





# A Suffering Soldier.

This veteran fought for his country; suffered untold hardships, and returned with health shattered. Many a brave soldier has the same history. Today this one rejoices in a new-found strength and tells his experience to benefit others.

No man is better known and liked in that rich tier of Illinois counties, of which Peoria is the centre, than genial Chester S. Harrington, of Princeville, Ill.

Mr. Harrington is a veteran of the late war. Like many another brave soldier, he suffered not only during that service, but for years afterwards from diseases contracted then.

For years his health was shattered; his sufferings increased. He was unable to gain relief, but now he tells a story which is of profit to many:

"I served three years in the 124th Illinois, enlisted at Keosaupe, Ill.," said he. "I was in Libby Prison and suffered like many another Northern soldier.

"The strain of army life did its work in undermining my health, although the collapse did not come for some time after.

"For fifteen years I suffered from general debility and nervousness so badly that I could not sleep. Indigestion resulted and my misery increased.

"My eyes began to fail, and as my body lost vitality my mind seemed to give way. I could scarcely remember events that happened but a few weeks before.

"For two years I was unfitted for business. I was just able to creep around during part of this time, and these were many times when I could not get up.

"My brother is a doctor, but all his efforts to help me failed to give any relief. I tried a number of remedies without

avail. Finally, having read articles regarding cures that had been effected by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, I decided to try them. That was in 1876. I bought a box and took the pills according to instructions.

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## THE WOMAN WITH A MISSION.

Her Love of Notoriety—Often Neglects Husband and Children.

It is surprising to know how many women there are with a deep and burning interest in humanity with a big H. Individual humanity, as represented by those who have direct claims upon them, does not interest them in the least, says Leslie's Weekly. Their own husbands, and their own children, do not appeal to them, and they have but a languid interest in their own homes. The writer was visited one day recently by a humanitarian of this type. Her mission was the uplifting of all humanity. She had, she said, consecrated her life to that end. During her call she revealed the fact that she was 2,000 miles from her husband and five children. They could, she affirmed, "get along nicely without her," and she felt that she could do a "far greater and nobler work for humanity by working for this glorious cause of temperance." This was her mission. It had been but a week since I had met the mother of several small children who was trying to "uplift humanity" by going about organizing clubs for the development of "The New Thought." After listening for nearly an hour to an outline of the plans and purposes of this "New Thought" scheme I was more than ever convinced that old thoughts are best, particularly the thoughts of our grandmothers regarding the first duty of a wife and mother.

There is much exaggeration and cheap wit in the comic papers regarding the neglect of their homes and families by the "new women," who have branched out into fields heretofore occupied by men alone. A good deal of the criticism of the new woman is unfair and unjust, but the fact remains that the woman with a mission is in many cases a woman with painfully distorted views regarding the duty she owes to herself and to others. The writer not long ago heard a woman, addressing a large gathering of people, say: "I have given up my home and children, my husband and parents, to go forth and spread the glorious gospel and try to win men and women to Christ. My life henceforth is to be devoted to God and humanity." The question naturally arises: Can a wife and mother devote herself to anything higher or better or nobler than the proper training of her own children? And does not her duty to her children, her husband and her home, transcend any duty she may owe to others? The enthusiast may say no to these questions, but every true and loving wife and mother will say yes to both questions. When a woman has a home and children no call to duty is higher or more imperative than the call that comes to her from her own home and in no sphere can she do a greater or better work. The good she might do elsewhere cannot be offered as an excuse for the neglect of those who have the first claim on her love and care. It is sometimes true that a love of notoriety and overpowering desire to be seen and heard is the chief motive of the woman with a mission.

## Useful X-Rays.

It is very satisfactory and interesting to know that the Roentgen rays, which at first promised to be only a nine days' wonder, are doing such splendid work in the hands of the surgeons. Every big hospital has now its long roll of cases in which the surgeons have been guided in their work by the revelations of the X-ray tube; and now, from the distant Indian frontier, we hear how the wounded are receiving benefit from this method of diagnosis. In one instance a Sepoy had been struck by a bullet, which made a flesh wound across his chest, and apparently had found exit at his arm. The case was not an extraordinary one, but the surgeon was puzzled by the inflammatory symptoms which manifested themselves, and for which there was no apparent cause. Recourse was had to the Roentgen apparatus, which at once showed that some shadow-casting foreign bodies were lodged in the man's chest. Operation showed that these were pieces of lead, the remains of a bullet which seems to have broken up after impact with the bones.

## Rhythmic Insect Sounds.

A most interesting field of investigation is presented by the rhythm of insect sounds. When a large number of crickets are chirping at night in a field they do so synchronously, keeping time as if led by the baton of a conductor. Professor A. E. Dolbear says that the rate of chirp is apparently determined by the temperature. So invariably is this the case that when the number of chirps per minute is known the temperature with certainty can be estimated. At a temperature of 60 degrees Fahrenheit the rate is 80 per minute, and at 70 degrees it is 120 per minute. This gives a change of four chirps per minute for each change of one degree.

The Beautiful Madame Dreyfus. Mr. David Christie Murray, who interviewed Madame Dreyfus in Paris, gives the following description of the wife of the prisoner of the Ile du Diabole: "She is tall and graceful, with features of an extremely delicate Jewish cast. Her hair is black and lustrous, and her eyes are as beautiful as they are mournfully resigned. She is still, and may yet be for many years, a woman of universal beauty."—St. James Gazette.

## Lonely.

"My good woman," said the person to a Yorkshire woman whose husband had just died, "your husband is now with Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob." "That's what makes me feel so bad," was the reply, "for he was always so shy with strangers."

## CHURCH AND DIVINING ROD.

Money for Religious Purposes to Be Raised by Locating Mines.

A new use for the divining rod is made by Rev. A. G. Fredin of Dayton, Iowa, who claims to be able to locate veins of mineral by this mysterious method. He is now at work in the northwest. Rev. J. J. Jepperson, business head of the Lutheran colleges of Rock Island, and Rev. John G. Hultkrantz are among those who believe in his power to do this. So are a number of miners. His terms for discovering veins of copper, silver, gold or other valuable ores are a bonus, which may be as high as \$1,000 and a tenth interest. The money so obtained is to go to the synod of the Swedish Evangelical Lutheran church, to be used for the church itself, for its missionaries, both home and foreign, or for its schools. Last May he and his wife felt that the time had come for him to make use of his power. "The hand of God was on me," says Mr. Fredin. "In June I went to Cripple Creek and other mining districts and there traced out to my own satisfaction many veins on the surface at mines that were being operated. I designated the work necessary to be done to find three mines where there were no surface indications and all have since been opened and are doing well. Later I went to the copper country of Lake Superior, made the same tests and located some new mines, whose developments are satisfactory to their owners. From there a few weeks ago I went to the northwest corner of Wisconsin, where some explorations for copper were under way, and told the explorers where they would find the veins they were after. They found them and ex-Mayor Starkweather of Superior, on whose land I worked, has received an offer of a large sum for the mine that has been opened in part by reason of the directions I was able to give him." Fredin is about 50 years of age. His methods are similar to those of the seekers of veins of water by the forked willow twig, grasping in both hands a rod of metal similar to the mineral which he expects to locate. Mr. Fredin goes over the ground, when passing over a vein the force of the metal rod is enough to bend him to the ground. By the bendings of the rod he is able to locate the walls of the vein.

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Saving Closet Space in Flats. New York Evening Post: In flats and apartments where space is at a premium, an arrangement suggested by which additional hanging space is gained, is to fit wooden poles in the unused space of closets and wardrobes into sockets made for the purpose. Hooks may then be attached to these poles, and the hanging spaces be doubled or trebled. The same idea is useful in a small hall bedroom, where, perhaps, it is impossible to nail the necessary hook piece close to the wall.

A Misunderstanding. American Tourist—"I understand, Marquis, that you fell in love with a distinguished American lady on account of her pretty foot?" Marquis—"Dat is it. De pretty vay she foots de billa."—New York Weekly.

Dissemination of Typhoid Fever. It has long been held that typhoid fever is disseminated by bad water, or germ-infested milk, and not by direct contagion. Recently typhoid fever among soldiers in a small barracks has been directly traced to dust from the floor. On examination the disease-producing bacteria were found in the sweeping, and the locality of the coats carried out the conviction.

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CLIMATE IS NOT CHANGING.

Why the Oldest Inhabitant's Stories Are Not Always Correct.

From the Monthly Weather Review. A correspondent in Northfield, Mass., desires our opinion on the question. "Were the winters of fifty or seventy-five years ago much colder, or were the snowfalls deeper than at present. The opinion is widely held that the winters were colder and the snowfalls deeper, but I can find nothing to warrant the belief except that in the first part of the century a much larger percentage of the population lived in the hill towns or in the interior, which are both colder than the valley or the coast towns." On the general question as to appreciable changes in climate the editor's opinion is that there has been no such change in any respect whatever so far as meteorology proper is concerned. If we divide our records of the weather recorded in North America since the days of Columbus into two periods, viz., before and after the year 1800, we shall find that every peculiarity, such as remarkable storms, winds, rains, floods, frosts, etc., recorded in the current century can be matched by a corresponding remarkable event before the year 1800. The popular impression alluded to by our correspondent result almost entirely from the imperfection of our records and especially of our memories. There is a large class of persons whose habits of thought are so crude that when they experience any remarkable weather they jump to the conclusion that the climate has changed, forgetting that they themselves have had such a limited personal experience that they are not fair judges of the weather over the whole country or of the climate of a century. Our correspondent seems to suggest that a certain change in the habits of the people, such as the removal from the interior to the coast, or from forests to prairies, or from country to city, or vice versa, will partly account for widespread errors in respect to the climate. The suggestion is excellent, but the editor would be inclined to interpret the phenomenon somewhat differently. The general movement of the population in the past century has been from the Atlantic states westward, and from the country to the city, or quite opposite to the movements suggested by our correspondent. In fact, we find no real agreement in the so-called popular traditions with regard to the weather. We have met with quite as many persons who think the winters are more severe as with those who think the winters are less severe than formerly. Everything seems to depend upon how and where the "oldest inhabitant" lived when he was a boy, as compared with his present condition. The average climate of New England so far as the weather is concerned, has not appreciably changed since the days when her oldest forest trees were young saplings.

The Chinese Oil Tree.

In a recent report of the American consul-general at Shanghai, there is an interesting description of the tung, or Chinese oil-tree. This useful tree grows to a height of about fifteen feet, and is of a beautiful appearance, its leaves being vivid green, and its flowers a pink-white. The seeds are poisonous, and it is from them that the oil is extracted in the most primitive fashion by wooden presses worked with wedges. The oil thus obtained is largely used all over the country in the manufacture of paint and varnish, for waterproofing paper and umbrellas, and in some districts for illuminating purposes. But its chief use is for caulking boats. On the submerged parts of vessels it is applied hot, but on other parts it is painted on in thin coats quite cold. All Chinese boats are thus oiled twice a month and so are made to assume a glossy appearance, while the wood is greatly preserved. Like most other commodities, this tree-oil is often adulterated before it is sold by retailers—chiefly with cotton seed oil.

MANY THINK!

when the Creator said to woman, "In sorrow shalt thou bring forth children," that a curse was pronounced against the human race, but the joy felt by every Mother when she first presses to her heart her babe, proves the contrary. Danger and suffering lurk in the pathway of the Expectant Mother, and should be avoided, that she may reach the hour when the hope of her heart is to be realized, in full vigor and strength.

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WALTER BESANT ON WOMEN.

He Says It's Very Hard to Keep Them to the Point.

"It will not, perhaps, be considered an attack upon women if I say that it is extremely difficult to keep them to the point," says Walter Besant in the Queen. "I have been addressing audiences of women on four occasions during the last year. I was advocating a central bureau for women's work, with branches everywhere, to embrace all kinds of work. One lady rose in a kind of rage: 'He has actually said nothing of the Typewriters' Holiday Fund!' And another: 'He has forgotten—if he did forget—with a fine curl of the upper lip—the Curates' Granddaughters' Allowance in Sickness Fund, which everybody knows as the C. G. D. A. S. F.!' And once, when I had most carefully and repeatedly dunned and hammered into their ears that the bureau must begin at least with the class called gentlewomen, a lady sprang to her feet and, with tears in her eyes—real tears, mind, of real sympathy—wanted to know what we were to do with the slums and the gutter!" Sir Walter is optimistic, nevertheless. He believes in women and thinks that if they would master parliamentary law as their American sisters study to do they would be very useful and efficient public workers.

Sea Shells That Explode.

A contributor to the National Druggist describes the curious phenomena of explosive sea-shells. He says: Walking along the beach on Mobile bay, a young woman, a relative of the writer, picked up a handful of little shells, left by the tide, and among them several shells of a small marine "snail," the largest of which was probably a half-inch in diameter and the smallest some three-eighths of an inch. She dropped them into her pocket and forgot all about them until several days afterward, when an unpleasant odor in her wardrobe attracted her attention to them. On taking them out of her pocket some fell on the floor, and in recovering them she placed her foot on one. The act was followed by an explosion, quite sharp, and loud enough to be heard all over the floor on which her room is. Astonished, she concluded to try another, and the same result followed. The shells were then brought to the writer, who on examination found the mouth of each firmly closed by a membrane of greater or less thickness, formed by the drying of the animal slime. This had probably occurred soon after removal from the moisture of the beach, and the little inhabitant of the shell dying, the gases of decomposition had quite filled its internal space.

On exerting a little pressure by squeezing the shell between two blocks of wood quite a loud explosion was produced, the fragments of the shell being thrown several feet. Subsequently, on trying the experiment, out of a dozen shells only two failed to explode.

Oldest Church in Europe.

The oldest church in Europe is that of St. Pudenziana, at Rome. About the middle of the first century a certain Roman senator had a house on this spot. He was a Christian convert, and it is said a distant relative to St. Paul, who lodged with him from A. D. 41 to 50. For the religious uses of himself and guests, he built a small chapel in this house, and when he died in 96, and his wife a year later, his daughter added a baptistery. A church was afterwards erected on the site of the original house of Pudens, and consecrated in 108 or 145. Canon Routledge, in his history of St. Martin's church, Canterbury, claims that that venerable edifice is the oldest church in Christendom. He describes it as occupying the unique position of being the only existing church that was originally built as a church during the first four centuries, and has remained a church till the present day. Its font is the very one in which Ethelbert was baptized by St. Augustine, as mentioned by the Venerable Bede.

Air-Cushions in Railway Cars.

Vice-President Schoonmaker of the Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad has a private car which is fitted up in a novel manner. All its chair cushions and bed mattresses are constructed on the pneumatic principle. At night the seat cushions are emptied of air, folded and packed snugly away, and the larger cushions for the beds are brought out of their place of concealment in the sides of the car, and pumped full. It is said that these pneumatic cushions greatly reduce the jar of a railway journey, and that in time they may cause a revolution in the building of palace and sleeping cars.

Destructive Australian Ants.

The roof of the Australian museum at Sydney, which had been destroyed by termites, or "white ants," had to be replaced with a covering composed largely of steel and copper. Recently it was discovered that these destructive little creatures had also ruined the underpinning of one of the most important floors of the museum. The work of the termite is peculiar in that it is carried on in the interior of the timber and does not reveal itself until the structure is about to fall to pieces.

Railroad Building in China.

For more than a year work has been going on on fourteen miles of railroad from Shanghai to Woosung and the grading has not yet been finished. Not a tie or a rail has been laid. Only Chinese workmen are employed. About a month or two ago the first sod was turned at Hankow for the Hankow-Pekin railway, but its prosecution depends upon the success of the Belgian syndicate in floating a proposed loan for its construction.

CHINESE LADIES ENTERTAIN.

Semi-Public Dinner Given to Several European Ladies.

Two years ago who would have believed in ten Chinese ladies of distinction from various parts of the vast empire inviting some fifty or so European ladies of different nationalities to a large semi-annual dinner, and not only inviting them, but themselves sitting down with them, conversing with them as far as the agencies of language permitted, and partaking of the foreign fare in regular European style, knives and forks, champagne and flower-spread tablecloths all included? But it has taken place, says the Boston Transcript. The dinner was held in the largest dining hall in Chang So Ho's garden. All the foreign consuls' wives were invited, together with a certain number of missionary ladies and a few others. There was a goodly gathering of Chinese ladies, with a little sprinkling of natural footed Manchus, and, although when dinner was announced a certain number of gentlemen kindly superintending arrangements called out, "Foreign ladies to this side because it is warmer!" yet Chinese and European ladies sat down fairly mixed. There were several little girls at the banquet, three especially noticeable in vapor colored satin gowns gleaming with pearls, so as to produce quite a moonbeam effect as they were carried away in their men attendants' arms, under the electric light, the rouge on their little faces preventing any one from noticing the effect that crippling had there. Women servants waited behind many of the Chinese ladies to light their pipes for them, etc., otherwise the dinner was entirely served by men. For hundreds of years now the Chinese have treated their womankind as a negligible quantity, and yet, with all their neglect and suppression, no impartial person could look around and not be struck by the quiet dignity of the Chinese ladies among what must have been to them very different surroundings.

World's Most Stupendous Ruins.

The most stupendous ruin in the world is the great temple at Baalbec, an ancient city of Syria. It seems to have been a kind of Pantheon, and is situated on a magnificent platform, which rises it high above the level of the ground, and extends from east to west a distance of about 1,000 feet. The portico is at the east, and must have been reached by a grand flight of steps. It is 180 feet, or, including the pavilions 260 feet from north to south. The threefold entrance leads into the first court, hexagonal in shape, and measuring about 250 feet from corner to corner. A portal 50 feet wide gives admittance to a grand quadrangle, which extends from east to west for 440 feet, and has a breadth of 370 feet, thus including an area of between three and four acres. The peristyle of the temple proper was composed of fifty-four columns; the height of their shafts was about 62 feet, and the diameter 7 feet at the base and about 5 feet at the top. That part of the great platform on which the peristyle rests consists of immense walls built up about 50 feet from the ground and formed of thirteen courses of beveled stones. Another marvelous ruin is the Coliseum at Rome, which encloses a space of about five acres, and is said to have been capable of seating eighty-seven thousand spectators. Both of these are ruins of a single building. If we take into consideration groups of ruins we shall be confronted with the wonderful masses of ancient Babylon, of Memphis, of Thebes, and of the temple of Luxor and the remains of Pompeii and Herculaneum, the cities which were hurled by an eruption of Mount Vesuvius in 79 A. D.

Time Limit of Methodist Pastors.

The present five-year time limit of Methodist pastors was a compromise between those who favored the old rule and those who wanted the limit removed altogether. The agitation concerning the limit ceased with this partial victory, the more so because the matter of equal lay representation in the general conference came up to engage attention. That cause has not yet been won, but many leading Methodists, both ministers and laymen, are now expressing the opinion that two causes, especially where they are so vital to the progress of Methodism as are these, can be successfully agitated at once, and that the time is now ripe to begin again the effort to abolish the pastoral limit entirely. The purpose of those who would abolish the time limit is not to do away with the itinerant system, but to leave bishop and presiding elder the same freedom to say whether the best interests of Christ and Methodism will be served by sending, or not sending, the man back when it is his sixth, tenth, or sixteenth year, that they now have when it is the second, third or fourth year.

Save Your Children.

Most every—if not every mother knows what it means when her little one cannot get to sleep, but cries out, "Oh, Mamma, something is biting me." It is not piles, that may be alleviated by a salve—no, it is the troublesome little pin worm that wriggles and twists, and irritates the child until it becomes nervous, fretful and peevish. The simplest remedy, harmless to the child but death to the pinworm, is Sketekee's Pin Worm Destroyer. If you or any of yours are annoyed by the little pests, pleworms, send 26 cents in postage stamps to Geo. G. Sketekee, Grand Rapids, Michigan, and he will send you a box of destroyer post paid. Ask your druggist for Sketekee's Worm Destroyer.

Now Build Up with... that every one should take a spring tonic to strengthen the system and prepare for the extra demands of Nature. Every spring the system is thoroughly overhauled—there is a general house-cleaning going on within. The impurities that have been accumulating for a year must be gotten rid of and the system renovated and prepared for the siege of summer. Unless Nature is assisted in this task, the strain on the system is too severe, and a breakdown is the result. Some people neglect to supply this assistance, and as a result they are overcome by an enervating, depressed feeling, their energies relax, appetite fails, and they are totally disabled for a season. Everybody just now needs a tonic, and Swift's Specific

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UNDER BLACK WINGS Neither Love Nor Duty Can Stay the Suicide's Hand. Three Women, High in Washington Society, Kill Themselves Because They Believed Health was Gone From Them Forever. "Opening his mouth wide, he brusquely thrust the pistol-barrel into the very bottom of his throat and pressed upon the trigger." Of course the shot killed him. He had been challenged to a duel, and the fear of death drove him to suicide. Guy de Maupassant, the great French writer, tells the story. This is no mere fancy of a novelist. It is a dreadful, eternal truth. Men and women, living under the shadow of Death's black wing, fling themselves into the arms of the very enemy they dread. See the proofs of this in the matter-of-fact newspaper reports. Note that in a great city half-a-dozen persons will, in a single day, take their own lives. Why? Various motives are assigned, such as disappointed love, financial ruin, actual or impending disgrace and thwarted ambition. The most prevalent reason is not dwelt upon, except in rare cases, because to the unthinking reader it is less impressive than the others. Yet the fact that sufferers from real or imaginary disease, despairing of a cure, take their own lives, is the most appalling of all the doleful facts connected with suicide. Within a few weeks three women, moving in the highest society in Washington, killed themselves because they saw no hope of overcoming disease. They had struggled and hoped until struggle seemed vain and hope a mocking delusion. One day the shadow of the black wing was so near that it blotted out all the joy and sunshine of the world. The next day's papers told of a historic family's awful affliction. Afflictions leading to self-murder are roughly divisible into two classes: those that are mostly fanciful and proceed from ill-regulated nerves, and those of which the symp-

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THURSDAY, APRIL 21, 1898.

The old council failed to act upon the question of investigation of the Marshal's record. It may be that what appears in this week's issue of THE REGISTER will stir up the new council to take some action.

MEMBERS of Company A are congratulating themselves on the fact that they are a member of the battalion under the command of Major Seymour Howell, of Adrian, now in St. Augustine, Florida. Major Howell is recognized all over the United States as a thoroughly educated military man of practical experience.

ROSS GRANGER.

The following item from one of the Detroit daily papers will interest Washtenaw county Republicans:

A Washtenaw county politician reports the power of Sheriff Judson to be on the wane. The people rebel at Judson's management of the Washtenaw patronage, and are carrying their dislike up to Pingree on Judson's account.

The only thing for the Governor to do is to throw the boss overboard. If Mr. Pingree persists in keeping as his lieutenant, in the county, a man with such a record it will weaken his following in every part of the state.

A LANSING correspondent for one of the Detroit papers, speaking of Pingree plans for the fall campaign and the advice of his various lieutenants, has this to say of Boss Judson:

Sheriff Judson, of Washtenaw, does not agree with any other member. It is said that he feels slighted because he was not appointed general manager, and consequently doesn't like the game. Just now he is slightly in disfavor because he fell down last week in his much-advertised conversion of Senator Campbell.

From this and other reports it is evident that Pingree is gradually coming to realize the situation in Washtenaw. When the full force of the situation strikes the Governor it will be all day with Judson's prospects for the wardenship.

MC KINLEY'S CUBAN POLICY.

A FEW days ago a clamor went up over the county that President McKinley's action was too slow. It was a cry of the masses against whom no responsibility rests upon the careful balance of a statesman who realizes that his words or actions can plunge his country into bloody conflict.

However unsatisfactory President McKinley's Cuban policy was then or may be to-day the people can at least point to him as one who has always had the utmost confidence in their judgment. There have been few presidents if any who have gathered around them such true representatives of the different classes of the people; listened to them with such patience; so diligently inquired the proper course; so devotedly given time to the full understanding of each view, and then finally collected them into a massive consummation which marks their messages and policies.

There are few men so cognizant as Mayor McKinley, of the fact that a consensus of opinion is more to be depended upon than the judgement of a single individual. This has changed his life and altered many of his principles. He is one of the most considerate of all the men who have ever been leaders of a people.

There has been a very general demand for the recognition of the belligerents, but it has not yet been shown what material advantage this would be to them unsupported by other than their own power, for International Law forbids any government or its people, after a recognition of belligerency, from engaging in any traffic which is contraband, or otherwise interdicted.

For this reason it is not too strong to state that the skill of the greatest diplomat may be detected in the President's

STRANGE INCREASE IN MARSHAL'S FEES

(Continued from page one)

the receipts in detail from the Marshal for the month of March and in total by months for so much of the year as has passed. We do not care to comment on the same but prefer to present some questions which may be pertinent to the occasion.

1. The above report of the treasurer shows the receipts to the police fund for the first ten months to be \$98.80; for the last one month to be \$57.67. Why this thushness? Has the Boss permitted the marshal to actually do his work?

2. Justice Pond's report shows that Wm. Murray paid the fee in his case. Why does the marshal's report contain no reference to it? Was the sheriff's force doing the city work at this time?

3. The treasurer credits the police fund with \$5 received from Sweet, marshal, fine for March. The justice reports do not show any such item. Did the marshal get his authority to levy and collect fines from the city ordinances, the charter, or where?

4. In the blanks provided for the report of the marshal there is a space for the name of the justice before whom the case was tried. In four of the above cases, the space is not filled in. Wouldn't it be well to take time enough to properly fill out all blanks?

5. Take two similar cases, Bennett and Johnson, which are reported but which do not indicate the justice. How does it happen that in one case the damages and costs aggregate but \$6.70 while in the other the costs alone are \$13.25?

6. The city fees collected by the marshal in March, according to his detailed report, amount to \$25.02. The fees for which he is given credit by the treasurer amount to \$26.62. Why this over-payment?

7. The treasurer's report gives the marshal credit for \$15.58 turned in as fees for transferring prisoners to penal institutions. The marshal's report gives but three such cases with a total of \$10.92. As this amount is already figured in the sum given in No. 6, we can only inquire, why this generosity?

8. The treasurer reports \$7.47 turned in by the marshal during March for fees which do not appear in the marshal's report for that month. How did this happen? Is it another case of suddenly remembered previous forgetfulness? When were these fees earned?

10. If to the fees which the marshal reports, there is added the damages and costs of the cases in which he fails to name the justice before whom taken, and to that sum be added the fees of the case before Justice Pond concerning which the marshal makes no mention in his report, there is still a discrepancy between that total and the total amount for which he is given credit as having turned in during the month of March. Will some expert in figures please prepare a statement, from these four reports, which will balance?

In view of the foregoing questions would it not be well for that proposed investigation to be begun?

dent's message, and the recent action of Congress. It does not recognize the Cuban government, yet to carry out its plan must necessarily end in the establishment of a free republic in that island.

European powers cannot say of us that we have recognized belligerence and demand of us by virtue of International Law, the strictest neutrality between the contending parties.

President McKinley did not stand alone on his Cuban policy but followed precedents established by Jackson, Grant and Cleveland. Whether or not delay has been a good thing cannot be known but it probably will prove so since the war will be upon the sea and delay has given the United States a chance to prepare.

Whatever attitude the people may take at present in regard to the President's policy there is no doubt that in time they will see in his firm conservative stand the only right solution to the Cuban problem.

C. T. STORM, '98 Law.

THE REGISTER was, as everybody believes, meant for effect. The following from a New York paper applies with especial force to our case:

To begin a libel suit is an easy and common way for a guilty person to dodge when charged publicly with wrong-doing, and when the public is aroused. It takes two or three years in New York state for a case of this kind to reach trial, and by that time the guilty person hopes that the public will have forgotten all about the matter. The fact that notice has been served of a suit for a big sum of money is often accepted by the public as evidence of virtuous indignation, and this takes the place of an answer, and is almost sure to secure a suspension of judgement. Soundness know this very well, and often act upon this knowledge. That sort of a libel suit is the commonest kind of bluff. All will remember that farce of a suit begun by A. Oakley Hall against James Bryce, which was thrown out of the courts the other day, as seven years had passed since the suit began, and Mr. Hall could not be induced to cease threatening to bring his suit to trial. It was not, however, disposed of until Mr. Bryce had incurred an expense of some \$5,000 in preparations for trial. It seemed at first quite likely that the liquor-seller Casey, of Ithaca, would bring a suit for a large amount against this paper, but we were always sure that he could not be dragged into court for a trial of the case with anything less persuasive than a yoke of oxen. His threat is what in the West they would call "an abodeled noise" made to distract attention, and even now the threat seems to have "died a-borning."

THE WAR SITUATION.

As we go to press the war situation is as follows: Both houses of congress have passed resolutions which demand that the Spanish shall leave Cuba. They also practically declare the independence of the Cubans.

President McKinley has signed these resolutions and sent an ultimatum to Spain giving them until Saturday to consent to give up the island and vacate at once.

The Spanish minister at Washington has demanded his passports and has left the country. Reports from Spain indicate that Spain will not yield a particle. President McKinley yesterday asked Congress to pass an emergency war measure empowering him to call for troops and the House passed the same at once. The bill will probably pass the Senate today.

Thus we are practically in a state of war. It will probably not take a great while to drive the Spanish out of Cuba, but it is quite likely that Spain may continue naval warfare, for a year or more. The only advantage to be gained by such a course would be the injury she could inflict upon our foreign commerce.

BOSS JUDSON'S RECORD.

BRIEF SUMMARY OF REGISTER CHARGES.

What Will Governor Pingree Say To It—If He Will Look Into the Matter He Will Pitch Such an Unscrupulous Boss Overboard—Here is What The Register Shows.

1st. It shows how he plotted to overthrow one of the strongest Republican organizations in the state of Michigan and succeeded by the aid of base treachery on the part of his henchmen.

2nd. It shows how he owned the City Marshal and used said officer to regularly rob the city of fees which belong to it as appeared in our report of arrests for last December.

3rd. It shows that in the Stockwell case he practically "held up" a farmer boy and helped to bleed him to the extent of hundreds of dollars.

4th. It shows how through his attorney he worked enough members of former council to prevent an investigation of the marshal's conduct and thus shield himself.

5th. It shows how he ignored justice court and circuit court decisions by allowing men sentenced by both courts to confinement in jail for crimes to go and come as they please.

6th. It shows how he allowed convicts to go free and then be sentenced again to serve time in jail for other crimes before time of first sentence expired, thus drawing double pay from county for board of prisoners.

7th. It shows how Judson boasted that he manipulated ballots and thus could control elections.

8th. It shows that the pretended offer of \$1,000 by the Boss as an evidence of his honesty was a ridiculous bluff.

9th. It shows how Judson controlled Marshal Sweet in the matter of fees for taking prisoners to the Detroit House of Correction.

10th. It shows that the Sheriff intentionally violated the law in the course he took in his suit for libel against the editor of THE REGISTER.

11th. It shows how he worked the county in the matter of fees for taking people to asylum at Pontiac.

12th. It shows how he managed to have the county help pay his campaign expenses in the fall of 1896.

13th. It shows how for several days, the Sheriff drew pay for attending court in Washtenaw county while doing political work in Lansing.

14th. It shows how in the month of January the Marshal was his tool in the matter of fees, the same as in the month of December, as shown in the case cited above.

15th. It shows how, by his overthrow of a Republican organization the Republicans failed to secure a majority of the board of Supervisors, which otherwise they would certainly have done.

Graduating Exercises.

Thursday evening in Dist. No. 5, a class of six graduates completed the eight grade with high standing. The graduates were the Misses Lela Flintoft and Clara Paul and Messrs. Clyde Flintoft, Ed. Kehoe, George Burke and Leo Burke. A fine program was arranged by the teacher, Miss Rose Burke. Music was furnished by "The None Such Club" of Northfield. Mr. J. Lyons, of Fenton, sang a base solo and a hoody coochy which were appreciated by the audience.

After the program a good time was had in the way of a box social and dance. The house was crowded to its utmost capacity. All left for their homes at daybreak.



A woman cannot be too careful of her health. Her happiness as maid, wife and mother is dependent upon it. Every woman should realize that her general health depends upon her health in a womanly way.

When a woman feels this way she is usually suffering from weakness or disease of the organs distinctly feminine. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the best of all known remedies for suffering women. It acts directly on the delicate and important organs that bear the burdens of maternity.

Sister Eliza L. de Falcon, of Corpus Christi, Nueces Co., Tex., writes: "This is to tell you that I have been ill for twenty-one years and was finally cured by your medicines, 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Favorite Prescription.' I was completely cured after taking this medicine."

Notice To Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, 1898.

Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1898, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Israel Clark, 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 31st day of October next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court on the 31st day of the said month of October, at the east front door of the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, in the County of Washtenaw in said State, on Wednesday the 1st day of June, A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said decedent, and the following described real estate, to-wit:

19. Dated, Ann Arbor, April 8th, A. D. 1898. H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

Real Estate For Sale.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, 1898.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, Wm. K. Childs, administrator of the estate of Ira Aldrich, deceased, the matter of the estate of Ira Aldrich, deceased, is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, Wm. K. Childs, administrator of the estate of Ira Aldrich, deceased, by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw, on the 9th day of April, A. D. 1898, there will be sold at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder, at the east front door of the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, in the County of Washtenaw in said State, on Wednesday the 1st day of June, A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said decedent, and the following described real estate, to-wit:

20. Lots number twelve (12) and thirteen (13) in block number nine (9) Brown and Fuller's addition to the village now city of Ann Arbor.

WM. K. CHILDS, Administrator of Said Estate.

HALIPLEAN'S NERVE

And How It Operated to Set Soldiers On the War Path.

Mr. J. G. Haliplean, who came here last week and organized eighty students for the naval reserves is a small army in himself. It is doubtful if any man ever went through the University who got so many roasts. He was gayed unmercifully for wearing medals which he had won in wrestling. He was roasted still more for his inability to talk of anybody but himself and since his graduation he has always been an object of mirth because he wore a naval uniform on his visits to this city. Last week the boys gayed him hard when he said he could have organized a big company in Toledo but wanted to go to war with more cultured people and when he advised the boys to enlist as there was a chance to get glory without the danger of going to war. But he started the boys to drilling and if hostilities begin and his wonderful nerve holds out, Haliplean will yet command a battleship.

A dull, throbbing pain, accompanied by a sense of tenderness and heat low down in the side, with an occasional shooting pain, indicates inflammation.

The region of pain shows some swelling. This is the first stage of ovaritis, inflammation of the ovary. If the roof of your house leaks, my sister, you have it fixed at once; why not pay the same respect to your own body?

Write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., and tell her all your symptoms. Her experience in treating female ills is greater than any other living person. The following from MRS. ANNE CURTIS, Ticonderoga, N. Y., is proof of what we say:

"For nine years I suffered with female weakness in its worst form. I was in bed nearly a year with congestion with falling of the womb, was very weak, tired all the time, had such headaches as to make me almost wild. Was afflicted with leucorrhoea, and was bloated so badly that some thought I had dropsy. I have taken several bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and several of her Blood Purifier, and am completely cured. It is a wonder to all that I got well."



LEGAL NOTICES.

Probate Order. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, 1898.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Friday, the 23rd day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of John W. Renwick, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of John W. Renwick praying that partition may be had in the real estate whereof said deceased died seized and that commissioners be appointed for that purpose.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Friday, the 29th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, 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 REGISTER, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to the day of hearing.

[A TRUE COPY.] H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate. P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, 1898.

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 16th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of Ira Aldrich, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of William K. Childs praying that he may be licensed to sell the Real Estate whereof said deceased died seized.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Saturday, the 27th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, 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, in said County, 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 REGISTER, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate. P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

Mortgage Sale.

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of payment of an installment of interest, due on a certain mortgage, made on the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1897, by O. Lincoln McGuire, of the City of Ann Arbor, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, mortgagor, to Mary Furnum, of the same County, aforesaid, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for Washtenaw County, aforesaid, on the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1897, in Liber 79 of Mortgages, on page 231. And whereas, such installment continued for more than thirty days, whereby the said mortgagee hath power and authority to elect and declare, and hath elected and declared, to have the whole of the principal sum of money, and interest thereon, secured by said mortgage to be now due and payable, which said mortgage, was assigned after such election, and due notice thereof, whereby the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative; And whereas, by reason of said default, there is now claimed to be due and payable, at the date of this notice, for principal and interest the sum of eight hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty-six cents, and no proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to collect the said sum of money, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of said power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made, and provided, on the 24th day of May, A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the south front door of the Court House, in said City of Ann Arbor, that being the building where in the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw is held, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, the lands and tenements and premises, described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to satisfy the claim for the sum of money secured by said mortgage, and so elected and declared to be due and payable as aforesaid, and the costs and expenses of these proceedings, including an attorney fee of twenty-five dollars, as provided in said mortgage.

The lands and tenements in said mortgage mentioned, and then and there to be sold, are described as follows, to-wit: "The following described lands and premises, situated in the City of Ann Arbor, County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, viz: Commencing at the north-east corner of Block number three north of Huron street and running thence east, thence west parallel with Catherine street two hundred and seventy-five feet, thence south parallel with Thirteenth street ninety-nine feet, thence east parallel with Catherine street one hundred and forty-three feet, thence north parallel with Thirteenth street sixty-nine feet, thence east parallel with Catherine street one hundred and thirty-two feet, thence north parallel with Thirteenth street thirty feet to the place of beginning. Subject to right of way, twelve feet wide, running north and south across said land, one hundred and fifty-two feet west from Thirteenth street."

Dated Ann Arbor, Michigan, February 25th A. D. 1898. MARY FURNUM, Mortgagee. ANDREW E. GIBSON, Atty. For Mortgagee.

Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage upon the premises hereinafter described, by Joseph Baumgartner and Mary Baumgartner, his wife, and Solomon Baumgartner to Edward Treadwell, now deceased, and Noah W. Cheever, executors of the will of Hiram Arnold, deceased, bearing date November 1st, A. D. 1887, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Michigan, November 1st, A. D. 1887, in Liber 69 of Mortgages on page 122, by which default the power of sale contained in said mortgage became operative and no suit or proceeding in law or equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and the sum of five hundred and thirty-five dollars and thirty-two cents (\$535.22) being now claimed to be due upon said mortgage, and therefore upon both said mortgages there is now claimed to be due the sum of two thousand and sixty-two dollars and nineteen cents (\$2,062.19).

Notice is therefore hereby given that the aforesaid two mortgages will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises therein described or some part thereof, to-wit: All of the following described land situated in the City of Ann Arbor, in the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, viz: Beginning at the south-west corner of block No. three (3) south of Huron street in range No. three (3) east; thence east on the south line of said block three (3) rods; thence north parallel with the west line of said block six and one-half (6 1/2) rods to the place of beginning; thence south on the west line of said block three (3) rods to the west line of said block; thence south on the west line of said block six and one-half (6 1/2) rods to the place of beginning; thence east on the north line of said block three (3) rods to the place of beginning. Subject to right of way, twelve feet wide, running north and south across said land, one hundred and fifty-two feet west from Thirteenth street."

Dated, March 1, A. D. 1898. NOAH W. CHEEVER, Surviving executor of the will of Hiram Arnold, deceased. [34] Mortgagee.



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**SALE OF EGYPTIAN MUMMIES.**

Londoners Not Very Anxious to Possess the Curiosities.  
 From the London Mail: The market price of royal Egyptian mummies is 25 guineas per mummy. This latest quotation on the mummy exchange was determined by an auction sale yesterday afternoon. J. C. Stevens offered for sale at King Street, Covent Garden, seven full-grown mummies, sound in mind and limb, and with all and singular the wraps, bandages and coffins thereto pertaining. Three were of the royal blood—one Ptolemy II., of Egypt, otherwise known as Philadelphus; Antiochus I. of Syria, known to his intimates as Soter, and a certain Alpina, reputed wife of Seleucus, goodness knows which king of Babylon. Their identity was established by two letters, one from Dr. Birch of the British museum, and one from Prof. Bonomi of Sir John Sloane's museum. The professor said the mummies ought not to be allowed to leave the country. Mr. Chandler deposited to hieroglyphics on the tombs of the withered potentates, giving the royal names and titles. Sketches of them came to England with the mummies, but were lost. Could anything be more conclusive? According to modern views Ptolemy and Antiochus do not appear to have been proper persons. One married his sister and the other his stepmother, and Ptolemy exercised royal authority over two of his brothers by putting them to death. That is a long time ago. Philadelphus has now acquired a fine nutmeg tint, and his leathery skin is perforated like the borings in a cork. He has lost his nose and some of his fingers, and every bone shows through his skin. He died possessed of legions and elephants and ships, and 740,000 talents of money. He does not look at all perturbed as to the succession to his estates. Antiochus, for so valiant a warrior, is a surprisingly small monarch. He is of the color of an old boot, with the mold growing on it. His mouth and eyes are represented by jagged slits. His right arm has gone, and the edges of his hollow armpit are like the torn binding of a book. His regal trappings have dwindled to a piece of velvet around the loins and a width of swathing on the arm. Alpina is proclaimed a woman by her narrow chest, and the matted curls of her dusty hair. She is swathed to the feet.

**Enology of Wesley.**

Writing in the Christian World on "Prophets of the Christian Faith," Dean Farrar opens the series by a consideration of John Wesley, whom he eulogizes with characteristic eloquence: "Magnetic with moral sincerity," says Dr. Farrar, "Wesley flashed into myriads of hearts, cold as the nether millstone, the burning spark of his own convictions, and thus he saved the church of which he never was an enemy. He included her name in his daily grace before meat. He died in her full communion. He set her the example of indefatigable activity, of an ungrudging self-sacrifice, of that beauty of holiness which shines in the life of every Christian who makes his moral being his prime care. From the impulse which Wesley gave, originated every form of special religious enthusiasm since his day. Thus he became one of the most disinterested of those benefactors of mankind who have raised strong arms to bring heaven a little nearer to the earth. It is a splendid testimony to Wesley's moral insight and spiritual greatness that 'no reformer the world has ever seen so united faithfulness to the essential doctrines of revelation with charity toward men of every church and creed.' Writing in advanced age to the Bishop of Lincoln, he said, 'Alas, my lord, is this a time to persecute any man for conscience's sake? You are a man of sense, you are a man of learning; nay, I verily believe, what is of infinitely more value, you are a man of pity. Then think, and let think.'"

**The Hardest Metal.**

The hardest metal is titanium. This metal was first recognized by Mr. Gregor in 1791, but its properties were not satisfactorily determined until 1822, when Dr. Wollaston examined it and described it as it occurred in its perfect metallic and crystallized state. In the slag of an iron furnace at Merthyr Tydfil in South Wales. The form of the crystals is the cube, their color resembles that of bright copper, they are sufficiently hard to scratch rock crystal and their specific gravity is 5.3. According to M. Dumas, the order of metals with reference to hardness is as follows: "Chromium, rhodium, which cannot be scratched with glass; nickel, cobalt, iron, antimony, zinc, scratched by glass; palladium, platinum, copper, gold, silver, tellurium, bismuth, cadmium, tin, scratched by carbonate of lime; lead, scratched by the nail; and potassium and sodium, which are as soft as wax."

**Unappreciated.**  
 Perhaps few experiences of life are harder to bear than when an appeal to another out of the fullness of one's heart is received with an utter lack of sympathy. Such a situation is portrayed by the biographer of the Rev. S. C. Malan.  
 A dishonest gardener had received notice of discharge, and after an unsuccessful attempt to vindicate his character by plausible platitudes, said mournfully to the vicar:  
 "Ah, sir, you will miss me before I be gone half an hour!"  
 "I shan't mind that," answered Mr. Malan, cheerfully, "if I don't miss anything else!"

**Wasps as Fly Destroyers.**  
 The best fly destroyer in the world is a common or garden wasp. An expert says he has known one wasp to kill 1,000 flies a day.

**TRIAL FOR HERESY.**

Details of a Recent Church Trial in Louisville, Ky.  
 A Presbyterian trial for heresy has lately taken place in Louisville, Ky., the defendant being a Mr. Houston, formerly a missionary to China. This gentleman seems to have adopted substantially the views held by the sect known as "Plymouth Brethren," though he has not joined that domination (which is but a small one in this country), but apparently regards it as quite the right thing to continue to hold the position of a Presbyterian minister. He is convinced that the Lord's Supper is properly a family observance, and may be administered by the head of a household, requiring no ordination. As a corollary to this, he holds that any lay member of the church may be appointed to administer the communion to the congregation. Finally, he has taught that entire sanctification is possible to the believer in this life. To the ordinary person who knows nothing of the Presbyterian confession, it does not seem in the least surprising that the accused, acknowledging these teachings, was found guilty and censured for heresy. The Interior, however, says: "What a spectacle is this! Namely, the spectacle of a man condemned as contravening the teaching of the formularies of his denomination, who confesses that he has done so. What is there surprising in that spectacle? It appears that Mr. Houston thought he could prove his tenets out of the Bible, and the Interior seems to consider that if any one thinks he can do that he ought to be let alone, no matter though he may be going contrary to the doctrines he has bound himself to teach. Moreover, the Interior hints in its conviction that Mr. Houston is right on the merits of the question, and that the confession is wrong. Here we have again those remarkable 'eclipses of subscription' of which we have heard so much of late years. But how can anything be clearer than that when a man has ceased to believe and teach the doctrines of the denomination to which he belongs, he ought to retire from its ministry? If we understand our contemporary not only is he under no such obligation, but it is persecution to force him out.—Peoria Journal.

**ONE MAN'S CHURCH.**

Colored Zealot Building a House of Worship Entirely Unaided.  
 A Georgia colored man, Andrew Bonner by name, is manifesting his religious enthusiasm in a substantial, though unusual way. Bonner is a simple minded negro, filled to overflowing with what his admiring wife terms 'de ole' time religion.' He resides with her in College Park, a village a few miles from Atlanta. His ambition for years has been to build a church for the benefit of some of his own race, the material used to be procured with his own earnings, and no workmen to assist him in the rearing of the edifice. With utter disregard of legal measures, Andrew selected two years ago a site for the church of his dreams, which he expects to be a monument to his memory long after he has returned to dust. The fact that he does not own the ground has never disturbed him. When far-sighted friends urged him to wait until the ground could be bought for the purpose he paid no heed to the proposition, but kept to his original purpose. Every spare penny was spent by him for lumber and nails. The work has necessarily been slow, but now, after twenty-four months of patient labor, Andrew gazes with pride upon the building, which is almost covered. The old man is said to have sometimes denied his family bread that he might save money for his pet project.

**Big Hats and Headache.**

The enormous hats worn by some ladies of the present day are said to cause a peculiarly irritating kind of headache. The weight of these hats in itself is too heavy for the delicate cranium of a woman, but worst of all is the anxiety the lady must feel in keeping such a thing poised on her head. A physician who was consulted prescribed the usual remedies for what ladies called the migraine, but strongly advised them to put aside such headgear and wear light, reasonable bonnets. This physician says that, although he is no alarmist, he is of opinion that the exaggerated hats overlaid with ornaments which many ladies now wear are responsible for a good deal of the peevishness, fretfulness and ineipient mental aberration which characterize so many who pride themselves on being in the fashion.

**How They Catch Rogues in Paris.**

A year ago policemen stationed at the crossings of the principal boulevards of Paris were provided with handsome white enameled "billies" and helmets. The patrols are now armed with a weapon new to the history of police annals. It is a piece of chalk. When surrounded by a crowd of hostile toughs who hustle the guardian of the peace the patrolman deftly puts chalk marks on the clothing of his assailants, who are thus arrested and identified when reinforcements arrive.—New York Times.

**Healthy Underground Workers.**

It is declared in London that the health of employes on the underground railway is better than on any line in England. The atmosphere is said to have positively cured cases of quinsy and bronchitis and to have benefited people with lung troubles.

**Papa Said No.**

Willie—"We have a nice canopy to cover our carriage."  
 Bobbie—"That's nothing; we have a mortgage on ours which more than covers it."  
 When a man gets in a pickle it seldom preserves his temper.

**POLISHING PRECIOUS STONES.**

A Brief Description of a Very Interesting Process.  
 The first thing necessary in polishing a precious stone is to slit it; this is done by means of a thin sheet-iron disk, placed in a horizontal position and made to revolve by very simple machinery, says the Philadelphia Times. Diamond dust is applied to the edge of the disk, and sperm oil is dropped upon it from a can. If properly managed a very small quantity of diamond dust will last all day, and not much of it will be lost. In order to prevent appreciable loss, a table with a raised edge all around it is provided. The diamond dust used in polishing stones is made from bort, or cheap, coarse diamonds. After being slit, the stone is ground on horizontal wheels of lead, brass or iron, and sometimes of wood. These wheels are called "laps," and the workman who cuts and polishes stones is a lapidary, from the Latin word lapidarius. Lapidaries acquire great facility in shaping and polishing stones, and from a given pattern are able to produce any object required with great dexterity. Diamond, emery, agate or corundum powder is spread on the laps; gradually the powder becomes imbedded in the laps and the stone yields to them. The stone is held either with the fingers or by wax in the hollow at the end of a stock, and is pressed against the revolving laps. For the last polish the laps are covered with cloth, leather or hard brushes. The facets, or flat surfaces which give brilliancy to transparent stones, are cut by means of a horizontal grinding wheel by the side of which is placed an upright, club-like piece of wood. Into this heavy piece of wood, in different places, a rod is stuck, at one end of which the stone is fixed with cement. As the wheel revolves the stone is pressed against it and a facet is cut; to make a new facet the rod holding the stone is simply stuck in another hole in the club-like piece of wood and is thus given a new inclination or angle.

**Do Animals Dream?**

Dr. Maenish, in his "Philosophy of Sleep," says: "Man is not the only animal subject to dreaming. We have every reason to believe that many of the lower animals do so. Horses neigh and rear, and dogs growl and bark in their sleep. Probably at such times the remembrance of the chase or the combat was passing through the minds of these creatures, and they also not infrequently manifest signs of fear, joy, playfulness and almost every other passion. Ruminating animals, such as the sheep and cow, dream less, but even they are sometimes so affected, especially at the period of rearing their young. The parrot is said to dream, and I should suppose some other birds do so. Indeed the more intellectual animal is the more likely it is to be subject to dreaming. Whether fishes dream it is impossible to conjecture, nor can it be guessed, with anything like certainty, at what point in the scale of animal intellect the capability of dreaming ceases, although it is very certain there is such a point. I apprehend that dreaming is a much more general law than is commonly supposed and that many animals dream which are never suspected of doing so."

**Characteristic Ticks.**

No two telegraphic operators send messages alike. The click of the instrument is 'he same to the ear of a man who does not understand it, but one operator recognizes the sending of another if he has ever heard it before for any length of time, just as a familiar voice is recognized. Operator "Tommy" Snaggs leaves New York, and after roaming from one city to another, finally lands in the Galveston (Tex.) office and goes to work. He is put down to work a wire running to Kansas City. The man in Kansas City begins to send. Mr. Snaggs picks up his ears and interrupts the sender. "Ain't it u' Billy Robinson?" he asks, and the other man says, "Yes, its me, & u' ole Tommy Snaggs." Mr. Snaggs returns, "its wo I am. I thot I recognized ur sendin'." Then they devote a few moments to telling of their travels. The last time they worked on the same wire one was in Boston and the other in Montreal.—Exchange.

**Railroad Building in Corea.**

United States capital is invested in the railroad now building between Seoul and Chemulpo, in Corea. The Coreans were supposed to furnish timber for ties, but, having proven their inability to do so, Japan has been called upon for such as are needed immediately. A million and a quarter feet, the first ever used there from this country, has been sent from Puget Sound, and further orders have been placed.

**Production and Use of Iron.**

While Great Britain produces more pig iron in proportion to its population, the United States, which is third in the proportionate list, stands first in the quantity consumed. Russia, with the largest population of any country, classed among those using iron in great degree, stands at the foot both as producer and consumer of the seven great iron-producing countries of the world.

**Pure Reason.**

Wiseman—How often it happens that the little things we think of at the time of their occurrence prove to be the very making of us. Puttiman—That's so; if I hadn't been a little thing early in life I don't suppose I would have ever amounted to anything.—Richmond Dispatch.

**Knowledge.**

Yeast—That boy of Sharpley's is a bright boy, isn't he? Crimsonbeak—Yes, but he'll know more when he forges a lot he thinks he knows now.

**A TRAVELING MAN.**

**Gives Some Valuable Hints Regarding the Care of the Health While Traveling.**  
 Mr. R. W. Winchendon, a commercial traveller from Birmingham, whose business keeps him almost constantly on the road, relates in the Sunday News, the dangers of health resulting from constant change of residence and the way he overcame the usual injurious effects.

He says: One thing people travelling can not very well avoid is the constant change in water and food; the stomach never has an opportunity to become accustomed to anything and in a few years or much sooner the average travelling man becomes a hopeless dyspeptic.  
 For several years I suffered more or less from indigestion, sour stomach, head-aches, distaste for food, often no appetite, gas on the stomach and the usual unpleasant effects of imperfect digestion.

Nearly every traveling man has his favorite remedy for different troubles and I tried all of them with indifferent results. Finally on the train between Pittsburg and Philadelphia one day, I overheard a conversation between two ladies, one of whom had suffered severely from indigestion and stated she had been completely cured by a remedy which she called Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets; I remembered the conversation because it directly interested me; and at the next town I inquired at the first drug store and bought a package for fifty cents, and from that day to this I have never been without them. They are pleasant tasting tablets, not a secret patent medicine but composed of vegetable essences, pure pepsin, fruit salts and Golden Seal; being in tablet form they never lose their good qualities like a liquid medicine would, but are always fresh and ready for use.

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I believe they are sold by all druggists at 50 cents, and believe anyone who will try them will agree with me, that for indigestion and stomach trouble Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are unequaled.

Dorothy had heard some one singing that classical production, the "Little Alabama Coon," on the street. Presently she came to her mother and asked: "Mamma, what does 'swat' mean?" "What do you think that it means?" "Well, I don't know, mamma, but I s'pose that 'swat' is colored for spank."—Harper's Bazar.

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"Beef is likely to be very dear," said the young husband to his inexperienced wife. "Never mind, love," replied the latter, whose housekeeping experience is nil. "Never mind; we'll live on porterhouse steak."—Pittsburg Chronicle.

Are you troubled with cancer? Read the advertisement of Jno. B. Harris and Co. in another column. You may learn of something that will save your life. If you write Dr. Harris be sure to mention that you saw his add. in the Register. (29)

"Has yer hyud 'bout dis here Spanish policy?" inquired Miss Miami Brown. "Yes," replied Mr. Eastman Pinkley. "Fum all I kin undehstan, it's all right; but de numbers is pow'ful slow in comin' out."—Washington Star.

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IN NEW YORK'S EARLY DAYS.

The Bowery Was the Resort of Wealth, Beauty and Fashion.

"A pleasant picture occurs to me of a summer progress of the family of Governor Stuyvesant to and from the meeting-house, for divine worship in the fort near the Battery (New York)," writes Mrs. Burton Harrison in the Ladies' Home Journal, describing, "When Fashion Graced the Bowery." "In a brave coach, drawn by shining horses, is ensconced the Governor himself, whose long, laced coat half hides his wooden leg banded with silver. He wears a carefully curled peruke, and holds his hat upon his knee, in order to court the cool sea breeze that fans his rugged visage. His lady, sitting in state beside him, is, in their staid and phlegmatic community, accounted a brilliant personage; her gowns came out from her native Paris, and her silk hood is worn over frizzled and powdered hair; her embroidered hose and high-heeled shoes, her rings, bracelets and lockets, with the gorgeously bound book of devotions suspended by a golden chain to her waistband—may be depended upon as models of the very latest modes. Mrs. Bayard, the widowed sister of the Governor, occupies a seat in the coach facing them. After service in the bare Colonial church (where the dominie's sermon, however eloquent, was always brought to an end by three raps from the clerk's stick at the moment when the sands of the hour glass had announced that the preacher's limit of time had been reached), the Stuyvesant party passes out between rows of respectful gazers."

WHEN THE HEART IS HEAVY.

Fight Against Allowing Yourself to Be Submerged by Personal Grievs.

"There is always a remedy for a heavy heart," writes Ruth Ashmore in the Ladies' Home Journal. "It may be in work—it oftenest is. It may be in thinking out the joys that have been given to you, and the sorrows from which you have been saved. It may be in helping others by sympathy, or in whatever way help is most needed. But the heavy heart can always be made light if self is forgotten, and the needs of others are remembered, and, as far as possible, relieved. Not one of us can lead a life of light-heartedness in a day, or a week, or a month, or a year, for it is the lesson of life, this knowing how to lift our hearts up and give from them help unto those who are in need. It is a good fight—this one against allowing one's self to be submerged in personal griefs—it is a good fight, and out of it you can come conqueror if you will. Do you intend to give up the fight and fall by the wayside overcome by a heavy heart, or to go along through life as a brave woman should? You must decide this early in your life. And you will, I feel sure, decide to do that which is right, and then your heart will never be heavy nor your conscience disturbed, unless you fall. And when you fall, thank God, you can always rise again if you keep up a brave heart."

Walking Erect.

To derive the greatest benefit from walking, it is necessary to hold up the head, keep the mouth closed, and move briskly; it is in these circumstances that walking is really good for us. Walking erect not only adds to the manliness of appearance, but it develops the chest and promotes the general health in a high degree, because the lungs, being relieved of the pressure made by leaning the head downward and bending the chest in, admit the air fully and freely. If an effort of the mind is made to throw the shoulders back, a feeling of fatigue and awkwardness is at first experienced, but this is soon forgotten. To maintain an erect position, or to recover it when lost, in a manner which is at once natural, easy, and efficient, it is only necessary to walk habitually with the eyes fixed on an object ahead a little higher than your own—the top of a man's hat, for example—or simply keep the chin a little above a horizontal line. If either of these things is done, the necessary, easy, and legitimate effect is to relieve the chest from pressure, the air gets in more easily, develops it more fully, and permeates the lungs more exclusively, causing a more perfect purification of the blood, imparting greater health and more color to the cheek.

Hairy Races of Mankind.

The Ainu, who inhabit the northernmost islands of the Japan archipelago, are the hairiest people in the world. Amongst them, the hair over the shoulders and on the back and arms is sometimes so thick and long as to deserve the name of fur. The Australians and the Todas of the Nilgeries are distinguished for their hairiness. In Brazil there is a tribe called the Cafusos, who possess hair of a very extraordinary kind. It rises perpendicular from the head in close, curly masses, and forms a wig of such enormous dimensions that the possessors must stoop low when entering their huts.

Too Few Deaths.

London has an Undertakers' Review which takes quite a professional point of view of the situation. It declares 1897 to have been a bad year. Business has gone "on the even tenor of its disappointing way." There was "but occasional demand for most of us, and that demand chiefly of an unremunerative order."

Passing It.

Bill—I would like to pass a civil-service examination. Jill—I guess you would—on a dead run.—Yonkers Statesman.

Some of our girls do their sleighing in January and their slaying in June.

TIME EVENS THINGS.

Northern and Southern Cotton Mills History Will Be the Same.

From the Boston Transcript: The argument of the southern papers that their section is bound to monopolize the cotton spinning industry of the United States is based on the assumption that the present labor and social conditions of the south are bound to be perpetual. Thus we find the Charleston News and Courier arguing that the urban surroundings of the New England mills by increasing the cost of living to their operatives, compel the adoption of a wage schedule that handicaps them in competition with the south. While pointing out that Lowell and Fall River have grown from small mill towns to large cities it says in effect that in the south the cotton factories are surrounded by the old style of mill villages, where the people live cheaply and simply and are content with lower wages than are paid in the north, for the reason that they can make money go farther. Granting that the News and Courier presents a true picture of the situation as it is at present, the recommendation it makes for the south to continue to build more and more cotton mills will, if carried into effect, change all that. The mill village will develop into the mill town, which, if it prospers, will become a city. It is human nature for people to use their earnings to better their condition and surroundings. The cotton mill operatives of the southern mill villages are people of simple tastes, to whom hard cash was little known before the factory came. How long will it be before these people become discontented with the hut and from their savings become cottage owners? They will want better furniture and clothes. Their aspirations will force a higher cost of living, and then we may see the southern mills either meeting an organized demand for better pay by concessions or reaching out into newer fields for cheaper help. Such has been the history and experience of the New England mills. People of the caliber of the help employed in the Lowell mills when that city was a growing town are too valuable to be employed in Lowell's factories today. They know their earning capacity and they find it gratified in other fields of employment than in the mills. Time at last makes all things even, and as the south prospers wages in the mills are bound to reach a level with those of New England. Social changes must have industrial effects or the history of the world goes for nothing. The process of the elevation of labor by rising aspirations for better things than it has known heretofore may go on, probably will go on slowly in the south, but it is bound to come if that section develops as a great industrial country. Here at the north there may be a reduction of cotton mill dividends as a result of that process of adjustment, the same as is seen in other forms of investment.

A Shark's Egg.

A shark's egg is one of the oddest looking things imaginable, and has no more resemblance to an egg, strictly speaking, than it has to a paving stone. In one variety it is pillow-shaped, and has a long "horn" or "feeler" at each corner. The average size is about two inches by two and three-quarters, and the color almost pure black. It is unprovided with shell, as we understand that word, but the contents are protected by a thick leathery covering, which has almost as much elasticity about it as a covering of India rubber would have. The feelers mentioned catch hold of and wind themselves round pieces of seaweed and other floating objects (just as a grape vine tendrils would do, and hang there until the egg is hatched, providing it does not get destroyed. One variety of shark lays eighteen eggs during the month of April. These float about until early in December, when the little sharks emerge; the period of incubation having been about nine months.

Relics of Roman Paris.

Interesting relics of Roman Paris, the old Lutetia, have been discovered on digging sixteen feet deep foundations for a house in the Rue de Cloitre-Notre Dame. There are traces, for a length of nearly 200 feet, of a wall nine feet thick at the base, and consisting of blocks of stone which had evidently served for an older building and been hastily put together. Many of these blocks bear Latin proper names, still more or less decipherable, though rudely chiseled. It is believed that these inscribed blocks were the tiers of an amphitheater, another portion of which was discovered in front of Notre Dame in 1847. They also resemble the stones found in 1870 in the Rue Monge belonging to another amphitheater, a portion of which was restored some years ago and converted into a public garden.—St. James Gazette.

Extortion of Railways.

The British postoffice department is experiencing a difficulty similar to that of the American department over the transportation of mails. The rates charged by the railways are excessive, and there is apparently a discrimination in favor of the express service. The duke of Norfolk has been forced to inaugurate a system of transportation of parcels by stage coach. The most notable case is that for the transportation of parcels between Liverpool and Manchester.

Battle-Scarred Veterans.

What has the ancient and honorable artillery of Boston to say in these trying times? These prandial patriots have taken many H. vanas, and could be relied upon to take Ma deria and Amontillado, or any old por L.—Kennebec Journal.

MISSION METHODS CHANGING.

Reformed Church Takes a New Step with a Domestic Field Secretary.

Changes in missionary methods are now being considered by many churches. One of the active missionary denominations is the Reformed church in America, for, although small in numbers and confined to the Atlantic seaboard, it has long carried on extensive mission work, for the Dutch, both in Holland and America, are liberal givers in church causes. Beginning with the current year Rev. William Walton Clark fills a new office of field secretary to the board of domestic missions. The new secretary is well known in connection with mission labor. He announces that he will spend his first year among the churches in the east, but may reach some of the Pacific coast churches late in the autumn. The purpose of the appointment is to keep the churches informed on the subject of missions. The day of the missionary periodical is gone by, it is said, for people will no longer read it. An eloquent voice and earnest heart are needed to go to the churches and their members and tell them how mission work progresses. In no other way can mission funds be kept up. Others besides the Reformed church are learning the lesson, and a few have acted upon it, notably the Evangelical association, and, to a limited degree, the Baptists. Episcopalians are debating about acting upon the lesson, but as yet do not show that they have learned it sufficiently well to act upon it. There is a crisis in missions. Perhaps this is the something that must be done to avert it.

American Securities Abroad.

The sales of American securities have been, according to London advices, very large abroad of late, and there appears to be a tendency toward increase in the sales. If this state of things holds, there will be an increasing influx of British gold into this market. This is good news and demonstrates the faith abroad in the stability of our credit. There is another point of faith for which the people not only of this but foreign countries have good grounds for credence, and that is, belief in the efficacy of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters for inorganic maladies which affect the stomach, liver, bowels, kidneys and nerves. Dyspepsia, biliousness, constipation, rheumatism, and a tendency to insomnia, are counteracted and conquered by it. It rallies falling appetite, hastens convalescence, and diffuses a generous warmth and sensation of physical comfort through the system. A wineglassful before retiring promotes health-yielding slumber.

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Financial statement table with columns for RESOURCES, LIABILITIES, and DEPOSITS. Includes items like Loans and Discounts, Capital Stock paid in, and Commercial deposits subject to check.

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### THE CITY.

The board of regents will meet tomorrow.

"Shannon of the Sixth" will be given at the Athens Theatre tonight.

Judge C. B. Grant will be here soon to speak before the Anti-Saloon Club.

Acting President Hutchins will speak on April 22 at the meeting of the MacComb county alumni.

The Y. W. C. A. girls will serve supper in the Association rooms Saturday evening. Admission 15 cents.

In his message to the Council, Mayor Hancock advocated the construction of a park between the boulevard and the river.

Tobias Kuebler was arrested Friday charged with being a loafer and vagrant. He promised to reform and was discharged.

The U. of M. base ball team won from the Illinois team last Saturday. Nine innings were played and the game was a ragged one.

The estimated earnings of the Ann Arbor road for the second week of April were \$26,695.70, being an increase of \$478.37 over the corresponding period of 1897.—Times.

Annual meeting of the Y. W. C. A. the second Monday in May. Nominations will be ready next week and the list can be seen at the rooms. Look at them carefully.

The Michigan Monthly Bulletin of Vital Statistics, just received, reports 75 deaths in Washtenaw county during the month of March. Of these Ann Arbor had 33, Ypsilanti 10.

Florence Palmer, of Ypsilanti, sued for a divorce from J. J. Palmer claiming that he had subjected her to extreme cruelty. Judge Kinne granted the decree giving her custody of their child.

The St. Thomas Dramatic Society will give "Robert Emmett" in both Ypsilanti and at the Valentine, in Toledo, on April 27 and 28 respectively. The round trip to Toledo will cost 75 cents.

Rousing speeches were made Tuesday night at the Sons of Veterans banquet. A number of members signed an agreement to enlist when called upon and the camp is brimming over with patriotism.

President Hutchins, Prof. D'Ooge and a majority of the U. of M. faculty disapprove of the action of congress which precipitates war and say Cuban independence should not have been mentioned.

On December 14 James Foley, a Lansing Grocer, father of Mrs. C. A. Maynard, of this city, disappeared. Search was made for him in every conceivable place. Last week his body was found in a pond in Eaton County.

The Provident Life and Trust Company, of Philadelphia, has notified its Michigan agents that restrictions will be waived on policy holders who desire to enlist so that they may go to war without fear of forfeiting their policies.



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Prof. L. P. Gardner, of Oxford, England will speak at the University on April 9 and 10.

The St. Thomas Dramatic Club will present "Robert Emmet" at the Valentine theatre in Toledo, tonight.

Capt. and Mrs. Salyer, of the Salvation Army, have been ordered to Lansing where they will be located for some time.

The young people's societies of all the churches in the city will give a union social at the First Baptist church tonight.

A number of friends surprised Oren J. Berry last Thursday evening and helped celebrate his 19th birthday with games and music.

Dr. C. H. Cooley has been appointed delegate to the national conference of corrections and charities to be held in New York, next month.

Mrs. Geo. E. Apfel presented her husband with two strong and lively girl babies, Saturday. Both are doing well and George is passing out cigars by the handful.

Christian Mack and J. E. Beal were in Saginaw, Friday. It is more than a rumor that they went to see Supt Whitney, who is a candidate for the superintendency of Ann Arbor schools.

The war spirit is strong among University students. Several fraternities say they will go almost to a man—James Pell, of the Sigma Phi, is organizing a company at his home in Akron, Ohio.

Two parties of students have left on a vacation tramp. One crowd will go into Ohio and Kentucky while the other tours Indiana and Illinois. They left on freight cars and will live off the country.

Jackson Press:—The remains of Wm. Meacham, who died at the prison Wednesday, were shipped to Ann Arbor this morning by Undertaker Bennett, none of his friends caring to bear the expense of burial.

Company A. has not yet received orders to move. When such orders do come all but a few of the boys, who find it difficult to leave their families, will go. The company will then be recruited again to its full capacity.

Fifteen bids have been submitted for the proposed Main-st. pavement. All bidders were from out of town. Four bids were for asphalt, but three of them were thrown out as informal. The remainder were for brick.

Phil Hall is devoting a good deal of attention to the raising of homing pigeons. One of the birds recently flew 44 miles in 50 minutes. He and other pigeon fanciers are preparing for a 50 mile race between some of their carriers.

The senior laws have about decided to buy a memorial corner stone for the new law building. The class has not yet taken definite action in the matter, but the plan is to raise the necessary funds, some \$50, by popular subscription.

A lamp exploding in one of Cone Sperry's chicken brooders, in Pittsfield caused a fire in which 70 young chickens were killed and the chicken house somewhat damaged. The loss was nearly covered by insurance in the Washtenaw Mutual.

About twenty engineering students are spending the spring vacation by a trip through the east where they inspect the various factories, foundries, bridges and other works that engineers delight in. Another party is making a tour to inspect chemical works.

Advance sheets of the University Calendar show that 3222 students (including those in the Summer School) have enrolled at the University the present collegiate year. Of these, 1862 are from Michigan, 395 from Illinois, 191 from Ohio, and 98 from Indiana.

The Washtenaw County Teacher's Association met at Saline last Saturday. About seventy-five teachers were in attendance. The entire day was spent discussing the report of the Committee of Twelve. Several of the Normal College Faculty aided in the discussions.

Mrs. Elizabeth Burd, who died last week at her home on State street, had for a number of years kept her tombstone in her house. Her history was romantic as she left home in England when only 13 and came to this country as a nurse girl, found many friends and developed into a most admirable woman.

The council ordered the city engineer to make estimates of the work necessary to extend State-st. through to the north side and remove the Detroit-st. bridge. These changes would compel the Michigan Central to employ two watchmen and will cost more than to keep the present Detroit-st. bridge in repair.

A circular has been issued by the U. of M. Athletic Association and the State Teachers Association inviting high schools of the State to join the inter-scholastic athletic association and send teams to compete in the meet to be held in May. It is believed that this will eventually bring a lot of good athletic material to the U. of M.

The revival services at the Church of Christ are progressing nicely and will close next Sunday evening. A number of persons have united with the church.

Geo. P. McCallum, who completes his course in the law department of the state university this spring, will, rumor says, be a candidate before the Republican representative convention of the Delta district this spring. The Delta delegation would not hesitate to vote for him in the convention.—Manistee Pioneer-Tribune.

The people of Webster were highly entertained by the recital given by Misses Alice Nash and Anna Quinby, of the U. of M. Miss Nash's impersonation of the little boy in "Seeing Things At Night" was very entertaining. Miss Quinby's bird trilling and selections from Riley were very popular and loudly applauded.

About forty stories and poems were submitted to the Michiganensean board. For the best story, which is entitled "Sister Mary," Miss Katherine H. Brown, of the senior class, receives the prize of \$25 in cash. For the best poem, C. Fred Gauss, also a member of the class of '98, received the first prize of \$10, his subject being "The Serenade".

Two well known seniors in the high school want to enlist but don't want to lose their diplomas. "Won't they give you diplomas if you go to war," was asked. "You don't know Pat," was the reply; "there's nothing easy about him. He would look holes through us and then say, 'My dear boys, if you want diplomas you'll stay right here and get 'em.'"

Wm. Acton, of this city, says: "I was in the British army seven years and in the British navy seven years. I also saw three years of service in the civil war under Sherman. While on the Mediterranean I was in position to watch the Spanish maneuver their battleships and I tell you they could do it as proficiently as the British or any other nation."—Times.

The following books have just been added to the Ladies Library. Old Virginia and Her Neighbors, John Chask; Aaron in the Wilderness, Joel Chandler Harris; Following the Equator, Mark Twain, Goudola Days, F. Hopkinson Smith; Le Soutien de Famille, Alphonse Daudet; The Fight for the Crown, W. E. Norris; The Gaddy, E. L. Voinich; Spain in the 19th Century, Elizabeth W. Latimer.

Fred Hefflebower is a quiet unassuming graduate student whose modesty frequently causes him to be mistaken for a freshman. But he is not half so fresh as he looks and recently finished a thesis on the "Military Terms Used by Caesar" into which he had crowded so much new and original matter that it attracted lots of attention and Mr. Hefflebower is informed that it wins for him a scholarship in Columbia worth \$650 a year.

The senior class of the literary department leaves as a memorial of itself a scholarship of \$400, to be lent to students needing help and returnable by them later from their earnings. Each member of the class pledges himself to renew this sum each year for a period of from three to five years. It is hoped that enough will have accumulated at the end of that time to endow a permanent fund, the interest alone of which will be sufficient to pay a student's expenses without thought of repayment by him.

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Hawthorne found romance on the shores of old New England, and there is a good deal of it unmined in the modern life of the Yankees. The following story of love and marriage, strange as it may seem, is known to the writer to be true: Years ago a summer boarder, at a cottage on a point of land which formed the protecting arm of the harbor of a fishing town in Massachusetts, was shown a girl baby only a few months old. He looked at the babe and admired; then said to the mother: "Will you give me that babe for my wife?"

Queen at a Discount.

Hotel keepers outside of England are not eager to greet her majesty a second time. The proprietors of the Hotel Cimiez, where Queen Victoria has passed two spring vacations, decline the honor of a third visit from royalty. Instead of the queen putting money in the hotel exchequer, her sojourn of six weeks last spring drove away custom and profit. Her majesty is very exacting and forbids any other guests in her domain. The crowds who come to look at her, and her visitors, who are many, pay nothing to the hotel proprietor for the privilege. They don't even order drinks, and so the poor managers have been sadly out of pocket in spite of housing the greatest sovereign in the world. It is reported that the royal lady is much cut up by this decision, as she counted on another stay on the Riviera. The Cape Martin hotel, that also lost heavily by having her for a boarder, refused to receive so exalted patronage again, and one surmises these Victorian journeyings must now come to an end. But when a taste for going about has been developed so late in life it will be difficult to content the queen with her own fireside, especially when England's climate always sends her loyal subjects from their homes.

Advice to Consumptives

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COURT OF THE AMEER.

His Procedure is Very Prompt and Simple. The Afghan ameer is his own high court and his procedure is very prompt and simple, says an exchange. A postmaster reported for remissness in the delivery of letters was beaten regularly for three days. This was very light punishment. The order in some cases is "Cut off his nose," in others "Cut off his ears," and the sentence is executed without any needless delay. One night fifteen individuals were put to death—some of them having their throats cut, Afghan fashion, as they lay in their graves; others were blown from guns. These unlucky people seem to have miscalculated in certain recent political movements, which did not turn out quite as they expected. One morning a married woman and her lover were brought before his highness by the enraged husband. The tears and prayers of the good-looking woman for a moment softened the ameer, and he said he would forgive the woman, but moved by a sense of the fitness of things he handed her and the lover over to the husband, who slew them both as they had passed the city gate. People knew what was going to happen and flocked out to see the two offenders slaughtered. Torture is sometimes resorted to, either as a punishment or to create strong moral impression.

Witty, but Bitter.

Dr. Thompson, master of Trinity college, Cambridge, was a scholar and an administrator; but his fame rests on his sharp, witty and often bitter epigrams: He said of Ely, where, as a professor of Greek, he held a canonry, "The place is so damp that even the sermons won't keep dry there;" and at a college meeting where some of the young fellows were treating with very little respect the opinions of their seniors, he said, "None of us is quite infallible, not even the youngest." Of an amiable and excellent scholar, he said, "The time he spends on the neglect of his duties he wastes on the adornment of his person;" and of an eminent professor, whose first lecture he attended, "I little thought that we should so soon have cause to regret his predecessor, Professor —."

Attendance at Berlin University.

There are at present at Berlin university 5,921 students, 2,000 of whom are studying medicine, 1,291 law, 448 theology. The theological department is on the decline, and has the least students of any time in the past five years. There are over 500 foreign students in this university, 100 from the United States.

Intelligence of Swallows.

Grant Allen tells some curious and wonderful things about swallows. In making the mud ways of their nests, they allow each layer to dry thoroughly before proceeding to top it with another. In building their nests in chimneys they place them five or six feet below the top to keep out of the way of owls, and not directly over the fire, but over an adjoining flue. The emergence of the young birds from this place is a remarkable instance of instinct which seems to almost reach intelligence. As soon as they are strong enough to move, the little things clamber up the shaft by beating their wings "in some ineffectual compromise between a flop and a flutter. Having succeeded in reaching the top, it is some time before they venture to fly; they acquire the art by degrees." Many instances have been given of their remarkable intelligence. In one case a bell-wire on which a swallow's nest partly rested twice demolished it. Convinced that it was a dangerous object, they constructed a tunnel for the wire to pass through, and were troubled no more. In another, a pair of swallows were molested by sparrows trying to force them from their nest. They immediately went to work and changed the entrance of their little home so that, instead of opening by a simple hole, it had to be entered by passing through a tunnel of straws and hairs.

WHITE WOMEN IN INDIA.

A Paradise for Girls Who Are Considered Plain in England. There is no place in the world where women can have a better time than in India. I am speaking, of course, of the English-speaking society in military India, says a writer in the New York Mail and Express. If an English girl can only stand the climate India means paradise to her. A woman who, in London or New York or Paris, would be considered almost plain, would in Calcutta or Bombay be greatly admired and besieged by adorners. Let her only have a little life and spirit and go and her position among Anglo-Indian society becomes at once secure. English mammas used to ship their unmarriedable and rather passee daughters out to some relative or friend in the east and they would be pretty sure to become engaged before the year had closed. Of course, Rudyard Kipling has not given people on this side of the world a very pleasant idea of English society in India, while his sister was not any more charitable in the strong light she threw upon the doings of the "society folk" in and about Simla in "The Pinchbeck Goddess." They certainly seem to lose all that demure reticence that is supposed to distinguish the women of the British isles, and their whole aim in life seems to be simply and solely how much enjoyment they can squeeze out of life. Indian society, as I take it (I have never been there, so I reason from deductions only), is not ostrich-like. It has a thorough good time for no other reason than pure enjoyment, and gets well sat upon by its more conventional and less honest sisters in consequence. For instance, what would staid New York or London society think of a "ladies' race" that took place at Mhow, near Allahabad, the other day. The competitors—there were twelve, I think—were some of the smartest and prettiest women in the English colony. The distance to be covered was 150 yards. They were dressed in fine white flannels, rather short skirts, blouse waists, white shoes and stockings and small, close-fitting hat of soft white felt. Their belts were of any color that their fancy might dictate, and the effect was extremely pretty. The goal was marked by a line of twelve large willow baskets, three in the middle having flags waving from them, one white, the second blue, the third red. Each lady at a given signal at the end of the race was to lift a basket from the ground. Under the three flag-decked wicker cages were discovered three tiny Indian boys, each bearing beautiful jeweled prizes, while to the horror of the remaining nine competitors from under their baskets scuttled a perfect medley of live stock, chickens, cats, puppies, tiny pigs, geese and hares. This denouement occurring directly in front of the grand stand gave the spectators an extravagant amount of joy.

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Will Holzhauer had the thumb and index finger of his left hand badly smashed last Friday, while at work driving a wheel on the farm of Lou Bennett in Webster.—Dexter Leader.

Johnnie Fairman of Miles street, 7 years old, was near the railroad waiting for a freight train to pass, and skipped around the way car just in time to be struck by the mail train going west. His head was severely crushed and he lived but a short time.—Ypsilanti.

The State Board of Education has made the following appointments to the Normal faculty. Isabella Stinckney of Wauwatosa, Wis., instructor in drawing at \$600; Elizabeth Yost of Jacksonsville, Wis., instructor in history, \$650; John Schittaker of St. Johnsbury, Vt., instructor in music, \$500; R. D. Calkins, North Branch, Mich., instructor in geography, \$700.

One of Lybuck boys shot a wild swan near his place last week with a rifle and has sent it to Detroit to be mounted. It was a genuine wild swan, perfectly white and measured seven feet from the tip of his wings and from the tip of its tail to the end of its beak was over six feet. This bird was seen in that vicinity a week ago and numerous hunters have tried to bag him.—Chelsea Herald.

The postoffice matter is getting red hot at this place, and the telegraph wires between Chelsea and Washington are kept warm with messages in regard to the matter. It is not definitely known—at this end of the line, at least—how many patriots who are willing to serve their country by acting as postmaster at Chelsea. It will probably be settled before the next issue of The Standard, who the lucky man will be.—Chelsea Standard.

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