness, a wood of pain!
Yet the flowers would droop in the sunny

Were they never refreshed by the cooling We wonder oftimes at the broken threads

And murmur at trials and crosses we meet, Ne'er thinking it needeth each fragment and To render the pattern of life complete. Oh! a careful weaver is watching the loom, And though the web may seem jagged and

Whether threads of glory or threads of gloom, He knoweth the reason and that is enough.

### HEART-GRAVES.

BY ALLOAIN.

Where do they lie, if they may not be n the fresh, green earth, or the dark blue sea n earth or in water these have no part— They are buried deep in each burnan hears. Every year as the months slip by, Some hope springs up but to droop and die; Then we haste to bury our dead away In its dark heart grave from the ghare of day. Every man or woman who lives this life Has some joy crushed in its fevered striie; Some cherished aim or high deelre, Withered and burned in the world's fierce fire. The truth and love that our being craves, Often fade and fall into early graves; As tie after tie from our lives departs, We bury them all in our aching hea Nay, there are graves of a depth untold, That are not covered by church yard mold; The clustering graves where with bitter tear We bury the hopes and the joys of our years.

AFTER THE STORM.

BY ADELAIDE E. STEELE.

"Hark! what is that?" Leyton grasped the arm of his friend as he spoke, and both paused to listen. they were standing the sound was repeated.

The speaker loosened his grasp with a sigh of relief. "Why, bless you! it's Litta," he said. "What music the little organ is making

"Poor little blind girl! How much comfort she takes with it," remarked

his companion. "Yes. When these miners bought that little music box they made a good

investment. Listen!" The music had begun again. At first it came stealing out with such a low, plaintive sound, one might easily have creeping softly round the walls of the was not long in gaining the spot. little cabin; then it swelled into something louder, deeper and more solemn: but there was a subtle, yet indefinable something in its nature which caused the listeners to thrill with exultation and grow cold with awe and dread. It seemed as though a spirit more than into that other country. mortal had taken possession of the little

Leyton felt a sudden breeze against ed to see another. A heavy sigh at his elbow caused both men to turn in that direction. Lame Joe had come up noiselessly behind them and stood lean- her golden hair. ing against a rock. He too was listeng and wiping an occasional tear from his eye; for the music had grown sad and dirge like, as a funeral hymn, with a lingering, a quivering anguish, echoing through it which betokened that the soul of the musician was speaking

But, even as they listened, the character of the melody slewly underwent a complete transformation, and from the depths of sorrow and despair it b irst forth in a glad exuitant strain-a wild, free flood of music. It was like the triumphant song of some captive bird which has beaten long its weary wings against the iron bars of a cruel prison house, but finding itself at liberty again, breaks forth into song as it wings its way toward heaven, above the clouds and storms. That was the end

Leyton and Mark Spencer passed on. The little girl's present mood seemed to them too sacred for intrusion; but

Poor old Joe! He was very lame. One leg had been left upon the battlefield of Fredericksburg, and its substitute was a rude wooden stump; but, such as it was, he would gladly have worn it to splinters at Lita Cohen's service, had the child permitted it.

In spite of his affliction Joe Minion was a genial old man, with a kind word half the miners in that little camp could have told of a time when there was not ness and penetrated his iron heart. Lita was comforter then. It was she

talked with him until his companions began to notice with wonder that he as growing into a very different man; for sorrow had made the child sympathetic, and her strong influence over Joe was in a great measure due to this

When John Cohen was killed by the adopted child of the camp, Later, when an aecident shut out forever the light from her beautiful eyes, she seemed suddenly to have grown nearer and dearer to each one and to become the object of especial care; yet in spite of their kindness, there were times when she grew sad and lonesome. She used then to fly for consultation to her dear friend, the little organ, and draw from its bosom a melodious response to her

In strong contrast with the gray and faded old woman who was her attendant, or the bronzed, weather beaten men about her, was this child of seven years. Like a rare, sweet blossom she was growing up in that wild place with a halo of beauty and purity about her young life that commanded almost adoration from the few rough, yet kind-

hearted people. Nature was kindly too. The sun roughly, and its most schorching ray only added a brighter tint to the long. fair hair which hung in waves below her waist, the pride and admiration of

all her friends. Yet it was hard, even for a stranger, to look unmoved upon the great blue eyes, so pathetic in their blindness, and know that Lita Cohen could never see

I think Lita herself minded it most after Warren, the poet of the camp, had been telling her of the rugged grandeur of the country about them, and describin her hand the picture of his children pounds to 100 pounds of cane; 67.1 and the children whom she had learned to 69.7.

love as brothers and sisters. She had known about them all a long time, ever since she could remember, and they often sent her friendly messages and little presents which she used to sit nolding in her hands, a strange wistfulness in the big blue eyes, a great ache in the little tender heart, at the thought that she must always feel but could

never see. The little girl cared a great deal about all her friends; but lame Joe was her prime favorite, perhaps because he was lame. He had grown lamer than ever of late, and was failing very fast; yes nobody had told Lita of it; nooody could not bear to break the news to She used to sit at his side by the

A tear trickled down the old man's wan cheek. He, too, was thinking of a journey into another country, and it wrenched his heart-strings to think of could name many a noted man first ateaving Lita behind, but he wiped away he bright drops with the ragged sleeve ried by her pretty ear; and we have of his coat, and choking down the sob even heard some men say: "The first in his throat made answer: You will go with them, Lita, my

"And you too, Uncle Joe. What admire pretty ears, abhor earrings

would you do here without me?" she to his hand.

en hair tenderly, wishing that he might be able to tell her what no one else beauty when possible, and earrings dewanted to; but he had not the courage, stroy it by lengthening the ear and deand present'y the little girl said:

not see her again until evening. He bade her good night and slowly followed the retreating forms of the two gentlemen, Leyton and Spencer, wondering and symmetry. Therefore, if you clung so tightly around his neck at part. pretty, as nature makes it, never wear

He felt a strange chill pass over him whenever he thought of the music, but by-and-by he fell asleep.

The threatened storm came: such a tempest as had not swept the valley in From the low-walled hut before which live years before. But the sun shone out brightly the next morning. He dragged himself from a heap of debris and looked around. No one else was stirring. The others were sleeping tians and Asiatics were and still

How was it with poor little Lita. With an effort poor Joe sat up and looked. Where had stood a dwelling last night was orly a heap of ruins now. "Litta! Lita!" called the old man.

piteously: but there came no answer. On his hands with all his remaining strength mustered into the effort, he crept to the spot. No child was there. Slowly every breath a pain almost unendurable, he drew himself to the top fancied that it was only the night wind of the log to look. He saw her, and on their toes, which were visible when

> side with a great sigh, though there was leries during the last Empire. The a smile upon his face, the pain was all over He had followed his little friend | the most beautiful woman at that Court in her long, long journey, had gone of Beauties. She was an Italian, with

was breathing out a prophecy approaching disaster.

recovered sufficiently to crawl from the recovered sufficiently to crawl from the ruins, began a search for the missing.

To return to the subject of earrings, his cheek and noticed, with alarm, that of the cabin they found them—the two three, and sometimes four, large pearls a dark storm cloud had arisen in the so strangely contrasting; one so old and on each car. This style of carring was

west. There had been one storm since his arrival from the East, and he dreadhis arrival from the East, and he dreadshe lay stretched out upon a bed of together like so many bells, which was tangled grass and shining sand, the

### Pensions for Women.

Philadelphia Record. A lady writting to the Pittsburgh Dispatch snggests a better way of disposing of the surplus than either the plan of Barker, Logan or Blaine. She would 'grant a pension to all women, and particularly nurses, who took part in the war for the union. Some of the noblest and most heroic women of the time did work in the hospitals as valuable as any done in the field. They left home and friends, gave up ease and comfort, sacrificed on the altar of patriotism their health and strength

and all that life holds dear, just as heroically and bravely as did our soldiers in the field. And their work was arduous, incessant, varied with no period of "masterly inactivity." The sick and wounded were cared for, though many women sank down and died under the stress of work. Their warm sympathies. oving service, and unceasing toil, were lame Joe stopped for the good-night given freely." Certainly, if the pension kiss which the child was accustomed to list is to be extended, the soldiers' nurses should be cared for first, If "involuntary deserters" are to be quartered on the national treasury, voluntary nurses should be pensioned while alive and shrines built over them when they die.

A Morning Paper. Sometimes a man throws his morning paper down on the seat and leaves and helping hand for everybody; yet the car. Each man that has no paper - though they wear earrings, and others if alone and unobserved. The one who a more intemperate man or harder appears to be looking out of a window character among them all than he. That was before the death of his wife, sees that paper more distinctly than eves from weakness or discase, though tidings of which had been a terrible anyone else. And he being the man blow. Like a thunderbolt it had sundered the barriers of pride and selfish- who seems less interested in it is really the man who wants it the most. As wear them if they have pretty ears, soon as that paper is thrown down it and an ugly ear cannot be too timid becomes an object of interest. The and retiring. who took him in hand, and petted and man who never buys or reads a paper wants it, and wants it badly. man sitting next to it looks straight very thin, hollow cheeks, to whom ahead, and doesn't seem to know anything about it. But he is just quiver- They seem to fill up a vacuum, and if ing with excitement. He is wrought up to the highest pitch, and is prepared to grab for that paper just as soon as the man on the other side of it makes falling of a bowlder, Lita, little more a similar attempt. Just at this period than a babe then, had become an a man sitting opposite the paper gives a man sitting opposite the paper gives it a sharp excited look, as though he has seen his name printed wrong. Then he gives another sharp look, and his eyes snap with excitement, and he widow whose husband had been a Capreaches over and picks it up to see if tain in the Navy. While he lived they he is right. You can tell by the way he handles it that he never paid for it; and he gradually gets it up in front of his face, and turns it at intervals, and when he died suddenly his widow had legend: Sarah, tradition, tells us, was is as much at home with it as if it was a large family to support and nothing so jealous of the preference shown by als own. And the other met look at to do it with. She was in Washington Abraham for Hagar that she took him sourly, and silently condemn him as being largely porcine in his nature.

Northern men who rushed into coton-planting in the southwest directly after the war, lost heavily, but those who turned their attention to the culture and manufacture of sugar were more successful. Three sons and heirs of Oakes Ames are now running the Millandon plantation on the west side of the Mississippi, three miles above never kissed her soft little eheeks too Gretna, La. Their manager is a Maine man, who has been directing the estate for many years. This plantation employs 140 hands in the sugar-house and cane fields. The machinery is all of the heavy order. The Ames brothers cultivate about two square miles of land, and all the equipments of the plantation are perfect. Among other conveniences they have their own tramway cars to convey the case from any part of the fields to the mill. By the ed the singular beauty of the flowers which he brought her day after day, or year, thus: Sixty-two and two-tenths when one of her big, burly friends laid pounds to 100 pounds of cane; 64.9 WOMAN'S KINGDOM.

The Question of Wearing Earrings Æsthetically Considered.

port, and how She Succeeded. The Perplexing Dress Question. NO INDEED, SHE WOULDN'T. 'Oh, could I have her genius," said bewitching Jennie Post,

ose name upon the roll of -speak softly-of the slight-Of either face or form, "I'd give-" "What would you give!" asked I; would you give!" asked I;
"Your wavy hair, that's brown in shade and Your eyes, the color, so Jack says, of some cerulean gem? hour, listning to him or repeating the childish stories which Warren had read to her. One day while she was read to her. One day while she was

sitting thus, she stopped suddenly with a puzzled look in her face.

"The men say that the mines of this district don't pay well enough, and they will break up and go into another country. What will you and I do then Uncled Joe?"

with none of them."

"Well, then, your rosy check? your hand so siender and so small?

Your lovely rounded throat, as white as fleece of new-born lamb?

The foot that wears a No. 2?" "Pray stop, for after all regarding the control of them."

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About 200,000 acr the look the case in hand, went around among her Congressional acquaintances, and prosecuted it to a successfler that wears a No. 2?" "Pray stop, for after all regarding the control of them."

About 200,000 acr the cultivatable last for her work.

After a while the hotel was built and governor Ireland, competent was a state of the cultivatable last for her work.

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EARS AND EARRINGS.

A pretty ear is a great beauty and finds many enthusiastic admirers. tracted to the girl he loved and marthing I see when I am in company of ladies is the ear." We need not tell you that such men, and all indeed who can do when she tries.

Jewelers need not frown; for if fewer asked laughingly, as she clung tightly earrings were sold, more fingerrings, lockets brooches, etc., would be sold Not much, to be sure, little one- and they would not be the losers if earnot much." He stroked her long silk- rings disappeared from fashion to-morstroving the symmetrical outline. We "It is getting chilly, Uncle Joe; let's say nothing of the barbarity of the custom of wearing earrings. You might But the old man went away and did as well wear rings in your nose as in the barbarous custom aside, carrings lengthen the ear and spoil its shape why she looked so pale to night and would preserve your ear small and

> On the other hand, if your ears are large and ugly, do not wear earrings, for you would only then attract attentention to their ugliness. Hide them as much as you can by light waves or curls of hair allowed to fall over the ears as if by accident, but do not invite attention to them. Our models of beauty, the ancient Greeks, did not wear earrings, or rarely did so. fond of all kinds of jewelry, and they wore huge earrings very often which weighed down the ears to tremendous

earrings, as they were to all other jewelry. As Ovid tells us: "Their dresses were heavy brocades, their fingers were covered with precious stones, and Oriental pearls hung on their necks and ears. They also wore bracelets, amulets, and, according to Martial, rings they wore sandals. This fashion, in-Taking one limp hand in his and deed, was imitated by the Countess Casclasping it tightly, he sank down at her | tellani at a fancy dress ball at the Tuil-Countess Castellani was considered an Italian skin and golden hair, some-A little later the miners, awakened thing like the new American beauty, instrument and through its deep voice by the faithful Nannen, who had just Miss Chamberlain, who is spoken of as

> Away beyond the scattered remains the Roman women wore as many as flattering to their vanity. The funniest pallor of death upon her fair young thing was that they even put earrings face, and the glory of the sunshine in on the fish in their aquariums, just to see their effect in the water. Francis the First of France imitated this absurdity, and had earrings put to the famous

carp of Fontainebleau Who has not heard of Cleopatra's famous pearl earrings, which cost two millions of francs each, and one of which she melted in her cup and drank t to Anthony's health? She would have done the same thing with the second earring if she had not been prevented. This earring afterwards passed into Agrippa's hands, and he had it cut in two to make two earrings, with which to adorn the ears of the statue of Venus

in the Pantheon of Rome. Cæsar also once paid a million of francs for a pearl, which he gave to the mother of Brutus, and he had so great a veneration for pearls that in his laws against celibacy he forbade them to be worn by women who had not a husband, or children, or any one who was under 45 years of age: Now, however, they are the favorite ornaments for young girls, and looked upon as emblems of innocence and purity. a string of pearls round the neck alone should be worn by young girls, and not pearls in the cars.

full of old fashioned superstitions have their children's ears bored almost as soon as they are born, under the idea that this hole in the car preserves the more to neglect trying to look pretty eyes in good sight and strength. We may here add that we know young wo- to forget to do her duty. men of twenty with failing sight, alof "past" thirty who never have worn therefore, do not invariably protect the they sometimes have a beneficial effect.

But putting the question of beauty on rather long earrings are becoming. cases. - The American Queen.

WHAT ONE WOMAN DID. Room renting in Washington has got to be quite a profession, and there are many instances in which bright, active women have made fortunes. One of the most notable of these was a bright rounded by all that wealth could buy. He lived up all he made, however, and is attributable to the following curious

Gov. Shepard asked her: "What security can you give me, madam?"

"Nothing but my face," she replied, looking him full-in the eye. "If I succeed I will pay my rent. If I do not

"I will rent to you," said Shepard. She then went to the leading furnisher of-Washington, and had him fit out the house in the grandest style. It was all on credit, the furnisher taking a mortgage on the furniture. She then put out her sign. She charged highest of prices, but her rooms were soon taken. At the close of the session she had made a nice thing, and at the next session her old members reputation of having the finest rooms in Washington, and she got year after rooms run down, and at the close of each session she bundled all of the old of Japan, two sons and four daught rs haired doctor or 'Sam' Randall's furniture off to the auction rooms and having died in his palace.

GLEANINGS. Maine has fifty-four savings banks,

styles. She bought property and saved

they wanted some legislation of Con-

gress, and asked her to recommend

some persons who could aid them in

In due time they came on here. She

"HOW SHALL I DRESS?"

ight one and the question easily set-

rial become matters of supreme impor-

tance, or are so regarded, it must be

confessed that the case of these bewil-

dered women is a hard one, provoking

the sympathy of those of the sisterhood

whose natural good taste or intuitions

save them from such a sea of trouble

These women live and move in society,

and they unmistakably think they must

yield conformity to its laws and meth-

ods, to its whims and caprices, even if

hey verge at times on the repulsive, as

they sometimes do on the absurd and

idiculous. No wonder that in these

moments of doubt and distraction they

ness,"or the antipodes, where the fas

ong "for a lodge in some vast wilder-

ons never change, distracting displays

iners, with their endless devices and

despotisms, are unknown. A tempo-

rary outing in the woods might prove

far eastern climes might enlarge

their knowledge of native simplicity,

and at the same time of the cramped.

uneventful, and subservient lives of

song would ever be "Home Again,"

every natural gift, whether it be of

mind or person, and to display it with

appropriate and becoming; what is

and complexion; and all this she can do

without rudely setting herself in oppo-

sition to prevailing styles or fashions

on the one hand, or senseless deference

Beauty's Duty.

to always look as pretty as possible.

One of the first duties of a woman is

It goes without saying that wives,

mothers, and maidens shall be good-

to their exactions on the other.

ing to look my best.

er we will or not.

home before her.

beauty of youth, has to be careful.

According to the Moslem creed the

considers it her duty to wear earrings

you," she said.

her money. She also invested in some southern mines, and in twelve years she had made a fortune. She was all with 101,822 depositors and \$31,371,861 this time sending her children to school, and she still held on to her Diphtheria can be carried from house house, keeping her position and manag-ing it out of office hours. A year ago to house by chickens, according to a

German physician. Alfred de Rothschild has an electric lamp in his carriage so that he may the train and went West. She found read as he rides at night. the statement correct and made a good investment. While there she met some

Mr. Fuller, of Traer, Iowa, got a di-

vorce, and in ten minutes was married to his "adopted daughter." parties interested in the new hotels in the Yellowstone. They told her that During last year 74,157 white, and 98,938 colored pupils attended the publie schools of South Carolina. The city of New Haven, Conn., pre-

getting it. "I am the very person for ents for public wonder a bulky eightvear-old boy whose waist measures About 200,000 acres will be added to the cultivatable lands of Arizona, by

canals and irrigating ditches, at an ex-Governor Ireland, of Texas, tells the a competent woman was needed to people to shoot train wreckers on the superintend it. They offered her the place at a salary of \$3,000 a year and pot. He makes a standing reward of \$500 for every train wrecker caught.

she took it. Her son has a position in Over ten thousand women are now the same hotel as a sort of bookkeeper, engaged in the shirt and collar manuat a salary of \$1,800, and she draws a acturies at Troy, N. Y., and the nice little sum from her investments pay-roll of one concern alone averages made while she was room renting here. \$1,000 per day. This is an extraordinary case, but it

General P. E. Connor, of Eureka, shows what a bright, plucky woman Nev., has been drawing a pension of \$20 a month for the last thirty-six ears. He was wounded in the battle It is quite true that the question, how shall I dress—what shall I wear? is A hot iron passed on the underside

sometimes a perplexing one, and loss of temper and trial of patience very often of plush, the pile being upward, will smooth it and take out creases. Holdprecedes the final decision, if, indeed, ing it near a fire without burning, is a what may be called a decision is reachgood plan. ed at all. The number of women who can as deliberately choose a dress as they would choose a dish for dinner is rica, has fallen off to such an extent when she went down, everything went

accessfully administer the affairs of a six are now found to be ample on the arge household are at their wits' end line to England. The United States takes the second when the question of dress can no onger be postponed or evaded. It is place among the copper producing not strange that its settlement and sonot strange that its settlement and solution are hedged with difficulties and with 42,909 tons for 1882, and the

trials. If dress were regarded as a United States follow with 39,800 tons mere covering, a protection from the for the same period. vicissitudes of the weather, or a simple According to recent returns it has eil east between the wearer and the been demonstrated that the population utside world, the trouble would be a of Paris alone spends over \$4,000,000 a year on theatres, without counting the tled. But where fashions and fabrics large subsidies which the city pays to change with the seasons, or oftener: certain theatrical institutions.

> that the broken food, of which the street beggars sometimes collect great asketfuls, is given to the low-saloons for the free lunch tables in exchange for liquor. A Dubuque grocer set some steel

A New York reporter has discovered

raps near his apple barrels. There were two young men in the city who gidn't come home that night, and the tain times I was so lame that it was difgrocer found them the next morning olding down the traps.

and geese. Seven hundred and fifty grains of feathers make one square meter of a light and very warm water-proof cloth, which can be dyed in all les increased. I felt dull, and then, of dress goods are never seen, and milshades. A Brooklyn man lately advertised, in the same paper, for a female copyist at a salary of \$7 a week and a servant pleasant experience, and a residence

cation for the place; for the other he traced soon after leaving Queens eceived 554. All sorts of incredible stories are told their Oriental sisters; but if they ever of the ostrich farm of California. The found heart to sing, the burden of their latest is that in the morning, during laying time, if the wind is in the right with but scanty variations. The conflict between the inner and the outer

self is but a borrowed and heedless life | miles. are mindful of the tornado that recenty devastated the town. They are satisfaction of saying to you that the making strong stone vaults in the cel- lame back, the strange feelings, the scimodesty and reserve, in as attractive a lars, large enough to contain a family, atic rheumatism which have so long setting as ner own good taste and and str judgment can devise. Let her study tornado. and strong enough to withstand any

Mrs. Burns Macdonald, of Glencoe, a direct descendant of the chief of the entirely eradicated all rheumatic poibest for her, what fittest comports and s in keeping with her form, features | clan who fell in 1692, has just crected a | son from my system. Indeed, to me e slaughter- it.

ed. It has hither o strange to say. Mathew Arnold terror" in conversation, continually

bringing his interlocu or as with a jerk what do you mean by that term? Pre- matic and kidney disease is in the blood risen, and the profits of farming are tempered, skilled, in housewifery, true- America?" and other interrogations ed on my last arrival in Liverpool, to

an instinct with Beauty to adorn itself. and is described as "a lean, monster A bit of ribbon here, a touch of color man, between eight and ten feet in there, charm of face and figure, shape- beight, wearing a long cloak, and go- possible," ly hands and pretty feet, comely waist ing about with his head bowed in an and supple neck; here, there, and abstracted way.' The police are investigating the doeverywhere about Beauty's person, from the curve of the deinty little ear ings of a New Bedford (Mass.) firm, to the slope of the shoulders and the which, it is alleged, manufactures orcarriage of the person, there is one gans in the cheapest manner, and by manifest voice to be heard-"I am try- means of circulars sent broadcast sells

and to look my best."

them for exorbitant prices to the unfering from the terrible rheumatic initiated. It is believed that the firm troubles now so common, might know has disposed of 25,000 organs the year of Captain Murray's experience and the past at a profit of \$150,000 to \$200,000. means by which he had been restored. Reports from Genoa in English news-Who does not know the dear old papers state that large importers of but far too many endure it when they grandmother, whose sweet, wrinkled American cotton in that city have found | might just as well avoid it. It is a false match boxes and even handfuls of matches artfully dispersed here and to childhood's days? There are years

bridals and of graves, and a rapid ap- otton not sufficiently dried before be- a long life. proach to those silent churchyard gates | ing packed. through which we must all walk wheth-Time has not been permitted to hange the old Leather Bottle Inn at But grandmother is pretty still, and Cobham, Kent, nor its parlors, so minwill always be pretty till the white one side, there are some women with hands are clasped over the quiet breast wherein Mr. Tupman on a memorable and she goes home to those who went occasion was discovered.

without the quaint inn remains as it They seem to fill up a vacuum, and if earrings are ever suitable it is in such

A woman, no matter how poor she is, and how deep the cares of family, hands of a landlord and landlady proud destroy his eyesight. ought to take more and more pains of its associations. with her dress as time rolls on. A It may be interesting to note, as an young girl may wear almost anything. Instance of the costliness of modern A matron, however, who has lost the war, that the total ascertained expenfirst plump charm, and indefinable diture of France upon the war on which she entered with a light heart in

August, 1870, is now declared to be

August and ended in January, this

makes the cost to France of her march

to Berlin almost exactly two millions a day, without counting the permanent loss of two of her wealthiest provinces. W. J. Lampton, a Cincinnati journalto do it with. She was in Washington without a dollar that she could call her own. Her friends got her a place in no rest until she had mutilated the fair the departments, and she rented a face of her hated rival and bondmaid. years ago a correspondent endeavored large house at the corner of F and Thirteenth streets. This she got of Boss Shepard. When she went to him Gov. Shepard asked her:

Abraham, who had knowledge of his wife's intention, did his utmost to pacify his embittered spouse, but long in vain. At length, however, she relent the proper heirs to a large fortune in ed, and decided to forego her plan of England. I replied that I must sur revenge. But how was she to fulfill render all claim to the fortune, being the terms of the vow she had entered quite sure that I was in no degree aking into? After mature reflection she saw to George; but an editor is a different er way out of the difficulty. Instead thing, and I shall be very glad (that of disfiguring the lovely features of her bondmaid, she contented herself with be assured that I am a relative of yours.

> of her ears. The legend does not in- fully. When William D. Kelley was a young felt it incumbent upon him to mitigate man he and Representative Randall' the smart of these little wounds by the father were one day talking together with an eminent doctor in l'aris. Health gift of a costly pair of earrings, or was the topic of conversation, and "Young man," said the doctor, "if you for herself. The fact remains, however, that the Turkish women, all of will make it a rule never to get exwhom wear earrings from their seventh hausted so long as part of the day remains in which you have anything to do you will live to be as old as I am. ' "I ear, derive the use of these jewels om Hagar, who is held in veneration on will live to be as old as I am. as the mother of Ishmael, the founder followed the advice," said Judge Kelley to a Clevoland Leader corresponof their race. - Deutsche Roman-Biblent, "as far as I could, and I have al

THE MYSTERY OF THE SEA.

The Fate Which Overtook the "City of Boston."---Captain Murray's Ideas and Experiences.

A few years ago, the City of Boston sailed from harbor, crowded with an expectant throng o passengers, bound for a foreign shore. She never entered port.

The mystery of her untimely end grows deeper as the years increase, and the Atlantic voyager, when the fierce winds howl around, and danger is immnient on every hand, shudders as the name and ysterious fate of this magnificent vessel are alluded to.

Our reporter, on a recent visit to New York, took lunch with Captain George Siddons Murray, on board the Alaska of the Guion line, Captain Murray is a man of stalwart build, well-knit frame a man of stalwart build, well-knittrame use my letter, and it any one wished to and cherry, genial disposition. He has for more information, give them my full a Miss C. G. been a constant voyager for a quarter of a century, over half of that time having been in the trans-Atlantic service. In the course of the conversation over the well-spread table, the mystery of the City of Boston was alluded to.

Side, &c., guarranteed to those using the City of Boston was alluded to.

Carter's Little Liver Pills. These com-

"Yes," remarked the Captain, "I shall never forget the last night we saw that ill-fated vessel. I was chief officer of the City of Antwerp. On the day we ter's Little Liver Pills will do this every sighted the City of Boston a furious south-east hurricane set in. Both vessels labored hard. The sea seemed determined to sweep away every vestige of life. When day ended the gale did not abate, and everything was lashed for a night of unusual fury. Our good ship was turned to the south to avoid the possibility of ice-bergs. The City of Boston, however, undoubtedly went to the north. Her boats, life preservers The trade of Cape Colony, South Af- and rafts were all secure!y lashed; and not large says the New York Evening that instead of giving employment for a fast line of fourteen large steamers with the sac gives up its dead."

"What, in your opinion, Captain, was the cause of the loss of the City of Bos-

"The City of Limerick, in almost the same latitude, a few days later, found the sea full of floating ice; and I have no doubt the City of Boston collided with the ice, and sunk immediately.

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"No? But a person's appearance is

trial.

not always a trusworrthy indication of his physical condition. For seven years I have been in many respects very much out of sorts with myself. ficult for me to move around. I could scarcely straighten up. I did not know A new kind of cloth is being made in | what the trouble was, and though I per-Lyons from the down of hens, ducks formed all of my duties regularly and satisfactorily, yet I felt that I migh some day be overtaken with some seri again, shooting pains through my arms and limbs. Possibly the next day would feel flushed and unaccountabl uneasy, and the day following chill girl' at \$12 a month. To the last advertisement he received just one appli-vertisement he received just one appli-last December, when I was prostown, and for the remainder of the voyage was a helpless, pitiful sufferer. In January last, a friend who made that voyage with me, wrote me a letter urging me to try a new course of quarter, the cackling of the hen ostrich | treatment. I gladly accepted his councan be heard at a distance of forty sel, and for the last seven months have given thorough and business-like attention to the recovery of my natural health; and to-day, I have the proud pursued me, have entirely disappeared through the blood purifying influence of Warner's Safe Rheumatic Cure which it seems that it has worked wonders. seet at Glencoe and I threfore most cordially commend

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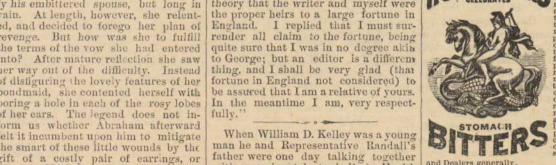
The conversation drifted to other ton es, and as the writer watched the face before him, so strong in all its outlines and yet so genial, and thought of the innumerable exposures and hardship to which its owner had been exposed he instinctively wished all who are suf-Pain is a common thing in this world, the Rondout postoffice. philosophy which teaches us to endure when we can just as readily avoid. there inside the bales, with the evident | thought the hearty captain of the Alaska, there, and the experience of trouble, intention of setting the cotton on fire so thinks the writer and so should all the sadness of losses, memories of through the action of heat caused by others think, who desire happiness and

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