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I Into what periods may Ameri-

can literature be divided? II Give the characteristics

the literature of each period?

III Name five leading writers of each period and a leading work of

IV Give a brief account of the life and writings of H. W. Long. tell ow.

V Name your favorite author and reasons for your choice.

VI What benefit have you derived from reading and studying masterpieces?

CURRENT EVENTS.

I What exposition is now being held? When and where will the next be held?

II What is a primary election

III Who is Prince Henry? Why prominant now?

IV Who are: Judge Taft, Tillman McLaurin, Marconi, Carnegie, De-Wet, Kitchener, Joseph Chamberlin, Lord Roseberry, Santos-Dumont?

Why prominent now? V What changes have been made n the president's cabinet?

VI What questions before Congress are we much interested in? Why?

ed an Alliance? Why? VIII Discuss the Nicaraguan Canal as to advantages, cost, mode

of construction and possible route.

the Cold. Pay. Price 25 cents.

Growth of Crime.

At the joint meeting of prison boards last week at Jackson some interesting statistics were presented in reports of Wardens Vincent, Freeman and Fuller. At Jackson prison, Jan. 1, 1901, there were 713 men; Jan, 1, 1902, 736 men, an increase of 23. During 1901 226 were received on sentence; returned from parole, 5; from escape, 1; from Ionia, 2; total, above manual labor, exist in the 224; 167 were discharged, 10 pardoned, 17 paroled, 1 escaped, 6 died, 9 transferred to Ionia, 1 transferred to Detroit house of correction; total going out, 211. Jan. 1. 1902, 46 men were out on parole, Not counting paroled men, etc., there were 226 content, is continually lowering the men received and 167 discharged during last year, showing an increase in crime. At present 555 men are That man should gain his bread by under contract in the prison. These earned \$65,006.15 during the year, or \$127 46 per man. The receipts in The doctor, lawyer, clergyman and in 1901 were \$112,721.41; desbursements, \$113,565.50. The prison earned \$88,721,41, being within \$24,-000 of being self supporting.

At Ionia prison the disbursments for 1901, were \$72,922.55, and the earnings \$30,857.16. The prison has 45 officers. There are now 296 men work draws the mind from debasing employed on the shirt contract and 240 cells are vacant.

At Marquette the prison ran \$32,-000 behind its receipts last year Jackson prison drew less from the state treasury last year than the other smaller, but more expensive, institutions. The average cost of food per day is 9 to 11 cents per man.

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you wish to make the boy a good than piles. The constant itching and behalf of the Frisco club because of burning make life intorable. No position is comfortable. The torture is unceasing. De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve cures piles at once. For in New York accepted the offer of Tim skin deseases, cuts, burns, bruises, all kinds of wounds it is unequalled. J

S. Gerall. St. Paul, Ark.. says: "From 1865 I suffered with the pro- 22. truding, bleeding piles and could find nothing to help me until I used De-Witt's Witch Hazel Saive. A few boxes completely cured me." Beware of counterfeits. Dr. C. A. Wakeman,

Lookout for Them.

The latest scheme to separate the honest farmer from a portion of his hank account, told by the Davison Index, as follows. A number of farmers near here have been swindled out of sums aggregating several thousand dollars recently by a couple of strangers, who represent themselves as wealthy men from Chicago or some other large place, and offer \$5 for the privilege of hunting on the farmer's premises. Consent being given, they paid the \$5 and then wrote out a receipt for the farmer to sign. The receipt turned up later as a promissory note for \$500, and as it was in the hands of a third party payment had to be made.

Clerk's Wise Suggestion.

"I have lately been much troubled with dyspepsia, belching and sour stomach," writes M. S. Mead, leading pharmacist of Attleboro. Mass. "I could eat hardly anything without suffering several hours. My clerk suggested I try Kodol Dysdepsia Cure which I did with most happy results. I have had no more trouble and when one can go to eating mince pie, cheese, candy and nuts after such a time, their digestion must be pretty good I endorse Kodol Dyspepsia Cure heartly." "You don't have to piet. Eat all the good food you want but don't overload the stomach. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests your food. Dr. C. A. Wakeman

Reduced Rates to the West.

Commencing March 1st and daily What two nations have form. thereafter, until April 30th, 1902, the Wisconsin Central Ry. will sell settlers' tickets from Chicago to points in Montana, Idaho, Oregon Washington, and British Columbia at greatly reduced rates. For de-Stops the Cough and Works off tailed information inquire of nearest Ticket Agent. or address H. W. Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets Steinhoff, D. P. A., Saginaw (W.S.) cure a cold in one day. No Cure, no Mich.; or Jas. C. Pound, Geul Passenger Agent, Milwaukee, Wis.

Yale-Harvard Athletics.

Yale and Harvard have opened negotiations looking to the establishment of a new agreement in all branches of athletics for a term of several years. The plan for the new agreement is informal as yet, but the general wishes of each university are known to each other. At Yale there is a universal wish for a renewal of the five year agreement signed by Walter Camp for Yale and Billy Brooks for Harvard in 1897. This will expire March 1, 1902, and it is expected that before that date the new agreement will not only be signed by official representatives from the two universities, but will be heartily ratified at mass meetings of Yale and Harvard students.

During the five years of athletic relations just passed the Cutts case of the last football season has been the only incident which has caused any decided unpleasantness, but it is believed that before another agreement is signed a repetition of the case will be impossible. Harvard opened the negotiations looking toward a new agreement.

The history of Yale-Harvard contests shows that in five years just closed Harvard has excelled in baseball and track athletics. In rowing Yale has excelled her Cambridge rival. The crews met four times, as Yale had her crew at Henley in 1896, the first year of the agreement. Yale has won three of these four races. On the track the record is three victories in five years for Harvard. In baseball Harvard men have made their best showing, having won three of the four annual series with Yale played under the five year agreement. In football the record is most unique. Two of the games played were ties, neither side scoring. Yale won only one of the remaining games, but this was by the largest score of all -29 to 0.

The McGovern-Sullivan Fight. Terry McGovern and Dave Sullivan will fight before the Southern Athletic

club of Louisville instead of before the Yosemite Athletic club of San Francispowers of body, mind and soul. If There is no more agonizing trouble co. Jim Kennedy withdrew his offer on friction in the matter of securing a Sam Harris, for McGovern, and Tom

Sharkey, for Sullivan, at a conference Hurst on behalf of the Louisville club of 60 per cent of the gross receipts. The date for the bout was fixed for the afternoon of Washington's birthday, Feb.

Terry McGovern and Dave Sullivan were both present when the new arrangements were made, and McGovern is now training at Hempstead, N. Y. As the fight was put off three weeks from the time originally scheduled, Jan. 30, Terry did light work until a few days ago. Sam Harris does not want McGovern to do more than three weeks' hard work. Sullivan is doing his work at Spike Sullivan's, Homecrest, near Sheepshead Bay, N. Y.

The American Derby.

The meeting at Washington park, Chicago, will begin Saturday, June 21, and it will be rich in prizes. The club will add \$29,000 to the American Derby and thus make it one of the richest three-year-old races in the world. It takes nerve to do this. The entries closed Jan. 15 with the secretary, James Howard.

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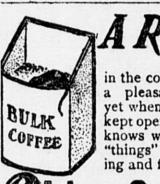
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Between entertaining Prince Henry and the Tillman-McLaurin "scrap" Washington has been a lively place for the past week.

The Philippine tariff bill was passed by the senate Monday by a strict party vote. The debate on this bill was the most exciting witnessed in the senate for many years.

The Rochester Post-Express, one of the ablest Republican papers in the United States, rightly says if we must make door mats of our naval officers let us do it with those who lose or never fight and not with those who win.

Do honor to Prince Henry? Why, of course. Honor him as we ought to Beatty, has been holding here and honor any distinguished and worthy gentleman, and representative of state just that and no more. There is no use in saying that his coming over here will give occasion for American to the regrets of all concerned. snobbery to show what a dangerous ready. Coming princes east their ly alarmed one day last week by what whales there. shadows before .- Word and Works

A liability of a township for im properly kept highways has been recently before the circuit court of Isabella county. An action was brought against a township for \$10, 000 for injuries received because of defective road. The jury brought in a verdict of \$2,000 damages. The complainant in the case was drawing bolts, when one of his wagon wheels fell into a rut, throwing him in such a manner as to break a leg and otherwise injure him. Negligence on the part of the township to keep the roads in good order was proved.

The question whether man shall be ed him on the ice. allowed to fish on Sunday or not has just had a very lively discussion in the Massachusetts legislature. The existing law prohibits it, and the effort to change it was defeated by a vote of 100 to 80. As a matter of fact, nobody pays any attention to the law, and the debate had the marks of not village on business Tuesday. being very serious on either side. The ablest argument made was by a defender of the law, who maintained that the object of it was to give a day of rest to the fish, in which they could take necessary food without danger of swallowing a hook.—Ex.

Those who understand the art of advertising invariably succeed and amass fortune. There is not a single day with his new team. It took two exception to this rule. Advertising, men to drive them. to be successful, should not be spasmodie and intermittent, but continuous. There is no such word as fail to Herald, last Sunday. the persistent advertiser. Should be expect his results from a single advertisement it is no more reasonable than a man would be to expect fovorable results from taking down his! shutters one day in every month and its being kicked by another so badly, never gripe. Favorite pills. Dr. C. keeping them closed the remainder, that it was necessary to kill it. or than a man who shrouds his signs of business except on particular days, and for long intervals of time.

Judge Josiah Turner, of Owosso, for more than twenty years judge in the old Genesce circuit, and now nearly ninety years old, still takes a keen in- a hurry boys, you know the good book terest in judicial matters around the says the first shall be last, and the state, and keeps in touch with promirent court proceedings. In the days when he was on the bench, such a thing as a board of pardons was not heard of, nor were there so many criminals being turned out of the state penal institutions each year as there are today. While he thinks the board of pardons is a nice thing for the governor, relieving him of much worry and work, Judge Turner holds that the pardoning business is being overdone in Michigan

Whittemore.

Fine! fine weather, but we fear it is only lent.

Henry Funk, of Tawas City, was in town Monday.

Thos. G. Lislie will start his shingle nill, March 1.

P. E. Shien, state trespass agent was seen on streets lately.

Dan McDonald, of Omer, was in

town on business one day last week. W. A. Sperl came down from Onaway and spent a day or so with his family.

V. VanBuren, of Idaho City, Idaho, is spending a few days visiting with his daughter, Mrs. Frank Honton.

Henry Sheppard and wife of Bay county, drove up last week and spent called on friends here last Friday. a few days with Mrs. S.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Dutton. They returned

Our township treasurre is hustling around among the farmers and other delinquent, as under the new law he must make his return to the county least talking? February only 28 days. by March 4th.

E. church by Rev. Beatty, have been for Tawas. well attended, and several people have been converted, and come out and Ogemaw county to spend a few days made a stand for God. Let the good with friends. work go on.

spring on our streets. The frogs are Baptist church. not out but candidates are very much in evidence on the sunny side of the streets these pleasant afternoons. There are many aspirants for the mantle of Manard Butts.

The meetings which the Rev. H. G. which were very interesting and well attended, were brought to a sudden sudden illness of Mrs. Beatty, much work along.

they first thought to be the hawling of of a pack of hungry wolves, but on investigation it proved to be N. G. Shaw, of this village, who, as was announced last week was with a party fishing at Londo Lake. He had by his very clever and skillful maneuvering of the decoy, enticed a large fish to partake of same, but Mr. Shaw was ready for his game and with the agelity that few men possess, landed his steel in the back of the fish, and managed to throw it out upon the ice. From that moment he lost all control of hiuself Shaw were most terrifying to hear. They brought him home the next day. Shaw says he thought the fish would weigh about 30 pounds when he land-

Hale.

S. B. Yawger has been away on business this week.

Elmer Odell, of Siloam, was in our

book last Monday. It was a fat one.

The lack of snow has worked much damage to the wheat crop in this

Township Treasurer Nunn is doing well with taxes this year. They are

S. B. Yawger took a drive last Sun-

C. Livingstone and wife, entertained H. Granger and wife, of the Tawas

Alex Ross, of East Tawas, has been in this vicinity this week, as agent for the Alpena Marble Works.

Mr. Grim lost a horse this week, by

white owls mounted and on exhibition at his store. They were killed in this locality.

Staey Yawger has a fine pair of

Some of our office-seekers are talking up matters already. Don't be in last shall be first.

The winter has been so long that number of wild animals have been seen in this locality of late, much to the danger of the inhabitants in town. A "side hill gaugher" and a "spiked skid" almost killed one of our most popular young men last week. Ask Sam. He knows.

Kodol Dyspepsia Gure Gigests what you eat.

Clayton Koyl returned to Malthy

Ben Corbett is expected home this week from Canada.

Mrs. George Charters is seriously ill with the Grippe.

Will Hartley, of Tawas City, lately purchased a farm in Reno.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Daugherty and

Vire returned home Saturday, Town Treasurer Nunn, of Hale. made a trip to Tawas this week.

Miss Blanche West, of Grant, visited friends of Reno the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Granger, of Tawas called at Siloam Saturday last.

Sandy Gordon, of South Branch,

Miss Lindsley attended the dance at

Turner on Washington's birthday. Ladies Aid Society met on Wednes-

day at the home of Mrs. Wm. West. In which month do girls do the

Mr. and Mrs. St. Martin and Mr. and The revival meetings held in the M. Mrs. Odell were passangers on Friday

Miss Sarah Frockins has gone to

Mrs. Lizzie VanCamp started home Wednesday, having been the guest of Mrs. Henry Thompson.

Again the steam whistle is heard at the saw mill. Dave Cooper commenced work there on Monday.

The time for spring canvas for the HERALD subscribers will soon be here. close on Monday evening, by the Every reader should help the good

Ambrose Wismer returned Monday The good and law abiding people at from Loon Lake. He left Whittford

> Orangemen meeting at the Hall Tuesday night. By the beating of the drum and the war whoops we should say there was more than one candidate initiated.

The Farmers' Club.

Continuing what we said of AuSable last week. We said 600 votes, because 30 per cent of its population at was only a mushroon city, as is now shown, and previous to securing its and the boys says that the yells of charter, and under the village system one member was sent to the board of supervisors, but now under their upper charter, they have three supervisors, a mayor and a city attorney, on the board to eat up our substance. labor is necessary. This is \$12 extra and milage for every day that the board sets. Their mayor and city attorney come on the board and draw their pay just the same as the supervisors. The city is too poor to pay them salaries, so the county must pay them with money of our overridden taxpayers, and the town-James Burchman lost his pocket ships stand the blunt of it.

Their valuation of \$800,000 has been reduced to \$50,000. Their portion of the county tax in 1900 was \$300, and their attendance on the board and milage was \$275. The farmers and tax payers were blessed with a big \$25 to aid in paying county expenses. This is to be continued.

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POCKET GOPHERS.

Handy Method of Introducing Polsoned Food Into Their Runways.

Alfalfa fields have been the special theater of operations of pocket gophers in Kansas. D. E. Lentz of the state station recommends the following method of destroying them by introducing poison into their burrows: Cut sotatoes or other food into pieces not more than three-fourths of an inch in diameter. Cut a slit in each piece and with a point of the knife blade insert fool it is. This is too apparent al- Canfield P. O. and vicinity were great- and Ranger to capture the young a little sulphate of strychnine. As much as half the bulk of a grain of wheat will answer the purpose. The moisture from the potato will cause the poison to adhere to the blade.

> Having prepared the bait in sufficient quantity, go to the field armed with a round, sharp pointed implement an inch or an inch and a half in diameter and of sufficient length. Of tools of this kind made by a blacksmith one is a shovel handle and the other a spade handle, and each is shod with a conical iron point. A bar is attached about fifteen inches from the point to enable the operator to use the foot in that time were transent people. It pressing it into the soil. These tools have proved to be quite serviceable. With one of them it is only necessary to find the runway of the gopher. The handle is sufficiently thick to make a hole large enough to permit one to drop the poisoned potato directly into the burrow. The operator then passes on to another place, leaving the hole open. No digging with a spade or other hard

> > An experienced person can distribute poison to many acres of alfalfa in a day, and if proper care is taken to rightly distribute the bait it will not be necessary to go over the ground a second time. It is best to insert the food as near as possible to the freshest mounds of earth thrown up by the animals. Two or three pieces of potato at that place are worth many scattered in other parts of the runway. The operator should avoid the larger mounds and those that are not freshly made.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Gathered from Various Sources.

A boy and a bicycle need blowing up occassionally.

The board of supervisors will meet Tuesday, March 11.

Regular meeting of the city council next Tuesday evening.

Dr. J. D. Kerns, V. S., of Prescott, was in the city yesterday.

Read what James LaBerge has to say elsewhere in this issue.

F. H. Richards & Co., have a nev advertisement in this issue.

Sheet music 10, 15, 20 and 25 cents, at E. L. King's, East Tawas.

Mrs. Henry Wilmot, of Greenbush, visited friends here this week.

G. T. Wood, the jeweler, of East Tawas, guarantees all his work.

Mrs. M. McGarry is visiting at the home of her son John, at Alpena. Suple Brabon loaded several car

with wood for Saginaw this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Odell, of Si loam, were in the city last Friday. C. D. Bennett, of East Tawas, was

in Bay City on business last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. James H. Sheldon tour.

N. C. Hartingh, has been at Bay City and other points on business this

Iasco county reported 13 deaths to the secretary of state for the month of

Smith Williams, of Chicago, was the guest of his brother, Spencer C., of this city over Sunday.

Midland last Saturday, where she has again been engaged to teach.

Mrs. A. G. VanWey is visiting relatives and friends at Bay City and Saginaw for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. M. D. Hurlbert left yesterday for Detroit and Cleveland to purchase her stock of spring millinery.

The celebrated Harrison wagon, the best made. For sale by.

WHITTEMORE & PHINNEY. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Oakes, of East Tawas, entertained a party of their

friends most enjoyably last evening. Milton Sherman and Miss Mae Sly, of Oscoda, were married Feb. 17th, in

this city, Rev. D. Q. Barry officating. Capt F. F. W. Gersel, of Co. A. M.

last Friday evening. He served in the Spanish war. Miss Margaret J. Edmunds, of Bay the Tawas City postoffice. City, leaves soon for Seoul, Korea,

mission hospital. About twenty members of the Eastern Star, of East Tawas, gave the lodge of this city a fraternal visit last

Tuesday evening. evening, March 5.

It would be a good plan to allow the home town for the same or less money. people to do the hustling and give the office-seekers a rest.

M., have issued invitations to their the Review of Reviews for March by fourth annual banquet, which will be Mr. Thomas C. Martin, the well-known held next Tuesday evening.

Word received from Hancock an- artical is illustrated from photographs. nounces the arrival of a fine son at | the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willard certificates, so well executed as to es-VanPatten, on on Saturday last.

spring weather for the past week, but we would not advise the planting of garden truck for a few days yet.

We desire to urge our correspondents to send in their communications so that they will reach us not later than Thursday morning of each week.

All members are requested to attend the regular review of Grip Tent No. 455, K. O. T. M., next Monday evening. Business of importance is to be considered.

let both services.

The young people's societies of the various churches of this city will hold on his residence, which was recently their monthly union meeting at the Baptist church next Sunday evening; at 6.30.

The East Tawas W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Miss Mack, Friday afternoon, March 7, at 2.30. On March 21, the organization will hold a nedel contest.

Christ. Graeler, father of Mrs. A Steinhurst, died on Monday last, age 76 years. The funeral was held from the Em. Lutheran church Wednesday

John A. Mark, Collie Johnson, Will Davidson and Rev. King were hunting Tuesday. A rabbit a piece or a piece of a rabbit a piece, and it is not certain which.

If you wish to reach the people of losco county with your advertisement, use the columns of the HERALD. It has a good list of subscribers at every postoffice in the county.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wendt, are the parents of a fine 81 pound daughter, who arrived at their home at 1.23 a. m. Tuesday. "Billy" bears the title of papa with dignity.

A number of our farmers are about to purchase a German Coach horse of A. D. Spaulding, who has been in this locality for several weeks past for the purpose of effecting a sale.

Mrs. H. T. Thomas, of East Tawas, gave a very pleasant afternoon party last Monday to a number of har lady friends. Pedro and refreshments aided in the enjoyment of the occas-

The ice harvest has been a bountious one here this season, many of our neighboring villages and a large numhave returned from their wedding ber of our farmers having secured their supply for the coming summer at this place.

When you want a policy for Fire. Life or Accidental Insurance, call on H. F. Barbour, in the Bank Block. East Tawas. Only reliable companies represented and rates as low as consistent with reliable insurance.

The 12 year old daughter of Mr and Mrs. Robert Southgate, of Harrisville, was fatally burned Monday by Miss Marie McDonald returned to her clothes catching on fire from the stove. Mrs. Southgate was severely burned in attempting to save the

> C. H. Hamilton, of Marlette, has taken charge of the Tawas City Laundry, and is prepared to give prompt attention to the business. Mr. H. is an experienced laundryman and guarantees satisfaction. See his card in this issue.

The Michigan Chemical Co., of Bay City, which manufactures alcohol from refuse molasses of beet sugar, has closed aontract to supply the United States government with 75,000 gallons of beet alcohol for use in making smokeless powder.

Lost, between P. E. Shien's resiand the school house in this city, on Friday, Feb. 21, a shoestring shosping N. G., died at his home in Saginaw bag, lined with pink silk. There was about \$20 in same. A liberal reward will be paid for the return of same to

Editor Keyes, of the Lexington where she goes to take charge of a News, says: "Don't be a sneak. If you are dry, step into the beverage parlor through the front door like a man, wet your whistle and go about your business, if you have any, and if you haven't look up something."

Every postoffice in the country is The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church, being flooded with catalogues from will serve their usual 10 cent supper the department stores in the larger in the Bagger building, Wednesday cities. Much of the goods they offer is only trash, and whatever they have Candidates are begining to hustle, that is good can be purchased in your

"The Longest Power-Transmission in the World,"—the one recently in-Tawas City Lodge, No. 302, F. & A. stalled in California,—is described in writer on electrical subjects. The

A number of counterfeit \$5 silver cape detection by the unpractised eye, Yes, we have been enjoying genuine have been in circulation in Bay City during the past week. Several of these bills have fallen into the hands of Deputy United States Marshal Tobias, who is endeavoring to locate the source of distribution.

From the Hot Springs Sentinel-Record we learn of the narrow escape of engineer John Ryan, in a railroad wreck near that place, in which his train ran into the rear of another train, which had broken down on the main line and failed to send out a flagman. While both were passager trains no Theme at the Baptist church next one was fatally injured. Many of our Sunday morning, "That Which Satis- citizens will remember Mr. Ryan and fies;" in the evening, "The Cost of family from their visit here during the Principle." The pastor will preach summer of 1900, when they stopped at the home of W. F. Whittemore.

James H. Nisbet has began repairs injured by fire.

The term of County Road Commissioner James Quinn expires this spring, and a successor will be elected. It is time the county conventions were

church next Sabbath, Rev. E. O. Sutherland, pastor. Morning subject, 'Simon of Cyrene.'' Continuing the historical talks the evening subject is, "John Knox." Strangers and those without a church home are especially

During the past two weeks State of his deputies at work along the Rifle river in Ogemaw county, where they have seized over 10,000 ties and about a million feet of logs which had been cut from state tax lands. Mr. Shien informs us that for several years past thousands of dollars worth of timber has been stolen from the state in this locality.

This has been one of the most remarkable winters everknown in this locality. Today is the last one of February, and as yet there has practically not been a day of sleighing, and not to exceed six inches of snow has fallen in the entire winter. Notwithstanding this fact, the roads have been excellent and the farmers and others have experienced but little difficulty in getting out their forest products, many claiming that the lack of snow has been a benefit.

The question of candidates for the various city offices is now being disappears to be a desire to select progressive men for the council during the coming year. Men who, while not extravagant, are in favor of making an effort to improve our city both cial importance. There is no doubt that much can be accomplished if progressive, conservative men are chosen as aldermen from the different wards. That some effort should be made along these lines all will agree.

27. 1902, a small brindle cow. Owner can have same by proving property paying charges.

MRT. JAS. CHAMBERS.

Read Dr. Spinney's advertisement in this issue.

Mrs Henry Grabow, of Wilber, died on Saturday last. The funeral was held from the Em. Lutheran church in this city Monday.

Maggie daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Brooks, of Wilber, died Wednesday morning, after long and patent suffering. The funeral will be conducted from the Wilber M. E. Sevices as usual at the Prebyterian church today, Rev. E. King officiating. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of all in their sad affliction.

Conundrum Social.

The Epworth League will have a conundrum social at the home of Mrs. Osborne on the Meadow Road tonight. Teams will start from Mr. Hamilton's Trespass Agent Shien has had three store between seven and eight o'clock. Supper will be served any time after

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Const	itution Cerrupters1 "
Causi	ng Crystals1 "
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Ice C	ream and Cake10 "

Gning To Harrisville.

W. D. Sanders

With the latest process for Feather Steam Washing is about to leave East Tawas. Mr Saunders who for cussed to considerable extent. There the past 8 months has conducted a feather renovating establishment in East Tawas will move to Harrisville

During his stay here Mr. Sanders | * has done an enormous business, having renovated feathers for over in general appearance and commer- eleven hundred families, all of whom speak in the very highest praise of his honest business methods and excellent work.

The apparatus used is the best known-the steam blast method, and | ** makes the feathers as light and downy as when first plucked. It also exterminates all disease germs ESTRAY NOTICE:-There came into moths, etc., which are sure to be my enclosure, in Tawas City, on Feb. lurking within feathers which have been used any length of time. We can heartly recommend Mr. Sanders as a trust worthy and reliable gentle-

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the largest and best selected] stock of

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Writing Contracts for Acreage for the Campaign of 1902-1903. These Contracts Provide for the Same Price for Beets as was Paid this Season, and upon the Same Terms. Contracts may be Secured at the Factory, or from their Agents who are now Canvassing.

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We guarentee to all who purchase goods from us that our Styles are

the Latest and our Goods the Best for the Money. We are able to

fit you properly, too. Style, Comfort, Price, Wear!
GOOD STYLE is essential. A reasonable compliance with the pre-

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the foot all over, with a steady, even presure. They fit without

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Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Sash and Doors, Sherwin and Williams' Paints. Etc., Etc.

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TAWAS CITY, MICH



The recent rise in the prices of feedstuffs has played havoc with the makers of milk who are bound by a contract price, says The Breeder's Gazette. It is reported from one of the dairy districts near Chicago that a loss of nearly 35 cents a can is now suffered by the farmers who contracted their milk for the winter at \$1.15 per can, as fixed by the Milk Shippers' union. The avocation of meat and milk making does not ordinarily afford enough profit one year with another to enable its followers to recoup the loss of one season with the profits of a previous or subsequent season. The price of living had been forced down to so low a basis in cities that the farmer worked on a very small margin of profit, and hence a marked advance in the cost of his feedstuffs unaccompanied by a corresponding rise in the price of his marketed products cuts close to the bone. Rehef is possible only through an advance in price to the consumer, and it should be promptly made. City people are for the most part sufficiently prosperous to share with the farmer the loss resultant from an abnormally unfavorable crop season. In a year of great prosperity the merchant and the manufacturer can generally lay by a surplus against a season of dull trade, but the American farmer has for years been working on so close a margin that he has not been able to do this except in cases which may properly be termed exceptional considering the vast number in which the opposite is true. No reason exists why city people, with increased incomes consequent upon the prosperity that is so general in business circles, should fatten on the farmer's loss. They have had cheap milk and cheap meat, and it will not hurt them at the present time to enlarge their appropriations for these necessities of life.

The Poor Cow.

Feeding the poor is only collateral to wasting fodder in the field, and as it is a business axiom that the first loss is always the best it is likely wiser to lose the fodder directly than lose it through an unprofitable animal after having added the cost of hauling and feeding, says W. F. McSparrow in National Stockman. The cow adds no manurial value to the fodder. This is the cow also for which no man can afford to buy commercial feeds. She is the love's labor lost of the dairy. She is part of the undertow to the farm. She is more of a drain on the farm than the everlasting manure pile out "under the rain drip." She steals the farmer's labor and his hope. The much maligned mortgage is insignificant by her side. She drives the boy from the farm and makes the girls shy of farmer boys matrimonially inclined. Verily, she is a fifteen dollar animal using twentyfive dollar feed.

Keep Things Clean.

You don't know unless you have tried it how it increases a common cow's self respect and incidentally her milk yield to have a clean, sweet stable to walk into night and morning, to be turned into a pasture with succulent feed up to her eyes and with plenty of pure, cool water to drink, to see the shepherd dog chained up instead of snapping at her heels and to receive gentle words rather than kicks and have the atmosphere free from cuss words at milking time.

Kindness That Pays.

In order that a cow may give the greatest quantity of the richest milk it is necessary that she should be subjected to gentle treatment, never be hounded by dogs, never struck with sticks, never even be roughly spoken to, but petted and made much of as far as possible.

Silage as a Milk Food.

The silo is gaining friends every year, and it will not be many years until every progressive dairyman will put his corn crop in a silo and thus get the best possible results from it, says Dairy and Creamery. Corn is the cheapest feed that can be grown in this country and in the shape of silage is the best food for dairy cows. Mr. D. M. Mc-Pherson, Lancaster, Canada, keeps seventy cows on 125 acres of land, and these cows average 7,000 pounds of milk a year, and this great yield is McPherson says:

of a live animal twenty-six pounds of Home. food daily are required in a properly balanced ration. That will give enough as a heat producer and flesh former an article published in Hoard's Dairyfor either beef or milk. How can that man wherein we commented somewhat food be supplied at least cost? It is on buckwheat shorts and buckwheat quite possible for every farmer to have bran and middlings, wants to know each cow give 5,000 pounds of milk a whether in our judgment the hulls of season at a cost of only 50 to 60 cents | buckwheat are of any considerable per hundred pounds. I have reduced feeding value. He says they are rethe cost of producing milk to 40 cents | ported to contain from 4 to 41/2 per cent per hundred. Farmers are losing daily | crude protein, 40 to 44 per cent carbowhat, if properly applied, means wealth | hydrates and 1 per cent ether extract. to them, and increase in wealth, if being in this respect equal to mixed keep and increases production."

A GREAT RECORD.

Holstein-Friesian Cow In the Lead as a Milk Producer.

It gives us much pleasure, says Hoard's Dairyman, to present a picture of the cow Mercedes Julip's Pltertje, H. F. H. B. 39480, albeit the picture itself is very far from being a work of art or in any sense worthy of its subject. It will, however, serve the main purpose of its publication, which is to set before the student of dairy form the outlines and conformation of a cow that has recently made a new record as a producer of butter fat. This cow is the property of T. S

Tompkins, White Bear Lake, Minn. We are indebted to Mr. S. Hoxie, superintendent of the Holstein-Frieslan Advanced Registry, for a copy of the detailed record made by this cow from Dec. 17 to 23, 1901, inclusive. For the first three days of this period she was milked four times daily and for the other four days three times. Each of these twenty-four milkings was separately weighed and the milk tested under the personal supervision of Mr. H. C. McKinstry, whose competency, integrity and disinterestedness are vouch-



MERCEDES-JULIP'S PIETERTJE.

ed for by Professor Haecker of the Minnesota experiment station and who is also well known to be entirely reliable by the editors of this paper. It is purpose is to ventilate the hive in very and women's goods, brilliantines, linnot so stated in the report, but we believe the fact to be that Mr. McKinstry other times be covered with a small was selected by Professor Haecker to conduct this test. To make assurance doubly sure and forestall every doubt as to the accuracy of the record two other representatives of the Minnesota station were detailed to keep constant watch of the cow during the last three days of the test.

Instead of presenting all the figures of these successive milkings and tests. which would tend more to confusion than clearness for the majority of readers, we give the aggregates and aver-

Lowest test, 10 a.m. Dec. 17, 2.7 per cent. Lowest yield milk, 10 a.m. Dec. 18, 18.5 lb. Highest test, 10 a.m. Dec. 19, 4.7 per cent. Largest yield milk, 4 p.m. Dec. 21 and 23, 29.3 lb. Average only yield, 83.41 lb. milk; 3.3579 lb. fat, equivalent to 8.92 lb. butter.

In an earlier test, Nov. 26 to Dec. 2, this cow gave 540.8 lb. milk, containing 21.1032 lb. fat, equivalent to 24.62 lb. butter when an exact account of the feed eaten was kept. In these seven days she consumed 360 lb. beet pulp, 32 lb. oats, 251/2 lb. brewers' grains, 28 lb. bran, 17 lb. corn, 8 lb.; oilmeal, 371/2 lb. timothy hay.



We have often referred to the very satisfactory yield of dairy products from the herd at the Minnesota state | ic matter, but causes the rapid formafarm and cited records as a justification for persuading farmers to give more heed to the balanced ration. Not only could we refer to that herd as strongly favoring the adoption of the methods of feeding there, but ample testimony from other herds could be cited with similar results. Now and then came reports from readers that no beneficial results followed the feeding of a balanced ration. To such it was always explained that improved methods of feeding must begin with a cow fresh in milk and that when she had shrunken in her flew she could not be made to increase its supply of protein unless she had access to succulent feed, made on silage. Experiments have like new pasture. If there is provided proved to Mr. McPherson that corn an ample amount of protein during the fodder is not as valuable as corn si- winter, the flow of milk would not malage. The difference in his herd amounts terially increase, but when cows are to 500 pounds of milk a day. In speak- turned to pasture in the spring the sucing of his system of keeping cows Mr. culent, palatable and easily digested young grass invariably brings an in-"Actual experiments have proved creased yield of milk, writes Professor that for every thousand pounds weight T. L. Haecker in Farm, Stock and

Buckwheat Hulls.

C. H. G., Mauston, Wis., deferring to properly used, is increased happiness. hay. This may be true from the chem-The balanced ration that is costing ist's standpoint, but these pure buckyou 24 cents a day per cow can be had wheat hulls are some like cottonseed for 9 cents by studying out the require- hulls, very difficult to digest, and cases | United States is on an average not ments of your cows and by loading have been reported where animals, es. quite equal to the consumptive de them both ways. Our railways and pecially swine, have been very much mand. steamships are on that principle. I | injured by eating them because of claim that cows should give 6,000 their sharp edges and corners. For ter meions in this country are in Utah pounds of milk per season. I feed our part we should hesitate to feed in the great desert. meal every month of the year to my them at all, much preferring to sift cows because it reduces the cost to out the hulls from the middlings and in stock feed reported from Germany. use them for bedding.

AN OBSERVATORY HIVE.

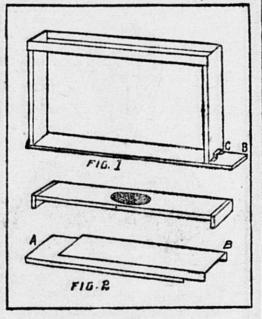
The Quickest and Best Way to Learn the Bee Business.

F. G. Herman, who is an authority on apiarian matters, considers that there is no way in which so much practical knowledge can be obtained about bees as by observing them working in a normal way through the glass sides of an observatory hive. You will see the field bees coming in with their loads of nectar and pollen and depositing them in the cells, the nurse bees feeding the larvæ and the comb builders making comb. You may also observe the queen in her arduous duty of laying two and even three eggs per minute. Mr. Herman therefore tells in The Farm Journal how to make such a

If you are using in your yard a movacomb. Five inches inside measurement made out of good, clear window glass. This constitutes the body of the hive See Fig. 1.

half an inch high, inside measurement, and about twenty inches long, or longer if necessary. The upper cut in Fig. 2 is the hive cover, which has a hole in the center two and a half inches in diwire netting. This hole is for two purposes. If the bees need feeding, a pint fruit jar can be filled with sirup, then covered with one thickness of cheese cloth and inverted right on the wire, and the bees will do the rest. The other warm weather. This hole should at

Of course it would be useless to put a swarm of bees into a glass hive, for a



FRAME AND ENTRANCE TUBE.

dark hive suits them better. About six days after you have had a swarm go to the parent hive you will find a number of ripe queen cells from which queens will emerge in a day or two. Take three frames of hatching brood, with one or more queen cells, covered with adhering bees, and place them in the hive. Put on the cover and carry to the porch of your dwelling or other suitable place and adjust your hive in position. Some of the old bees will leave, but those that are hatching will make it their home.

For best results it is necessary to have on the porch a vine of some sort for a screen. Honeysuckle trained on chicken wire makes a splendid network of foliage that can hardly be improved upon.

Nitrates In the Soil.

The continuous growing of wheat or other grain or of a cultivated crop not only rapidly depletes the soil of organtion of nitrates, which are likely to be washed down in the soil below the reach of the roots of plants. In experiments by Professor Ladd of North Dakota the largest amount of nitrates was found at a depth of three feet in bare fallow, while at a depth of seven feet the amount of nitrates was larger than at a depth of one foot. It is evident that the nitrates found were leached down from above. The importance of a proper rotation and of catch crops to take up and hold the nitrates is thus shown.

Good Absorbents For Hen Manure. Hen manure quickly ferments and will lose much of its nitrogen if not preserved with absorbents. Lime and wood ashes should not be used for this purpose. Dry loam or muck, moss litter from peat bogs, road dust, are all useful absorbents for the floor of the poultry house.

News and Notes.

The receipts of flaxseed at the principal primary markets up to Jan. 1. 1902, are estimated by the Duluth Record at 21,459,000 bush-ls.

The cotton crop of central Asia is reported to have turned out unfavorably. The United States is one of the leading vegetable oil producers of the world. These in the order of their quantitative importance are cottonseed, linseed and corn oils.

According to a trade journal, the total consumption of sugar of all kinds in the United States in the calendar year 1901 was 2,372,316 long tons against 2,219,847 long tons in 1900.

The production of potatoes in the

The headquarters for the Khiva win

Cured beet leaves is a new departure



I bought a flock of thirty-seven goats, had much better results than from common ones, not Angoras, writes W. H. Winters of Arkansas to Wool Markets and Sheep. I must confess that I was somewhat prejudiced against them, but after an experience of eight months with them I find them to be with which I can sow twenty acres a the most pleasant and easily handled day. I always sow these grasses in animals that I ever owned. A fence three feet high, if it stands erect, will hold them in lot or pasture. If it leans from them they will climb upon it and jump down on the other side. If you before seeding. The seeding is delaywill lean a board against the fence, ed until all danger from frost is past, barn or house, they will climb to the say from May 10 to June 1. I always top of it. They delight to climb a lean | see that every inch of land has been ing board and slide down like boys irrigated. Then when the ground has ble frame hive, the matter is simple sliding on cellar doors. They soon take dried just enough to work well I go enough. Make the two end pieces, the up with their home and will come up on the land with a hoe drill. I put the bottom and cover the same length and to the house or barn two or three times alfalfa seed in the grainbox and let height as the hives in your yard, but a day, and every time it rains they lose it run down through the pipes. Set the only wide enough for three frames of no time getting home to shelter, while drill to cover about two inches. Use a sheep will remain out in the rain all sixteen to twenty pounds of seed per is about right. The sides should be day. The goats live and fatten on acre. When the ground is dry enough what other stock will not eat. They not to pack, go over the land with a live principally on leaves, weeds and roller or a planker. Seeded in this manbriers. They will more than pay their ner every alfalfa seed will come up. The lower cut in Fig. 2 is a tube way in clearing brush land, weeds and I get better results from ten pounds by which is connected to the body at B, briers. Green briers are especially bad this mode of drilling than those who which will be explained a little further in this country. Goats are very prolif- put in twenty pounds of seed broadon. C in the first figure is a piece of tink ic, usually bringing twins and often cast. that holds the tube in place. The bees | triplets. Their flesh is said to resem- I consider broadcasting very wasteenter the tube at A and crawl through ble venison in taste. I have butchered ful in this country, whether it be grass the tube into the hive. The tube is and sold quite a number of goats the seed, grain or peas. This is an arid made two and a half inches wide and past summer. I can sell three or four section, and all seeds lying on or near goats to one sheep on this market. Al- the surface of the ground either sprout most every one who has eaten goat and then die for want of moisture or do meat prefers it to mutton and, in fact, not sprout at all. to almost any other meat. Goats do not seem to be subject to many of the ameter covered on the underside with diseases of the sheep or other animals. The Angora's Fleece.

The most important product of the Angora goat is the long, silky, wavy fleece, used either pure or in connection with wool, silk or linen in a variety of fabrics for house furnishings ings, braid, plushes, astrakhan cloth, furniture coverings and a variety of other materials. The fine fabric called camel's hair is also of the best mohair and not from the camel, as would be supposed from the name. "Chamal" is the Arabic word for camel, and the Arabs also call the Angora goat the

There is a market for all the mohair produced in the country and, in fact, a greater demand from the mills than can be supplied. Two mills in Maine used 840,000 pounds of domestic mohair in 1899 and had to go abroad for 460,000 pounds more.

Home of the Angora.

The Angora goat derives its name from the province of Angora, in Asia Minor, where the species is said to have been evolved. Angora is also the name of the chief town in the province, being distant about 200 miles east from Constantinople and connected with same by train. The area of the province is 29,000 square miles and the population under 1,000,000. The annual export of mohair is valued at

Our Queer Language.

When the English tongue we speak, Why is "break" not rhymed with "freak?" Will you tell me why it's true We say "sew," but likewise "few," And the maker of a verse Cannot cap his "horse" with "worse?" "Beard" sounds not the same as "heard;" "Cord" is different from "word;" "Cow" is cow, but "low" is low; "Shoe" is never rhymed with "foe. Think of "hose" and "dose" and "lose" And of "goose"-and yet of "choose."

Think of "comb" and "tomb" and "bomb." "Doll" and "roll" and "home" and "some, And since "pay" is rhymed with "say,"

Why not "paid" with "said," I pray? We have "blood" and "food" and "good; "Mould" is not pronounced like "could." Wherefore "done," but "gone" and Is there any reason known?

And, in short, it seems to me Sounds and letters disagree. -Edwin L. Sabin in St. Nicholas.

Peat as Fuel.

The Visland-Bolmen railway in Sweden has made a satisfactory test of dried peat as fuel for locomotives without changing the fire bed.

Digests what you eat.

Distribution of

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT, when Governor of New York, said:—"Mr. Graham's story is the best account I have heard or read of the

naval fighting during the war. It needed just

as much courage to go about taking photo-graphs as it did to work the guns."

AGENTS

Schley; Santiago

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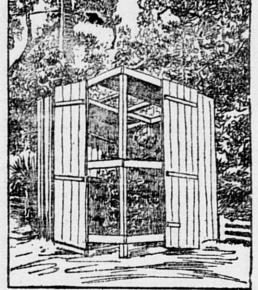


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