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THE WEEK IN CULVER

Little Items of Local Happenings of Interest to People in Town and Country

-The Culver girl who hasn't a a spark emitted by the engine of a red suit isn't in it. (This is a joke.) shredder. A ladder and a bucket

the Monterey saloon remonstrance. ter were put in play in time to

his new cottage opposite the new the big barns of the county. postoffice.

-One hundred and forty-two feet of 10-foot cement walk has been laid around the Shilling bank corner.

-Capt. Crook's steamboats and the White Swan were taken to beef. Evidently householders will their winter quarters at the outlet do well to keep portable property bay last week.

Work is being done around the Maxinkuckee ice houses to place everything in shape for the winter harvest.

-Speaking of the financial situation, by industry and economy we expect to accumulate a largesized ash-pile this winter.

-John Beerwart and Jim Brugh of Leiter's Ford raised 1,200 bushels of onions off three acres and sold them for 40 cents a bushel.

-Lem Patzel has vacated the rooms over the tin shop and is occupying the house from which Sam Crossgrove recently moved.

ter as the paper had it last week.

jeweler, shipped a new large sail-

say. -Among the cases docketed for husband and wife.

-You good housewives will do well to remember that the stores will be closed Thanksgiving day. Better make a list of what you will need and then won't find yourselves short of an ounce of nutmega or a package of pepper or a pound of crackers after you've got your dinner under way.

-Jacob Myers' barn about miles northeast of Cuiver, caught fire in the roof last Saturday from

-A majority of 7 is claimed for of water in the hands of Ollie Por--J. W. Nutt has begun work on prevent the destruction of one of

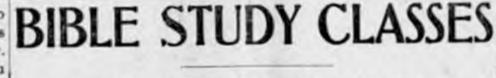
-A sneak thief raided a provision chest on the back porch of a residence in the neighborhood of the water works pumping station one night last week and carried away about fifteen pounds of fresh under lock and key as much as possible.

ROMANTIC MARRIAGE.

Trustee Parker Engineers a Couple into the Happy State.

George W. Garver and Mrs. Elizabeth Rector Balk, both of Green township, were united in marriage Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock by Mayor Logan, says the Plymouth Independent.

The wedding was quite a roman- tories lengthened out still more tic affair. Friday morning Trus- Saturday when the team defeated tee Parker accompanied by Mr. Winona academy by a score of 32 Garver and Mrs. Balk went to to 0. The game was too one-sided South Bend in the former's auto- to be of any special interest and -Just credit Grandpas Hem- mobile. On their return home be- the visitors did not have the ball minger and Hinshaw with a new fore they reached Plymouth Mr. in dangerous proximity to Culver's grandson instead of a granddaugh- Parker suggested to his friends goal at any time during the game. that they should get married. Mr. Chambers did the best kicking of -J. H. Losey, the Plymonth Garver stated that he had not giv- the season making two field, goals Park, Ill., was the preacher at Sunen the matter much thought but and kicking all four goals from the day chapel service. boat to the lake last week. Capt. if the lady was willing he was. Morris will store it for the winter. Mrs. Balk expressed herself as hav--Andrew Babcock, L. C. Dil- ing no objection whatever so when lon's nephew who died in Roches- they reached Plymouth they soon ter recently, was 33 years of age found the county clerk and secured instead of 20 as the type made us a marriage license and went to Mayor Logan's where they became



Splendid Showing in Y. M. C. A. Work is Made by the Academy-Second to West Point.

The superintendent and officers | touchdowns. He also made a fiftyas well as Mr. Miller and the cadets yard run for a touchdown. Yarfeel proud of the showing made by nelle took Mason's place at half the academy last year in the mat- and filled his new position as well ter of bible study. In the classi- as his old one at end. fied reports recently received from

the international committee of the The Glee club under Mr. Stil. Y. M. C. A. giving the number of ler's and Captain Noble's direction students in educational institutions is working hard for a minstrel perenrolled in bible classes last year, formance to be given as a part of

the list of military schools is the Thanksgiving festivities. A headed by West Point with 190 bit of farce comedy for two star men. Culver stands second with actors has also been prepared by 142 men, and Virginia Military in- Captain Noble to supplement the stitute third with 79. In view of minstrels, and the cadets cast for the fact that West Point has al- these roles are rehearsing daily.

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There was a general picture-taking of C. M. A. is far ahead of her ing at the close of Monday's ingovernment competitor. Among spection. The entire battalion, institutions of its own grade aca- separate companies and groups of demically, that is preparatory or cadet officers were all posed before secondary schools, Culver also Keen Bros' camera on the hillside stands at the head, the next high- north of the parade ground.

. . . . For the first time of this year there were no parents of cadets visiting at the academy over Sunday. With the approach of Thanksgiving the visits are postponed until that season of merrymaking.

"Making up the team" was the topic which Captain used as the basis of a talk before the Y. M. C. A. Sunday night.

its donation. Rev. W. H. Hobbs of Rogers

NEW ROAD DISTRICTS.

Law to be Held Dec. 14.

HOOK AND LADDER. Plymouth Fire Department Makes Culver Valuable Donation.

The fire company held an enthusiastic meeting on Thursday evening, nearly every member being present. The inspiring cause was Brief Mention of Culverites an the receipt of a hook and ladder truck, donated by the Plymouth fire department.

A few weeks ago Chief Gandy suggested to Chief Kuhn of Plymouth that the racing truck of the Plymouth department, purchased

a good many years ago for tournament purposes, and for which the Plymonth department now has no use, would be a welcome addition to Culver's fire-fighting equipment, and that probably a satisfactory arrangement could be made to take it off of Plymouth's hands. Mr.

Kuhn became interested at once and expressed the opinion that the Plymouth department would turn

it over to Culver as a gift. The Plymouth department subsequently authorized Mr. Kuhn to make such disposition of the truck as he thought best, and on receiving notice Thursday morning that the Culver boys could have it and welcome, Gandy and Russell Saine hitched up and drove to Plymouth, bringing the truck back that after-

noon. The apparatus is 22 feet long. light enough to be drawn by two or three men, and is in a good state of preservation. The boys will repaint it and purchase ladders for it. It will do effective service for a number of years, and Culver certainly appreciates the neighborly spirit which prompted

MISSING MAN.

Former Secretary of James Blaine Mysteriously Disappears.

Wrapped in the mystery of his hermit life, Harry Roach, at one time James G. Blaine's private secretary, has mysteriously disapcould get and corn, wheat and fruit A person to be a candidate for taken from farm fields. Once or and talked to hunters of his interesting life with Mr. Blaine, but as a rule he never answered a question nor acknowledged a salutation of any kind. Some think Roach may have fallen out of his boat and drowned. but there is nothing left at his cabin to indicate what became of him. His library consisted of bound volumes of Washington and New York newspapers of the dates 1882 to 1887, inclusive.

PERSONAL POINTERS

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Their Friends Who Have Come and Gone

Mrs. Sam Hessel was in Sout Bend Tuesday.

Mrs. Shilling and daughter Clas were in Logansport Saturday.

Will Demont and wife of Roel ster spent Sunday at Clyde Som ers'.

Mrs. John Osborn is still Bluffton where her father is crit cally ill.

Mrs. Kate Edwards and Mr Sue Hickman were Culver visito Sunday.

Miss Wenzel of Bruce Lake w an over-Sunday guest at Ez Hawkins'.

O. T. Goss entertained his mot er, Mrs. J. P. Goss, and sister Id from Bremen on Sunday.

Ezra Hawkins and wife and Na son Geiselman and wife went Knox Sunday in the Hawkins c Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Bradley we Sunday visitors with their daug ter, Mrs. A. L. Porter, at Plymout

Ralph Osborn, a student in t Winona academy, son of W. Osborn, visited Culver resider over Sunday.

Joe Busart, caretaker of t Judge Winfield property, left 1 Logansport on Monday to rema for the winter.

Sam Rugg left Monday for ten days' visit in Kalamazoo. Hi wife accompanied him as far a Goshen where she will stay with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Newma and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charle Stahl and son Russell and Ray and Lyle Shaw of near Argos spen Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. A Shaw.

Milton Mawhorter, a former Cul ver boy who is now a music pub lisher at Maysville, Ky., is putting out a piece of sheet music wit one of Keen Bros.' view picture on the cover. Misses Bessie Hoffman and Alie Penrod leave town today-th former to take a position with th Central Union at Kokomo and th latter to return to her home i Patricksburg. Miss Dessie Aspe will take the position of night tele phone operator, vacated by Mis Hoffman.

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Monterey Farmer Seriously Injured Election for Supervisors Under New

In a battle with an enraged buck The law governing the new road sheep George Strohm, a farmer districts of a township will be in peared from his log cabin at Brace near Monterey, was seriously in- effect after Dec. 1. In every town- lake, 10 miles west of here, says Mr. Garver owns a large farm in jured last week. Strohm was at- ship of 36 square miles there can a Rochester dispatch. His cabin Union township and Mrs. Balk tacked by the sheep in the road in be only four road districts, and in is on an island and Roach dwelt has been conducting a board. front of his house and knocked a township of over 36 square miles there for several years in solitude. ing house on the east side of down. But the farmer quickly there can be six districts. The living on such fish and game as he jumped up and attempted to shield election will be held Dec. 14. blame your boy for doing what many friends who will wish them himself from the infuriated ram by getting behind the mailbox post, supervisor must be a legal voter twice he became communicative when the sheep butted the post so and a resident of the road district. hard that it broke down and the The voter must reside in the dismetal box cut a long gash in trict. Residents of cities and Strohm's face. Then the sheep towns cannot vote. attacked him murderously, but Before the first Monday in De-Strohm had enough presence of cember the trustee shall post nomind to throw sand in the ram's tices in at least two places in each eyes and blind it until he could district, stating where the election get over a fence, where he became is to be held, between what hours, unconscious and lay for several which must be the same in all dishours before found by his family. tricts. The trustee acts as inspec-Five stitches were necessary to tor of the district in which he reclose the wound in Strohm's face sides. The trustee appoints all and it is thought that several ribs the other inspectors who must be are broken. freeholders in the districts where they are appointed, and they and

most twice the number of cadets

that Culver has, the relative show-

est report coming from the Mount

Vernon school which reports 102

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The list of Culver's football vic-

men.

A WARLIKE RAM.

by a Vicious Buck Sheep.

trial at the next term of the circuit court is an indictment against Geo. Wolford for selling liquor without a license.

-Saysan Indiana judge: "Don't you used to do." Surely not. Just a long and prosperous life. give him what you used to get for doing it and let it go at that.

-Mrs. Lizzie Hawk's class of boys and Mrs. Walmer's class of girls of the Evangelical Sunday school were pleasantly entertained at the home of the latter Saturday evening.

yards of dirt on his residence lot at the head of Main street. If the dirt had cost him anything it would have been worth more than the valne of the lot.

-Our readers will be afforded unusual opportunities during the next ten days for buying goods in Culver at money-saving prices. Porter & Co., The Surprise and Saine each announce special sales.

-A number of the big maple trees on Than Gandy's "Shady Corner" have been cut down. The remaining trees will now have chance to spread and in a couple of years the corner will show the improvement.

town marshal is arresting for men power for our elevator, and a 125. swearing in public. When a Jud- bushel-per-hour feed grinder (the son man feels like pulling off the largest and best in the market) lid and letting his cuss words go which will grind the cob as well as he would save money by hopping the grain. This will give us facilon the train and going to Knox.

agent, feeling nervous about the shorts, and chopped feed of all security of his bank, drew out \$200 kinds at short notice. We will be and that night he was attacked by ready to fill orders in about 10 days. two men while doing his chores at Culver City Grain and Coal Co. home and beaten up and robbed of every dollar. A good many men, particularly farmers, about Culver are in the habit of keeping a wad of money in their pockets and taking long chances on losing it by Terre Haute visited last week with iting same. one means or another.

Lake Maxinkuckee. They have

Osborn Suit Settled.

The \$25,000 damage suit brought by Mrs. Jesse Osborn against Amor Osborn and others for the alienation of her husband's affections, was settled in the Fulton county circuit court on Thursday by the John Osborn has put 1,300 defendants agreeing to pay the plaintiff \$1,950 and the costs of the suit.

> The family of the defendant writes to the Citizen as follows 'Jesse, feeling that it was his duty to support the child, agreed that if his wife would dismiss the damage suit and get a divorce and settle everything up to date, he would pay her \$1,950 alimony for the support of the child. On last Saturday Judge Nye granted the divorce, and everything is settled according to previous agreement and Jesse has returned to college where he has been since his departure."

Improvement at Elevator.

We are installing a new 22-horse -Over at North Judson the power gasoline engine to furnish ities for a general flour exchange -A Rochester sewing machine and will enable us to furnish bran,

> Earl Houghton of Plymonth has been a Culver visitor this week at his uncle's, Wm. Houghton.

Mr. Platt's mother.

A Concert for Culver.

Friday evening, Nev. 29, the Time and Tune club will give a concert in the audience room in the Culver school building. The concert, will consist of anthems, quartets and duets by members of the club who have been under the efficient instruction of Dr. Wiseman for two terms. The program will be enriched by some excellent

Hawk and Gratia Bolen. An admission of 10 cents will be to the accompaniment of which the have to injure the business of the charged, the proceeds of which bridal pair entered the parlor prewill be given for the benefit of the ceded by Bernice Howard as ringschool library. The limit of tick- bearer. Rev. F. B. Walmer proets sold will be 250 so everyone nounced the ceremony. The bride will be assured a seat. Patrons of wore white and the groom black. the school should come and help Following the ceremony an elabo-

Town Board Notice.

Notice is hereby given that persons who dump ashes and debris into the streets will be prosecuted Mr. and Mrs. Henry Platt of as provided in the ordinance prohib-

By Order Town Council.

A Destructive Organ.

The Inter Ocean adds its mife to the troubles of the country with a two-column wail of woe, relating in large headlines and in its first column on the first page the retrenchment of corporations and failures throughout the country. Such prominence to the darker side of the situation can be looked

scene of a happy event in the mar- for in vain in the Chicago papers riage of Miss Leah Howard to Mr. that have the interests of the coun-William Folkers of Ober. Prompt- try at heart and are not mere porecitations by the Misses Grace ly at S o'clock Miss Margaret Ness litical organs resolved to bring of Chicago began a wedding march about political ends even if they country in doing so.

Church Items.

There will be a social meeting of the Epworth league and Christian Endeavor societies at the home of Miss Bessie Medbourn Saturday evening, Nov. 23, from 8 to 11 o'clock. All who attend either of these societies are cordially invited. Preaching at Germany next Sunday morning and at Culver in the evening. F. B. Walmer, pastor.

The Ladies' Christian union will meet this (Thursday) afternoon with Mrs. Sam Easterday. Preaching at the M. E. church

Union Thanksgiving Services.

There will be a union service c all the churches in Culver Thanks giving morning. The service wi be held at 9:45 in the Reforme church. The proclamations of th president and governor will b read. Rev. F. B. Walmer of th Evangelical church will preach th sermon. The pustors of the sev eral churches desire the coopera tion of all the people of the tow. to make this service one of thanks giving and praise to our Got There will be special music. A are cordially invited to attend.

She Couldn't Draw It.

A teacher in one of the rooms o the Culver school asked her clas to draw a picture of that which they wished to be when they gree up. The pupils went delighted! to work with paper and pencil some drawing pictures of soldiers policemen, fine ladies, etc. The all worked hard but one little git who sat quietly holding her pas and pencil in hand. The teacher observing her, asked:

"Don't you know what you wan to be when you grow up, Bessie? "Yes, I know," replied the littl girl. "I want to be married, but don't know how to draw it."

Keen Bros.' holiday trade i starting in very satisfactorily Photographs make exceedingly ar

swell the fund for library books as rate supper was served to the twenwell as enjoy an evening. Buy your ty invited guests. The young tickets early and be assured a seat. couple received a number of very

side and will carry with them the best wishes of a large circle of friends.

Old newspapers at Citizen office, next Sunday morning and evening, propriate presents.

valuable and handsome presents. In the near future Mr. and Mrs. Folkers will go to Chicago to re-

Matrimonial. On Thursday evening, Nov. 14, the G. R. Howard home was the

the clerks must serve without pay

The inspector and two clerks in

each district are to act as an elec-

tion board.



RECORD OF THE MOST IMPOR-TANT HAPPENINGS IN ITEM-IZED FORM.

HOME AND FOREIGN NEWS

Information Gathered from All Quarters of the Civilized World and Prepared for the Perusal of the Busy Man.

In the trial of John R. Walsh of Chicago for misapplying the funds of the defunct Chicago National bank, a jury was secured and the case of the prosecution was outlined.

After seven hours and a half of argument on both sides of the question, Judge Hough in the United States circuit court at New York announced that he would not be ready to render a decision on the petition of the interstate commerce commission to compel E. H. Harriman to answer certain questions propounded to him last spring in the course of the commission's investigation into the socalled Harriman lines, until Decomber 1.

Secretary of the Treasury Cortelyou denied the Wall street rumor that he had decided to call presently upon the national banks of the country for ten per cent. of their government deposits.

The board of trustees of the Catholic University of America at a meeting in Washington placed the seal of disapproval on so-called "modernism" as a serious danger to the church.

The emperor of Germany was the guest of the city of London at the Guild hall. There were no disturbances but the populace was very chilly.

John Ferris, assistant agent on the Osceola & Au Sable Steamship company's dock at Au Sable, Mich., was killed by a robber.

Fire that threatened the entire business district of the city of Parsons, Kan., destroyed \$200,000 worth of

waukee when a fast Northwestern train plowed across a grade crossing. Rear Admiral Asa Walker was re-

tired on account of having reached the statutory age limit.

Superintendent Shelton, of the Ute Indian agency at Ship Rock, N. M., .denied the report that a battle took place between the disaffected Utes of Fred Tyler. It told of the murder and the United States troops.

four injured in an explosion of the Hercules nitroglycerin factory at Bradner, O.

Bankers and merchants in session at Sloux City, Ia., adopted a system of grain checks which it was agreed should be accepted as currency. The Merchants National bank of Portland, Ore.; the California bank of Oakland, Cal.; the Farmers and Merchants bank of Sapulpa, I. T., and the Ravenswood Exchange bank in a Chicago suburb suspended. The Royal Motor Car company of Cleveland, O., and the Gary wholesale grocery house of Selma, Ala., went into the hands of receivers.

The leading New York banks were exerting themselves actively to meet the demands of their country correspondents and depositors for currency. They declared that the suggestions made from several western sources that they were not meeting legitimate demands for currency from the west were entirely unfounded and that they were, on the contrary, taking every practicable measure to aid the

west and south. The first direct reports from the scene of the great earthquake at Karatagh, Russian Turkestan, say the victims number about 14,000; the city and many villages were destroyed.

The Peoples bank of Portsmouth, Va., went into the hands of a receiver on petition of the directors, who gave out a statement that the bank has been made insolvent through defalcations of the cashler.

Photographs and official data representing a summer's work of the international boundary commission in Alaska were lost when a canoe capsized in the Bradfield river.

It was proposed in the Michigan state constitutional convention to insert an article making voting obligatory, with a fine and prison sentence as penalties.

State Senator Haines' bank of Forest Grove, Ore., did not open its doors for business because it could not obtain its balances from the Merchants National Bank of Portland, which suspended payment.

The total equalized assessment of personal property, lands, and lots in \$1,138,622,398, according to reports by committees of the state board of equalization.

Checks and currency to the amount of \$22,000, intended to pay the wages of the Carbon Coal & Coke company's miners at Cokedale, Col., were lost or stolen while in transit in a stage. Former Gov. James E. Campbell, of

Ohio, said that he is a receptive can- of 83 years. didate for United States senator to succeed Senator J. B. Foraker.

At Kansas City, Mo., the grand jury returned 149 additional indictments against persons charged with violating the state law which forbids labor

A boller at the Trulock plantation, ginhouse on the Ark., exploded killing the Pine Bluff, Trulock, and five negroe owner, J. B. The confession of Steve Adams, made in the office of the warden of the Idaho state penitentiary February

27, 1906, was introduced in evidence at the trial of Adams for the murder of Tyler and Boule and involved Two men were killed and three or Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone.

ence observatory, has given out a statement that sun spots, each of which is 12 times the size of the earth, will about the middle of November cause storms, earthquakes and eruptions throughout the country. Mrs. Emma Packard, wife of S. B.

Packard, former governor of Louisiana, died at Marshalltown, Ia., suddealy of apoplexy. Russian officials at Vladivostok re-

port raids on the seal rookeries of the Copper islands by armed Japanese sealing schooners.

The supreme court of Mexico has affirmed the sentence of death against C. T. Richardson, William Mason and Dr. C. S. Harle, charged with conspiracy to murder in connection with insurance frauds, and the men are to be shot December 6 at Chihuahua. Rev. H. Allen Tupper of the Fifteenth Street Baptist church in Brooklyn announced to his congregation that he would serve in future without

New York lawyers, acting for the pay. duke of Portland, are gathering evidence in this country regarding the affairs of Robert Caldwell, who testified in the Druce case at London.

Five persons, at least, lost their lives as a result of a fire in the Hotel Garde at New Haven, Conn., and several others were injured.

Forty men, women and children were injured, 26 of them seriously, in a street car accident at Seattle, when two speeding cars crashed into each other in a dense fog.

President Gompers, addressing the American Federation of Labor at Jamestown, said organized labor, like Admiral Evans' fleet, was ready for neace, frolic or war.

Burglars broke into the residence of Mrs. Stella Mauthner, an aged woman in the town of Perinton, N. Y., and subjected her to terrible tortures in an effort to force her to reveal her savings.

Albert Bates was sentenced at Chippewa Falls, Wis., to serve one year in the penitentiary for bigamy. He ac-Illinois for the year 1907 aggregates knowledged that he had been married often, but thought he had always waited long enough for the preceding wife to get a divorce before he married the

next one. The entire business portion of Worland, Wyo., was destroyed by fire. Catherine Vosbaugh, who for nearly

60 years passed as a man, died at a hospital in Trinidad, Col., at the age

C. D. Wyman, a member of the Stone-Webster company's executive committee and an official of the Boston Street Railway corporation, died suddenly in a railway train in Mon-

tana. William Jennings Bryan was the guest of honor at a banquet of the Jefferson club of Milwaukee and gave his views on trusts, railroads and the

tarlight C. Wilder, aged 95 years, a well-known printer of Lowell, Mass., was married to Mrs. Esther Crawford, a resident of Evanston, III., aged 90 years.

Rev. Dr. Sam F. Breckenridge, 74 years old, professor of exegetical theology in the Wittenberg Theological The engine and tender of a Balti- seminary and one of the most widely

Signor Alfani, director of the Fior-nce observatory, has given out a HHKUUGH IHE SIAIE Blanks Being Sent Out to All Congre-gations.

Indianapolis .- More nearly complete

isters. The blanks call for the aver-

age salary paid by each church denom-

the state as well as the number of

pupils. This information will be of

value to Sunday-school workers in de-

termining just what the growth of

Sunday-schools has been and where

The value of all church property in

Indiana will be included in the report

this year. A pamphlet was issued by

the bureau of statistics giving the

church statistics for 1906. It is likely

that pamphlets will be issued giving

Debt of Towns \$1,397,521.81.

Indianapolis .-- Figures just com-

debtedness of the incorporated towns

that the total net indebtedness is \$1,-

397.521.81. The total gross indebted-

The total floating debt was reported

at \$9,724.15. The town of Rochester

the same information for 1907.

there has been the slightest growth.

NEWS GATHERED FROM VARIOUS INDIANA POINTS.

ion of Hammond Attorney Is Sustained-Revelation Through Fight of Justices.

ination to ministers who devote all of Hammond .- If an opinion given to their time to church work. Another Ernest L. Shortridge, clerk of the feature which will be considered this circuit and superior courts, by Lowyear will be the membership of the den O. Bomberger, attorney, is sus young people's societies of all churches tained by the higher tribunal, 5,000 in Indiana. Heretofore no statistics marriages of Chicago couples perof the young people's societies have formed in this city within the last five years are illegal. He holds that been collected. The Sunday-school statistics will licenses issued by the superior court also receive special attention. Sunof Lake county, located in this city, day-school information heretofore has are issued without legal authority, and included merely the number of Sunthat the only court empowered to isday-school pupils. The blanks this sue license is the circuit at Crown year call for the number of officers and teachers in the Sunday-schools of

Point. If Mr. Bomberger is sustained in his opinion these couples have been living together without legal sanction. The possible complications of a legal character alone which would follow such a state of affairs are innumer-

able. Transfers of property, inheritances, and a variety of matters depending upon the marriage of contracting parties will be cast under a cloud, which will remain until the higher courts are able to decide the technical point which is raised in the opinion.

The revelation has been brought about by a long fight between the jus-

tices of the peace of Hammond and piled at the office of the Indiana those of Crown Point for the lucrative bureau of statistics relative to the inbusiness of marrying couples who come from Chicago to Indiana to avoid of the state for the year 1906 show the Illinois law requiring divorced persons to wait a year before marrying, or for other good and sufficient reasons.

The superior court of Lake county is at Hammond. The circuit court of Lake county is at Crown Point. The clerkship of the two courts is a common office. H. H. Wheeler, former clerk of the courts, with an eye to business, boomed Hammond for a Gretna Green when he first took the position. Also, he boomed Crown Point. It was all the same to him. and he did not wish to overlook any-

thing So for four years couples came to Hammond and left money behind them, to the great joy and profit of the inhabitants. Some of it stayed in the clerk's office. Some of it went to the clerk as fees. Some of it went to the three justices. Some of it went to hackmen. Some went to ice cream stores, some to florists, some to jewelers, and so on until the total reached the sum of \$20,000 a year.

three justices of the peace, whose at Montpelleen worked the same game fees amounted to \$20 on occasions. He was arrer. Matthews and Geneva. But the justices became too ambimonths arrested at Montpelier some tious for the trade. They posted runners at the depots to meet trains from Chicago. These runners approached every suspicious looking couple and carried them away. Finally, when one of the justices started a free bus and gave away a meal with eoch marriage, Clerk Wheeler decided that it was a nuisance and took the entire business of marrying persons to Crown Point, and the eager justices of Hammond had killed their golden goose. That was a year ago. But in four years

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LATE HEAD OF KNICKERBOCKER TRUST COMPANY KILLS SELF.

PUTS BULLET IN BODY

Deed of New York Financier Attributed to Distress of Mind Over Loss of Fortune and Standing.

New York .-- Charles Tracy Barney, the deposed president of the Knickerbocker Trust company, and until recently a power in the financial world, shot and killed himself Thursday in his home. His loans with the bank, it is said, are amply secured, and when he was forced from its presidency he was, to all intents and purposes, eliminated as a factor in banking circles.

What ill effects his unexpected taking off might have had on the financial situation generally had long since been discounted. In distress of mind over the dissipation of his private fortune and the loss of high standing among business associates, intimate acquaintances find the hidden drift that broke his health and reason.

Much of his personal wealth might have been saved. At the time that Earney was dying at his home at East Thirty-eighth street and Park avenue, and surgeons probed for a bullet that, misdirected by a nerveless hand, had entered the body below the heart, a handful of friends at a downtown office were concluding an arrangement by which the loose ends of the banker's many enterprises were to be gathered up and financed by a stock company which, if not wholly successful, would at least rescue from the wreckage sufficient to insure the promoter's future financially. The conference broke up at the announcement that Mr. Barney was ness amounts to \$1,481,211.95. The total cash in the sinking funds of the dead. various towns amounted to \$83,090.14.

Mr. Barney, who was in his fiftysoventh year, shot himself early in the day, while alone in his chamber at the rear of the second floor of his home. The bullet entered below the heart and lodged under the left shoulder blade. He died about 2:30 o'clock after suffering intensely.

AFTER A "GROCERS' TRUST."

Colorado Attorney General Attacks an Alleged Combine.

Denver Col.-Attorney General Wil-

liamenver, Col.-Attorney General William H. Dixon began an action under the common law in the Denver district court Thursday with a view to breaking up the so-called grocers' trust, op-

erating in Colorado. The Retail Merchants' Association of Colorado and its branches in 63 cities and towns of the state, the Denver Jobbers' association, the Denver Retail Grocers' association and about 20 jobbers are named as defendants and injunctions are sought to restrain them from arbitrating, from fixing prices and from refusing to sell supplies to retail grocers unless they charge the prices fixed by the alleged trust. The complaint alleges that the prices of foodstuffs have been maintained 20 per cent, higher than they would have been if there had been no trust.

reported the heaviest net indebtedness, amounting to \$68,280.04. Other towns next in order reported indebtedness as follows: Newcastle, \$77,495.95; Sullivan, \$31,004.15; Cambridge City. \$29,600, and Albion. \$29,400. Sells Phantom Porkers. Hartford City .-- Sam Emory, notorious through his connection

with the Sanderson murder case, was sentenced to from one to seven years in the indiana reformatory on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. Emory has been working a tom" hog racket, sellivorking a "phanbunch of porkers telling an imaginary ceiving an advan to a butcher and redelivering thdvance payment before

He served them. Then he would flee. The greater part of it went to the fense, and there at Muncle for this of-

church statistics will be gathered by the Indiana bureau of statistics this year than in previous years. Miss MAY BE ILLEGALLY WED Mary Stubbs, state statistician, is now sending out blanks to the secretaries of the different churches in Indiana. Thousands of Marriages Void If Opin-One feature of special interest which will be taken up this year in the report of the statistician is the salary of min-

Leo Manhart, a wealthy cigar manufacturer of Kansas City, shot and killed himself at the Centropolis hotel, McComas was derailed at Weverton on account of domestic difficulties.

Michael McCabe was rescued alive from a mine at Gilberton, Pa., after being imprisoned for \$7 hours by a cave-in.

Carrie Nation was made a life member of the Woman's Christian Tem- Brownsville, Pa., were arrested, perance union at the Nashville convention.

Queen Helena of Italy gave birth to a daughter, her fourth child.

with revolvers and shotguns. The robbers were routed before they obtained anything of value from the post office safe, which they had blown.

As the result of the inability of the Northern Pacific railroad to furnish cars the coal mines of Bear Creek, Mont., are compelled practically to close, mining being suspended because of inability to make shipments.

Theresa Sullivan, 17 years old, was acquitted in a St. Louis court of killing her flance, Michael Lander. She leave his companions.

Mrs. Lucy Burris, a wealthy woman of Wabash, Ind., was sent to jail because she refused to pay a fine of one cent assessed by a jury for assault and battery on a farm tenant.

Thomas Rinaker, receiver of the defunct Enterprise National bank of Allegheny, entered a suit in assumpsit in the United States district court against ex-State Treasurer of Pennsylvania Frank G. Harris, claiming \$20,000 with interest from October 23, 1903. This sum, it is charged, was paid Harris by Cashier Clark, of the bank, as a bribe for his part in permitting the promoters of the Pennsylvania Development company to use the funds of the Enterprise bank and the state.

Frank S. Strite, manager of the Pittsburg Car Service association, and lington railroad was stopped for five well known in railroad circles throughout the southwest, is dead.

Archie Venuto, of Fremont, Neb., atten pted to live by eating nothing but peanuts, with the result that he died atter a week's peanut diet.

Bernard McFadden, editor of Physical Culture, who was convicted of violating the postal laws by sending Unalaska and McCullough peak, which obscene literature through the mails, was created by an earthquake nearly was sentenced by Judge Lanning to serve two years at hard labor in the feet above the sea, has dwindled to al-Jersey state prison and to pay a fine most nothing as a result of submarine of \$2,000.

more & Ohio train to which was attached a private car bearing Vice President Fairbanks and a party returning from the funeral of Judge Junction, Md.

Immediately following the closing of the Peoples bank of California, Pa., by State Examiner Bynns, Oliver P. Piper, the cashler, and William L. Lenhart, a business man who lives in charged with conspiracy to defraud the bank.

A report reached Durango, Col., that a battle occurred at McElmo cafiyon, Citizens of Fithian, Ill., and four between Ute Indians and United yegg men fought a pitched battle States troops, in which six Indians were killed. No soldiers were killed or wounded.

A boiler in the basement of the new Eastman dormitory at East Greenwich (R. I.) academy exploded and partly wrecked the structure. Three young women students were severely but not seriously injured.

In the historic hall of St. George at Windsor Castle, King Edward and Queen Alexandra gave a state banquet in honor of the emperor and empress of Germany and their suite.

A state convention of Democrats at Nashville, Tenn., started a movement stabbed him because he refused to for the nomination of a southern man as Democratic candidate for the presidency in 1908.

> Ray Bricker fell 115 feet down a mine near Boone, Ia., landed on his feet and was unhurt.

Asserting that the cold weather has feet by the stairway. caused untold suffering on account of railway commission for relief.

his escape while working in the stone gum while seated in the choir. quarry.

burg, Pa.

All work of all kinds on the Burminutes while the body of its former president, C. E. Perkins, was being lowered into the grave.

The peace proposition of General Manager Orr for the settlement of the railway strike in Havana, Cuba, was rejected at a meeting of the strikers. A terrific earthquake occurred at a year ago, and extended over 3,400 disturbances.

known theologians in the Lutheran church, died at Springfield, Ill., of heart trouble.

Dexter M. Ferry, head of one of the greatest seed firms in the United States, which bore his name, and prominent in local business enterprises, was found dead in bed at his home in Detroit, Mich.

The New York building code commission has adopted regulations which practically prevent the erection of any more skyscrapers in that city. The height of buildings is limited to 250 feet.

The federal supreme court decided the controversy between Samuel H. Leathe and Edward L. Thomas, growing out of the construction in 1870 of the Belleville city railway, connecting Belleville, Ill., with East St. Louis, in favor of Thomas.

J. Pierpont Morgan, it is said, will part with his collection of high-bred dogs, because his wife is annoyed by the kennels at their Highland Falls (N. Y.) estate.

After blowing open the outer doors of a safe in the offices of the Jefferson Ice company in Chicago, robbers mistook a large sack, containing about \$20 in silver, for one that was locked in another compartment and was said to have contained \$10,000.

Max Duffolk, of Munich, Germany, performed the difficult feat of walking on his hands from the top landing in the Washington monument to the ground, a perpendicular distance of 500 feet, which extended to near 825

Bals Cunningham, Overton Decker the scarcity of coal, the residents of and Salvan Pearson, members of the Somerset, Neb., appealed to the state Baptist church choir at Hazleton, Ind., were arrested on affidavits filed by Charles Howard, 60 years old, a con- Rev. Samuel Bettis, charged with disvict in the Joliet penitentiary, made turbing religious services by chewing

The series of crimes in Berlin re-Six persons were injured when the sembling the "Jack the Ripper" mur-18-hour train from Chicago to New ders in London in 1888-1889, only that York on the Pennsylvania railroad the victims were little girls instead of ran into a stationary freight train in women, has been cleared up through the yards at Larimer, near Greens- the confession of an epileptic printer's apprentice named Paul Minow.

> In answer to appeals for help from the town of Oblong, Crawford county, Ill., the state board of health may establish a shotgun quarantine by reason of the smallpox epidemic there.

Three persons were badly burned, one probably fatally, and a number of others had thrilling escapes in a fire at Columbus, O.

Giovani De Chichicia, formerly lieutenant in the Italian army, who deserted, married and came to America, committed suicide in the tombs, New York, where he was locked up on complaint of his brother who had refused him money.

there had been 5,000 marriages. The justices had to submit, because the clerk of the courts was the ultimate court of appeal. On the first of November, however, Ernest L. Shortridge, a Hammond man, was elected clerk of the courts on a promise that he would bring the business back to

Hammond. that the superior court at Hammond suspension since some members of had no right to issue licenses and made objections. In order to settle after a Hallowe'en banquet. The class the dispute Clerk Shortridge asked presented resolutions to the faculty Attorney Bomberger for an opinion covering the matter-and got it. Now he is going to make sure in the higher courts, for he has an election pledge to fulfill.

Meanwhile the justices of Hammond are not willing to wait. They feel themselves falling into decay, and they rebel against It. They say they are going to do up the Crown Point marriers, even of they have to ruin the business. To this end they have discovered an old Indiana law which says that no one may have a license to be county for 60 days. This they are going to use to the complete destruction of the leading industry of Crown Point if they cannot share in the profits of It.

Food Inspector Catches Ten.

Newcastle,-As a result of the recent visit of the state pure food inspector, Prosecutor Barnard has issued ten indictments. The indictments are against druggists, grocers and meat market men, but as yet no information has been given out as to who the men are that have fallen under the disapproving eye of the inspector.

Plans School Directory.

Richmond. - Charles W. Jordan, superintendent of the Wayne county schools, will soon issue a directory of the schools. It will contain the names and addresses of the teachers, the kind of license they hold, the compulsory school law, rules governing wagon transportation, the new wage law and the rules of the board of education governing the schools of the county. There will also be a complete report of the last county institute and the names of the teachers attending It.

education Bourbon have lasued an order prohibiting the playing of basketball by pupils of the public schools.

Basketball Bad? "Show Us."

Warsaw .- Members of the bcard

ago.

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The following note was found pasted on the front door of the public school building:

"What a large number of our citizens are anxious to know is, what objection has the school board to an innocent game of basketball. If they are aware of anything detrimental in this healthy pastime well and good; but we're like the man from Missouri, 'show us.""

Rose Polytechnic Students Reinstated. Terre Haute. - The faculty of Rose Polytechnic has reinstated the Then the Crown Point justices held junior class, which had been under the class destroyed institute property which gave the school management assurance of good behavior in the future. Reinstatement followed, but the lost time counts against the students as if it were unexcused absence.

Woman Must Serve Sentence.

Huntington .- Judge Henry J. Paulus, of Marion, sitting as special judge in the Huntington circuit court, has overruled the motion for a new trial in the case of Nora Mosher, convicted of manslaughter in the killing of her infant, and has sentenced her to from two to twenty-one years in the woman's prison at Indianapolis. D. A. Mosher, her father, will have his third trial on a murder charge in the January term of court.

Dog Guards Master's Corpse.

Evansville, - While hunting Ben Steinkamp, aged 29, a farmer, accidentally shot himself and died instantly. When found Steinkamp's faithful dog was howling beside the body.

The 15-year-old son of Frank Meyer, living near here, while hunting had his right hand blown off by the bursting of the gun barrel.

Alleged Forger Arrested.

Fort Wayne .- Deputy Sheriff Reynolds, of Hartford City, arrested Charles Lehman of Montpeller on a charge of forgery. Lehman says he is innocent. Reynolds declares the state has a strong case against the prisoner.

Football Player Breaks Log. Warsaw.-While participating in a scrimmage, Charles Butler, a member of the Winona Academy football team, sustained a compound fracture of the left leg.

SHIPYARDS TO BE CLOSED.

American Shipbuilding Company Begins Laying Off Its Men.

Cleveland, O .- At a meeting of the directors of the American Shipbuilding company here Thursday it was decided to retrench, in view of the uncertainty of the general financial condition, by shutting down practically all of its plants along the great lakes at once and deferring the usual dividend upon the common stock of the company.

At Lorain, where 1,800 men are employed, 1,000 were discharged, and Friday night most of the remaining 800 will be let go. At Bay City, Mich., 400 men were let out. The Detroit and Wyandotte yards will not be closed for the present. At South Chicago and at Superior, Wis., hundreds of men will be taken from the payroll.

STEAM SCHOONER IS BURNED.

Narrow Escape of the Berkeley's Crew Off California Coast.

Gaviota, Cal.-The steam schooner Berkeley, in ballast, from San Pedro for San Francisco, was destroyed by fire Thursday morning about 15 miles off this port.

Capt. Higgins and the crew of 19 escaped from the burning vessel by the narrowest margin and landed safely on the beach at Gaviota.

Mrs. Mathis, Song Writer, Dies.

Los Angeles, Cal.-Juliette Estelle Preacott Mathis, 68 years old, a writer of songs and verses, formerly a resident of Illinois, died here Thursday at the home of her son, Frank C. Prescott.

Phipps to Build Concrete City.

New York,-Henry Phipps, the wealthy steel manufacturer, who in 1905 gave \$1,000,000 for the erection of model tenements in New York city, is greatly interested in the possibilities. of the two family concrete houses planned by Thomas A. Edison, the inventor, and which, it is claimed, can be built within 12 hours at a cost of \$1,000 to \$1,200. He has recently visited East Orange, examined Mr. Edison's models and talked with the inventor regarding his plans. Phipps. niane no hulld - give a



- - INDIANA CULVER,

The Mystery Carney-Croft

JOSEPH BROWN COOKE

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I puzzled long and deeply over these words, for they brought a new and hitherto unsuspected person into the case. Whom did the widow mean by "she?" It could not have been Miss Weston, who was too ill to leave her bed, and, after considerable thought. I was forced to believe, as the only possible explanation, that the pronoun referred to one of the servants in the house. This, to my mind, added materially to the gravity of the affair, for if unknown members of the domestic staff were concerned in the matter there was no telling how far the conapiracy might reach nor to what purpose it was carried on.

I had become so accustomed to myswas now determined to say to her, that no impression could have been made on my mind by anything short of a most startling phenomenon.

As I have said, the message was evidently intended for Jenks and was from the widow, who, it seemed equally clear, either was or had been in the | into the hole in the summer. subterranean passage holding coaverse with its loathsome inhabitants.

there were no lights in her cottage, but a sheet or a piece of old fish net shall be here all night." and I was on the point of venturing forth again and, from a safe distance, watching the pit until she emerged and started for home, when a realization of my physical exhaustion took hold of me and I adopted the wiser plan of remaining in my room.

The night was far from restful, and at the first glimpse of daylight I dressed and returned to the manhole. There was a light fall of snow on the ground and I was not surprised to see that someone had climbed out of the shaft and goue across the lawn toward the Bruce house, but the lid of the manhole was securely fastened down

as before efforts to raise it, or at least to assure myself that it was locked, I found, at the sides, two openings in the grating larger than the others and, slipping my revolver easily back and forth through one of these, I was no longer at a loss to understand how it had appeared so mysteriously the night before.

It was quite evident that it had been

"Then you know nothing of the mys-In a lown tone.

"The mystery of Carney-Croft!" he exclaimed in bewildered surprise and then his face relaxed and he smilled pleasantly as he said: "Oh! you mean the ghost stories that were told about here after Mr. Carney died?"

"Well," I returned, "ghosts or some thing of the sort were really seen about the place, were they not ?" His smile broadened as he replied:

"Oh, yes, some of the boys did rig themselves up in sheets and play spook for a time, until I took a hand in it myself and drove them out. I was going to send you word about it, but I found it was only a lot of boyish pranks, and that they hadn't done any harm beyond getting into the old tunnel by the river, and, of course, that didn't amount to anything."

"The old tunnel!" I exclaimed in well-feigned surprise. "Is there a tunnel by the river?"

"You never heard of it, of course," he went on, "and I fancy nearly everyone has forgotten it by this time. When Mr. Carney began to build here he located his house some 200 yards farther down the hill toward the water. He had a plan of running a little tunnel from the cellar to the river so that ashes and other refuse from the house could be taken out that way and not clutter up the lawns or be seen from the windows.

"Just as this work was partially completed the old dam, some two miles up the stream, was demolished and a new one built about a mile beterious happenings of this sort, and low. This raised the water level unmy head was so filled with visions of til the far end of his tunnel was com-Miss Carney, and with the words 1 pletely submerged and so he gave up the scheme entirely and began a new cellar quite a distance back from the first. The partly finished tunnel and the excavation for the original cellar were covered over and had practically been forgotten by everybody except the boys, who used to dive down and swim

"Then, as I say, they got the idea of

"Keep away from that hole and do NEED CO-OPERATION tery of Carney-Croft?" I asked cau- nothing till you get my letter. Your tously, closing the door and speaking life may depend on it. Wire if you wish me to come."

The messenger was waiting and, with no thought of the letter to which he referred, but only to hasten the time when some one would be with me to whom I could talk, I replied ON SOME LATE IMPOSITIONS with the single word, "Come."

CHAPTER XXV.

A moment later the doctor returned hurriedly to the library for his medicine case and said:

"I wish we could get consultation here in the country," he continued, measuring out some powders with a critical air and depositing them on hits of paper which he had cut for the purpose. "Most of the deaths in this part of the world are from accident or old age, and a man with a large city practice and extensive hospital experience might possibly suggest some means of prolonging her life for a time. We cannot hope to save her, but I wish we could keep her till Carney comes."

"I have telegraphed my friend Mac-Ardel to come -d help me solve the mystery of the place," I ventured cautionsly, not wishing to hurt his profersional pride. "You know he was with me here last summer and we had a number of very peculiar experiences then, so he knows a good deal about it already, and I thought we could work together to advantage. Perhaps he could be of service to you at the same time."

"The very man!" exclaimed the doctor. "I know him well by reputation. When will he arrive?"

"If my wire is delivered promptly he can get here on the midnight train," I replied. "I know he will start at once, for I sent for him at his own suggestion, in response to a letter from me telling him of the tunnel affair, and 1 think he has some very definite the ories on the subject.

"Just the thing!" cried the doctor, picking up the powders and hurrying playing ghost and would run down the toward the door. "Let me know the From my window I could see that hill in the moonlight with nothing on minute he sets foot in the house. I

ESSENTIAL TO SUCCESS IN ALL

Schemes Devised to Deceive the People and to Gain Support for Unsound Financial Propositions.

Harmonious co-operation is essential in any successful business. By co-operation is not meant such organization as the communistic and monastic societies found in parts of the European countries, and occasionally existing in America. As co-operation relates to manufacture and commercialism, it simply means a righteous regard on part of employer and the employed for the liberty and privilege of both. It means of the laborer, a just day's work for a just day's compensation; and for the employer, services rendered for the wages he must pay. Interests of both are parallel. One has his capital invested, money employed and the other has also his capital represented by his ability to labor either in a mental or physical capacity.

In England and in parts of Germany, there are numerous societies, the workers in such being common stockholders and participating in all profits according to their holdings. In fact these societies are nothing more than the great railroad companies and industrial concerns of America, only that in the latter the stockholders seldom take an active part in the work performed. One who takes the care to study into conditions in the countries where this form of co-operation exists, will find environments far different from what obtains in the United States. In various places and at different times attempts to copy after the English cooperative societies have been made in the United States. Failure has rewarded the efforts made. Some few communities flourished for a time, then decayed.

Propped up by the success of the few successful organizations in the old country, shrewd schemers have started different commercial enterprises in cities of the United States, supposed to be operated upon the cooperative plan. When carefully studled, and the plans of the promoters dissected, it will be found that cooperation in these cases seems simply the getting into business on other people's money, and weaving around the enterprise such appearances as leads the unsophisticated to believe that from few dollars invested, great savings can be made. In fact the co-operative plan is more for the purpose of advertising a private business proposition and gaining trade from those who invest their dollars in the plan.

plo on a friendly basis and harmonious It is a foolish thing for the resirelations established that are highly dent of any town or farming community' to invest money in such enterprises, which means competition for his home town, the killing off of its business and the building up of concerns in large cities. The earnest man or woman can see in their own home place splendid chances for co-operation. Established business systems as found in the rural towns, are splendid examples of what co-operation should be. The home merchant supplies the residents of the place with the commodities that they require; the merchant is the medium of exchange of the products of the farmer. In the transactions employment is given to home labor, and the little profits are kept at home for the benefit of all in the community. Co-operation can be simmered down to a strictly home-trade principle, and there can be no higher form, no system inaugurated that will bring better results to the masses. Before you invest in co-operative mercantile schemes devised by shrewd business mon in the large cities, study every phase of the question well, and you are likely to conclude that in your own town there is plenty of room for co-operative work. the place.

ENDS BIG HOLDIN

FIGHT AGAINST CORRUPTION.

Prosecution of Oppressive Combines

Afford a Lesson to Home Traders.

a stirring up of the masses and an

awakening as to rottenness in finan-

cial affairs among the large corpora-

tions as at present. Some one at one

time said that "when thieves fall out the devil gets his reward." So it

scems at present when faction is ar-

rayed against faction in exposing

and business deals, in which the little

fish are swallowed by the big ones,

It is amazing how farspread are the

of the millionaires and multi-million-

lead the lambs to slaughter.

Capr. Kidd.

likely to be a loser.

and Attract Trade.

man. There must be some attraction

for people of the surrounding country;

some entertainment to please. Many

means have been put in operation by

different towns to bring about the ob-

jects desired. The people of the small-

er towns in different western states

have inaugurated street carnivals, fall

festivals and similar enterprises to

entertain people from the surrounding

farming sections. These methods

have been universally successful, and

have resulted in bringing trade to the

towns that otherwise would have gone

elsewhere. Not alone this, but the

residents of the rural districts are

brought in contact with the city peo-

Never before has there been such

EFFECT OF RULING BY INTE DEPARTMENT.

Oregon Journal Welcomes It an alding the Day of Small Far and Crowding Out the "Wheat Kings."

There will hardly be any wides crooked operations in great financial sorrow over the new ruling (interior department, which co the farmers who lease Indian and the men in control, like wolves, to dwell on them, says the Po Oregonian. It will have the eff reducing the acreage held by frauds practiced, and how high up in kings and of increasing the n public estimation are the manipulaof small farmers, an advantag tors of the rotten deals. The stealings obvious to require explanation stated in a Pendleton dispatch aires, the intrigues and their perjuri-Oregonian, "the importance of ous lying and misrepresentations to ruling may be realized when it accomplish their nime; the intricacy derstood that there are men liv of the machinery used in their operathe city of Pendleton who are tions, the perfection of the means, the ing as high as 3,000 acres, upon combinations employed to fleece the there is not a single house. mean the cutting up of the big people of dollars, would do credit to a Gagliostro or a Machiavelli, or a ings into smaller holdings and s vasion of the reservation by a There cannot be doubt that these humble class of growers and crowding out of the big wheat b

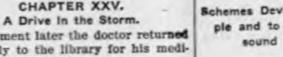
various articles appearing in the magazines and general newspapers will The present season has offer have the result of opening the eyes excellent illustration of the a of the public to things that few heretonges of farming on a small ses fore ever gave serious consideration. compared with what is get known as "bonanza farming." They will have the effect of making tically all of the damage suffer the people more cautious in making investments of their earnings, and the wet weather in the interior will result in lessons that are benefields was on the big farms, who ficial to the country at large. Home scarcity of labor made it impo trade principles preclude the possibilproperly to handle the crop wi ity of people losing by the operations was ready. In nearly every ca. of such gigantic schemers. Money insmall wheat grower who was fa yeated in your own community in the about 160 acres and could wo development of its latent resources without much help, succeeded will give excellent returns, is ever caping injury. It will be a great under your own observation, and while years before diversified farmin the percentage of profit from some supplant wheat growing in ma home investments may not be up to calities in Oregon. Washingto the representations made by the ma-Idaho, but a limitation on the s nipulators of stocks and the shearers the wheat fields will be of great of lambs in general, you are not so fit to the country. In the et Umatilla county it will result D. M. CARR. large increase in the population, thing which has not been noti MARKET DAYS IN TOWNS. for a long time. In fact, then some townships in the county Successful Plans to Entertain Visitors the steadily increasing absorpt small farms by the great wheat ers has resulted in decrease in How to attract trade to towns is a question that interests every business

lation at a time when all othe tions of the northwest, outside wheat districts, were showing stantial gains. In the Williamette Valley, wh

years ago was producing nearly the wheat grown in Oregon, divy al farming has reached a stage orsh not infrequently ten families == wh not infrequently ten families are for on a single quarter section are for once devoted to wheat on that each of the to farme growing more money out of his small fu than the farmer wheat growers m out of the entire quarter section w was devoted to wheat grow What the Pacific northwest needs more permanent residents to take place of that wandering army wh drifts in at harvest time and drifts again when harvest is over. The ing of the department will worl hardship only on the big wheat kin most of whom have done well enou out of the industry to live quite e fortably on 160 acres for the rema der of their lives.







BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS.

passed up through the opening and turned until it lay flat on the grating, the person below doubtless mistaking me for Jenks and misconstruing my efforts to raise the lid into a signal from the stage driver that he had arrived and was awaiting orders. That I did not understand this simple maneuver from the first and appreclate the situation at a glance was because of my highly excited nervous state and my subsequent encounter with Jenks himself.

On my return to the house I found the following telegram which had just arrived:

'Wire received. Will not await letter. Sure to arrive on time.

"CARNEY." This message was dated New York and, apparently, had been transmitted thence from the cable over the local wire to Carney-Croft. It must have been in response to my dispatch of the previous day and served to set my mind at rest as to the whereabouts and purposes of John Carney, which had been troubling me in an indefinite way for some time past.

The only thing now left for me to do seemed to be to remain virtually passive until he arrived, keeping a sharp watch on things, but taking no posifor immediate action. My chief desire was to see Miss Carney and make clear to her my feelings, but this seemed to be out of the question, as she remained consantly with Miss Weston and no longer came to any meals or showed herself about the house.

The country was fast taking on the mantle of white under which it was to sleep for so many long weeks, and it was with a comfortable shiver that I entered the library, just before lunchmy hands and toast my shins and back successively.

I found Miss Weston's physician similarly engaged and asked him solicitously concerning his patient.

His face clouded and I even thought I saw a tear in the corner of his eye, for, like all doctors with the right kind of stuff in them, familiarity with human suffering had only warmed his heart and softened his nature.

"I had hoped," he continued, "that that-" young Carney's return would have a good effect on her, but when we told her of the message that came this sir, it is impossible! I have known morning she only drew the shoets over the woman for a dozen years and she her face and broke down completely. There is something more to this, Mr. Ware, than the mere absence of her eves imagine."



ly yell and dive down out of sight. terics, I discovered what was going on and put a stop to it by giving two or beavers in the tunnel who vigorously attacked all future intruders."

The doctor laughed heartily as he finished his little tale and concluded by saying:

of ghost since then, I know, but I fancy that is the biggest mystery Carney-Croft ever had."

"Doctor," I returned seriously, "there is a far greater mystery than that going on here this very minute. That tunnel is again occupied, by whom I con, and strode up to the fire to warm | do not know, but the man or men who are down there are in league with that Bruce woman who lives in the new cottage, and with Jenks, the stage driver. Moreover, these people are connected in some inexplicable way with Miss Weston, and the Bruce woman, who seems to be the head and front of the whole thing, has written letters to Mins Weston, and even to me, most of which contain vague ref-

"The Bruce woman written to you!" exclaimed the doctor. "Why, my dear cannot read a word or write a letter!" At that moment he was summoned hurriedly to Miss. Weston's room and sweetheart, but what it is I caanot I was handed a telegram from Mac-Ardel which read:

which waved out far out behind them. | As he left the room I strove to col-When they got to the edge of the bank | lect my scattered thoughts and deterthey would emit some sort of a ghost- mine the present aspect of the situation. If the widow could not write, Finally, when all the young girls in who, in heaven's name, did send the the neighborhood began to get hys- notes? It did not appear probable that the doctor was wrong in what he had said, and, moreover, the statement tive steps in his absence unless un- three of the ringleaders a sound served to explain the merriment of forescen circumstances arose to call thrashing and installing a family of Jenks when I had accused her directly of being the author of the letters.

> Still, she had assumed all responstbility for them, which was tantamount to writing them as far as their practical features were concerned, and I "There have been occasional rumors finally decided that if they were not her own work they must have been written at her dictation, which really amounted to the same thing.

I spent the afternoon in the library, hoping that I might see Miss Carney and at least offer her my sympathy in her present trouble, even if I said no more at this time, but she did not come down stairs during the entire day, and at dinner she sent me word by Mrs. Randolph that Dr. MacArdel would be very welcome, not only because I had asked him to come, but for himself as well, and in the hope that he might be of benefit to Miss Weston.

The storm had increased steadily all day but, in spite of its fury and the drifts that were pilling up and blockerences to Miss Carney and threats ing the roads at every point, I announced my determination to go with the sleigh to meet MacArdel.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

A Splendid Prospect.

"Do you see any great future for Panama?

"Certainly. Look at the great ercursion resort it has already become." -Washington Star.

EQUITABLE PROFITS.

Cost of Production Should Always Be a Factor in the Matter of Prices.

Profits should bear an equitable relation to cost of production. The farmer who has money invested in lands, agricultural implements, stocks, and other things necessary to carry on his business, when selling his products must take into consideration the interest on his money invested, the wear and tear of farm equipment, the wages of hired help and a salary for his own service. When he sells his products for less than pays the expenses necessary to carry on his work and cultivate his crops, care for his stock, etc., he is the loser. The same principles apply to the person engaged in any other line of business. There is interest on capital employed, wages, taxes, license and cost of articles which comprise the stock necessary for operahis county, his state and his nation. tion. Goods must be sold at a certain percentage of profit or there will be a case for the sheriff or the bankruptcy court. In dealing with our

fellow men we should always bear in mind the principles of business, and not exact too great profits or sell or buy at prices other than equitable. It is also a good thing to remember when great bargains are offered that cost is a "nigger in the fence."

desirable. In many towns market days have been established. From early spring until late in fall one day in the month is set asido for "market day." For this occasion bands of music are engaged, balloon ascensions, baseball games,

races and similar attractions are employed to interest the people, All these are free, the expense being borne by the business interests of the town. The farmers are invited to bring to the town their horses, cattle, hogs, in fact, every product that they have for sale, and the same is auctioned off to the best advantage. On these market days all kinds of articles can be had at bargain prices. Each storekeeper makes special efforts to offer bargains, and generally the mles are enormous. A few enterprising small towns that have adopted the market-day idea have become noted for many miles about as lively trade centers and take trade away from territory in the neighborhood of less enterprising towns. The market-day idea is worthy of consideration by business men in small towns who desire to pursue an inexpensive method of attracting trade to

Duty of Good Citizens. Home and its protection is the safe-

guard of all government. That citizen who has the love of home and fealty to home interests, is a worthy representative of a commonwealth. It is the mass of such men that are the backbone of any community, and, figuratively, the mainstay and the rock upon which the nations are founded. Whoever lives in a community and fails to support the public institutions and does not assist in the building up of industries that add to the greatness of that community, is like an alien. While he lives one place, his heart is in another. He is not the ideal citizen, for he is not in harmony with those who are his neighbors. It is the duty of every resident of a town or community to do his utmost to advance its interest. By thus doing he not alone assists himself, but his neighbors, his town,

Time to Awaken.

Any plan devised that tends toward greater business centralization makes easier the building up of harmful combinations. During the past ten years billions of dollars have been sent to the large cities by the resident of rural communities, and these billions have been used in building up of production and legitimate profits trusts that work against the best inmust be considered. Too low prices tereats of the masses who reside in give cause for suspicion that goods agricultural sections. Is it not time are inferior in some way, or that there to awaken to the dangers of sending money away from the home town?

Baby Bear Playing Possum. This tale teaches us not to tam with dead bears, says the New Y American.

When the two little Alaskan c that E. H. Harriman donated arriv at the Bronx zoo recently, both w suffering from gastriosis. Dr. W. R. Blair fed the cubs on poptoni milk and lime water all night a all day, but despite the treatment female cub stiffened-to all appe ances dead.

Keepers summoned Dr. Blair ag and all bent over the stricken s mal. Suddenly the "dead" bear jun ed to its feet, hit Dr. Blatr a bl with its paw that sent him reeli attacked all the other keepers at same time and cleared the cage less than a minute.

Nobody was badly burt. The is still sick, but Dr. Blair is cert she will recover.

Shrinkage of Swiss Glaciers. Remarkable shrinkages have be going on among the Swiss glaclers, pecially in the last two or three yes The great Rhone glacler, one of sights of Switzerland-at least it u to be-has lost in the last two ye no less than \$\$,250 square feet, s others have been shortened by a where from 20 feet to 40 feet. Ame 63 instances 53 recessions were covered, one glacier remained s tionary, and nine had slightly creased. The conspicuous gain w made by the Elger glacier, wh lengthened itself 114 feet last ye but observers say that these increa are not permanent.

Rescued by Yellow Jackets.

A coyote, hard pressed by a pack hounds in the northern part of Clas county, along the north bank of Lev river, ran into a yellow jackets' ne according to the Seattle Times. Wh the hounds reached the spot the any yellow jackets attacked them so fler ly that they turned tall and gave the chase.

The hunting party in charge of 1 hounds was composed of Harry, Edv and James Rowland and H. Webb, of Lewisville. They had wounded t coyote and were sure of their quar when the latter loosed the yellow inets on them. It was herole treatme but the coyote thereby made good | escape.



THE CULVER CITIZEN ARTHUR 2. HOLT, Publisher,

HICKORY BUSH HAPPENINGS

A Summary of the Week's Doings of Her Enterprising Citizens.

Buster's Emporium is having an eight-day windup run in clocks.

Misses Pearline and Sapolio Kettle expect to visit over Thanksgiving at Bunker Hill as the guests of the Misses Tonsilina Spookendyke and Helen Blazes.

Miss Peachy Pippin sang that beautiful and pathetic ballad, "I Would Not Live Alway," at young people's meeting Sunday. The audience seemed greatly pleased.

Miss Mahala Cronkhite, the Long Hollow school ma'am who pond. Ladies requested to bring has been visiting the Simpsons for boxes. several weeks, is said to be engaged to a wealthy street-car conductor at Logansport.

A rumor that Miss Belladonna Honeysuckle Higgins would appear at church in a new style bear skin costume brought quite a crowd of her friends and admirers out to

na Sun.

bating society will be held on Fri-nay evening, the 22d. The subject for discussion is, "Resolved, that a Circumstantial Parallelogram is More Gastronomic than Hyporder mic."

The Hickory Bush schools have been holding novel and interesting opening exercises the past week. each pupil reading some appropri-ate literary selection. Bill Moffat's girl, who is always at the foot of her class, read a few lines of Bun-

Mrs. Sam Kettle has received a letter from her brother, Mr. Jack Potts, who is now located in Chica-Mr. Potts says there was a big fire at that place a week or so ago in which a barn and two wood-

East Washington Sunday Lu-ther Lockwood and wife spent Sunday with Mrs. Catherine Cline Entered at the postoffice at Culver, Indiana. Ezra Hibray and wife were the CULVER, IND., NOVEMBER 21, 1907. Master Bruce Boggs visited over Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. Caroline Snyder.

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MAXINKUCKEE MURMURS.

C. G. Bigley and wife made a business trip to Argos Saturday The Ladies' Aid meet with Maggie Spangler Thursday. . . Mr. and Mrs. Scott Foss and Jay Bartlett and family were guests at Howard Lor-ing's Sunday.... Mrs. Ray Stevens is visiting Chicago relatives. . Mrs. Amy Moore of Glenham, S. D., is here to spend the winter with her mother, Catherine Cline Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bash and Bessie visited Sunday at A. G. Stevens' . Mrs. Sarah Pefly and children of Wabash are visiting Geo. Peeples Sr. and other relatives.... A box social will be held at Maxinkuckee school Friday evening, Nov. 22. Choice program and fishing

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DELONG DOINGS.

Chas. Shadel, David Kaley and Chas. Newcomer and families and Wm. Robinson Jr. spent Sunday at Lloyd Robinson's Sidney Green made his usual trip over meeting Sunday morning. The corn shredder is now at work. Joe Green had three fin-Edgington's of Mt. Hope....Mrs. gers shredded last week, and the Chas. Haitt and children of North boys are all wondering how Joe is going to measure his usual size drinks when he gets to town. The young people out at the Dudson spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Sarah Monger..... Mrs. L. B. Robinson of Logans-port visited relatives here....Fern The young people out at the port visited relatives here....Fern Wildcat school held a box social last Friday night. Thad Harts- Shadel at the Delong hotel..... horn thought it was something like Frotracted meetings commenced at a prize fight and walked out to re- the Reformed church Monday evenport the affair for the Shipshewa- irg and they will continue through the week and probably longer. Ev-

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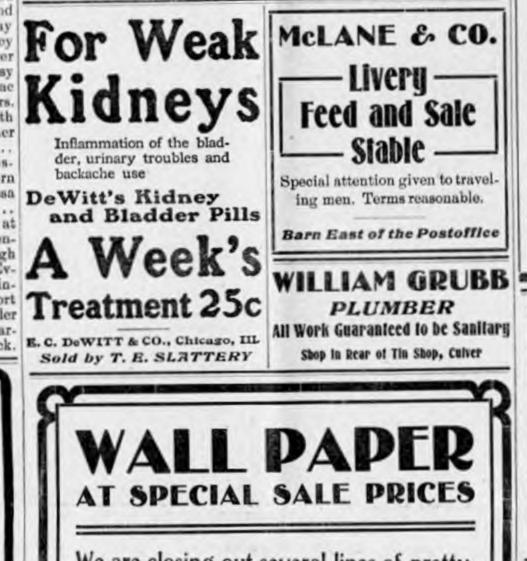
YOUNG MAN HAS **NEW THEORY**

Human Life Seems Centered In Stomach. All Else Is Secondary.

The immense success which has fol- gestive apparains that is doing its full lowed L. T. Cooper during the past duty, getting every particle of vitality year with his new preparation has ex- out of all food by transferring it to the bowels in a perfectly digested stateceeded anything of the kind ever be-fore witnessed in most of the leading cities where the young man has intro-duced the medicine. Cooper has a novel theory. He believes that the hu-man stomach is directly responsible for most disease. To quote his own words from an interview upon his ar-rival in an eastern city: "The average man or woman cannot be sick if the stomach is working properly. To be ceeded anything of the kind ever be-

stomach is working properly. To be Cooper medicine, a month or so ago, sure, there are discusses of a virulent Today I am as well as I ever was in nature, such as cancer, tuberculosis, my life. I am no longer nervous, my diabetes, etc., which are organic, and food does not distress me in the least, are not traceable to the stomach, but and I have a splendid appetite. I am even fevers can, in nine cases out of gaining flesh very rapidly-in fact, at even fevers can, in nine cases out or grinning near very rapidly—in fact, at ten, be traced to something taken into the stomach. All of this half-sick, nervous exhaustion that is now so common, is caused by the stomachic conditions, and it is because my rem-and Mr. Cooper deserves all his sucedy will and does regulate the stom- cess. ach that I am meeting with such suc-

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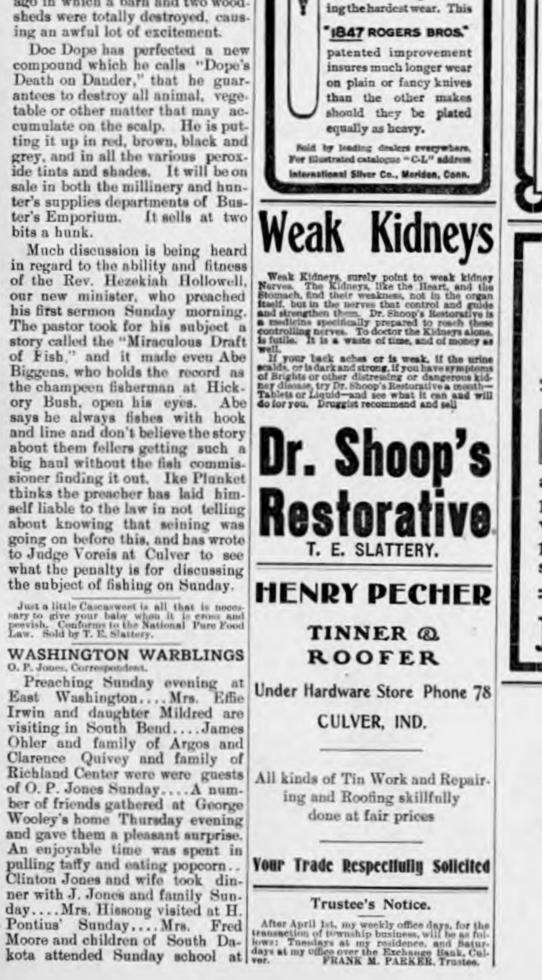
Doc Dope has perfected a new compound which he calls "Dope's Death on Dander," that he guarantees to destroy all animal, vegetable or other matter that may accumulate on the scalp. He is putting it up in red, brown, black and grey, and in all the various peroxide tints and shades. It will be on sale in both the millinery and hunter's supplies departments of Buster's Emporium. It sells at two bits a hunk.

Much discussion is being heard in regard to the ability and fitness of the Rev. Hezekiah Hollowell, our new minister, who preached his first sermon Sunday morning. The pastor took for his subject a story called the "Miraculous Draft of Fish," and it made even Abe Biggens, who holds the record as the champeen fisherman at Hickory Bush, open his eyes. Abe says he always fishes with hook and line and don't believe the story about them fellers getting such a big haul without the fish commissioner finding it out. Ike Plunket thinks the preacher has laid himself liable to the law in not telling about knowing that seining was going on before this, and has wrote to Judge Voreis at Culver to see what the penalty is for discussing the subject of fishing on Sunday.

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WASHINGTON WARBLINGS s, Corre

Preaching Sunday evening at East Washington Mrs. Effic Irwin and daughter Mildred are visiting in South Bend....James Ohler and family of Argos and Clarence Quivey and family of Richland Center were were guests of O. P. Jones Sunday A number of friends gathered at George Wooley's home Thursday evening and gave them a pleasant surprise. An enjoyable time was spent in pulling taffy and eating popcorn ... Clinton Jones and wife took dinner with J. Jones and family Sunday Mrs. Hissong visited at H.







Mrs. Schuyler Crowninshield.

As Told by an Said: Old Salt

By Mrs. Schuyler-Crowninshield

How a United States Captain Tried to Steal a Confederate General-An Interesting Event of 1864 When Lleut. Cushing was Commanding the Monticello, a Plucky Little Craft with a Plucky Young Captain-The Wife of a Rear Admiral Tells the Story.

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(Mrs. Schuyler Crowninshield, wife of Rear Admiral Crowninshield, by reason of her talents, is quite as well known to the public as is the distinguished naval er whose name she hears. Following the success of her surlies books. Mrs. Crowninshield has won still wider recognition in the literary field by her "The Archbishop and the Lady," and its attractive sequel, "Valencia's Garden.")

mining manin was spoken the TESL looked down-hearted enough, but kept their eyes fixed on the bos'n's mate, hoping their's would be the next name. At last all were called. Then the bos'n's mate began to walk away, the men following him.

"'Oh!' I said, 'is that all?' " "That's all, my lad," said the mas-

ter-at-arms. "I tailed on to the line and walked

up with the others. That's where I considered myself just a leetle smart- life. er than the rest of 'em. The men were marched up to the mast, where the cap'n and the first licutenant stood.

"'My men,' said the cap'n., T'm going ashore on a rather dangerous expedition to-night. Do you want to EO?

"'Aye, aye, sir,' said every man. and I among them.

"Who told you to come, youngster?' said the bos'n's mate to me.

you won't, I'll give you all my tobacco for months to come."

"'You can't bribe me,' said the bos'n's mate. 'You haven't got your eyes open yet. Go hack to your quarters.

the old man.

"I'm only telling him that he isn't needed, sir,' said he. 'We have all out after the fleeing figure, but I that you called for. I've chosen the biggest and oldest and those who have had the most experience."

"'May I speak to the cap'n" said L "'No; get back to your-

""What is it, my lad?" asked the cap'n.

"I just gave one glance at the bos'n's mate. Now, wasn't that like hlm-our cap'n, I mean? I can see him now, hardly more than a lad, looking at me as if he was 50.

me. Oh, do! Oh, do! Oh, sir, please, cap'n, sir!"

"The cap'n laughed. 'The spirit of the ship!' he said.

"If it was the spirit of the ship, I knew who put it there.

"Have we room for one more, bos'n?' asked the cap'n, turning to where the bos'n was ordering the and forgot to give the alarm. boats lowered.

"'Yes, sir,' said the bos'n, 'if he'll stow himself in the bows." "'Very well, then, my man,' said

the cap'n. "While the boats were being lowered I ran below just to tell my gun's ing into the stronghold of the encrew and crow over the rest of 'em, and was on deck again quicker than general commanding. I thought of it you could say Jack Robinson.

"Then I heard Cap'n Cushing laugh "We got over the side and stowed -the sort of laugh that says: 'I guess ourselves away. There were two boats, three officers and 20 men, and "'No, no,' said the cap'n. 'You have perhaps because I was so young the your work to do here. It's a great cap'n ordered me to get into his deal harder to stay behind, and that's boat. We none of us knew what the why I choose you to do it. I know old man was up to, but we had heard I'm selfish, but I always was in a the word Smithville, and we knew his tracks before we took to our case like this, and you'll just have to that Gen. Herbert's headquarters were there, and the report said that there "I heard the orderly come running was about a thousand men under arms in the barracks. We didn't "'Tell Acting Ensign Jones that I right understand it, but we knew it wish to speak with him, and ask

Acting Master's Mate Howorth to it was. "I can tell you we were as quiet as "Then I knew that he was in for mice as we passed the forts at the something desperate, for those were mouth of the river and rowed quiet. brave men, of course. No one ever two as plucky officers as we had on ly up to the town. As we passed the belittled our enemy of the confedeboard the old Monticello. I couldn't forts a steamer was coming down the rate army, and it was only that it really say with justice that they were river. Her lights were extinguished, never occurred to them what darthe most plucky, for there wasn't a but we heard her paddle wheels and ing and dash Cushing possessed that pin's point, it seemed to me, to choose the throb of her engines, and presently the black mass loomed up just sot silently into our boats and floatahead of us. I felt the hoat give a course I knew it wasn't right, but I sudden lurch, as the cap'n ported his was bound to find out what they were helm to get out of the way of the steadily. Not a word was spoken, up to. I heard the officer who had great thing which would have run Now, I happened to be shipmates with been urgin' that he might go along us down as easily as I could crush rise and sigh and go out of the door. a fly. When we had steered clear of then they had discovered us? They Later, when I crept back to my sta- her I heard the old man say: 'That "Well, sir, to get down to my story, tion, I saw him walkin' up and down, was the Scotia. I meant to try her Lieut. Cushing was commanding the up and down and lookin' on the deck first if she had been at the wharf, shots rang out, but wide of the mark. but it would have been foolhardy course, he was her cap'n. I won't go say: 'Just my luck!' Just my luck!' while she was under way, and perinto the hackneyed talk of 'how we all From this you can see how many haps would have separated us from the other boat. I should like very

"Gen. Herbert, you may as well get up and come with us,' said Cap's

Cushing. "'I am not Gen. Horbert,' said the man in the bed.

"'Not Gen. Herbert? Who are you, then?' said the old man, and pretty sharply, too. Perhaps you can imagine the tone in which Cap'n Cushing said this. I never heard a voice so full of disappointment in all my

"'I am the chief of the engineer forces here."

"Where is Gen. Herbert?" "'He has gone to Wilmington,' said

the engineer. "'Gone to Wilmington!' echoed Cap'n Cushing. 'Well, if we can't find the principal we will have to hibitions are the result of a precontake one of his accessories. What is your name, sir?"

"'Capt. Reilly, at your service.' "Very well, captain. Get up, if go with us."

"Just here there was a rush of some one down the stairs outside the door. There was a dash at the window and a quiet scuffle began and a general set-to, and then 1 saw some "'What is that, bos'n's mate" said one jump off the end of the veranda and run out into the garden. I thought It might be the general, and I sprang looked in vain. I could see no one, the night was so dark. I heard only a rustling among the trees and shrubs into the woods near the house. I thought of pursuing him, but I now heard the rest of my party passing through the garden and out of the gate, and, thinking that anything else that I could do would only annoy and Times. delay 'em, and that the person who had dashed out of the window had "'Let me go! Oh, do please, sir, let gone to give the alarm and turn cut the whole thousand soldiers upon us, I decided to follow the old man and the officers.

I found out afterward that the person who had run away was the adjutant general, and he was so flabbergasted at being waked up with the noise that he really took to the woods

"But, now, just think of a youngster like Cap'n Cushing starting on sn expedition with only two boats and 20 men, rowing in past the forta, landing, capturing prisoners and goemy with the purpose of capturing the as I walked down to the boats and I could hardly believe that had been the cause of our expedition. We went back to the boats and got silently in. The prisoner was, you may be sure, well guarded, with a pistol at his head. Had he cried out it might have quinces!" been bad for us, but worse for him, for he would have dropped dead in

"When it comes to deliberately sacrificing your life for your country where nothing much is to be gained, a man hesitates. The prisoner heswas all right if Cap'n Cushing said itated and was saved. The sentry on the wharf was not 50 yards away from us, and we were about 50 yards from the Smithville fort. They were

Excuse Made by Mr. Caudle Was Really Rather Neat.

"Ah, ha!" said Mrs. Caudle II. a lady who had lost a little of the bloom of girlhood as she pointed her bony finger at her weak-kneed husband. "You have been drinking again. Don't deny

it. I smell sensen on your breath." "But, my dear-" "That'll do. Some are born to govern and some are born to be governed. I was born to govern, although just now I'm not governing much."

Caudle II. threw an apoplectic grin at his wife, swallowed two or three gasps and endeavored to explain:

"I tell you, my dear, my present incerted arrangement between us whereby we were to economize." He found it necessary to stop here and wait for his grandlose statement to "Don't send me back," said I, "If you please, and dress, for you must sift through his wife's pompadour. (How Mme. Pompadour must writhe in her grave to know those hideous

deformities are her namesakes.) "You see, madam," he continued, we-I-you-we both agreed to economize, did we not?"

"We did," and a pair of \$15 false

"Well," said Caudie II., getting a little more self-confidence as he continued, "it is this way, madam. Drinks are 15 cents aplece. For the first time to-day I ascertained these same and then the person dashed away drinks sold two for a quarter." He walted a minute to see if his logic were soaking through the rat.

"Since they were two for a quarter, I saved five cents by buying two, hence present condition!"-Denver my

Better Mind Her P's and Q's.

A little girl had been to Sunday school for the first time, and had been much interested in the lesson, which had as its foundation the text, "Put your trust in the Lord, and place no trust in princes."

About a week later when she returned from kindergarten she found her mother busy helping the cook prepare fruit to make jelly. She sat down to watch-they were too busy to let her help-and presently she heard her mother give an impatient exclamation.

"What is it, mamma?" she asked. "Oh, every one of those quinces is bad at the core and I'm very much dis-

appointed for I had counted on them; wanted to finish my jelly to-day." "I wish I had known" said the little girl with he wisest little air. "I could have told you better mamma, for it was only last Sunday that Miss Holbrook warned us to put our trust in the Lord and have no confidence in

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Little Mary's father had been teaching her to walk properly, "Walk slowly and turn out your toes," he admonished her.

While she was undergoing this teaching she attended Sunday school one day. The golden text was, "Teach me to walk honestly." After reciting it several times, the teacher asked:

Who knows what that means

boats.

"The man I speak of was Llout, Willlam Cushing. God forgive me for between any of 'em. calling him just a man. A gentleman, every inch of him! An officer, every inch of him! And a daredevil, flesh, blood, mind, heart and soul! Lieut. Cushing when he commanded the Monticello in 1864.

Monticello in February, '64, and, of and shakin' his head, and I heard him loved him.' Do you know how old he skeery ones there was in the ship. was? Just 24, as I'm a livin' sinner.

"For some time we hadn't found anything to do, and the days had hung rather heavy on our hands. We was Mr. Howorth followed him. The enalways lookin' out for somethin' to sign was out of breath. turn up, but though we were under way and at anchor, going in close going to take me.' and drawing off again, dodging around Frying Pan shoals and steaming up and down off Fort Fisher and New inlet, those wretched blockade runners would douse the glim and slip by us in the night, over and over.

The Monticello was not a very big boat, but she was plucky, and her party.

First we saw the old man get in the gig and pull over to the flagship, askin' permission, maybe, and then, along about night, I saw that onto that boat. there seemed to be some sort of consuitation and talk among the officers. I asked the signal quartermaster what along?" was up, and he answered me politely that I could go and ask the cap'n. Then I asked the orderly who was round the cabin door to run errands and messages. He told me to go right in the cabin and ask the cap'n, and probably he'd tell me all about it. Then I asked an afterguard-sweeper what all the rumpus was, and he said he was darned if he knew, but he er, too!

tended I had work to do around the found that they were goin' somewhere,

a sea scrpent. One of the officers

charge of the expedition."

asked the old man.

you don't know me.'

put up with it. Orderly!"

come into the cabin."

in your place."

nft.

"'Cap'n, I wish you'd let me take

" 'Who would look out for the ship?'

"'Why, pardon me, cap'n, I could go

"Well, I stood and listened. Of

"In a moment Acting Ensign Jones Scotia. I shall try it, I think, when keeping enough, and he sent him ca was in the cabin, and shortly after

"'Take you where?' asked the old volce.

"'Wherever you're going, cap'n. I know something's up, sir. I can't say what-I'll-do, but, I'll-I'll-'

"There was silence. I peeked in commander was a match for her. One Howorth standin', his mouth working officers and 20 men, all told. day I noticed there seemed to be sideways like a dingey in the trough something going on. Preparations of the sea, and actually, if you'll beseemed to be making for a landing lieve me, his eyes were full of tears. and cryin'. Dang me, if I didn't be-

lleve I should boo-hoo over the rail,

"'Of course, you're going,' said the cap'n, 'and now whom shall we take

so. Finally they montioned me. My heart actually stopped beating.

"'Well, they're all good fellows,' said the old man.

"'Suppose we call for volunteers," said one of the officers.

thought they was gettin' ready to go I shall have to select some. The trou- in various expeditions, but though I a-fishin'. Well, I felt pretty well ble is that those on board will feel was not asked to accompany 'em, I snubbed, and by an afterguard-sweep- it a personal matter if they are left crept along after, for I meant to be in and underneath the words 'U. S. Navy' behind.

"So I watched and waited and pre- and shouted: 'Take me!' but I knew quietly up through the garden, and I that such a breach of discipline would followed. The first thing I heard was cabin. I went aft and hung around land me in the brig, with no going a window being pushed up gently. the port. I heard Cap's Cushing talk- ashore for a week, perhaps, so I I stepped upon the plazza and looked 24 to a general commanding a garing with some of his officers, and I crept back to the fo'c'sle and waited. into the room. Cap'n Cushing was al. rison!

but from their talk I judged that if come aft and call a man from below. Jones and Mr. Howorth. There was I had no heroic deeds to relate of mythey were goin' a fishin' it must be Then he called another and another, a lamp burning low. A figure rose for something as big as a whale or But I didn't hear my name. As each up in the bed.

she returns.' "The Scotia was a blockado run- Admiral Lee, at Hampton Roads, Virner which we had often hoped to ginia. "'O, cap'n,' he said, 'I hope you're catch and burn. And now that she was out of the way. I wondered what plan our commanding officer had in time after this some prisoners were man. I could hear the smile in his his head. As we pulled ashore I saw to be exchanged. I was on deck, a big building looming up, which snoopin' 'round as usual, as the boat some one said was the hotel. There pushed off. I didn't ask to go in were one or two lights in it, and I that boat. Exchangin' prisoners was wondered if it was full of confederate dull work, for you are protected by officers and soldiers, and if our cap- a flag of truce all the way to the through the port. There was Mr. tain expected to capture 'em with two shore and all the way back again.

cap'n ordered the men to hide them-He might have known he was goin', selves under the bank. Some of us was going over the side with the last he ordered to come with him, and you instructions Cap'n Cushing called may be sure I didn't stay behind. If too, if somehow or other I didn't get there was going to be fun, I was going in for it. The first thing we did kind enough to hand Gen. Herbert my was to capture some negroes who were at the salt works.

"The men's names were discussed. Gen. Herbert?' to which the men re-There's so and so, and there's so and plied: 'Right up dah, sah, in de hotel, sah!'

our men to guard the boats. He said: over his shoulder as he wrote. The 'I don't want too many. They would card looked like this: hinder me. I'll take you with me, Jones, and you, Howorth, and one sea-"They'd all volunteer, every man man.' He chose, of course, a brawny Jack of 'em,' said the old man. 'No, old fellow who had been with him it now, as I told you, if there was "I nearly put my head into the port to be any fun. The others walked

"By and by I saw the bos'n's mate | ready in the room and so were Mr.

the place was not better guarded. Wo ed down the river.

The mon all pulled quietly and but suddenly a light flashed out from Fort Caswell. A signal light! Ah, had at least discovered that strange boats were in the harbor, and their We heard 'em splashing in the distance, but not one came near us. I heard the cap'n say that the papers he captured were not important, but the first opportunity to Acting Rear

I noticed few volunteers there were, and just those men were sent whom "We got out of the boats, and the the first lleutenant picked out and ordered to go. As one of the officers out:

"'Oh, by the way, will you be card?' The officer seemed surprised. but of course he turned round, sa-"I heard the cap'n ask: 'Where is luted, and said: 'Yes, sir,' waiting while the old man fumbled in his pocket for a card. At last he found it. Then he felt for a pencil, and I "Cap'n Cushing then left some of had the bad manners to cast my eye

LIEUT. W. B. CUSHING, United States Navy, Commanding U. S. S. Monticello,

"Then I saw him scribble over the top of his name 'Compliments of.' I saw that he wrote the words:

"'Very sorry you were not at home when I called. Hope for better luck next time."

"Now think of that from a lad of

"You see, sir, I told you the truth. self, for I only looked on and followed where a youngster led the way."

French Scientist's Discovery.

The French scientist, Dr. Forlin, has discovered that the light from a mercury vapor lamp, passing through two sheets of blue glass and reflected much to call upon the captain of the he had the engineer officer in safe into the eye by a large lens, reveals the internal conditions infinitely better than the ordinary white light. By placing a screen with a pin hole between the light and the eye a magnificent image of the vessels at the "Now, it happened that a short back of the retina, which have hitherto been almost invisible, has been obtained. The capillary value, the diameter of which is only two-thousandths of a millimeter, are seen to distend with each heartbeat, and it is even possible to count the blood globules.

Diplomacy.

A good story comes from Philadelphia with reference to a young soclety matron who sought the advice of her pastor touching a peculiarly personal and delicate matter of conscience.

"I would like to have your opinion, sir," said she, "as to whether or not the use of rouge is wrong."

The diplomatic clergyman smiled. "Some," said he, "hold that there is nothing permicious in a bit of rouge; others, on the contrary, regard the use of this cosmetic as most reprehensible. To me it seems best to steer a middle course. You might, therefore, use rouge on one cheek only."-Harper's Weekly.

A Jollier.

Mayor Douglass of Niagara Falls said the other day of an office-seeker: "He is a joiller. He reminds me of a chicken thief of Utica.

"A police reporter wrote of this thief, 'The prisoner laughed aloud for mercy.' And when the night editor asked for an explanation of that queer sentence, the reporter said:

"'It's exactly what happened. Every poor old feeble joke the magistrate made, the scoundrelly thief roared fit to split his sides.""

"I do," replied little Mary. "Walk slowiy and turn out your toes."

Worse and Worse,

"The late Admiral Walker," said a naval officer in Washington, "believed heartily in marriage for sailors. He always urged sailors to wod. Nantical bachelors were held up to scorn by him.

"Strolling with him in New York one day we met a young ship-broker. Admiral Walker hailed the young man delightedly. He clapped him on the back, wrung his hand and cried:

"'Congratulations on your marriage, my young friend. No more sewing on of buttons now, eh?"

"'No, indeed,' said the ship-broker sharply. 'I wear a belt now. It keeps me so busy raising money to pay my wife's bills that I have no time to sew on buttons.""

Martins' Revenge.

A correspondent tells the story of two house martins' nests built against an attic window of a farm, to which the birds came for several successive years. Last spring, however, before they arrived, a sparrow took up her abode in one of the nests.

Shortly after the martins returned as usual, and one day the farm people noticed that the hole of the nest which the sparrow occupied had been blocked up. Next morning a boy climbed up to ascertain the meaning of this, and not finding any outlet broke away part of the nest, to find the poor little sparrow dead on her eggs.

The house martins had walled her up for daring to take possession of their house.-Country Life.

PLEASANT SUMMER. **Right Food the Cause.**

A Wis. woman says:

"I was run down and weak, troubled with nervousness and headache for the last six years. The least excitement would make me nervous and cause severo headache,

"This summer I have been eating Grape-Nuts regularly and feel better than for the six past years.

"I am not troubled with headache and nervousness, and weigh more than I ever have before in my life. I gained 5 lbs. in one week."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkga.

"There's a Reason."

FRIENDS OF HORSE PROTEST.

Ask for Better Anti-Gruelty Regulations in Germany.

According to the manager of the Berlin Society for the Prevention of Crueity of Animals, an excellent organization, there are no laws, ordinances or police regulations in Germany prohibiting the use of the check rein on horses with the exception of the police ordinances of Berlin. The only law in Germany, as far as this authority knows, which prohibits the all treatment of animals is that contained in the importal penal code, according to the provisions of which any one who publicly cruelly tortures or maîtreats an animal is liable to a fine not exceeding 150 marks (\$35.70) or to imprisonment of not over six weeks, Throwing stones or other hard bodies or mud at animals is also punishable by a fine not exceeding 60 marks (\$14.28) or an imprisonment of not . over 14 days. As the existing statutes are not regarded as sufficient properly to protect animals from cruel treatment, the various societies for the preventation of cruelty to animals in Germany are endeavoring to secure the enactment of new legislation which would provide them with more efficient legal support in their praiseworthy efforts.

A leaflet published by the same society makes it appear that laws of Germany for the protection of animals from cruelty are not as efficient as those of the United States. Although the societies and even a number of horse breeders deprecate the use of the check rein, they have not been successful hitherto, with the foregoing exception, in bringing about its abol-Ishment.

Vegetable Endowed With Brains.

Brain of plant life are the tendrils. Sensitive plants retract their leaflets when people approach as if they resented further intimacy. All vines which develop climbing organs called tendrils will reach out toward un if we place our hands in contact with them, and will even use a finger as a support to climb on. These tendrils will wind just as readily around a twig or grass stem. Tendrils are capable of exhibiting faculties and going through evolutions more wonderful than perhaps is realized. With their sensitive tips they test the objects they come in contact with, apparently considering their suitability as a support, and then accepting or rejecting them, as the case may be. The thoroughness with which these tips do their work is illustrated by an instance with a grape vine. A cherry branch whose leaves had been variously punctured and scalloped by insects hung near the tendril and a particular leaf his just one small hole in its blade, not over three-sixtcenths of an inch in diameter. So careful had been the exploration of the leaf's surface that this one small hole had been discovered by the tendril, which had thrust itself nearly three inches through the opening.

Practical Poet.

They were two minor or near poets.

WHEN MONEY WAS SCARCE.

of Missouri's History.

"However scarce money may be at times at the present," said an old Missourian, "the oldest inhabitants will recall when it was almost unobtainable and other commodities had to be used as media of exchange. The wolf's scalp was worth a dollar because it was a state bounty upon the death of a wolf, and venison hams and deer skins also had a purchasing value. Skins of the fur bearers were likowise abundant and valuable. When the first sheriff of Audrain county, in 1837, went to Jefferson City to deliver the county revenue, he met an old friend on the way who, needing money, wanted to borrow the actual coin part of the county's revenue. The good-hearted sheriff lent it to him and went on to the capital and delivered only the scalps. By the time of the next settlement the loan was repaid and the sheriff made his next settlement complete. No note or other obligation than the mere word was given."-Columbia Herald.

The Peaceful Cow.

She was even more afraid of cows than most girls, so when she spied a placid animal recumbent under a tree, peacefully chewing its cud, she at first refused to go through the pasture at all. Her husband calmed her fears to some extent, and they started by, when the cow slowly commenced to get up, hind legs first, as they always do. At this the little lady shricked with terror, and said:

"Oh, Bob, hurry, hurry, he is getting ready to spring at us!"-Harper's Magazine.

TO PRETENDERS.

A Wholesome Word for Guldance.

Just a word to you, "Collier's" and other glaring examples of Modern Yellow Journalism and Cigarettes,

Environment gives you a view-point from which it is difficult to understand that some people even nowadays act from motives of old fashioned honesty.

There are honest makers of foods and healthful beverages and there are honest people who use them.

Perhaps you are trained to believe there is no honesty in this world. There is, although you may not be of a kind to understand it.

Some of you have been trained in a sorry class of pretenders, but your training does not taint the old fashioned person trained without knowledge of pretense and deceit.

whese letters came to us absolutely without solicitation. We have a great many thousand from people who have been helped or entirely healed by following the suggestions to quit the food or drink which may be causing the physical complaints and change to Postum Coffee or Grape-Nuts food. You are not intelligent enough to

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Practically Unobtainable During Period Unable to Move About On Account of Kidney Troubles.

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Mrs. Anna Beebe, River and Monroe Sta., Anoka, Minn., says: "I had to sit in a chair day



exertion. I had dizzy spells and bearing down pains and the kidney secretions were much disordered. I thought I would not live long, but since using Doan's Kidney Pills I am a different woman, can do my own work and have no fear of those troubles returning." Sold by all druggists. 50 cents a

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

HERE'S A NEW DEFINITION.

And Many There Are Will Say Senator Platt Was Right.

A rather cynical joke has been recently credited to Senator Platt.

The senator, on his last visit to the Manhattan Beach hotel, allowed a pretty little girl, a western millionaire's daughter, to be presented to him.

The little girl, in the course of one of her many chats with the aged statesman, said:

"Tell me, won't you, senator, what political economy is?"

"Political economy, my dear child," Senator Platt is said to have replied, "is the art of never buying more votes than you actually need."

BABY'S ECZEMA GREW WORSE.

Hospitals and Doctors Could Not Relieve Him-But Cuticura Remedies a Speedy, Permanent Cure.

"Eczema appeared when our baby was three months old. We applied to several doctors and hospitals, each of which gave us something different every time, but nothing brought relief. At last, one of our friends recommended to us Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. A few days afterwards improvement could be noted. Since then we have used nothing but Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment, and now the baby is six months old and is quite cured. All that we used was one cake of Cutleura Soap and two boxes Cuticura Olntment, costing in all \$1.25. C. F. Kara, 343 East 65th Street, New York, March 30, 1906."

Eluding the Teacher.

Willie came to school for the first time. In one hand he carried a cap and in the other a bunch of bananas. "You can't come in here with those

bananas," said the teacher, Willie went out. In a few minutes

he came back, walking slowly and painfully.

"Where did you put the bananas?" asked the teacher. "I hid them all right," gasped Willie; "they're safe inside of me."

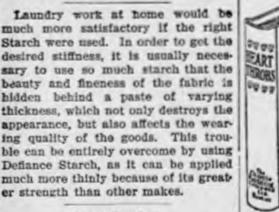
Sheer white goods, in fact, any fine ly satisfactory if proper attention was given to starching, the first essential being good Starch, which has sufficient strength to stiffen, without thickening the goods. Try Defiance Starch and you will be pleasantly surprised at the improved appearance of your work-

Saying "Hello" to Heart Throbs. "It is a curious thing," said a prominent lecturer recently, "how some books have a strong radiating personality, so that you feel like saying 'Howdy' every time you come across them. Last Christmas I visited friends back at the old home on the farm. When the supper dishes had been put away, the chores done and the evening lamp lighted we gathered beside the organ for a good old fashioned 'sing.' On the center table were strewn the Christmas remembrances taken from Christmas tree on the evening before. Glancing over them I suddenly exclaimed 'Hello! my good friend, Hello!' and as the others looked up with surprise, I picked up a copy of 'Heart Throbs' and read to them from its pages the 'piece' I spoke in school 40 years ago. "That was enough to set in motion

the friendly entertaining spirit of Heart Throbs, and the music was forgotten as we took turns reading the humorous and pathetic bits of prose and verse that have been preserved in this wonderful volume. Some books have great literary value, some have historical significance, but Heart Throbs is the only book I know that slaps you on the back in a friendly sort of way, sulting itself to your moods and proving faithful to every emotion. Next to my love of the Bible I love Heart Throbs. It is the most notable book of the times."

Restricted Choice.

"The people and the corporations," said Senator La Follette the other day, "remind me of a woman and her little boy. There was a very large chicken and a very small duck on the table and the woman, pausing with the carving knife raised, said: 'Johnny, which will you take, chicken or duck?" 'Duck,' piped Johnny. But the mother shook her head. 'No, Johnny,' she said In a firm, yet kindly voice, 'you can't have duck, my dear. Take your choice, darling, take your choice, but you can't have duck.""



Great Comfort.

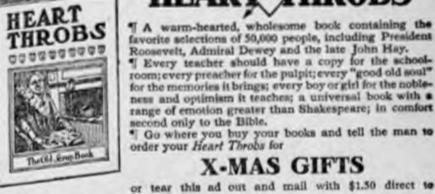
"Yes," remarked Mr. Hussell, impressively, "the doctor says if I don't take a rest and not work so hard I'll be dead in a year."

"Ah!" exclaimed his wife, "what a consolation it must be to you to know that your life's insured."

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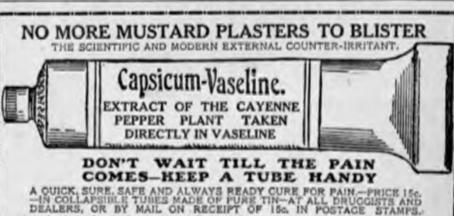
There is no fortune so good but it may be reversed, and none so bad but it may be bettered .- Scales.





CHAPPLE PUBLISHING COMPANY BOSTON, MASS.

935 Dorchester Avenue,



 1.10λ had surrounded several drinks, but it was only the shank of the evening and the coin hadn't held out to burn.

They sat at a cafe idly marking beery rings upon its polished surface. "I wish Burns was here," moodily

remarked the first bard.

"Um!" "I wish Kents was here."

"Um!" "I wish Petrarch was here,"

"Um!"

"I wish Omar was here."

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"I wish Croosus was here," peevishly interrupted the other half of the sketch.

"Because none of those other fellows would have a cent."

Then they wandered out into the night -- Puck,

Saving Walfs of England.

Mrs. Close has a 185-acre farm for pauper children in Canada. She has there 12 boys and girls from England. They attend the public schools and at the same time exercise practical training in agricultural work and other useful subjects. She makes it a rule that the children shall be sent back to England when they show any disposition to join the army or the navy or the merchant marine, or when altuations can be found for them in England. The experiment promises to be successful in every respect, including a saving to ratepayers.

Increased Production of SalL

More salt was produced in the United States in 1905 than in any previous year, and the value of the product was greater than in any year since 1890. The quantity was 2,-944,133 short tons, or 25,172,350 harreis, valued at \$6,658,350, s gain of 208,876 tons, or 2,206,588 barvels, over the production in 1965. This increase in production was accompanied by a slight increase in price from \$1.68 to \$1.69 per ton-not sufficient, according to some producers, to offset the increased cost of labor and supplies.

The Right Line.

First college president-What sort of an opening did you have? Second college president-A new full back and three crack linesmon.

The Real Thing.

Little Willie-"What is laughter, D8T

Pa-"Laughter, my son, is the sound a man hears when his hat blows off and rolls in the mud."

This first letter is from the President of the "Christian Nation", a worthy Christian paper of New York.

New York, Oct. 2, 1907. Postum Cereal Co., Ltd.,

Battle Creek, Mich.

Dear Sirs:

I am, this morning, in receipt of the enclosed mighty good letter from one of my subscribers, which I forward to you, and which I am sure you will be glad to use. I am personally acqualated with this lady, and know that she has no object in writing, other than to do good.

> Cordially. John W. Pritchard, Pres.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Oct. 1, 1907. Dear Mr. Pritchard:

Noticing Postum Food Coffee advertised each week in your reliable paper, I educluded to try it, and feeling It a duty towards those who may have suffered as I have from indigestion, desire to state what wonderful benefit I have received from Postum although using only a short time, and not do. I alone realize and appreciate its good effects, but friends remark, "How much I have improved and how well I look", and I tell the facts about Postum every time, for since using It I have not had one attack of indigestion. It is invigorating, healthful; does not affect the nerves as ordinary coffee, and if properly made, a most delicious drink. Although I have not had much faith in general advertising, yet, finding Postum has done so much better for me shan I expected I am more inclined to "Prove all things, hold fast that which is good." I am so thankful for good health that I want it known what a blessing Postum has been to me. You may use these few lines as an ad, if you so de-

tire and my name also. Very truly yours,

Anna S, Reeves.

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Those Railway Croakers.

"Yes, that's the great railway man." "Why does he look so gloomy?" "He's trying to make himself think that hard times are coming."-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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STOP WOMAN AND CONSIDER

First, that almost every operation in our hospitals, performed upon women, becomes necessary because of neglect of such symptoms as Backache, Irregularities, Displace-ments, Pain in the Side, Dragging Sensations, Dizziness and Sleepless-Dess.

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ulates, strengthens and restores women's health and is invaluable in preparing women for child-birth and during the period of Change Life

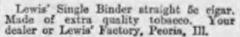
Third, the great volume of unsolicited and grateful testimonials on file at the Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass., many of which are from time to time being published by special permission, give absolute evi-dence of the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Mrs. Pinkham's advice.

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Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women

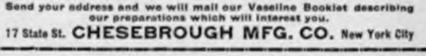
Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. for advice. She is the Mrs. Pinkham who has been advising sick women free of charge for more than twenty years, and before that she assisted her mother-in-law, Lydia E. Pinkham in advising. Thus she is especially well qualified to guide sick women back to health. Write today, don't wait until too late.

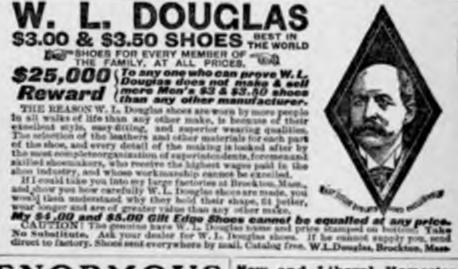


The heart that feeds on pride must have many an ache in its stomach.

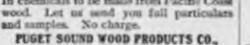


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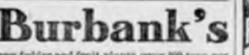








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BEITER HIMES.

Government Relieves Situation by Big Issue of Obligations.

Secretary Cortelyou announced on Monday that the U.S. treasury would immediately issue \$50,000,-000 of Panama canal bonds, bearing 2 per cent and running 30 years. and \$100,000,000 of 3 per cent debt certificates, payable Nov. 30, 1908. The leading financial men of the country believe that this action will relieve the financial stringency by bringing out hoarded money for investment in the bonds and certificates and by furnishing the banks Wm. Norris' Sunday. with a basis for issuing additional notes.

President Roosevelt, in a communication to Secretary Cortelyou, ap-

proving of the issue, says: What is most needed just at present is that our citizens should realize how fundamentally sound business conditions in this country dinner at Henry Burkett's on Sunare, and how absurd it is to per- day. mit themselves to get in a panie Mrs. Irwin attended the funeral and create a stringency by hoard- of her sister in-law at South Bend ing their savings instead of trust- Sunday.

natural course, and the people can help themselves and the country Burkett were guests at Clem Curmost by putting back into active | tis' Sunday. circulation the money they are hoarding.

The banks and trust companies Thursday afternoon. are solvent. There is more currenwas a month ago, when the supply was ample. Fifty-five million dol. lars in gold has been imported and the government has deposited an-other \$60,000,000. HIBBARD HAPPENINGS.

These are facts; and I appeal to Mrs. E. J. Reed, Cor the public to co-operate with us in Albert Ackerman, who works in restoring normal business condi. Chicago, visited his family over tions. The government will see Sunday J. L. Mosher, who had that the people do not suffer if on- two ribs broken Monday by being ly the people themselves will act thrown from a wagon, is getting in a normal way. Crops are good along nicely. Elbridge Thompson and business conditions are sound; and wife are meantime looking afand we should put the money we have into circulation in order to meet the needs of our abounding evening and had a pleasant time... prosperity.

is now steps that you now take, Tuesday. the ability of the government to bock them up, and the fact that not a particle of risk is involved therein, give the fullest guarantees of the sound condition of our peo-ple and the sound condition of our treasury. All that our people have to do now is to go ahead with their normal business in a normal fash-ion and the whole difficulty disap. ion and the whole difficulty disappears; and this end will be achieved at once if each man will act as he normally does act and as the real conditions of the country's business fully warrant his now acting.

their new home in Leiters this week Florence Meiser of Rochand John Cooks took dinner at J.

Draiffeon Duranda

WEST WASHINGTON.

Rev. Walmer was entertained at

Miss Essie Kline spent last week at Frank Kline's.

Leo Norris visited at W. J. Cartis' Saturday and Sunday.

Theo. Kline and wife spent Saturday evening and Sunday at Ar-

William Anderson and wife took

ing perfectly sound banks. There is no particle of risk in-volved in letting business take its day night.

B. A. Curtis and family and Cora

Elva Loudon, Rosa Curtis and Nellie Kline called on Mrs. Irwin

The following persons were call-ers at J. L. Scheuerman's Sunday:

Retta McKee is visiting her par-There is no analogy at all with the way things were in 1893. On and wife entertained relatives Santhe way things were in 1893. On Nov. 30 of that year there was in the treasury but \$161,000,000 in gold. On Nov. 14 of this year there was in the treasury \$904,000: 000 of gold. Ten years ago circu-lation per capita was \$23.23. It is is now \$200,000 that year how take

matter of a contraction of the poli C. McGrew and wife will move to Rev. Hutchinson of Donaldson dies' social met with Mrs. Glass on preached at Snyder school house Wednesday. Those present: Mesweek Florence Meiser of Roch-ster spent Saturday and Sanday Sunday afternoon. He was ac-ster spent Saturday and Sanday be big sife. Ma and Sanday Barnes and Barden. For Sale at the Culver Elevator. with her parents.... Chas. Meiser companied by his wife Mr. and They are getting up a nice proand Della Edgington spent a few Mrs. Charley Ransbottom of Ober gram and will serve supper next days last week with the former's attended services Sunday at Sny. Saturday Mr. and Mrs. J. S. sister, Mrs. Floyd Campbell, at der Mr. and Mrs. Barnes were Bottorff arrived at J. H. Barnes' on Hanna, Ind The John Ellises visitors at Ober last Thursday as Friday from Warsaw. Mrs. Botguests of W. W. Osborn A torff, who met with a serious acci-J. Wagoner's Sunday Preach- young tramp called one evening at dent last May, is getting so she ing at this place a week from Sun-day morning. the home of Mr Abers and begged can go on crutches....Mrs. Pike and Mr. and Mrs. Barnes and took pity on him, especially as he Frank Zumbaugh partook of a fine was naked and starving. He dinner with Mrs. Zumbaugh Sun-

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Barnes took supper Friday with Mrs. Lucinda Kinzie.

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Runs on Banks.

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Tuesday...Jake Wilson has moved to Plymouth Mrs. Ida OsbornR. M. Currens and wife of and watch for the happy tidings. Goodland are visiting their son ... Maude Maxey spent Sunday at home... Bertha Jain, a school teacher at San Pierre, visited Maud Maxey Sunday....Edwirna Me-Farland, teacher at English Lake, was home Sunday....D. E. Van vactor will presch Surday evening Goodland are visiting their son

MOUNT HOPE MAGNETS.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morgan of Warsaw arrived Tuesday evening to be at the bedside of the latter's mother, Mrs. Wm. Hay, who has been ill the past two weeks ... Mrs. Isaac Edgington and Mrs. Enola Meredith Hicks are visiting relatives in and near Rochester Mr. Galloway and son Howard of Macy were the guests of George

OAK GROVE DAIRY.

Willie Scheunke came home Sunday from Hamlet where he was at work for the past six waeks.... Lee Conner is home from Chicago, having been laid off on account of the recent money scare Mr. and Mrs. Snavely will move to Ohio

Runs on banks are never carried soon Stephen Aker of Ober on by persons who understand any- took contracts here Saturday for thing about banking. Invariably they are started by persons who are ignorant of the functions of a bank and who do not appreciate the intricate system of banking. Such persons are excitable or sus-picious. They hear some kind of a rumor and ruch to the bank to a rumor and rush to the bank to day forenoon. Protracted meet-secure their funds before somebody ings will begin at this place in the else can get there. Somebody else near future Wm. Ulery killed a sees them and goes after his money. large fat hog Saturday....George Another passes and becomes ner. Brown went to North Judson Sunvous and nneasy, and steps up and day where he has employment.... demands his money, and thus it Mr. and Mrs. John Kesler and goes, and 999 cases out of 1,000 children spent Sunday with relagoes, and 999 cases out of 1,000 there is no occasion whatever for anyone to demand his money. The banks are doing what they can to educate the people in the matter of banking, as everyone should under-stand the system, but at times it is simply impossible to control the unthinking, and great hardships are worked by persons who, had they been better posted, would have hesitated to go near the bank. main.... The social at Wintergreen A Mazey, Correspondent. Daniel Mutchell moved to Ober will be on Tuesday evening, Nov. 26, instead of 27, as announced... Hark! listen! Before long the wedis improving from her recent illness disg bells will ring again. Wait

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