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FROM. THE ACADEMY LOCAL JOTTINGS

the project takes concrete form in each. the building.

At the Sunday evening meeting Mr. Beal explained briefly his ideas as to size and equipment of the been placed on sale at the quarterproposed building. Guest rooms master's and will make a large facfor official guests of the academy tor in the Culver souvenirs disand association, game rooms, swimming pool, bowling alleys, anditorium and secretary's office are some calendar and on the various plates of the features laid down as desired she appears in appropriate costume if the wherewithal is forthcoming. as the plebe, the sailor, the cavalry, Major Gignilliat and Captain Glas. the winter, and the officer girl. cock gave short talks concerning The month cards containing the the benefit which the association calendar bear drawings illustrative had been to the academy and the of cadet activities during the passadditional benefits both to cadets ing seasons. and school which the association in its own home might bring. Secretary Beal also read a letter from Colonel Fleet which promised a hearty and substantial support Bend Saturday afternoon. from him.

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among the riflemen was held Sat- the academy.

MOUNT HOPE MAGNETS.

Samuel Myers is cutting timber for a bank barn.

Preaching at this place next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

Rev. and Mrs. Whittaker took dinner at Chas. Richard's Sunday.

Miss Della Edgington spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Claud Hay.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hobson spent Sunday with George Truex d wife.

took dinner with m. Listenberger and wife. Noah Wagoner W. W. Wilfret

Clara attended church daughter wanna Sunday. near Ke-Cleo Patesel of Culver visited

To arouse interest among the ca- | urday afternoon under the charge dets in the association building of Captain Kennedy. The contest which is the dream of local secre- was held in the gallery of the ridtaries, the Y. M. C. A. devoted its ing hall with each contestant firing meeting of last Sunday. Mr. Wi- five shots each from the prone and ley A. Miller, who was the resident standing positions. Only three secretary for three years, began the companies-D, C and A, were repagitation for a building to be the resented, and the competition was home of the Culver Y. M. C. A. a close one among these, D compaand interested a number of the pa- ny finally winning out. The hightrons in the undertaking. Mr. est individual scores were made by Beal has taken up the work and Seaver and Becker of D company, hopes to push the agitation until whose aggregate was 68 points

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A handsome 1909 calendar designed by Major Gignilliat has tributed at holiday time. The house this fall. "Culver Girl" is featured in the

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Captain and Mrs. Glascock attended the performance of "The mind you that a mighty acceptable Servant in the House" at South Christmas present to an absent rel. Mand of Plymouth took dinner I want an orange. Vera Smith.

Donald Armstrong of Denver, Culver Citizen. Col., a cadet of C. M. A. three -The wintry An inter-company competition years ago, spent Friday evening at

Post and Corps Elect.

Following are the newly-elected officers of Henry Speyer post:

Commander-J. F. Nutt. S. V. C. George Peeples. J. V. C.-Nathaniel Gandy. Chaplain-William Walker. Quartermaster - Sam'l Osborn. Officer of Day-J. E. Myers. Officer of Guard-Len Wilson. Surgeon-O. A. Rea. Patriotic Inst.-M. Heminger.

Speyer Relief Corps. President-Sylvia Rea. Sen. Vice-Sarah L. Mosher. Jun. Vice-Eva Porter. Secretary-Callie Medbourn. Chap.--Susannah Osboru. Conductor---Mariamostlethwaite. Guard---Julia Garn. Korp. Ass't Con.-Matilda Personette. Ass't Guard-Jonnie Nutt. Pat. Ins .- Mary Heminger. Musician-Mary Speyer.

-Get ready for the big snow. Every feller thinks his own thermometer is the nearest right. Wm, Grubb has reopened his

plumbing shop back of the Citizen office.

-Mrs. Martha Bower has bought a lot in the Henry Zechiel addition day and Wednesday in Mishawaka. for \$150.

-Art Castleman says the ice iness trip to Kalamazoo last week. men will be cutting ice on the last day of December. But will they? Chicago Saturday for a three days' -It is reported that Al Porter will run a short order restaurant and confectionery in his new store ous. He is now unable to recog-

room I. G. Fisher is finishing up three rooms one of them a bath an attack of the mumps and tyroom which he has added to his phoid fever combined.

good at the lake this season. Ed eral weeks at Bement, Ill. Bradley and Arthur Morris have together made a killing of over 200.

made for a successor to C. W. New- son. man as manager of the Culver farm. The remainder of the Citizen's item been renewing acquaintance with was all right.

-This is the proper time to re- week. ative is a year's subscription to the with Mr. and Mrs. Dell Wills

-The wintry weather proved to be too much of a handicap on Mercursion and they have postponed it friends yesterday. until a more propitious time.

the Merrill concert they have the and Mrs. J. F. Cromley. satisfaction of knowing that they provided the public with an artistic entertaiument.

-The Fisher boys have been notified that a pony, harness and cart will be shipped to them on the 26th. This is a premium which they have earned for selling Satur- in the House" at South Bend Satday Evening Posts.

-Hicks has predicted a cold and stormy December. But Hicks was badly mistaken in his forecasts for all the fall months, and his disciples will naturally feel some shy about his December prognostification.

PERSONALITIES SANTA CLAUS LETTERS

George Kline, now of Plymouth, vas in town Tuesday night.

Frank Jones and wife went to Pern Saturday to visit relatives.

Mrs. I. C. Brooke and son Cyril are spending this week in Plymouth. Mrs. George Garn spent Tues-Ray Poor made a two days' bus-

Mr. and Mrs. Howard went to visit. Henry Oyler's condition is seri-

nize anyone. Verna Swigart is improving from

Mrs. Chas. McGaffey returned -The duck shooting has been Tuesday night from a visit of sev-

Miss Coro Quick of Chicago spent several days in town last week -No arrangement has yet been as the guest of Mrs. R. E. Hutchi-

Tuesday.

edith & Koontz' Michigan land ex- barber's trade, to see his Culver candy and fruit, too. Russell Smith, at our house. I want you to bring

Though the band boys did not is spending a week's vacation in doll, a little trunk, a little coffee add anything to their treasury from Calver visiting his parents, Mr. grinder and a little dresser. This should buy some. Gracie Romig.

Frank and John Mitchell of ler. Mattooa, Ill., visited Saturday and Captain and Mrs Glascock, Mrs. Slattery and Mrs Holt attended the performance of "The Servant urday.

Monroe, Mich., to spend the re. lie Reed. mainder of the winter.

Rose Buswell.

Dear Santa: Please bring me a set of furs and a sweater jacket Your friend, Evelyn Howard.

Dear Santa Claus: I am 10 years bring me a set of dishes, a little friend, Ruth Cline. lamp, a doll and some candy. Nellie Doty.

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a set of furs and a sweater jacket, a box of stencils, a bag of candy, a banana and an orange. Bernice M. Howard.

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a football, a dictionary and a

Dear Santa: I want a new pair too. Leona Smith. of skates and a little shotgun and

J. S. Bush of Dayton, Ind., has for this time. Samuel Buswell.

Dear Santa Claus: Please send Fred Murray ran down from Chi- sleigh. Please bring me a horn reader, some nuts, games and cancago, where he is working at the and a wagon and a top. I like dy. You shall always be welcome

Elza Cromley of Indiana Harbor me a book, a bank, a bed for my will be all for this time. Ina Kess-

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little Sunday with their cousins, Mrs. boy 6 years old. Will you please so very kind to bring me all I W. A. Walker and Mrs. J. F. Nutt. bring me a threshing machine, a asked. I hope you still remember gun, and a little automobile and where I live. I don't care much some candy, a drum, a sled. Rex for little foolish don't care I am Doty.

years old. Will you please bring only want one toy-an American Mrs. Julia Garn has gone to He. me a fur and muff and a little pi- Flyer outfit-you know, a station, ena, O., to visit a sister for a few ano, a little stove, lots of nuts, fruit tunnel, bridge, track, turntable, weeks, and from there will go to and candy. Your little friend, Dol- switch and water tank. Besides,

Dear Santa Claus: Will you dy bear. Please bring me some Mrs. C. C. Collier received a tel- please bring me some nuts, games cundy and nuts too. Come down ephone message from Akron early and candy? I would like to have the chimney that's on the high -A state bank inspector made a last Saturday morning stating that a doll, some picture books and a side of the house; there is no stove thorough examination of the Ex-her mother was dying. She left at pair of ribbons. When you come there. You might burn your feet change bank and found its business once for the above place. Her Christmas eve I wish you would or the teddy bear. George Keller.

Dear Santa: Please bring me a bring me some of them. Then doll and a cab to put it in and a bring me a pair of stockings and set of dishes and a lot of candy, some warm clothes for this winter. I think that is all I want. Freeda Romig.

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring and a box of stencils and a book. me a telescope to look through, a tennis ball and colored pencil. Bring us all some candy, fruit and old. I'm in the fifth grade. Please nuts. From your little 7-year old

> Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl 7 years old. I go to Kaley school. Eva Davis is my teacher. Please bring me a cradle for my doll, a little rubber ball and a handkerchief. Your dear friend, Nellie Hatten.

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a doll and bed. Hazel wants a doll with curly hair and a ribbon fruit and nuts. From your little 8-year old friend, Nolan Cline. on its hair. I want a bag of candy too. Florence said she wants a story book. I want a story book,

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little a top. Bring me a pair of stock- girl 7 years old. I am in the first ings and some candy. That's all reader. I like to go to school. Will you please bring me a doll, a doll Dear Santa Claus: I want a big cab and bed and a set of dishes for his Culver friends during the past doll and a doll cab. I want a pair Christmas so I can play house and of skates. Please bring mamma have a dinner. And bring me some Ike Martindale and daughter something, too. And a story book, candy for on my table. Lulu Good-

year. Dear Santa Claus: I would be snow so you can come in your glad to have you brisg me a first Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a stove and a doll cab, too. hope your deer do not get sick before Christmas. If they do you Mr. Santa Claus, Toyland; Dear Santa: You no doubt will be surprised to hear from me again, but I wrote you last year and you were for little foolish things, as 1now. Dear Santa: I am a little girl 6 Just think, I am 8 years old. I getting to be quite a big boy now. bring me a gun, sled and a big ted-

over Sunday with relatives in this neighborhood.

Ris Calton and wife of Leiter's Ford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wagoner.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kaiser of Monterey were the guests of Mr.

were the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cunningham. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing of Kewanna were the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Groves, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bunn and Rev. and Mrs. Halstead and wife were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bunn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Edgington left Sunday morning to visit friends and relatives at Marion and Kokomo for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Young of Mexico arrived Thursday evening to spend a few weeks with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Slonaker.

High School Monograms.

The High School Athletic association, organized last winter, has received the sweater monograms which are to be given to the members who have played in three winning contests with outside schools. monograms are Harry Medbourn, cil Grayson was the leader. George Crossland, Hollis Rollins, Preaching at the Christian church Ralph Kline and Arthur Dillon.

rated after the holidays.

Expression of Appreciation.

lege as a corps to be recognized as officers for the Sunday school. an auxiliary to the post of this Preaching services at the Evangelplace, and as such we have enjoyed ical church in town next Sunday a treat of oysters prepared by the evening. The revival meeting at post. The corps wish to extend a Rutland closed last Monday evenvote of thanks to the post. It is ing. The result was one converthe expression of each member of sion. the corps that the treat was appreciated to the full extent of our capacity.

CALLIE MEDBOURN, Sec'y. SYLVIA REA. Pres.

Ten per cent off the regular

Epworth League Election.

Following are officers of the Senand Mrs. L. B. Slonaker Saturday. jor Epworth league of the Culver Mr. and Mrs. Odes Cunningham M. E. church, for the ensuing six months: President-Lucretia Rea. First Vice-Jennie Keen.

Second Vice-Eva Davis. Third Vice-Chloe Butler. Fourth Vice-Mrs. W. Osborn. Secretary Clara Shilling. Treasurer-Carrie Davis. Organist-Myrtie Medbourn. Chorister-Frank Baker.

Evangelical Sunday School.

The following officers were elected last Sunday:

Supt .-- W. S. Easterday. Asst. Supt .- Wm. Norris. Secretary-Edna Woods. Floor Sec'y-Bessie Easterday. Treasurer-David Heminger. Organist-Mrs. F. B. Walmer. Asst. Organist - Gladys Cromley. Chorister-Arthur Zechiel. Librarian-S. S. Smith.

Church News.

Rev. Mr. Wright is still conduct. ing revival meetings at Monterey. In lieu of preaching service at The monogram is of diamond shape the M. E. church Sunday the Epwith the letters "C. H. S." in white worth league occupied the evening on a maroon background. The hour with a program of more than members thus far entitled to the ordinary length and interest. Ce-

Sunday morning and evening. The The basket ball schedule is be. Christmas entertainment commiting made up and will be inaugu- tee has decided to have the exercises Christmas eva.

Rev. F. B. Walmer will be at West Washington next Sunday Whereas, it has been our privi- morning to conduct the election of

> You should not miss the Columbian concert. It is better than any company ever in Culver.

> Sents reserved at the drug store for the concert Saturday night.

affairs not only up to the require- mother died that day and was burments of the law but in extra good condition. The bank has a 35 per cent reserve which is 13 per cent greater than the federal government requires of national banks.

-Most of the farmers have fin- summer and in which the liquors or "I am glad I am through," when the court at Plymouth to which dressee is not located. one could not discover a much the case was appealed for a change

to his barn the other evening to do ent term of court. Λ very deter- the name of the sender are allowa. and remained until after daylight the milking, one of his cows was mined fight has been waged in the ble, only no messages must be en. though unable to do anything tomissing. Knowing that the barn case and when tried before Justice closed. had been closed and there was no Voreis created a good deal of interway for the animal to get out he est in the community, and the case ing another vigorous kick against ly persons who saw the fire. went into the haymow and there at that time was heard by a large the people who insist on sending was bossy, gleefully nosing in the number of citizens of the township, tinsel-coated postcards through the Blanchard, was blazing up the outhay and enjoying her novel situa. it being the largest attended trial mail enclosed in an envelope bear- side of the house. Hosimer found tion. She had negotiated the stairs ever held here. without difficulty, but it took two

men to get her down.

person fired a rifle bullet into the telephone cable near S. J. Lenon's house several weeks ago and caused trouble in the service which Manager Butler was unable to locate until he appealed to the Logansport office where a tester was applied and he was informed that he would find the break within 135 to 185 feet of a certain point. The wonderful accuracy of the mechanover 30 miles away was demonstrated when Butler's measurement brought him within 35 feet of the break.

A bunter says that rabbits run after midnight early in the season, and before midnight later on. Why? Because early the weather is not so cold and the rabbits feed late at night. When the severe weather comes they feed in the earlier evening hours when the cold is less severe than it is after midnght. Calver sportsmen tell us that there 6 inches high, weighs 140 pounds, winter as common. One day last week a party shot only 10 on the territory where they killed 44 last year, and the ice house gang, chaperoned by Sam Modb

ied Monday .- Fulton Leader.

Wolford Blind Tiger Case.

In the blind tiger case tried at Culver before Justice Voreis last

When the case is tried at Ply--Some reckless or malicious number of our people present as friendship with tinsel postcards it The house, a story and a half

A Children's Party.

Miss Dessie Wills gave a party Saturday afternoon from 2 until 4:30 for her school friends. Those and Wahneeta Gandy, Grace Hawk, Ella Young, Ruth Alberts, Callie Hawk, Evelyn and Bernice Howard, Gertrude Rennels, Elsie Duddleical appliance used from a station son, Josie Washburn, Helen and Mary Clemons, Edna Calhoun, Goldie and Pearl Currens, Ruth Large, Marie Briner and Mildred Woods. They were treated with candy and pop corn. All reported a good time.

Claude Ransbottom Missing.

The police have been asked to search for Claude Ransbottom who Starke county, Nov. 30. He was last seen here in South Bend on smooth shaven and was dressed in a dark suit with a black soft hat .--South Bend News.

Notice my window display. I formly good for 42 years at locat

CHRISTMAS PACKAGES.

What you Should Do to Insure their Safe Delivery by Mail.

In the first place, and above all, ished husking. It seems queer to seized were ordered destroyed, Fred a return card on them to insure hear them say "I wish I was done," Wolford has filed an affidavit in their return to you in case the ad- the lake shore south of the Arling-

The postal department is making a one cent stamp, either on the the tracks of two men in the snow envelope or the card. For those leading from the house to the railmouth there will likely be a large who must appease the gods of road.

is well to remember: Always in cottage, built two years ago, was sending a tinsel card through the insured for \$1,300. A small amount mail, place the stamp on the out- of furniture left in the house was side of the envelope, and in case a insured for \$100. message is written on the card The barn on the place was set on make it a two cent stamp. There fire Oct. 1 and destroyed. Tracks present wore Verda Walmer. Helen can be no deviation from this rule, of two men were left on the ground and tinsel cards mailed otherwise at that time. are inadmissable and will be sent

to the dead letter office.

Series of Drouth Years.

Readers of the Gazette will remember that during the rainy time last spring, A. D. Ricketts made the prediction that we would go through a season of drouth before the year was out. He based his turned and there will be some surthat every seventh year, beginning with 1866, had been a drouth year, disappeared from his home in Ober. and he did not believe the rule would fail this year. Everybody can remember that seven years ago, 1901, was a year of drouth; but the drouth year preceding that was 1893 and not 1894, as the seventh year rule would make it. With this exception it is believed that Mr. Ricketts' rule has held uni,

A VICTIM OF **INCENDIARIES**

ton was destroyed by fire yesterday more profitable proposition than of venue from Judge Bernetha. ing packages: Merchandise to the ered the fire between 3 and 4 o'clock husking 60 cent corn. Come to On Monday afternoon Judge Ber- extent of 4 pounds may be mailed while going to meet the 4:30 train think of it, when you see the bleed-netha assigned the case to Hon. at the rate of 1 cent an ounce, at Hibbard and notified Gilbert ing fingers caused by the husks, it Enoch Myers of Rochester as spe- Photographs and books may be Hosimer, a relative of Murray and cial judge. Probably the case will mailed at the rate of 2 ounces for caretaker of the property. Hosi--When Chas. McGaffey went be tried sometime during the pres- 1 cent. In all cases, cards bearing mer went to the scene of the fire ward saving the place. So far as known these two men were the on-

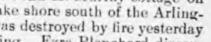
Murray removed to Zion City, Ill., last spring. Why he should be the victim of incendiaries no one seems to know.

Delinquent Dog Owners.

The grand jury adjourned Monday evening after being in session for several days. One hundred and prises when they are made public. It is understood that 116 of the indictments are against persons who own dogs and have not paid the taxes on them as required by law. Independent.

Myers a National Exhibitor.

J. E. Myers of this township will send to the national corn show at Omaha samples of yellow corn grown by himself, said to be of the



The Culver Citizen of Hayti, is nearly ended, for he can-

ARTHUR B. HOLT, Publisher.

INDIANA

deed.

others injured.

feet.

wife.

was proclaimed.

CULVER.



in Briefest and Best Form.

PERSONAL.

Representative Theodore Burton of Cleveland, O., has been offered by President-elect Taft the portfolio of secretary of the treasury.

Robert F. Maddox was elected mayor of Atlanta, Ga., by a majority of of President Figueroa of Salvador was muscle; the whale im-3,000 votes over James G. Woodward, discovered and frustrated. Martial law regular Democratic nominee and twice mayor of the city.

President Roosevelt apponted Daniel J. Keefe of Detroit, Mich., commissioner-general of immigration to succeed improper advertisements through the the late Frank P. Sargent.

Herbert L. Satterlee of New York, son-in-law of J. Pierpont Morgan, was offered the position of assistant secretary of the navy.

Ned W. Barton, former assistant examiner in the patent office, pleaded guilty to four indictments against him charging fraud in electric light patents and was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

Samuel B. Donnelly of New York, the newly-appointed public printer, took the oath of office and filed his bond.

Timothy L. Woodruff, chairman of the New York Republican state committee, eliminated himself from the senatorial race in favor of Secretary of State Elihu Root, after a conference with President-elect Taft.

President-elect Taft always abstemious, declares he has become a teetotaler.

William Jennings Bryan had a narrow escape from a death hug from a bear which he was trying to kill in the mountains about 60 miles from Chihuahua, Mex.

Frank H. Hitchcock has been offered and has accepted the position of postmaster general in the Taft cabinet that is to be.

John Gardner Coolidge, the American minister to Nicaragua, resigned from the diplomatic service.

GENERAL NEWS.

Nord Alexis, president of Hayti, was deposed by the people of Port au Prince, attacked insulted and cursed, should be diverted by cutting through

THE ALASKAN'S TOTEM POLE. The rule of Nord Alexis, president

resume his march on the capital.

strengthening the river banks.

The celebration of the diamond jubi-

Lee Levy and Adolph S. Asher, Il-

All fourth-class postmasters in the

states east of the Mississippi river and

north of the Ohio river were placed

in the classified service by an execu-

New York, filed for probate, disposes

of real estate worth "as much as \$50,-

000 and personal property as much as

So expensive has been the campaign

of the department of agriculture

against the foot and mouth disease,

prevalent among herds of cattle in

and Maryland, that Secretary Wilson

will ask congress for an emergency

appropriation of \$500,000 for this

Two Japanese steamships collided

and sank off the port of Chefoo, China,

and it was reported that 700 persons,

peans, were drowned.

The will of Mrs. William Astor of

bition campaign in Tennessee.

tive order of the president.

beneficiaries.

work.

riage.

His Family History Told in the not stop the steady advance of the Strangely Carved Symbol. revolutionists. Gen. Antoine Simon is about to attack Jacmel, and will then

Seattle, Wash .-- Totem poles are Mrs. Nicholas P. Errington of Chierected by certain of the American Indians, principally the Alaskans, becago killed her 11-year-old daughter fore their dwellings as symbols of Theresa and herself in a Memphis hofamily pride, veneration of ancestors, tel by means of poison. Her husband or religion. The poles are usually 40 could give no explanation of his wife's feet high, and are carved into grotesque figures and animals one above The government refused to let the the other, while the crest or badge of citizens of Pine Bluff, Ark., cut the chief by whose house it stands surthrough a levee to save the town, and mounts the top. every available man was put to work

The totem pole to the Alaskan is as dear as is the genealogy of the proud-

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est "blue blood" of the lee of Emperor Francis Joseph began civilized world, for it with an illumination of Vienna more stands a record of the gorgeous than anything ever before seen. The crowd was so dense that character of his forefather, and every carved two persons were killed and many sign and every blended color upon it has a sacred Race riots in Prague became so serious that it seemed probable marmeaning. For example, tial law would be declared. the eagle upon a totem John Alan White, 20 years old, of pole means that a son of

Walton, N. Y., a student in the Yale Alaska has descended graduate school, committed suicide by from a traveler, a leader, jumping from the top of West Rock or one who migrates. to the ground below, a distance of 100 The raven is he who is crafty, wise and pos-Dr .Randolph F. Hass of New York sessed of great acumen; committed suicide on the grave of his the frog that of a philosopher, a savant; the A plot to overthrow the government bear means strength, plies plenty of food; the duck suggests placidity, a phlegmatic temperament; the seal beauty, grace, quor dealers, were found guilty in the federal court at St. Louis of sending charm; the salmon means

great favors, desires, ambitions, and so on down mails and of sending liquors bearing the line of comparison improper labels by express. The case with every living creais the celebrated gin-label affair that played a prominent part in the Prohiture. Some years ago a party of Seattle enthusiasts,

> bent upon a voyage of discovery, chartered a steamer and made a trip to southeastern Alaska. They arrived at a small Indian village, but as the population seemed to

have deserted the place. \$100,000." Two daughters-Mrs. Wil- they decided it would be son and Mrs. Haig-are the chief just and lawful to "take 1.1.1.1. into camp" one of the

Seattle's totem poles that stood before the Indian huts, Totem Pole. so they entered into negotiations with two old Indian women who were the New York, Pennsylvania, Michigan only living beings about the place, and purchased, as they supposed, one of the most pretentious looking totems in the place. The pole was removed to Seattle and was presented to the city cities for street cleaning purposes, with much speechmaking in the presence of the city "fathers" and other citizens assembled.

including many Americans and Euand had the pole repainted so as to The duke of the Abruzzi cabled to bring out all its remarkable character-Miss Elkins that he was unable to istics. Some weeks later two chiefs appropriation for cleaning of \$15,000. of the Indian village arrived in Seattle or considerably less than \$500 a mile. overcome the objections to their marand threatened suit in the United Citizens of Pine Bluff, Ark., held a States court for the theft of their mass meeting to devise measures to cherished totem pole. Seattle is said save the city, which was threatened to have paid \$5,000 in settlement of the retired South Bend business with flood. It was determined that the claim, but retained the totem pole, man who was locked up at the pothe channel of the Arkansas river which now proudly stands as a land- lice station for nearly two days, has



ITEMS OF IMPORTANCE TO OUR INDIANA READERS.

LAMPHERE IS NOW NO. 4041

Prison Doors Close on Another Chapter in Case-Farm Hand, Convicted of Arson, Looks for a Short Sentence and Asks Aid.

Michigan City .- Ray Lamphere was brought to the state prison to serve from two to 21 years for burning the residence of Mrs. Gunness at Laporte. Lamphere was escorted to the clerk's window, where commitment papers were issued.

He was unconcerned in his manner. After a brief interview with the clerk, Lamphere was marched back for a bath and was then sent to his cell for the night. He was not assigned to work for several days. Lamphere's number is 4,041. Sheriff Smutzer accompanied Lam-

phere to the inner gate and there the prisoner shook hands with the officer, thanked him for the excellent treatment he had given him in the county jail during the six months he had been confined there and asked him if he would say a good word for him when his application should come before the prison parole board, for already Lamphere is looking forward to the end of his minimum sentence when he will be privileged to apply for a parole.

The trip from Laporte to Michigan City was made on the interurban, and during the way over Lamphere talked but little. He was not downcast to any great extent and expressed his gratification over the fact that he had not been given a life sentence.

He made one significant statement. For some time it has been understood that Lamphere made a confession to Dr. E. A. Schell, president of the Iowa Wesleyan university, Mount Pleasant, Ia., who last spring was pastor of the First Methodist church in this city. and although Prosecutor Smith endeavored to secure Dr. Schell's presence here during the trial, he was unsuccessful, for the confession was made by Lamphere to Dr. Schell as his spiritual adviser.

Finds Street Cleaning Cost.

Fort Wayne .- Mayor Hosey, who has been collecting statistics regarding the expenditures of other says Detroit, with its 300 miles of paved streets, expends practically \$300,000 a year, or \$1,000 a mile, to Seattle felt proud of its acquisition keep its streets and alleys in presentable condition. Ft. Wayne, with 43 miles of paved streets, has an annual

Wagner to Sue South Bend.

South Bend .- John G. Wagner, mark in one of the most progressive announced that he has retained three tire left side of his face was laid Chicago attorneys to bring suit against the city for \$500,000 damages, alleging false imprisonment. Wagner was taken into custedy on suspicion of several merchants. Night Riders Burn Tobacco. Evansville.--Night riders at an early hour Tuesday morning destroyed the barn of W. H. Gossar, in Warrick county, near here. The barn was filled with tobacco and the loss is estimated at \$3,000, with insurance of \$1,000. Mr. Gessar recently moved to Warrick county from Kentucky and it is said while a resident of that state he had refused to pool his tobacco.

ACADEMY OF SCIENCE MEETS. Indiana Body Holds Two-Day Session at Lafayette. Lafayette .- The Indiana Academy

of Science held a two-days' session at Purdue university. Prof. Glenn Culbertson of Hanover college, president of the association, delivered his annual address on "Deforestation and Its Effects Among the Hills of Southern Indiana." Following the address luncheon was served by the Ladies' Society of St. John's Episcopal church. In the afternoon the laboratories were visited.

Before closing the session the annual election of officers took place with the following results: President, A. L. Foley, Indiana university; vicepresident, Dr. Percy N. Evans, Purdue university; secretary, Prof. J. H. Ransom, Purdue university, Lafayette; assistant secretary, A. J. Bigney, Moores Hill college; press secretary, Prof. J. A. Abbott, Manual Training High school, Indianapolis; treasurer, W. A. McBeth, State Normal school, Terre Haute, and editor, H. L. Beam, Butler college, Indianapolis.

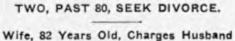
The executive committee will consist of the present officers and all past presidents for the last 20 years. The matter of the selection for the next meeting place was left to the executive committee.

HOLDS EGG-LAYING RECORD. Indiana Hen Laid 240 in 274 Consecutive Days.

Danville .- Walter J. Clark has a hen that has laid 240 eggs in 274 consecutive days. Mr. Clark thinks this is the record, as one of the farm journals recently stated that 236 eggs within a year was the egg-laying record.

Mr. White's hen will be three years old in February. In that month, 1906, Harry E. Curtis bought some eggs at the Danville poultry show and put them in his incubator. In the regular course of time they hatched out, and he sold one of the chickens to Mr. Clark.

In order to keep the hen on her nest Mr. White built a trap to hold her in until she had laid her daily egg.



Is Unfaithful.

Grenfield .- A divorce case was heard in the Hancock circuit court in which both parties to the suit are past 80 The plaintiff, Emily years old. Crane, is 82, and seeks divorce from William Crane, 83, on the grounds of cruelty and inhuman treatment and unfaithfulness. She charges her husband took other women home from church, and gave them canned fruit. The defendant alleges that his wife threatened to poison him and that he left home.

Hurled from Moving Train.

Richmond. - William Foster, an engineer on the C., C. & L. railroad, was at the local hospital as a result of a peculiar accident. Nearly all the en-



HEALTH VERY POOR-**RESTORED BY PE-RU-NA.**

Catarrh Twenty-five Years---Had a Bad Cough.

Miss Sophia Kittlesen, Evanston, Ill., writes:

"I have been troubled with catarrh for nearly twenty-five years and have tried many cures for it, but obtained

very little help. "Then my brother advised me to try Peruna, and I did. "My health was very poor at the time

I began taking Peruna. My throat was very sore and I had a bad cough.

"Peruna has cured me. The chronic catarrh is gone and my health is very much improved.

"I recommend Peruna to all my friends who are troubled as I was.

PERUNA TABLETS :- Some people pre-fer tablets, rather than medicine in a fluid form. Such people can obtain Peruna tablets, which represent the medicinal ingredients of Peruna. Each tablet equals one average dose of Peruna.

Man-a-lin the Ideal Laxative. Ask your Druggist for a Free Peruna Almanac for 1909.

A Clever Fellow.

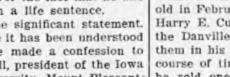
"Did you friend make a hit at the literary club?"

"I guess he did. He pronounced 'Les Miserables' in a brand-new way and then alluded to it as Victor Hermasterpiece." - Washington bert's Herald.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or consti-tutional disease, and in order to cure if you must taken internal; and acts directly upon the blood and muscoas surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medi-cine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a recular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, arting directly on the mucous surfaces. The prefect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful re-sults in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation. with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach

The Language of the Plants.



and took refuge on a French vessel. Gen. Legitime was proclaimed his successor.

Burglars blew open the safe of the First National bank of Pepperell, Mass., took \$14,000, and escaped in an automobile.

The Federal Council of the Church of Christ in America was formally opened in the Academy of Music at Philadelphia with impressive ceremonies.

A prepossessing and richly-gowned young woman, who had registered at a Brooklyn hotel as Mrs. S. H. Falconer of Sioux Falls, S. D., committed suicide by shooting.

Fire destroyed the clothing and jewelry store of Anthony Shapiro at Dickson City, Pa., and Mr. Shapiro, a son and daughter and Mrs. Shapiro's parents lost their lives.

Lystia Wahoo Winnebago, a girl student at Carlisle Indian school, eloped with Joseph Twin, an Indian from the west.

British officers working among the Sikhs and Hindus of the Pacific coast, uprising against British rule in India, to take place in April.

Pu-Yi, the three-year-old son of Prince Chun, ascended the Dragon throne and was crowned emperor of Tex., was burned, the loss being \$200.000.

The will of the late Delos Blodgett of Grand Rapids left an estate valued at \$12,000,000 to his three children.

of the Japanese steamer Ginsel Maru, 70 lives being lost.

The Stearns Salt & Lumber Company of Ludington, Mich., was fined \$10,000 for accepting rebates from the Pere Marquette

Martial law was proclaimed in Prague because of the riots between Czechs and Germans.

While out hunting rabbits, Will his brother Guy, aged 25 years, near Mason City, Ia.

The Atlantic battleship fleet sailed from Manila for Colombo, Ceylon.

In his annual report for the fiscal \$208,351,886, thereby showing a deficit raised. of \$16,875,222, the largest in the history of the department.

Chief of Police Biggey of San Francisco was drowned off Alcatraz island. The department of agriculture ordered a quarantine against the entire state of Maryland so far as cattle and disease.

a strip of land a few miles to the cities in America. north where a horse-shoe bend begins. Citizens of Port au Prince, Hayti,

were thrown into a panic by the steady advance of Gen. Simon and his army Cairn Erected on Spot Where Miles having written threatening letters to of revolutionsts.

The supreme court of the United States reversed the decision of the United States circuit court for the eastern district of Virginia, holding to there is one that is little known, other be unconstitutional the order of the state railroad commission fixing a twocent passenger rate on state business, the effect being to uphold the order. Edward Ward Vanderbilt of Brooklyn, husband of the "spiritualistic bishop," Mary Ann Scannell-Pepper-Vanderbilt, was declared sane by a sheriff's jury.

Three thousand persons were rendered homeless and hundreds of houses. inundated in West Guthrie, Okla., as a result of the overflowing of the Cottonwood river and its tributaries. The flood was caused by a heavy rain that lasted two days.

Twenty-one out of 116 Chinese held at the Pacific Mail dock in San Francisco pending the decision of the imunearthed the details of a proposed migration officers as to whether or not they were entitled to enter the United States, escaped from the detention shed.

All the new light thrown on the murder of Adolphe Steinheil and Mme. China under the name of Hsuan Tung. Japy, which occurred in Paris on the The business section of Beckville, night of May 31 at the home of the artist, only strengthens the conviction that Mme. Steinheil either strangled the victims alone after administering a narcotic or poison, subsequently binding herself to the bed, or News was received of the sinking had an accomplice in the person of a professional criminal.

> The Philippines coasting steamer Ponting, carrying a large number of laborers from Narvacan to the rice fields in Pangasinan province, struck a rock and sank during a storm off the town of San Fernando and about 100 persons were drowned.

Nellie Morton of Belleville, Ill., confessed that she watched her sweet-Hough, aged 18 years, shot and killed heart, Sydney Baker, chloroform aged Peter Waeltz, who was found with his skull erushed.

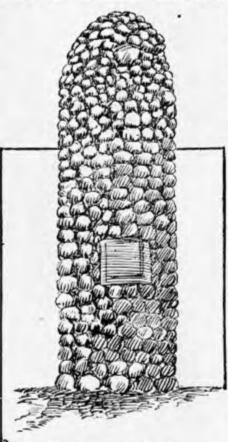
President William A. Shanklin of Upper Iowa university received a check from Andrew Carnegie for \$30,year Postmaster General Meyer gave 000, in payment of his pledge to give the total receipts for the year as that amount when \$150,000 had been

William Montgomery, former cashler Pittsburg, which falled for over \$1,000,-000, was sentenced to 15 years in the Western Pennsylvania penitentiary. The Iron and Steel Trades Journal of London states that English and of the appearance of foot and mouth have formed a combine which will con- dentist. trol the industry throughout the world.

HISTORIC SPOT LITTLE KNOWN.

Standish Landed.

Boston .- Quincy is noted for its many places of historic interest, but



Miles Standish Cairn.

than to historians. This is the Miles Standish cairn at Squantum. It is not only historic, but a romantic spot.

The most renowned spot at this place is Squanto rock. It is here that Miles Standish and a party from Plymouth, piloted by Squanto, the faithful friend of the white man, landed. September 30, 1621. In commemoration of this event a cairu has been erected on the highest part of a stone bridge, which on the east dips to the sea and on the west declines to "Massachusetts Hummock" and its mead-

On Monday, September 30, the corner-stone was laid in the presence of a large assemblage. Charles Francis Adams, Jr., delivered an address, of the Allegheny National bank of in which he described the voyaging of Miles Standish and his men from Plymouth, and paid a tribute to Squanto for whom Squantum was named.

In a recently-built Italian man-ofsheep, etc., are concerned, on account American tin plate manufacturers war are special arrangements for a

Legislators at Epileptic Village. Newcastle .- Dr. W. C. Van Nuvs. superintendent of the Indiana Village of Epileptics, north of this city, entertained the legislative committee of the village, the state epileptic board and Engineer Shutt. The visit was to ascertain what appropriation will be needed. It had been been announced Thomas R. Marshall, governor-elect, would be present, but he was not here.

President's Day at Notre Dame.

Notre Dame. - President's day was observed here Tuesday. Solemn high mass was sung by Rev. John Cavanagh, president of the university, in the morning; at noon a dinner was given at which many prominent people were present, and in the afternoon "The Corsican Brothers" was produced by the senior dramatic club under the direction of Prof. Speiss.

Fatal Interurban Wreck.

Union City .- Al Frey of Darke county. Ohio, was fatally hurt, and ten other persons seriously injured as the result of an interurban wreck on the Indiana Union Traction line near Arcanum Tuesday. The car, while traveling at a high rate of speed, jumped the track and turned on its side.

Plays with Powder: Hurt.

Shelbyville .- While attempting to discharge some powder which he had placed in an old iron pipe Saturday afternoon, Carl Borden, nine years old, sustained an injury to his eyes and may lose the sight of one.

To Attend Session.

Fort Wayne .- Between 100 and 150 local Knights of Pythias will attend the district meeting of the order, which will be held at Warsaw. It is hoped to secure the next meeting for Fort Wayne.

open to the bone and his right arm was fractured at the wrist. Foster stepped to the front of his cab and leaned out. The engine made a sudden lurch and Foster was hurled headlong from the moving train to the graveled roadbed.

Goes Hunting; Kills Father.

Bloomington .- While hunting, David Shields, 45 years old, was accidentally killed by his son, Parker, 20. The two were on the George Mercer farm, near Summitville, The young man was climbing over a rail fence, his father being but a few feet ahead. The double-barreled shotgun in the hands of the boy was discharged.

Wabash to Vote on Local Option.

Wabash .- A meeting of temperance workers of Wabash county was held at the Tremont hotel and it was decided that Wabash county will be one of the first to hold a county local option election. All but two townships are dry by big majorities. Ministers were leaders in the meeting. All parts of the county were represented.

Two Men Escape from Jail.

Peru.-George Bowman, aged 27, and Henry Holtz, 30, broke jail here. When Sheriff Volpert went to feed the prisoners he found only one remaining. He told the sheriff the other two prisoners had broken a lever which operated the cell doors, and with it they had pounded a hole in the wall beneath a window.

Assistant Postmaster at Wabash.

Wabash-Frank Williams, former deputy county treasurer and deputy auditor, was named Friday assistant postmaster, succeeding Claude Sitt, fugitive. Sitt's shortage is \$2,620.

Kills Wife's Companion.

Worthington .- Richard Dwver was shot and instantly killed by A. L. Good, who is alleged to have found the man with his wife at Switz City.

Want to Represent Unions.

Fort Wayne .- More labor men are striving to be named from their respective unions as delegates to the Fort Wayne Federation of Labor than has ever before been known to be the case. All the delegates must be chosen prior to December 14.

To Hold Banquet.

Shelbyville. - The members of the Shelby County Bar association will hold their annual banquet in this city during the last week in February at the Eiks clubrooms.

"He didn't care to write to her when he wanted her to arrange for a secret marriage, so he sent her a running vine."

"What did she do?" "Sent him a canteloupe."

ED GEERS, "The grand old man," he is called for he is so honest handling horses in races. He says: "I have used SPOHN'S DISTEMPER CURE for 12 years, always with best success. It is the only remedy I know to cure all forms of distemper and prevent horses in same sta-ble having the disease." 50c and \$1 a bot-tle, All druggists, or manufacturers. Spohn Medical Co., Chemists, Goshen, Ind.

Is This True?

"I wouldn't do for politics, I guess," said the pretty girl. "I'd simply vote the way papa votes."

"In that," remarked an observer, 'you wouldn't differ so very much from most men."

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it



The Kind You Have Always Bought

A man may follow his natural bent and yet be perfectly straight.

Lewis' Single Binder cigar-richest, most satisfying smoke on the market. Y dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill. Your

He's a poor expressman who is unable to deliver the goods.

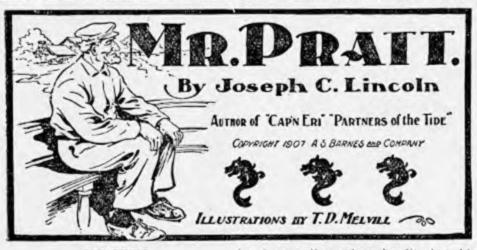
Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrap. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces in-fammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Friend, what you'd get, first earn .-Browning.





"How Is He, Doctor?" Asked Hartley, Anxious.



SYNOPSIS.

Mr. Selomon Pratt began comical narration of story, introducing well-to-de Nathan Scudder of his town, and Edward Van Brunt and Martin Hartley, two rich New Yorkers seeking rest. Because of latter pair's lavish expenditure of money. Pratt's first impression was connected with lunatics. The arrival of James Hopper, Van Brunt's valet, gave Pratt the desired information about the New Yorkers. They wished to live what they termed "The Natural Life." Van Brunt, it was learned, was the successful sultor for the hand of Miss Agnes Page, who gave Hartley up. "The Heaventles" hear a long story of the domestic woes of Mrs. Hannah Jane Purvis, their cook and maid of all work. Decide to let her go and engage Sol. Prait as chef. Twins Twins agree to leave Nate Scudder's abode and unavailing search for another domicfle. Adventure at Fourth of July celebration at Eastwich.

CHAPTER IV .- Continued.

and squealing when he lit, but his running tackle hadn't been hurt any. Down the field he went and the only one of the chasers in front of him was that little red head. He makes a grab, misses, and the pig keeps straight on, right into the crowd of men and horses and carriages.

"Look out!" yells everybody. "Let him go!" But that little shaver wa'n't built that way. Under the ropes he dives, right where the jam of wheels and hoofs was thickest. The Barry coach horses rared up and jumped and backed. You could hear wheels grinding and men yelling and women

screaming, one of the first over that fence, but, quick as I was, that Hartley invalid was quicker. As a general thing he moved like 'twas hardly worth while to drag one foot after

says the Doc. "'Twas the kick that kind of set back like. Then he taken knocked him out. The pig got the the boy by the hand and falls into the worst of it and that saved him. There are no bones broken. But trailed along behind. he'd have been trampled to death afterwards if it hadn't been for you, sir. Better let me fix up that the horses was, but I didn't hear more cut.'

But the Twin shook his head kind Page girl's hat and thinking how of impatient. "'Tend to the boy," he says. So the doctor went on with his sponging and swabbing and pretty soon the youngster opens his eyes. "Did I get him?" says he.

"What's that?" asked the Doc, stooping over.

"Did I get the pig? Is the fiver comin' to me?"

Well, you'd ought to have heard the crowd laugh. Somebody sings out, "Three cheers for the kid," and they give 'em with a whoop.

"What's the matter with youse?" says the youngster, setting up and looking around, dizzy like. "Aw, cut it out!" he says, when they begun to holler some more, "Did I get the I guess." pig?

"You het you did," says the doctor. laughing. "You're a spunky little rooster. Whose boy are you, anyway? Belong in Eastwich?"

"Naw," says the little feller, like he was plumb disgusted. "N'York." Hartley smiled. "A brother outcast," says he, looking up at me, Major Phinney had been shoving through the crowd and now he was in the front rank, where, so they tell me, her place." he used to be in war time-after the fighting was over.

"He's one of them Fresh Air boys," says the major, puffing, but pompous. "There's a summer school of 'em been started just outside the town to see the show. Gee! what a gang here. Couple of New York women of jays! You're the guy what put up brought the tribe down last week. This one's one."

Little red head turned to Hartley. Say," he says, "don't you tell her." "Tell who?" says Martin.

"The teacher. Miss Agony."

"Miss which?" And just then here comes Issachar,

his cutaway hanging graceful and ornamental from the collar and piloting a mighty pretty and stylish young woman to the front. She breaks loose from him and runs for'ard and flops down on her knees.

"Why, Dennis! Why, Dennis!" she says. "How could you run away and behave like this? Are you hurt? Is

She looks up at Hartley as she begins to ask the last question. And he was staring at her as white as a sheet of paper.

"Why, Agnes!" he says. And she went white, too, and then red. "Oh!" says she. And then "Oh!" again. "Oh, Martin!"

CHAPTER V.

The Cruise of the "Dora Bassett." After that there was a kind of tableau, same as them they have at church sociables. Here was Hartley staring at the young woman, and the young woman staring at him, and the boysstaring at both of 'em, and me staring at the three, and the crowd around doing grand double-back-action staring at the whole of us. Then the party broke up, as you might say.

Hartley, red as a beet now, got up

OOTERS ARE SHOT major's wake. Me and the doctor

> ARMED FORCES SUPPRESS THE PORT AU PRINCE MOB.

much prettier 'twas than the ones TWELVE MEN ARE KILLED them boarder girls at the hotel wore.

Committee of Public Safety Organized-Gen. Simon Strongly Favored for President of Hayti.

Port au Prince .- For many hours during the night following the flight of Nord Alexis, riot and pillage prevailed in Port au Prince. The populace, maddened by the spirit of revolt, turned from the skiff that carried their deposed president to the French training ship Duguay Trouin, and gave full vent to their passions. They looted stores and residences and fought among themselves over the booty and were only held in check by an armed force hastily gathered together by Gen. Poidevin, which fired a volley into the mob and drove the rioters from street to street and final-

ly into seclusion. In all, 12 persons were killed and many wounded before order was restored.

I'm one of the Fresh Air kids over to So serious did the situation become that a committee of public safety, "Many more like you over there?" composed of the most prominent milli-"Sure! nine or ten of us; girls and tary leaders, was organized. Scores all. We been here a week now. I of citizens were placed under arms to skinned out of the window this mornassist the loyal troops in patrolling the in' and hoofed it over here. Wanted city and Thursday comparative tranquility reigned.

The American, French and German ministers decided early in the morning that they could trust to the arrangements made by the committee to maintain order, but they jointly gave notification that if disorders commenced again they would land forces from the warships. Those already here were re-enforced at daybreak by the United States gunboat Eagle and the British cruiser Scylla.

The sentiment of the people is strongly in favor of Gen. Simon and he will probably be elected president, if the chamber can be assembled without delay. A delegation composed of seven prominent citizens has gone to meet the revolutionary leader and acquaint him with the fact that Nord Alexis has gone aboard the Duguay Trouin. They will invite him to come into the capital at his earliest convenience.

POISON SENT IN LETTER.

San Franciscan Dies After Taking Powders Mailed to Him.

San Francisco .- Poison conveyed in a letter mailed in this city Wednesday is believed to have caused the death of Henry Boas, a salesman for an electric company, who was discovered in a dying condition in his apartments here early Thursday, and who expired a few moments later without regaining consciousness.

A communication purporting to be this Margaret Talford, had seen the from a physician, but which displayed SEEMED WORSE EVERY DAY.

A Dangerous Case of Kidney Complaint and How It Was Checked.

Mrs. Lucy Quebeck, Mechanic St., Hope Valley, R. I., says: "Eight years



ago I contracted severe kidney trouble and my back began to ache continually. Every day it seemed worse. The least pressure on my back tortured me, and I could not stoop with-

out a bad twinge. The kidney secretions passed irregularly with pain, and I bloated badly. My head swam and spots flitted before my eyes. One doctor said I was incurable. However, I found prompt relief when I started using Doan's Kidney Pills, and the troubles I have related gradually disappeared."

Sold by all dealers. 50c a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

It's surprising how many friends you have when they need you.

Lewis' Single Binder straight 5c cigar. Made of extra quality tobacco. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

Lot's wife may have been peppery before she turned to salt.

Allen's Foot-Ease, a Powder For swollen, sweating feet. Gives instant rolief. The original powder for the feet. 25c at all Druggists.

No evil will endure a hundred years.



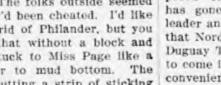
This woman says that sick women should not fail to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as she did.

Mrs. A. Gregory, of 2355 Lawrence St., Denver, Col., writes to Mrs. Pinkham:

"I was practically an invalid for six years, on account of female troubles. underwent an operation by the doctor's advice, but in a few months I was worse than before. A friend advised Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it restored me to perfect health, such as I have not enjoyed in many years. Any woman suffering as I did with backache, bearing-down pains, and periodic pains, should not fail to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,"

FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pink-ham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has positively cured thousan women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness or nervous prostration. Why don't you try it?



plaster on Hartley's forehead. The cut wa'n't nothing but a scratch, I'm glad to say.

After a spell I see my chance and cornered the major and commenced to talk politics. He was hankering for the county representative nomination and I knew his soft spot. Hartley and the Page girl got together then, but they didn't seem to know what to say. I heard her explaining that she hadn't gone to Europe at all. Her ma had been took sick; nothing to speak of, I judged, spell of "nerves" or the like of that. So Agnes and her chum,

chance they'd been waiting for and

"Shouldn't wonder. Do you like your teacher?" "Bet your life. She's a peach. So's the other one; Miss Talford her name "Humph! What do they call you over on the east side when you're at home?"

"Redny," says the little shaver. Hartley looked down at him and smiled one of his quiet grins. "Bully for you, Redny!" says he.

The Doc kept talking about what

a brave thing the Twin's diving under

than half of it. I was watching the

And yet there wa'n't a quarter so

many feathers and ribbons and doo-

The little chap was chirping up to

Hartley all the way. What worried

him was when he was going to get

his five dollars. Martin told him he'd

get it all right. He'd advance it

"What's your name, son?" says he

"Denny? Dennis, you mean? Den-

"Aw, I don't know. Plain Denny,

"Where do you live in New York?"

"Over around Cherry street most of

the time. Me and the old man used

to hang out in the back room of Mike

Donahue's place on Mott street till

papers and doin' shines and things.

Sometimes I'd take a shy at the News-

boys' Home nights, That's where Miss

Agony-Miss Page, I mean-found me.

he got sent up. Then I got to sellin'

himself and collect it afterwards.

"Denny," says the boy.

dads on it.

nis what?"

to the youngster.

You're a brick." We got through the crowd and into the hall finally. Shutting the door

the candy for me, ain't you?"

was a job. The folks outside seemed to think they'd been cheated. I'd like to have got rid of Philander, but you couldn't do that without a block and tackle; he stuck to Miss Page like a kedge anchor to mud bottom. The doctor was putting a strip of sticking

Now I've been calling the place where they had the races and so on a field. Well, twa'n't really a field, but just part of the course where they had trotting matches on cattle show days. There was a fence on each side of it and across the ends of the section they was using there was ropes stretched. Back of the fences was the crowd on foot, and back of the ropes was more of 'em, but behind these ropes likewise was lots of horses and wagons and carry-alls and such. Every wagon was piled full of people, and amongst 'em I could see the Barry coach, with the four gray steppers prancing up and down in front of it and old Commodore Barry and his son on the front seat, with the women folks behind.

Well, when that plg started he made a straight course for the lower end of the field, but the sight of the horses and all scared him, I guess, and he jibed and back he come again. Half a dozen of the pig-chasers-them that was nearest to him when he come about-ran into each other and piled up in a heap, squirming like an eelpot. They got up in a jiffy and started over again, meeting the gang I'm sure of is hanging onto the bridle that was coming back on the second Lap.

By the time that pig had made three laps round that course he was a candidate for the hogs' lunatic asylum. Twice he'd been grabbed, once by the ears and once by a leg, but his liveliness and the grease had got him clear. About half the boys had given up the job, and was making for harbor behind the fence; covered with sand and grease, they was, and red and ashamed. The crowd was pretty nigh And old Doc Bailey was there, but how as crazy as the pig, only with joy. or when he come I don't know. Yes, Even Hartley was laughing out loud -first time I'd ever heard him.

had been right up with the mourners where I was, till the third round; then he was stood on his head in the scuffle and left behind down by the ropes in front of where the Barrys was. The rest of or so; he was bending over the boy, the chasers were scattered around the sponging and swabbing like all posto speak, of a sort of monument of breath coming kind of short and jerky. boys, all fighting like dogs over a And-well, my breath got jerky, too. woodchuck.

he's been fired out of a cannon. He doctor seemed to feel better.

the other; but now he flew. I could see his big shoulders shoving folks over like they was ninepins. Under the ropes he went and in where the tangle was the worst. And then it closed up into a screeching, kicking whirlpool like. Down he went and I lost sight of him.

Everybody on the grounds was crazy, but I cal'late I was the worst Bedlamite of the lot. Somehow I felt. responsible. 'Twas me that told about the Fourth of July doing first and got him over there. 'Twas me that coaxed him into staving for the consarned pig business. And I kind of felt that I was his guardian, as you might say, now that Van Brunt wa'n't along. Yes, and by ginger, I liked disgusted. "Sure I ain't." him! Course I thought of the poor lit-

tle boy, too, but I'm free to say 'twas Hartley that I thought of most. For the doings of the next two or

three minutes you'll have to ask somebody else. All's I remember real well is catching hold of Issachar Tidditt's Sunday cutaway and ripping it from main truck to keelson. You see, Issachar was trying to back out of the tangle and I was diving in. Next thing of one of the Barry horses and playing snap the whip with my feet, up and down and over and under.

She cleared up some finally and there was a ring of folks jamming and pushing and climbing between wheels and under wagon bodies, and in the middle of the ring was Hartley. kneeling on the ground and looking pretty middling white and sick, with that little shaver's red head in his lap. Pratt.'

me and the pig was there, too, but the critter was out of commission, being That little chap with the red hair dead, and I was too busy to think

"How is he, doctor?" asked Hartley,

anxious. The Doc didn't answer for a minute

other end of the field, with the pig do- sessed. Poor little chap; he looked ing the grand right and left in and white and pitiful enough, stretched out amongst their legs. One of the out there amongst that crowd of boys-that big lanky one whose strangers and not a soul of his own cheeks needed mowing-made a flying folks around to look out for him. And jump and dove head first right on top he was such a gritty little mite. I of the critter's shiny black back. In looked at him; chalk white he was, a shake he was the underpinning, so and still, with his eyes shut and his

"How is he?" says Hartley again.

was squealing when he begun to fly. "He'll come round all right now."

and bowed. The young woman got up too and held out her hand in a doubting sort of way. But afore he could take it, she seemed to remember something, or changed her mind, for she dropped the hand and turned to the boy, who was on his feet by this time looking down at the relics of his clothes. And between grease and sand and dirt and rags they made a ruin that was worth looking at-

made you think of a rubbish pile with a red danger lantern on top.

"You naughty boy!" says she, "How could you do so? If you knew how frightened Miss Talford and I have been. Are you hurt, dear?"

"Naw," says the dear, brisk and

The young woman fidgeted around him, petting and "pooring" him and pinning him together, so to speak. Hartley fidgeted too, not seeming to have his bearings at all. He acted to me like he wished he was ten thousand miles away; and yet I cal'late he didn't really wish it neither. The doctor and Major Phinney were fussing around and the crowd kept getting bigger and closing in.

"If you'll excuse me, miss." says 1. interfering as usual where 'twas none of my affairs, "I think perhaps 'twould be a good idea if we went somewheres where 'twan't so popular. Maybe we might go into one of the rooms at the hall or somewheres."

"Why, of course!" says Hartley, grabbing at the notion like 'twas a rope I'd thrown out to him. "We'll go to the hall. Ag-Miss Page, let a dripping cut over his eye, and with me present my friend, Mr. Solomon

> So 'twas the Page girl, after all. I'd guessed as much, though how she come to be in Eastwich when she'd ought to have been in Europe was more'n I could make out. She looked up at me and reached out her little hand with a kid glove on it. Like-

wise she smiled-not with her mouth alone, same as an undertaker meeting the relatives of the departed, but

with her eyes too. 'Twas the right kind of a smile. I'm vaccinated and not subject to women folks as a rule, but I'd have done considerable to get a deckload of them smiles.

"I'm very glad to know you. Mr. Pratt," says she, just as though she meant it. And we shook handsreally shook 'em.

Afore I could get over that shake and smile enough to be sensible, Mafor Philander shoved her arm into Next thing I knew the plg shot out Just as he said it the boy stirs and his and headed for the hall. Drat his from underneath the pile same as if begins to breathe more regular. The figurehead! You never could beat

gether and come down and took the Lathrop place at South Eastwich. Seems Miss Talford had hired it afore, intending to go to the Fresh Air v'yage alone, long's she couldn't get Agnes to go it with her.

"But how is it that you're here?" says she. "I thought you were at the mountains."

Hartley explained that, at the last moment, he had decided to try the seashore. He was at Wellmouth for the present, he said.

"But you should have known I was here," she says. "I wrote to-to Ed. of course-before I left the city. Oh, I see! I sent the letter to your Adirondack address. But it should have been forwarded."

Hartley stammered a little, but he said quiet that he was afraid perhaps Van Brunt hadn't thought to send word to have his mail forwarded.

"I see," she says. "That's like Ed." Martin seemed to think 'twas too. but all he said was, "He's written you very faithfully. His letters, of course, have gone to Liverpool."

Well, that was about all. We had to be going. I said good-by and we started for the door. Miss Page came over and held out her hand.

"Mr. Hartley," says she, "I want to thank you for saving Dennis; Major Phinney told me about it. It was brave. And I'm glad that you're not hurt."

She was pretty nervous, but a good deal less flustered than he was when he took her hand.

"It was nothing, of course," he says, hurried like. "That youngster was worth picking up. Good morning. Miss Page."

He stopped a second to say something about Van Brunt no doubt coming over to see her in a day or sc. And then we left the hall and headed for the street.

We walked along pretty brisk for a ways, neither of us saying much of anything. Whatever there was I the railroad crossing. And here Hartlev stops short.

"Sol," says he. "I believe I'll go back by train. I don't feel like a soa trip this afternoon. That-er-that crack on the head has shaken me up some, I guess. Explain to Van, will you? Tell him I'm all right, but that I've got a little headache. Understand?"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Getting In.

Generally a man "enters" politica that old image when there was a pret in about the same way that a six-dol-"Ity woman around. Hartley looked 'iz-a-week clerk "accepts" a position.

ignorance of the primary principles of had got their poor children tribe to- medicine, was sent to Boas by special delivery, and the evidence in possession of the police indicates that the letter, penned by a woman, contained two powders, which the recipient was urgently advised to take as a remedy for indigestion, but which were in fact of a poisonous character.

SEVENTEEN PERISH IN STORM.

Severe Losses Among the Fishermen of Newfoundland.

St. Johns, N. F .- Seventeen persons have perished in a storm which has lashed the Newfoundland coast for 48 hours. In all, ten fishing vessels have gone ashore, most of them breaking into fragments on the rocks. The victims of the gale were members of the crews of three of these craft. The fishermen were all residents of Newfoundland fishing villages.

INSURANCE MAN A SUICIDE.

T. R. Palmer of St. Paul Kills Self Because of Sickness.

St. Paul, Minn .- Timothy R. Palmer, who resigned last Friday as president of the Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Company, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head while alone in his room at his residence, 923 Grand avenue, Thursday.

Melancholia caused by ill health is the only known motive.

Ward Burlingame Is Dead.

Topeka, Kan .- Ward Burlingame, for 27 years chlef clerk in the dead letter office at Washington, and private secretary to four Kansas governors and three Kansas senators, died at his home here Thursday night of heart failure, aged 72 years.

Valuable Necklace Recovered.

New York .-- A chance remark to Police Inspector McCafferty led to the recovery Thursday by Garrett E. Lamb of Clinton, Ia., of a pearl necklace said cal'late I said. By and by we come to to be worth \$15,000, which was stolen last February.

Embezzler Lowden Sentenced.

Cincinnati.-Edmond C. Lowden, former bookkeeper of the Provident Savings bank of this city, who was arrested in Baltimore on a charge of embezzling \$5,000 from that institution, was sentenced to the reformatory.

Not Guilty of Granting Rebates. Richmond, Va,-Just six minutes were required by a jury in the federal court Thursday to declare A. P. Gilbert, assistant general freight agent of the Chesapcake & Ohio, not guilty of the charge of allowing rebates.

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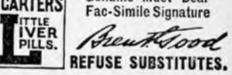
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PLEASANT VIEW.

J. W. Hoote Marvin Hagle was a caller on Harry Atha Sunday.

Clyde Stanton sold his mule team in Plymouth Saturday.

Joseph Atha and daughter Fay took dinner at the Riverside farm Sunday.

Olaf Johnson and wife and Pearl Ferrell visited with Frank Reegs Sunday.

John Papf of Muscatine, Iowa. called on J. W. Hooton and Wm Barden Tuesday.

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NORTH BEND NOTES. Mrs. Jane Castleman, Correspon

James Terry made a business trip through our section last Wednesday.

Little Kennie Cox is visiting her grandparents, Joe Castleman and wife.

How about Christmas? Now is the time to send your letters to Santa Claus.

Harry Leopold "presented" a load of porkers to the stockman at Monterey last Monday.

Joseph Castleman made a trip to Delong yesterday and assisted his brother on butchering day.

Isaac Kaley and son did good work with their corn shredder at Harry Leopold's last week at the west side of Hustletown.

How are old Uncle Doc Dope and Aunt Sally Hopkins and all the other good people at Hickory

Bush? Spose they will soon be having sleighing parties over there -on the other side of nowhere. Much harm has been done to the

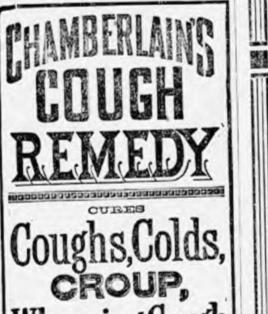
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innocents in the past few days by means of snow, dogs and gups and now the rabbits are less numerous.

Wm. Good has returned from South Bend and presented his smiling physiognomy to friends in Hustletown and Monterey one day last week.

Old winter has again come growling along, smoothed the waves and tied them down, and overcoats and caps have become very stylish in our locality.

Harry Leopold, wife and daughter Gladys spent Monday evening at Monterey at Sol Wolfram's and attended the revival. Clark Weidner's new dwelling is now nearing completion.

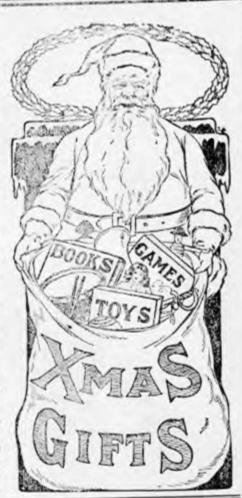


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Jerry Keyser to Alvida Franklin, und 1 of 40a in sec 20 and 40a in sec 29, German, \$1600.

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Minnie Alleman to A Schoonover, 11 lot in Argos, \$2500.

A Schoonover to C E Alleman, same property.

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MAXINKUCKEE MURMURS. Miss Sylvia Thomp

Naomi and Frank Stevens went to South Bend Thursday to visit relatives. Philip McLane were guests of Fred Thompson's family Sunday.

M. R. Clines enjoyed a birthday dinner at the home of Charies M. Lowmans of Argos Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stevens and sons Roscoe and Cecil visited in Monterey at Wm. Overman's on Sunday.

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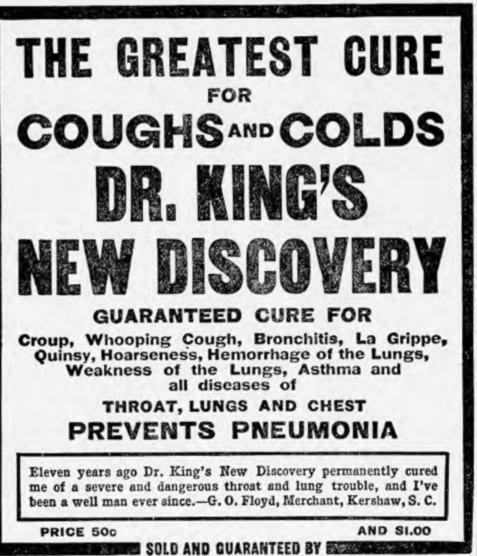
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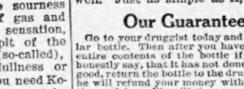
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PRESIDENT **TO CONGRESS**

Message Read to Both Houses of National Assembly

LEGISLATION CALLED FOR

Financial Standing of the Nation Declared Excellent-Control of Corporations, the President Thinks, Should Be Left to the National Government-Labor Leaders Come In for Criticism-Respect for Law Vital to the Well-Being of Country.

Washington .- The message of President Roosevelt was read in both houses of congress Tuesday. In substance the document was as follows:

To the Senate and House of Representatives: The financial standing of the nation at the present time is excellent, and the Gnancial management of the nation's interests by the government during the last seven years has shown the most satisfactory results. But our currency system is imperfect, and it is earnestly to be hoped that the currency commission will be able to propose a thoroughly good system which will do away with the existing defects,

During the period from July 1, 1901, to September 30, 1908, there was an increase in the amount of money in circulation of \$902,591,399. The increase in the per capita during this period was \$7.06. Within this time there were several occasions when it was necessary for the treasury department to come to the relief of the money market by pur hases or redemptions of United States bonds: by increasing deposits in national banks; by stimulating additional issues of national bank notes, and by facilitating importations from abroad of gold. Our imperfect currency system has made these proceedings necessary, and they were effective until the monetary disturbance in the fall of 1907 immensely increased the difficulty of ordinary methods of relief. By the middle of November the available working balance in the treasury had been reduced to approximately \$5,000,000, Clearing house associations throughout the country had been obliged to resort to the expedient of issuing clearing house cortificates, to be used as money. In this emergency it was determined to invite subscriptions for \$50,000,000 Panama canal and \$100,000,000 three per cent. bonds. certificates of indebtedness authorized by the act of June 13, 1898. It was proposed to redeposit in the national banks the proceeds of these issues, and to permit their use as a basis for additional circulating notes of national banks. The moral effect of this procedure was so great that it was necessary to issue only \$24,631,980 of the Panama bonds and \$15,-436,500 of the certificates of indebtedness. During the period from July 1, 1901, to September 30, 1908, the balance between

the net ordinary receipts and the net 1962, 1966, expenses of the government years 1964, 5965, 1968 and a four years 1962, of the fiscal year 1969, a deficit in the was a surplus of \$99,183,412.54 net finan-cial operations of the governmen, during this period, based thron these during this period, based upon these differences between receipts and expenditures, resulted in a net reduction of the interestbearing debt of the United States from \$987,141,040 to \$897,253,990, notwithstanding that there had been two sales of Panama canal bonds amounting in the aggregate to \$54,631,980, and an issue of three per cent. certificates of indebtedness under the act of June 13, 1898, amounting to \$15,436,500. Refunding operations of the treasury department under the act of March 14, 1900, resulted in the conversion into two per cent. consols of 1930 of \$300,309,400 bonds bearing higher rates of interest. A decrease of \$8,687,956 in the annual interest charge resulted from these operations. In short, during the seven years and three months there has been a net surplus of nearly one hundred millions of receipts over expenditures, a reduction of the interest-bearing debt by ninety millions, in spite of the extraordinary expense of the Panama canal, and a saving of nearly nine millions on the annual interest charge.

pacity, and an ample reward for the great directing intelligences alone competent to manage the great business operations of to-day. It is well to keep in mind that exactly as the anarchist is the corst enemy of liberty and the reactionary the worst enemy of order, so the men who defend the rights of property have most to fear from the wrongdoers of great wealth, and the men who are championing popular rights have most to fear from the demagogues who in the name of popular rights would do wrong to and oppress honest business men, honest men of wealth; for the success of either type of wrongdoer necessarily invites a violent reaction against the cause the wrongdoer nominally upholds. . . .

Need of Centralization.

proposal to make the na-The tional government supreme over, and therefore to give it complete control over. he railroads and other instruments of interstate commerce is merely a proposal to carry out to the letter one of the prime purposes, if not the prime purpose, for which the constitution was founded. It does not represent centralization. It represents merely the acknowledgment of the patent fact that centralization has already come in business. If this irresponsible outside business power is to be ontrolled in the interest of the general public it can only be controlled in one way; by giving adequate power of control to the one sovereignty capable of ex-ercising such power-the national govern-To abandon the effort for national ment. control means to abandon the effort for all adequate control and yet to render likey continual bursts of action by state legslatures, which cannot achieve the purpose sought for, but which can do a great deal of damage to the corporation without conferring any real benefit on

the public. There should be regulation by the national government of the great interstate orporations, including a simple method of account keeping, publicity, supervision of the issue of securities, abolition of rebates and of special privileges. There should be short-time franchises for all corporations engaged in public business; including the corporations which get power from water rights. There should be national as well as state guardianship of mines and forests. The labor legislation hereinafter referred to should concurrently be enacted into law.

To accomplish this, means a certain increase in the use of-not the creation of -power, by the central government. The power already exists; it does not have to be created; the only question is whether it shall be used or left idleand meanwhile the corporations over which the power ought to be exercised will not remain idle. The danger to American democracy lies not in the least in the concentration of administrative power in responsible and accountable hands. It lies in having the power insufficiently concentrated, so that no one can be held responsible to the people for its use. Concentrated power is palpable, visible, responsible, easily reached, quickly held to account, Democracy is in peril wherever the administration of po litical power is scattered among a variety of men who work in secret, whose very names are un known to the common people. It is not in peril from any man who derives authority from the people, who exercises it in sight of the people, and who is from time to time compelled to give an account of its exercise to the people.

Legislation for Wageworker.

There are many matters affecting labor and the status of the wageworker to which I should like to driscussour attene tion, but an exhaustivets is not now neeproblem in all its aspen a steady efessary. I believe it would be more fort, or perhapy in steady efforts fort, or perhapy in steady efforts in many to sait directions, to bring about a condition of affairs under which the men who work with hand or with brain, the laborers, the superintendents, the men who produce the market and the men who find a market for the articles produced, shall own a far greater share than at present of the wealth they produce, and be enabled to invest it in the tools and instruments by which all work carried on. As far as possible I hope to see a frank recognition of the advantages conferred by machinery, organization and division of labor, accompanied by an effort to bring about a larger share in the ownership by wage-worker of railway, mill and factory. Postal Savings banks will make it easy for the poorest to keep their savings in absolute safety. The regulation of the national highways must be such that they shall serve all people with equal justice. Corporate finances must be supervised so as to make it far safer than at present for the man of small means to invest his money in stocks. There must be prohibition of child labor, ...minution of women labor, shortening of hours of all mechanical labor; stock watering should be prohibited, and stock gambling so far as is possible discouraged. There should be a progressive inheritance tax on large fortunes. Industrial education should be encouraged. As far as possible we should lighten the burden of taxation on the small man. We should put a premium upon thrift, hard work, and business energy; but these qualities cease to be the main factors in accumulating a fortune long before that fortune reaches a point where it would be seriously affected by any inheritance tax such as I propose. It is eminently right that the nation should fix the terms upon which the great for-tunes are inherited. They rarely do good and they often do harm to those who inherit them in their entirety. There should no longer be any paltering with the question of taking care of the wageworkers who, under our present industrial system, become killed, crippled, or worn out as part of the regular incidents of a given business. As far as concerns those who have been worn out, I call your attention to the fact that definite steps toward providing old-age pensions have been taken in many of our private industries. These may be indefinitely extended through voluntary association and contributory schemes, or through the agency of savings banks, as under the Massachusetts plan.

months' earnings. In this respect the generosity of the United States towards its employes compares most unfavorably with that of every country in Europe-even the poorest.

I renew my recommendation made in a previous message that half-holidays be granted during summer to all wageworkers in government employ

I also renew my recommendation that the principle of the eight-hour day should as rapidly and as far as practicable be extended to the entire work being carried on by the government; the present law should be amended to embrace contracts on those public works which the present wording of the act seems to exclude.

Would Double Salaries of Judges.

I most earnestly urge upon the con-gress the duty of increasing the totally inadequate salaries now given to our judges. On the whole there is no body of public servants who do as valuable work, nor whose moneyed reward is so inadequate compared to their work. Beginning with the supreme court the judges should have their salaries doubled. It is not befitting the dignity of the nation that its most honored public servants should be paid sums so small ompared to what they would earn in private life that the performance of public service by them implies an exceedingly heavy pecuniary sacrifice.

It is earnestly to be desired that some method should be devised for doing away with the long delays which now obtain in the administration of justice and which operate with peculiar severity against persons of small means, and favor only the very criminals whom it is most desirable to punish. These long delays in the final decisions of cases make in the aggregate a crying evil: and a remedy shou, i be devised. Much of this intolerable delay is due to improper regard paid to technicalities which are a mere hinderance to justice. In some noted recent cases this over-regard for technicalities has resulted in a striking denial of justice,

and flagrant wrong to the body politic. Labor Leaders Criticised.

At the last election certain leaders of organized labor made a violent and sweeping attack upon the entire judiclary of the country, an attack couched in such terms as to include the most honest and broad-minded upright. judges, no less than those of narrower mind and more restricted 'outlook. year, before the house com-Last mittee judiclary. these same on leaders formulated their de-specifying the bill that labor mands contained them, refusing all compromise, stating they wished the principle of that bill or nothing. They insisted on a provision that in a labor dispute no injunction should issue except protect a property right, and specifically provided that the right to carry on business should not be construed as a property right; and in a second provision their bill made legal in a labor dispute any act or agreement by or be tween two or more persons that would not have been unlawful if done by a single person. In other words, this bill legalized blacklisting and boycotting in every form, legalizing, for instance those forms of the secondary boycott which the anthracite coal strike commission so unreservedly condemned; while the right to carry on a business was explicitly taken out from under that protection which the law throws over property. The demand was made that there should be trial by jury in contempt cases, thereby most seriously Impairing the authority of the courts this represented a course of policy A11 which, if carried out, would mean the enthronoment of class privilege in its crudest and most brutal form, and the destruction of one of the most essential functions of the judileary in all civlighte landgace of the crusade for this

legislation, and its complete failure, illustrate two truths which it is essential our people should learn. In first place, they ought to teach the workingman, the laborer, the wageworker, that by demanding what is improper and impossible he plays into the hands of his foes. Such a crude and vicious attack upon the courts, even if it were temporarily successful, would inevitably in the end cause a violent reaction and would band the great mass of citizens together, forcing them to stand by all the judges, competent and incompetent alike, rather than to see the wheels of justice stopped. The wageworkers, the workingmen, the laboring men of the country by the way in which they repudiated the effort to get them to cast their votes in response to an appeal to class hatred, have emphasized their sound patriotism and Americanism. Such an attitude is an object lesson in good citizenship to the entire nation.

should be erected against its abuse. In substance, provision should be made that no injunction or temporary restraining order issue otherwise than on notice, except where irreparable injury would otherwise result; and in such case a hearing on the merits of the order should be had within a short fixed period, and, if not then continued after hearing, it should forthwith lapse. Decisions should be rendered immediately, and the chance of delay minimized in every way. Moreover, I believe that the procedure should be sharply defined, and the judge required minutely to state the particulars both of his action and of his reasons therefor, so that the congress can if it desires examine and investigate the same.

For many of the shortcomings of justice in our country our people as a whole are themselves to blame, and the judges and juries merely bear their shars together with the public as a It is discreditable to us as a whole. people that there should be difficulty in convicting murderers, or in bringing to justice men who as public servants have been guilty of corruption, or who have profited by the corruption of public servants. The result is equally unfortunate, whether due to hairsplit-ting technicalities in the interpretation of law by judges, to sentimentality and class consciousness on the part of juries, or to hysteria and sensationalism in the daily press. For much of this failure of justice no responsibility whatever lies on rich men as such. We who make up the mass of the people cannot shift the responsibility from our own shoulders. But there is an important part of the failure which has specially to do with inability to hold to proper account men of wealth who

behave badly. The Modern Corporation.

The huge wealth that has been accumulated by a few individuals of recent years, in what has amounted to a social and industrial revolution, has been as regards some of these individuals made possible only by the improper use of the modern corporation. A certain type of modern corporation, with its officers and agents, its many issues of securities, and its constant consolidation with allied undertakings, finally becomes an instrument so complex as to contain a greater number of clements that, under various judicial decisions, lend themselves to fraud and oppression than any device yet evolved in the human brain. Corporations are necessary instruments of modern business. They have been permitted become a menace largely because the governmental representatives of the people have worked slowly in providing for adequate control over them. great clusters of corpora-Our

tions, huge trusts and fabulously wealthy multimillionaires, employ the very best lawyers they can obtain to pick flaws in statutes after their passage; but they also employ a class of secret agents who seek, under the advice of experts, to render hostile legislation innocuous by making it unonstitutional, often through the insertion of what appear on their face to be drastic and sweeping provisions against the interests of the parties inspiring them; while the demagogues, the corrupt creatures who introduce black-mailing schemes to "strike" corporations, and all who demand extreme, and undesirably radical, measures, show themselves to be the worst enemies of the very public whose loudmouthed champions they profess to be Real damage has been done by the manifold and conflicting interpretations of the interstate commerce law. Control over the great corporations doing interstate business can be effective only if it is vested with full power in an dministrative department, a branch of the foderal executive, carrying out a federal law; it can never be effective if

the states and the nation; it can never be effective if left in the hands of the courts to be decided by lawsuits. Respect for Law Must Be Upheld.

divided responsibility is left in both

The courts held a place of peculiar and deserved sanctity under our form of gov-Respect for the law is essential to the permanence of our institutions; and respect for the law is largely conditioned upon respect for the courts. It is an offense against the republic to say anything which can weaken this respect, save for the gravest reason and in the most carefully guarded manner. In no other nation in the world do the courts wield such vast and far-reaching power as in the United States. All that is necessary is that the courts as a whole should exercise this power with the farsighted wisdom already shown by those judges who scan the future while they act in the present. Let them exercise this great power not only honestly and bravely, but with wise insight into the needs and fixed purposes of the people. so that they may do justice, and work equity, so that they may protect all persons in their rights, and yet break down the barriers of privilege, which is the foe of right.

results is that of a perest manent commission authorized to co-ordinate the work of all the government departments relating to waterways, and to frame and supervise the execution of a comprehensive plan. Under such a commission the actual work of construction might be entrusted to the reclamation service; or to the military engineers acting with a sufficient number of civilians to continue the work in time of war; or it might be divided between the reclamation service and the corps of engineers. Funds should be provided from current revenues if it is deemed wiseotherwise from the sale of bonds. The essential thing is that the work should go forward under the best possible plan, and with the least possible delay. The time for playing with our waterways is past. The country domands results.

The president urges that national parks adjacent to national forests be placed under the control of the forest service of the agricultural department; he also points out the benefits derived from pure food legislation.

The message continues: Needs of the Secret Service.

Last year an amendment was incorporated in the measure providing for the secret service, which provided that there should be no detail from the secret service and no transfer therefrom. The amendment in question was of benefit to no one excepting to criminals, and it seriously hampers the government in the detection of crime and the securing of justice. The chief argument in favor of the provision was that the congreasmen did not them-selves wish to be investigated by the secret service men. Very little of such investigation has been done in the past; but it is true that the work of the secret service agents was partly responsible for the indictment and conviction of a senator and a congressman for land frauds I do not believe that it is in Oregon. I do not believe that it is in the public interest to protect criminals in any branch of the public service, and exactly as we have again and again during the past seven years prosecuted and convicted such criminals who were in the executive branch of the government, so in my bellef we should be given ample means to prosecute them if found in the legislative branch. But if this is not considered desirable a special exception could be made in the law prohibiting the use of the secret service force in investigating members of the congress.

Postal Savings Banks.

I again renew my recommendation for postal savings banks, for depositing savings with the security of the government behind them. The object is to encourage thrift and economy in the wage-earner and person of moderate means. It is belleved that in the aggregate vast sums of money would be brought into circulation through the instrumentality of the postal savings banks.

Parcel Post.

In my last annual message I comthe postmaster-general's mended recommendation for an extension of the parcel post on the rural routes. The establishment of a local parcel post on rural routes would be to the mutual benefit of the farmer and the country storekeeper, and it is desirable that the routes, serving more than 15,000,000 people, should be utilized to the fullest practicable extent. extent.

Education.

With the limited means hitherto provided, the bureau of e ducation has rendered efficient service, but the congross has neglected to adequately supply the bureau with means to meet the educational growth of the country. earnestly recommend that this unfortunate state of affairs as regards he national educational office be remedied by adequate appropriations. This recommendation is urged by the representatives of our common schools and great state universities and the leading educators, who all unite in requesting favorable consideration and action by the congress upon this subject.

The president points out the

well for them to become independent, or to continue under the protection of a strong and disinterested power, able to guarantee to the islands order at home and protection from foreign invasion.

Porto Rico. I again recommend that American citizenship be conferred upon the people of

Porto Rico.

Cuba.

In Cuba our occupancy will cease in about two months' time; the Cubans have in orderly manner elected their own governmental authorities, and the island will be turned over to them. Our occupation on this occasion has lasted a little over two years, and Cuba has thriven and prospered under it. Our earnest hope and one desire is that the people of the island shall now govern themselves with justice, so that peace and order may be secure.

Japanese Exposition.

The Japanese government has post-oned until 1917 the date of the great international exposition, the action being taken so as to insure ample time in which to prepare to make the exposition all that it should be made. The American commissioners have visited Japan and the postponement will merely give ampler opportunity for Ameria to be represented at the exposition. Not since the first international exposition has there been one of greater importance than this will be, marking, as it does, the fiftieth anniversary of the ascension to the throne of the emleap to the foremost place among the nations of the world made by Japan during this half century is something unparalleled in all previous history.

I take this opportunity publicly to state my appreciation of the way in which in Japan, in Australia, in New Zealand, and in all the states of South America, the battle fleet has been received on its practice voyage around the world. The American government can not too strongly express its appre-ciation of the abounding and generous hospitality shown our ships in every port they visited.

The Army.

As regards the army I call attention to the fact that while our junior officers and enlisted men stand very high, the present system of promotion by seniority results in bringing into the higher grades many men of mediocre capacity who have but a short time to serve. No man should regard it as his vested right to rise to the highest rank in the army any more than in any other profession. It is a curlous and by no means creditable fact that there should be so often a failure on the part of the public and its representatives to understand the great need, from the standpoint of the service and the nation, of refusing to promote respectable, elderly incompetents. The higher places should be given to the most deserving men without regard to seniority; at least seniority should be treated as only one consideration. In the stress of modern industrial competition no business firm could succeed if those responsible for its management were chosen simply on the ground that they were the oldest people in its employment; yet this is the course advo-cated as regards the army, and roquired by law for all grades except those of general officer. As a matter of fact all of the best officers in the highest ranks of the army are those who have attained their present position wholly or in part by a process of selection. seThe scope of lu part by a process of

The scope of retiring boards should be extended so that they could sider general unfitness to command for any cause. in order to secure a far more rigid enforcement than at present in the elimination of officers for mental, physical or temperamental disabilities. But this plan is recommended only if the congress does not see fit to provide what in my judgment is far better, that is, for selection in promotion, and for elimination for age. Officers who fail to attain a certain rank by a cer-tain age, should be retired-for instance, if a man should not attain field rank by the time he is 45 he should of course be placed on the retired list. General officers should be selected as at present, and one-third of the other promotions should made by selection, the selection to be made by the president or secretary of war from a list of at least two candidates proposed for each vacancy by a board of officers from the arm of the service from which the promotion is to be made. A bill is now before the congress having for its object to secure the promotion of officers to various grades at reasonable ages through process of selection, by boards of officers, of the least efficient for retirement with a percentage of their pay depending upon length of service. The hill, although not accomplishing all that should be done, is a long step in right direction; and I earnestly the recommend its passage, or that of a more completely effective measure.

Control of Corporations.

As regards the great corporations engaged in interstate business, and especially the railroads, I can only repeat what I have already again and again said in my measages to the congress. I believe that under the interstate clause of the constitution the United States has complete and paramount right to control all agencies of interstate commerce, and I believe that the national government alone can exercise this right with wisdom and effectiveness so as both to secure justice from, and to do justice to, the great corporations which are the most important factors in modern business. I believe that it is worse than folly to attempt to prohibit all com-binations as is done by the Sherman anti-trust law, because such a law can be enforced only imperfectly and unequally, and its enforcement works almost as much hardship as good. I strongly advocate that instead of an unwise effort to prohibit all combinations, there shall be substituted a law which shall expressly permit combinations which are in the interest of the public, but shall at the same time give to some agency in the national government full power of control and supervision over them. One of the chief features of this control should be securing entire publicity in all matters which the public has a right to know, and furthermore, the power, not by judicial but by exceutive action, to prevent or put a stop to every form of improper favoritism or other wrongdoing.

The railways of the country should be put completely under the interstate commerce commission and removed from the domain of the anti-trust law. The power of the commission should be made thoroughgoing, so that it could exercise complete supervision and control over the issue of securities as well as over the raising and lowering of rates. As regards rates, at least, this power should be summary. . . . Rates must be made as low as is compatible with giving proper returns to all the employes of the railroad, from the highest to the lowest, and proper returns to the shareholders, but they must not, for instance, be re-duced in such fashion as to necessitate a cut in the wages of the employes or the abolition of the proper and legitimate profits of honest shareholders.

Telegraph and telephone companies engaged in interstate business should be put under the jurisdiction of the interstate commerce commission.

It is very earnestly to be wished that our people, through their representatives, should act in this matter. It is to the interest of all of us that there should be a premium put upon individual initiative and individual ca-

Urgent Need of Reform.

Our present system, or rather no system, works dreadful wrong, and is of benefit to only one class of people-the lawyers. When a workman is injured what he needs is not an expensive and doubtful lawsuit, but the certainty of relief through immediate administrative action. No academic theory about "freedom of contract" or "constitutional liberty to contract" should be permitted to interfere with this and similar movements.

Pending a thoroughgoing investigation and action there is certain legislation which should be enacted at once, The law, passed at the last session of the congress granting compensation to certain classes of employes of the government ,should be extended to include all employes of the government and should be made more liberal in its terms. There is no good ground for the distinction made in the law between those engaged in hazardous occupations and those not so enviding compensation should be made more liberal than in the present act. A year's compensation is not adequate for a wage-earner's family in the event of his death by accident in the course of his employment. And in the event of death occurring, say, ten or eleven months after the accident, the family would only receive as compensation the equivalent of one or two account be destroyed. Rut anfronneda

Judicial System Sound.

Our judicial system is sound and effective at core, and it remains, and must ever be maintained, as and must the safeguard of those principles of liberty and justice which stand at the foundation of American Institutions; for, as Burke finely said, when liberty and justice are separated, neither is safe, There are, however, some members of the judicial body who have lagged behind in their understanding of these great and vital changes in the body politic, whose minds have never been opened to the new applications of the old principles made necessary by the new conditions, Judges of this stamp do lasting harm by their decisions, because they convince poor men in need of protection that the courts of the land are profoundly ignorant of and out of sympathy with their needs, and profoundly ignorant or hostile to any proposed remedy. To such men it seems a cruel mockery to have any court decide against them on the ground that it desires to preserve "liberty" in a purely technical form, by withholding liberty in any real and constructive sense

There are certain decisions by various courts which have been exceedingly detrimental to the rights of wage-workers. This is true of all decisions that decide that men are, by the constitution, "guar-anteed their liberty" to contract to enter a dangerous occupation, or to work an undesirable or improper number of hours, or to work in unhealthy surroundings; and therefore cannot recover damages when maimed in that occupation, and cannot be forbidden to work what the egialature decides is an excessive number of hours, or to carry on the work under conditions which the legislature decides to be unhealthy. Decisions such as those nullify the legislative effort to protect the wage-workers who

most need protection from those employers who take advantage of their grinding need. They halt or hamper the movement for securing better and more equitable conditions of labor. There is also, I think, ground for the

belief that substantial injustice is often suffered by employes in consequence of the custom of courts issuing temporary injunctions without notice to them, and punishing them for contempt of court in instances where, as a matter of fact, they have no knowledge of any proceedings. Organized labor is chafing under the unjust restraint which from repeated resort to this somes. plan of procedure. Its discontent has been unwisely expressed, and often improperly expressed, but there is a sound basis for it, and the orderly and law-abiding people of a community would be in a far stronger position for upholding the courts if the undoubtedly existing abuses could be provided against.

Injunction Must Remain.

The power of injunction is a great equitable remedy, which should on no |

Forest Preservation.

If there is any one duty which more than another we owe it to our children to perform at once, it is to save the forests of this country, for they constitute the first and most important element in the conservation of the natural resources of the country. . . . Just as a farmer, after all his life making his living from his farm, will, if he is an expert farmer, leave it as an asset of increased value to his son, so we should leave our national domain to our children, increased in value and not worn out. There are small sections of our own country, in the east and in the west, in the Adirondacks, the White mountains and the Appalachians, and in the Rocky mountains, where we can already see for ourselves the damage in the shape of permanent injury to the soll and the river systems which comes from reckless deforestation. It matters not whether this deforestation is due to the actual reckless cutting of timber, to the fires that inevitably follow such reckless cutting of timber, or to reckless and uncontrolled grazing, especially by the great migratory bands of sheep, the unchecked wandering of which over the country means destruction to forests and disaster to the small home-makers, the

settlers of limited means. Thanks to our own recklessness in the use of our splendid forests, we have already crossed the verge of a timber famine in this country, and no measures that we now take can, at least for many years, undo the mischlef that has already been done. But we can prevent further mischief being done; and in would be in the highest degree reprehen sible to let any consideration of temporary convenience or temporary cost interfere with such action, especially an regards the national forests which the nation can now, at this very moment, control.

The lesson of deforestation in China is a lesson which mankind should have learned many times already from what has occurred in other places. Denudation leaves naked soil; then gullying cuts down to the bare rock; and meanwhile the rock-waste buries the bottomlands. When the soil is gone, men must go; and the process does not take long.

Plea for Inland Waterways.

Action should be begun forthwith, during the present session of the congress, for the improvement of our inland waterways-action which will result in giving us not only navigable but navigated rivers.

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Until the work of river improvement is undertaken in a modern way it can not have results that will meet the needs of modern nation. The plan which promises the best and .

sity of better organization of the various bureaus responsible for the public health, and urges the placing of all soldiers' homes under the jurisdiction of the war department.

Statehood.

On the question of statchood the president says:

I advocate the immediate admission of New Mexico and Arizona as states. This should be done at the present session of the congress. The people of the two territories have made it evident by their votes that they will not come in as one state. The only alternative is to admit them as two, and I trust that this will be done without delay.

Interstate Fisheries.

I call the attention of the congress to the importance of the problem of the fisheries in the interstate waters. On the Great Lakes we are now, under the very wise treaty of April 11 of this year, endeavoring to come to an international agreement for the preservation and satisfactory use of the fisherles of these waers which can not otherwise be achieved. Lake Erie, for example, has the richest fresh water fisheries in the world; but it s now controlled by the statutes of two nations, four states, and one province, and this province by two different ordinances in different counties. All these political divisions work at cross purposes, and in no case can they achieve protection to the fisheries, on the hand, and justice to the localities and individuals on the other.

Foreign Affairs.

This nation's foreign policy is based or the theory that right must be done between nations precisely as between individuals, and in our actions for the last ten years we have in this matter proven our faith by our deeds. We have behaved, and are behaving, towards other nations, as in private life an honorable man would behave towards his fellows.

Latin-American Republics.

The commercial and material progress of the 20 Latin-American republics is worthy of the careful attention of the congress. The International Bureau of the American Republics is doing a useful work in making these nations and their resources better known to us, and in acquainting them not only with us as a people and with our purposes towards them, but with what we have to exchange for their goods.

Panama Canal.

The work on the Panama canal is being done with a speed, efficiency and entire devotion to duty, which make it a model for all work of the kind. The men on the Isthmus, from Col. Goethals and his fellow commissioners through the entire list of employes who are faithfully doing their duty, have won their right to the ungrudging respect and gratitude of the American people.

Ocean Mail Lines.

I again recommend the extension of the ocean mail act of 1891 so that satisfactory American ocean mail lines to South America, Asia, the Philippines and Australasia may be established. Hawaii.

I call particular attention to the Territory of Hawaii. The importance of those islands is apparent, and the need of improving their condition and de-veloping their resources is urgent.

The Philippines.

Real progress toward self-government is being made in the Philippine Islands. trust that within a generation the time will arrive when the Philippines

National Guard.

Now that the organized militia, the National Guard, has been incorporated with the army as a part of the national forces, it behooves the government to do every reasonable thing in its power to perfect its efficiency. It should be assisted in its instruction and otherwise alded more liberally than heretofore. The continuous services of many well-trained regular officers will be essential in this connection. A bill is now pending before the congress creating a number of extra officers in the army, which if passed, as it ought to be, will enable more officers to be trained as instructors of National Guard and assigned to that duty. In case of war it will be of the utmost importance to have a large number of trained officers to use for turning raw levies into good troops.

The Navy.

I approve the recommendations of the general board for the increase of the navy, calling especial attention to the need of attention to the need of addi-tional destroyers and colliers, and above all, of the four battleships. It is desirto complete as soon as possible a able squadron of eight battleships of the best existing type.

I most earnestly recommend that the general board be by law turned into a general staff. There is literally no excuse whatever for continuing the present bureau organization of the navy. The navy should be treated as a purely military organization, and everything should be subordinated to the one object of securing military efficiency. A system of promotion by merit, either by select A system tion or by exclusion, or by both processes, should be introduced. It is out of the question, if the present principle of promotion by mere seniority is kept, to expect to get the best results from the higher officers. Our men come too old. and stay for too short a time, in the high command positions.

Nothing better for the navy from every standpoint has ever occurred than the cruise of the battle fleet around the world. The improvement of the ships in every way has been extraordinary, and they have gained far more experience in battle tactics than they would have gained if they had stayed in the Atlantic waters. The American people have cause for profound gratification, both in view of the excellent condition of the fleet as shown by this cruise, and in view of the improvement the cruise has worked in this already high condition. I do not believe that there is any other service in the world in which the average of character and efficiency in the enlisted men is as high as is now the case in our own.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT. The White House, Tuesday, December



VERYBODY loves a surprise gift, grown persons as much as children, so some new and interesting surprise centerpieces have

been prepared to supplement the Christmas tree and its burden of gifts. These surprise pieces are intended to occupy the center of the table when dinner is served, either on Christmas day or the evening before. and they supply a good deal of merriment as well as decoration. Their decorative qualities are rare indeed, for they trim a table elaborately and more appropriately than an equal quantity of flowers would.

for these unique decorations, and one and stately manner if there is room of the most attractive over which his familiar form in minature presides is of fat snowballs with a sprig of helly a basket laden with glistening white stuck in the top of each and a tiny each white globe is a quaint gift, somecircling the high, rounded handle of ment of the occasion. These are covered with red crepe paper to match the basket, and a broad satin ribbon of the same shade is fastened on one side of the handle. This trimming has letters.

The idea of the Christmas surprise decoration seems to be to hide the gift as cleverly as possible. The Jack adorned with a sprig of holly and with loses its effectiveness.



A CHIMNEY CENTRE PIECE SG

real looking piums bulging from its sides is another attractive centerpiece, which has a present hidden in the center of each plum.

A sleigh driven by reindeer makes an elaborate ornament. The whole centerpiece measures something like four feet from sleigh to antlers, so that more than an average sized table is required to display it to advantage. The pair of reindeers wear a glitter-

ing harness and they are arranged on Santa Claus is the prevailing motive wheels, so that they move in a slow for this feat. In the sleigh are rows snowballs from behind each of which Santa Claus standing guard over each peers a smaller Santa Claus. In the ball, A larger Santa Claus holds the top of every snowhall is stuck a sprig reins and guides the sieigh. Ribbon of genuine holly, while nestling under streamers are attached to the snowballs, so that the ends can be passed this basket is more holly, with real- snowball forms the top of a paper box may be used.

prise feature is a minature gable roof with a bright red brick chimney, into a Christmas sentiment done in gold which a tiny Santa Claus is stepping. The roof is covered with snow and icicles drip from its eaves, but good old Santa Claus knows that there are warmth and good cheer below, to Horner way is reproduced by using a judge by the pleased and anticipatory huge snowball instead of a plum cake expression he wears. This centeror pumpkin and then concealing a gift piece may be laid on the table withfor each person inside the snowball, out any further decoration, or it may with only a bit of white ribbon break- be surrounded by branches of holly ing through the crust to show its hid- and Christmas ferns. If much other ing place. A mock Christmas pudding decoration is used the centerpiece

BREAKS A COLD PROMPTLY GIRL GOOD LAWYER The following formula is a never

PRETTY YOUNG FRENCH WOMAN

WINS IMPORTANT CASE.

Mile. Miropolsky is Only 21 Years Old

-Believes in Marriage, But

Doesn't Want It to Inter-

fere with Career.

Paris .- The youngest woman lawyer

in the world has just been defending a

woman accused of trying to kill herself and her baby by inhaling the

fumes of a charcoal stove. Mile.

Helene Miropolsky is only 21 and was sworn in as a lawyer before the court

of appeals in this city last October.

Her appearance as counsel for the de-

fense in a criminal trial attracted a

large number of old lawyers to the courtroom, though the case itself was

nothing out of the ordinary. Her

client had been abandoned by the fa-

ther of her child; finding herself on

the verge of starvation she had tried

to end her miseries. The baby had

jurist as he watched the beautiful girl

soft voice pleading for mercy for the

unfortunate sister on whom inexorable

justice had laid her heavy hand. And

so moving was her plea that the jury

Mile, Miropolsky was born in Paris

of parents who were Poles by birth.

Both father and mother are doctors of

medicine, so it is only fair to say that

some of the young woman's talent is

inherited. She has nothing about her

that suggests the "new woman."

Handsome, graceful, elegant in cos-

tume, she looks like a young woman

of the fashionable world-until she

dons her gown and cap; then indeed

Before she was 17 she had taken

"Portla come to life!" cried an old

died, but she had been saved.

acquitted her client.

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This if followed up will cure an acute cold in 24 hours. The ingredients can be gotten at any drug store.

ACCURATE INFORMATION.



Teller-This line here Fortune shows that you will die in a year. Client-Good heavens! In a year? "H'm-yes-but in which year I and listened to the eloquence of her

can't quite tell you."

BAD ITCHING HUMOR.

Limbs Below the Knees Were Raw-Feet Swollen-Sleep Broken-Cured in 2 Days by Cuticura.

"Some two months ago I had a humor break out on my limbs below my knees. They came to look like raw beefsteak, all red, and no one knows how they itched and burned. They were so swollen that I could not get my shoes on for a week or more. I used five or six different remedies and got no help, only when applying them the burning was worse and the itching less. For two or three weeks the suffering was intense and during that time 1 did not sleep an hour at a time. Then one morning I tried a bit of Cuticura. From the moment it touched me the itching was gone and I have not telt a bit of it since. The swelling went down and in two days I had my shoes on and was about as usual. George B. Farley, 50 South State St., Concord, N. H., May 14, 1907."

TWO GOOD STORIES BY BARRIE.

One Told by Successful Author is Decidedly Against Himself.

Mr. J. W. Barrie, the author of "What Every Woman Knows," tells a good story against himself. A lady of his acquaintance had

taken a friend to see one of his plays, and, quite astonished, he asked her why she did so.

"Oh," was the reply, "it's such quiet street for the horses!"

He also tells of a playgoer who received no response to his repeated requests to a lady in front of him to remove her huge hat.

At length, exasperated, he said: "If you won't take off your hat, my dear madam, will you be so kind as to fold back your ears?"—Woman's Life. Hotel Savoy "12 Stories of Solid Comfort."

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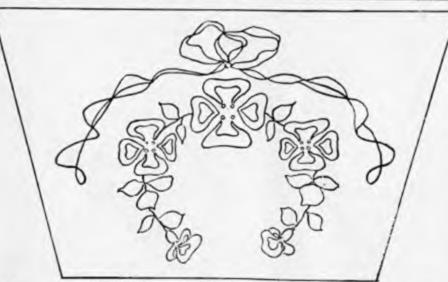


MLLE. MIROPOLSK) Pretty Christmas Gift observed that the French requirements for a degree are anything but

she seems what the old lawyer called times a joke, or something Christmasy to the guests as they sit at table, thus her-"Portia come to life." and appropriate for the recipient. En- making an effective picture before the Christmas load is distributed. Each her degree of B. A., and it should be

istic looking icicles fringing the inner which is cylindrical and has its base side of the top. Around the basket buried in the bottom of the sleigh. To proper are rows of Christmas "crack- fill in the spaces between these gleamers" to add to the fun and the amuse- ing white balls branches of holly and mistletoe or other Christmas greens

A centerpiece which has no sur-



NOVEL work bag that will make a very preity and acceptable Christmas present is shown in the accompanying sketch. It is a handy

sewn on.

little thing, for the needlebook is attached to the bag, so one does not have to hunt among the spools inside for the needlebook. It is a simple matter to make the bag, and It requires only a scrap of material. Cut a strip of silk 22 inches long and nine inches wide. Fold the short edges together and make a small French seam up the long sides. Fold back two inches and make a two-inch heading, with a half-inch space below to run the ribbon through. This heading is made as it is in any bag. Gather across the lower edge of the bag where the needlebook will be

To make the needlebook, cut two pleces of linen 51/2 inches by 41/2 inches. Transfer the design in the illustration to the linen by means of a piece of carbon paper. Be sure to lay the design on across the long side of the linen. Cut two pleces of pasteboard exactly the size and shape indicated on the page where the design is drawn, and cover these with the linen.

Care should be taken in placing the linen on the pasteboard to see that the design is straight. Turn the edges of the linen over the pasteboard very neatly and sew back and forth from one edge of the linen to the edge opposite. Sew on the ribbon and then line each cover with a piece of the silk.

Cut two pieces of flannel one-half inch smaller than the covers and overhand the covers and flannel together. Then overband the needlebook on the hag.

have the bag and needlebook lining of to match.

to fulfill.

Mile. Miropolsky's portraits do not do her justice, for they cannot reproduce the air of intelligence that beams in every feature nor the changing expression, the keen sparkle of the eye, the jet black hair, the white teeth or the charm of manner which are hers.

Mile. Miropolsky desires especially to practice in divorce cases and on behalf of children. With regard to di- or less extinct as a result of proper vorce, she expresses ideas which in some countries would be considered audacious. She would like to see di- er sanitary measures, such as the vorce made easier; that is, she advo- avoidance of overcrowding, the abolicates dissolving a union on the ex- tion of children's parties and the habit press desire of both parties. This re- of indiscriminate kissing. The last form she suggests as being really in should not be a hardship," Sir John the interests of morality. Such a con- added, if we accept the schoolboy's defidition of affairs, she remarks, virtual- nition of a kiss: "It is just putting ly exists nowadays, for if the parties your mouth to a person's cheek and really wish to be separated they ar- drawing in your breath, so as to make range a comedy in which there are, a little noise, which is not bad, but it necessarily, low and vulgar incidents. does nothing in the way of helping In divorce cases she hopes that it may you to love the person.' be her lot to plead nearly always for the wife, for, she says, it is the woman who suffers most frequently in these domestic failures.

Mile, Miropolsky thinks that every possible career should be opened to discover whether coffee disagrees or woman, and she finds that the chief not. objection of men is due to fear of increased competition and not really to any of the reasons commonly and hypocritically put forward. She would like to see women enter the church as a profession, for that is a sphere in which their qualities would, she believes, be especially serviceable.

In politics, Mile, Miropolsky considers she has not yet read and seen enough to be able to decide between the various parties in the republic.

On the question of marriage she has supreme contempt for what are called marriages of reason, the "reason" generally being money. She recognizes that marriage is the true function of woman, and if she were to meet a man for whom she had real affection she would think herself happy to marry; but on no other consideration save that of love. In any case, she would hope to continue her career in the legal profession.

She is an opponent of capital punishment. She regards crimicals somewhat in the light of diseased persons. In any case, she says, where our own motives are often so obscure and our judgment so fallible, we have no right to take the life of a human being.

Mile, Miropolsky speaks English very well, with a precise but pleasant intonation, and she also speaks and reads German. She has traveled much in Europe and she is a skilled musician. And all this at the age of 21!

The troubles we make light of are generally other people's troubles.

When Disease Will Disappear. At the reopening of a medical school in London recently Sir John Broadbent, in an address to the students, said that he looked forward "to some Utopian era when such diseases as influenza, pneumonia, measles, scarlet fever and the like will become more ventilation of offices, shops, public buildings and private houses, and oth-

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blue silk; the cover of white linen, and blue satin ribbons. The embroidery is effectively done as follows, using very delicate colors: Flowers, pink.

Centers of flowers, white slik dota. Leaves and stems, green, Bow knot, blue.

Calendars for Christmas Gifts.

Calendars always make acceptable gifts. Embroidered calendars in the Dutch boy and girl design are extremely popular and effective worked out in the delft blues. Or, if desired, they may be painted on cardboard instead and tiny penny calendars nearly tacked on. They may be secured stamped at any of the fancy-work. stores or departments. A pretty idea A very pretty color scheme is to is to have a sofa pillow and the rack

BURR OAK BRIEFLETS.

G. A. Maxey, Correspondent Elmer Susdorf moved his goods

to South Bend Monday.

Mrs. Stella Overmyer was a Chi-| Butter (good) cago visitor over Sunday. Charley Hatten has removed his Fowls.....

goods and family to Culver. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. France Susdorf, Nov. 30, a daughter.

Myrtle Emigh and little Voil Emigh are visiting in Argos.

Blanche Vanderweele was in

Chicago a few days last week. James McGowen's child has Oats

fully recovered from lung fever. Uncle John Aley is on the sick Rye

list and unable to leave his house. J. W. Currens spent a few days visiting in Howard county and vi-

cinity. Quite a number of rabbit hunters are bringing in the game by the dozen.

Owing to cold weather work on the new church has shut down for a few days.

J. S. Vanderweele and sons Wayne and Ward were Knox visitors Sunday.

John Tasher was called to South Bend Monday to attend a sick son who lives there.

houiehold goods to Chicago where he has employment.

Mr. Paddock and wife contemplate a trip to Fort Worth, Texas. in a few weeks to remain until spring.

Stephen Coleman fell one evening last week while after some wood in his woodhouse and is quite sore as a result.

City has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Vanderweele. She retor.ied home Friday.

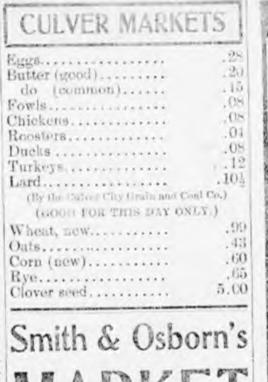
We understand that Jacob Ben-

school at San Pierre in a few days.

Frank Taylor will not go to South Dakota until spring on ache builds one uncertainty of the

H. Samuels and son, there until meyer, wife and daughter, Franklin Overmyer and grandson Roy and Mrs. Cromley were passengers for Chicago on the excursion last Saturday.

any exercises for Christmas day,



NOTE THESE PRICES

Porterbouse, sirloin & round., 15c Hamburger, best cuts 15c Beef roast......121c E. E. Bridges has moved his Pork chops......12de Pork steak......124c Ribs, sidemeat and shoulders, 10c Lard.....124c Home-made sausage 121c Oysters, solid meats, no water, 10c

Ray's Mrs. Bertha Johnson of Kansas Restaurant

BILL OF FARE

der of Limon, Col., will dispose of Vegetable soup De Maude Maxey, who has been Porterbouse steak 25c home sick since Nov. 25, is some Pork chops...... 25c better and expects to return to her Ham and eggs 25e Sausage..... 25c Sandwiches, ham, cheese, egg hamburger, hot ham, limburger, each 5c Buckwhent cakes 10c Friedcakes and coffee 10c Pie, per ent..... ae Drinks-Coffee, cherry phosphate, peach phosphate, lemonade, milk, each. 5c

Rolls, Pies, Cakes





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HE present that is most welcomed on Christmas morning is the one that combines us the beauty. Such a gift is a constant reminder of the giver long

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