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NEW LIVERY STABLE E V SMITH wishes to announce to the public that he has some First-class horses and carriages to let, You will find a neat turn out at Smith's, My mottus "live and let live" Office at Lyons House,

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#### Chicago & Grand Trunk Railway.

Chicago & Gianu Huin Adilway.

Trains Leave Flint as follows:

GOING EAST.

Day Express, No. 1.

Night Express, No. 5.

Si5 p. m.

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### Flint and Pere Marquette R. R.

Detroit Express, 8:50, a. m.
Detroit and Toledo Mail, 1:20, p. m.
Flint and Holly Accom. 6:42, p. m.
Detroit and Port Huron mail 7:37, p. m.
Night Express, 12:10, p. m.

#### FLUSHING PRODUCE MARKET.

#### PARAGRAPHICAL

Wm. Willett's mill is looming up New side walks. It is getting to be

A teachers' examination was held at Javison station yesterday.

For great bargains, see Gorton & Randolph's new "ad" on the last page.

The brick work on the second story of Davie's Opera Block is nearly complet-

The next issue of THE OBSERVER

will be from our new and more commo dious location.

dious location.

A. N., Niles & Co is venering the east side of their store with brick. A protection-lagainst free.

Mrs. Andrus & Co. will have a new "ad" next week in which they will make some special offers.

Will Webb. A. N. Niles & Co's book keeper, is expected home this evening, from his eastern visit.

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A good item was spoiled Tuesday by
Wilbur French, who stopped a team of
runaway horses in front of this office.

Start in what direction you may in our pleasant village and the pedestrian will find the people engaged in building

Perry & Martin have moved their tock of goods to the new store under cotcher's Hall, two doors west of the cost office.

The delegates chosen from this town or the state convention are Jas. A. Button and A. S. Partridge, with Jacob

Married at the residence of A. C. Andrus, Mr. Alfred Cool, and Miss. Hattie L. Fesler, both of Flushing. The ceremony was performed by Squire Andrus.

Andrus.

The crop of wheat is now nearly all secured, the damage by the recent rains is about lifty percent. Those that have threshed report a good yield, it ranges from 20 to 35 bushels to the acre.

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F. & A. M.—There will be a special
communication of Flushing Lodge, No.
225, Friday evening August 18th, at 7
o'clock p. m. Work on the third degree.
Visiting brothers cordially invited.

There is an ordinance which prohibits the use of fire arms in side the corporation. We heard a good deal of complaint about this lately and some of our
citizens are greatly annoyed by its fre
quent occurrence.

Every one is invited to attend the

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Every one is invited to attend the
15th annual meeting of the Genesee
County Union Pioneer Society at
McCam's Grove, Long Lake on Thursday Ang 24 1852. Prominent speakers
will be present.

Jesse Høyt, of Saginaw, died in New
Work on the 14th inst. He will be remembered as one of the most energetic
capitalists of Saginaw valley, and to
him, in a great measure, Saginaw owes
her present prosperous condition.

A large crowd of people attended the
temperance meeting on Tuesday evening, and were greeted with a clorice
programme embracing both serious and
comic entertainment. These meetings
are getting to be very interesting as
well as exerting a good indunence.

We were shown yesterday, two teeth

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We were shown yesterday, two teeth
supposed to belong to the primeval
mastadon, which existed in ages long
gone by, these feeth were fully seveninches broad by 3 wide and are quite a'
curiosity. They were found by Mr.
Richard Cottrell while digging a ditch
on his place. We should think that
further explorations might reveal the
entire skeleton of the annimar, which
undoubtedly is somewhere in the immediate vicinity.

Game of base ball this afternoon That was a beautiful and refreshing lower yesterday.

Note the new ad. of the "only one price clothiers" in this issue.

A. S. Partridge has got a long string of that concrete walk in front of his lot on Beech St.

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As we go to press we learn that the Corunna base ball club cannot keep their appointment here to-day, but notwithstanding a game will be played.

Mrs. Bart wishes to inform the ladies of Flushing and vicinity that they will find her at Mrs. K. Smith's Millinery rooms over the Post Office with samples of fancy work and prepared to give lessons in all kinds of fancy work, chenille embroidery a specialty. Please call and examine: She will be there Wednesday Aug 23rd 1882.

Hoping but the neopole of Flushing

Wednesday Aug 23rd 1882.

Hoping Unt the people of Flushing and surroundings will hot be misled by the item in last week's Democrat, nor by any like report. I wisk to amounce through the columns of the Orskityke that it is my intention to remain in this village and contin e in the barber business, where I should like to see all of my old cinstoners with as many old cinstoners with as many comes as with the fearer with the state. nes as wish to favor me with their pat pnage. HIRAM VICK.

ones as wish to favor the wind most pac-ropage. HILAN VICK.

N. J. Warner has purchased 1080 acres of pine land at the head of Green Bay which is covered with valuable timber. Mr. Warner thinks there is over 5,000-000 feet of pine besides a large amount of other valuable timber on this tract. of other valuable timber on this tract. Parties are here from Saginaw for the purpose of buying out Mr. Warner's in-terests in the timber business which he wishes to dispose of. Mr. W. intends to commence cutting his pine about Sept. 1st.

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The Ovid. Union says: Thursday might of last week, that belt of country lying between Lowell and Ionia was delaged. A rain cloud is supposed to have burst, for the country for miles around was covered with one vast sheet of water. The track of the D. G. H. & M. R. W. was practically destroyed for a distance of nine miles, rendering it inoperative; bridges were carried away, culverts swept out and embankments leveled as if by magic. For several days trains were run via Howard city to Grand Rapids, to get around the washout. The damage to the road is beyond calcuation almost, as it will require months of work and thousands of dollars expenditure, to restore it to its former conditions. The destruction to lars expenditure, to restore it to its former condition. The destruction to private property throughout that entire section is also large.

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The impression that the Northeastern coast of the American continent is slowly rising—the estimate of the rate of emergence in progress being over a foot, and perhaps as much as three feet in a century—has recently Been controverted by eminent scientific authorities, among these being Dr. Mitchell of the Coast Survey, who states that the salt marshes are still, as they were in the time of the early explorers, at ordinary high water-level, and that the rocks on our coast, long notorious as dangerous fo navigation, have not risen since they were discoved. Ancient maps and documents are cited, and the conditions of the various rocks are considered in detail, with the result just named. But eastward of longitude 4d deg. 18 min., and especially Newfoundland, great changes present themselves in the comparison of charts, the depth appearing to be at some points less and at other points greater now than formerly.

#### PERSONAL

-D. B. Lyon, of Flint is in town. -Mrs. VanVechten is visiting in the

-Mrs Smith has returned home to New York.

New York.

—Miss Corn Hoover has returned from a several weeks visit in Flint.

—Rev. J. B. Goss has returned from several weeks vacation at Petoskey.

Butter and Eggs Wanted!

#### TEMPERANCE.

The meeting of the Red Ribbon crub was well attended last Tuesday evening, quite a number went away not being able to find seats. The remarks made by several members were short but to the point. A large majority present were ladies; very few business men get out to these meetings. The diterary program was interesting and finished up with a lively representation of "Mother Goose's Melodies." The persons who prepared the program are evised. sons who prepared the program are evi-dently aware of the fact that "Mothe Goose" is no mythical personage, but that sire lived, moved, and had her being among a very anisocratic people, and upon whom she cast quite an influence for good. Mr. Dupuis' little girls ad-ded considerably to the occasion by singing a French song, entitled "Le Bonchere et sa Fille," or in English would be "The Butcher and his daugh-ter."

PAUTS.

A short time ago it was stated in a meeting of the Red Ribbon club that the intoxicating liquor expense to the people of Flushing was at least 160 per cent greeter than any person not conversant with the subject would estimate it. Facts and figures were given to prove and substantiate the statement. Some of us thought that the figures were rather fanciful, and the statement recombet reflect, but I, am not sure somewhat radical; but I am not sure that candor will not yet force us to ac-knowledge the truth of the disclosures. knowledge the truth of the disclosures, as they were now to use and compel us to the conclusion that many of us at least nominally temperature people, are entirely in the dark in regard to this subject. The city of New York has been under very careful scrutiny for the past few years and facts have been gleaned that are really startling. The following is a short extract:

"The population of the city of New York is 1.205.577 with over 10.000 drinking places. There is spent in, these

These facts and figures are taken from official sources, and are probably correct, at least, approximate the truth and what is true of large places is undoubtedly in a less degree true of smaller ones. The temperance people are engaged in a noble work and ought to have the warmest support of all well wishers of society.

Saginaw Herald: It has been learned that there is some talk of extending the Port Huron & Northwestern narrow gauge road west from this city, possibly reaching some point on Lake Miehigan shore. The Saginaw Valley & St. Louis Road is controlled by the Detroit Lansing & Northern in the interests of Detroit as against the Saginaw Valley, and the extension of the Port Huron & Northwestern west would draw a Jarge trade from Gratiot and adjoining counties to the Valley. It could be extended to Muskegon or Grand Rapids, or both places, and would from the outset do a large business. There is a large amount of timber as well as the finest agricult metal of the property of timber as well as the finest agricul-tural portion of the State, through which the line would traverse. This would be a good extension and one

Several weeks vacation at Petoskey.

—Mrs. Carrie Faxton, of West Bay City is a guest at Mrs. F. A. Niles this week.

—Will Davie, Judd Benjamin and Kinnie Kimmel are spending the week at Point Lookout.

—Mrs. M. Hills, and Harvey Hawkins returned from Reed city Monday evening. They report having a pleasant visit.

—Mr, and Mrs. St. John, of Saginaw, spent Monday night with Mr. James Penoyer, at O. F. Clarke's residence. Mr. St. John is a partner of Mr. Penoyer, who is at present conducting the business of the firm.

—For five cents, Wells, Hichardson, Co., Burlington, Vt., will send colored samples of all colors of Diamond—Dyes, with directions.

Grand river is again in a very filthy condition. Through the northern half of the city the grass lies even with the surface of the water, and upon it lies all manner of foul things, emitting a labour late all manner of foul things, emitting a labour litten. To which the Ovid Union wittly replies: If our memory serves us right, and we think it does the above item, or at least one like it, appears regularly in the columns of the Citizen eyery season at about such a time; some of the Citizen senders have been cruel enough to charge that the city editor pionsly furnishes locals like graden "sass" is furnished by the marshet woman in season, from the old files of that paper; now, in order to dispose of the proper of the Citizen's history by deepening the channel. Grand river is again in a very filth ondition. Through the northern hal

#### THERE seems to be a feeling among some of the western paper

make a good candidate for the presidency in 1884. out business men are getting a good ready for the driving season to come The present indications all point to lively business in general trade.

June 30 there was a falling off of \$156,862,010 in our foreign export trade, as compared with the preced-ing year. These are large figures and may well be considered. THE chief survivor of the old As tor family of New York millionaires

—W. W. Astor—has been appointed
and confirmed United States Minis ter at Rome. Italy, to fill the vacance

aused by the death of Mr. Marsh being an accomplished gentleman no doubt but that this country wi ntry will be well represented at the ancier

THE Egyptians' affairs remai about the same for the past week, no battles having occurred. The English still continue to send large force to Egypt. They are trying to or ganize a new Egyptian Ministery with Chief Pasha as prime minister

The report of the State Board of Health, for the week ending Aug. 5

makes the following statements: Including reports by regular ob-servers and by others, diphtheria was reported present during the week ending Augugust 5, and since, at 20 places, scarlet fever at 8 places, measles at 11 places, and small-pox at 17 places, as follows: In Dearfield township, Lapeer Co., July 30; at Lansing (one case, convalescent), July 31; in Crystal township, Mont-calm Co. (4 cases), Aug. 1; in Rapcaim Co. (4 cases), Aug. 1; in Rapidi River township, in Danby, Ionia Co., and in Mancelona township, Antfim Co. (3 cases), Aug. 3; at Mt. Morris, Genesec Co. (one case convalescent), Aug. 4; at Detroit (3 ases), Flint, and Portland (one case), Aug. 5; in Walker township, Aug 9; at Clio, Genesee Co., in Ionia township, and near Carson city, Montcalm Co., Aug. 10.

Congress has not been idle ing the long session just closed, and has appropriated \$216,694,408. The important bills that have been passed are the Utah Commission bill; the bill to enable the national banks to continue their corporate existance; buildings, at a cost of \$15,000,000; special appropriation for the sufferers of the Mississppi floods; fixing the membership of the House for the next ten years at 325; to distribute the balance of the Geneva Award Fund; and six contested seat cases were con-

sidered out of twenty-one pending. A greater number of bills were in-troduced into both houses than ever before, and many of them of great importance were considered by com-

nittees but failed to pass.

Some of the most important bills assed one house, but failed entirely passed one noise, but tailed entirely in the other are: the Japanese Indem-nity bill, the bill creating a Depart-ment of Agriculture, a bill reducing internal revenue taxation, a bill to create a Court of Appeals, a bill to regulate the counting of the electorial vote, and a bill placing Gea. Grant on the retired list. A large number of bills were considered by committees, debated at great length, but did not reach a vote.

GENERAL KEIFER, of Ohio, the peaker of the House, secured a re-omination for Congress without nuch trouole. He was nominated without a ballot, by acclamation.

THE persons charged with con-spiracy to defraud the government n connection with the star route service will probably be acquitted. The methods of the prosecution have been a series of blunders from beginning to ending.—Bay City Tribune.

SENATOR FERRY is deserving of the thanks of the maimed soldiers for his bill proposing to increase their pensions. Pensioners who lost an arm or a leg, or were incapacitated for the activities of life, by wounds received in the war of the rebellion, should have their pensions increased, as the infirmities of age come The republic owes them a debt can never pay whatever provision it may make for their welfare, ]Bay City Tribune,

CONGRESS fianlly reached an adjournment of its long session on the 8th inst., which passes into history as one of the longest ever held, it will compare favorably with the follow-ing sessions: that of 1843-46 lasted ing sessions: that of 1845-46 lasted till Aug. 12; that of 1847-48 until Aug. 10. The longest session was that of 1849-50 lasting till Sept. 30; that of 1851-2 until Aug. 31; that of 1853-4 until Aug. 7, and that of 1855-6 until Aug. 18.

One of the last acts of the adjourned Congress was the passing of the River Harbor bill over the President's settly which has been a most absorbated.

River Harbor bill over the President's veto which has been a most absorb-ing subject of public discussion ever since. Many of its opponents de-claring that the bill contains many items of an extravagant character and the general sentiment of the country

In a conversation on the cars, a night or two ago, the Hon. James G. Blaine is reported to have said to

As I feel now, nothing would in-As I feet now, nothing would in-duce me to enter into a contest for public life without General Garfield. We were associated together, and were warm personal and political were warm personal and political friends from that time forth. I entered his Cabinet from the Senate to identify myself with his Adminis-tration. I was in full harmony with his views, and his death seemed to complete the era in American poli-tics to which we both belonged. I have no regrets nor any revenges to satisfy. I have thousands of warm friends whose esteem and regard is of continue their corporate existance; friends whose esteem and regardis of the Tariff Commission bill; the priceless value to me. It will always granting of pensions to Mrs. Lincoln, Mrs. Garfield, Mrs. Polk and Mrs. Cyler; the bill appropriating \$57,500 to pay the expenses of the late Presidents' last sickness, doctor bills and funeral expenses; a bill authorizing erection of a large number of public billive, but as I feel now I could not buildings, at a cost of \$15,000,000; utter aways I could not be considered in the process of the late of the priceless of the late of the priceless value to me. It will always greater that the past, and I find the greatest pleasure in the pursuit of my private affairs. I am ardently a function of a large number of public public affairs as long as I live, but as I feel now I could not buildings, at a cost of \$15,000,000. interest in public affairs as long as I live, but as I feel now I could not enter any contest for any public position.

> THE United States Court at Lea-THE United States Court at Leavenworth, Kansas, has been considering the right of a telegraph company to limit its liability as companies attempt to do. by printing on their blanks a netice that they will not be responsible for mistakes unless the message be repeated. The decision of the court is that the company cannot limit the liability. The court says: Any rule or regularion of the says: Any rule or regulation of the company which seems to relieve it from performing its duty, belonging to the employment, with integrity skill and diffigence, contravenes publie policy as well as the law, and under it the party at fault cannot seek refuge. If it becomes necessary for the company, in transmitting messages with integrity, skill and dilligence to secure accuracy, to have said mes-sage repeated, then the law devolves upon them that duty.

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THURSDAY, AUG. 17, 1882.

Culture of Barley. The best soil to grow wheat is This is a rich clay loate, both plants requir-ing compactness and fineness of mold. Light soil, whether of a peaty or sandy character, will not do, neior sandy character, will not do, neither will sod, nor any ground charged highly with vegetableamaterial. On the homestead, barley was largely grown and tried on all kinds of soil. Sometimes at would succeed on sod, producing a very heavy growth, but usually the berry was lighter, and the straw weaker and more discussed to ledge that or and more disposed to lodge than on the same soil if stubble or fallow, especially in a moist season. Besides my experience is that it matures unmy experience is that it matures unevenly off sod,—ripe grain and grain
in the milk occurring at the same
time. Like wheat, barley is a hardy
plant, doing best in a reool climate,
it is, therefore, "adapted to early
sowing, and this it requires so as to
mature before the heat of advanced
summer sets in, which, in cohnection
with drought, is abstays a serious
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I made known, in severe cases, a total loss of the crop. All this is avoided by sowing searly in the spring. It can hardly be put ont too early in this latitude if the ground is melkow and dry enough. This will fit it to be out about the beginning of July—straw bright and strong and the berry planny. Barley alshough a hardy plant like wheat, is also exacting, requiring not only a fine compact mold, clean and well enriched, but thorough drainage. A heed crop, if kept clean, is a good preparation, in general needing only cultivating and harrowing in the spring (no plowing) before sowing. Sow a bushel and a peck to the are, and cover with a smoothing harrow—or a bushel if drilled in, if the ground is rich, as it should be. harrow—or a bushel if drilled in, if the ground is rich, as it should be-few, if any grains require such care ful treatment of the soil as barley, but the benefit of the crop should be proportionate, and the land will be left in good condition for a suc-ceeding erop, which with as has usually been oats. It is also in ex-cellent condition to seed down when the barley is sown, this being a favthe barley is sown, this being a favthe barley is sown, this being a favorable crep for that purpose. As to harvesting, there are various ways. The point to have in view is to secure as bright and plump a berry as possible, avoiding, therefore, overripeness and immaturity, and outting when the barry it bright and some when the berry is bright and some-what hard. As soon as wilted and dry ontside, put in small cocks, covering with the hay cap, and keep so till cured, when both straw and berry will show a clean, light yel-

Of the working of prohibition in Iowa, where the prohibitory amendment to the constitution has been in for more than a month, a Devenport correspondent of the New York Herud says:

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for more than a month, a Devenport coraespondent of the New York Herald says and the New York During the month of July, the first month of the prohibitory amendment, the receipts for taxes—stamps sold to brewers and distillers—in this, the second revenue district of the state, have been the largest knon for years. In Dubuque, Davenport, Burlington, Keokuk, the sale of beer and wine and whisky is as unrestrained to-day as it ever was, or is in the city of New York. It is sold at all hours, seven days in the week. What else can be expect, ed in view of the facts? Dubuque county, centaining the city of Dubuque, gave 6,283 votes against the amendmant to 1,567 in favor of it. The same feeling as expressed through the ballot box, exists in Des Moines county, in which Burlington is located, and in Lee county, where Keokuk is found. In all of these counties the grand juries are, representatives of public sentiment, and it will be impossible for an indictment obe found against any party selling beer and wine, though the evidence is direct and overwhelming. In the doubtful possibility that a grand jury indicts no trial jury composed of 12 men can be found who will convict. This state of things is known by the saloon keepers and they appear indifferent. Mr. M. Frahm, for 20 years a brewer of Davenport, told the writer to-day that he would continue business as he always had done, and that he did not fear molestation. In case the advocates of prohibition attempt to force their laws in smaller cities where the public sentiment is not so strong the brewers' association of the state will make continuents in the lagst tibunal.—Post and Tribune,

State News

Bold bad burglars abroad at various parts of the state.

Detroit and Monroe will "hello" to each other, soon. The state militia are having a big time at Brighton.

time at Brighton.

Portland people have been greatly excited over the small pox.

Opening of the Orchard Lake Military academy on Sept. 13,

Mr. Dewey, of Owosso, refuses \$10,000 for the trotting horse, Jerome Eddy.

Estimates made at the office of the secretary of state tell us that Michigan has raised 32,000,000 bushels of wheat this year.

Reports from various parts of state show that the loss of wheat by late rains will not exceed one-for of the crop.

One day last week, Mrs. Pars Corunna, was struck by a base ball on the streets of that town and very ser-lously injured.

At the state fair to be held at Jacks

law against labor, amusements, business etc. At least so say the committees appointed for that purpose.

The regatta which was held at Detroit was a grand affar, atthough it would have been more successful had the weather been favorable to rowing.

Eaton county farmers are bewalling the unlucky day they signed an order for a harness, which was to cost \$\$\s\$, and which now confronts them in the shape of a promissory note for \$\$\s\$.

The Saginaw Herald warms publishers against a young Canadian, named Frank Johns. He has been employed in the Herald office, and is claimed to be a sneak thief, dead beat, and a b-i-d boy generally.

"LET HIM WHO WINS IT BEAR THE ALM."—"Hew hocures the ills of flesh." moth the sage, "is even greater than the who conquest in war." Certain it is been, that Dr. Swayne has, earned the aurel of greatness. His Jointnent for kin diseases has been the means of recasing thousand from the indescriable horrors of that complaint. The best widence of an auticle) is obtained by a gracticle test, and the unsolicited inforsement of these who profit by its itse.

Mental Depression, Loss of Memory Impaired Vision, Premature Docay, and Loss of Power cared by Dr. E. C. West's Nerve and Brain Treatment. Sold at W. G. Sprague & Co's.

"". He that is discontented in one place will seldom be happy in another." People are constantly changing their homes from from East to West und from North to South orwisa versa, in search of a healthy State. Jf they would learn to be contented, and to use the celebratal 'Kidney-Wort when sick, they would be better off. The whole system can be learn in a health when the state. can be kept in a healthy state by this simple but effectual remedy.

MOTHERS! MOTHERS!! MCTHERS!!

Are you distarbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the exerciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of Mrs, Winslow's Soothing Syap. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There not a mother on earth who has ever used it. Will tell your at once that it will regulate the bowels and leasth to the the discussion of one of the oldest and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest in the United States. Sold everywhare. 25 cts a bottle.

#### Dentistry!

All Parcies wishing G. E. Sandt to do any DENTAL WORK will please call hefore September :

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has a stock base ball club apital of \$1000. The stock

cen taken.

ung man named Ira A.

sas killed by a rolling logwell, on Monday.

Newaygo prohicitionists me ation on Thursday last and county committee.

prisoners overpowered the of the Bay County Jail on night, and made their es-

n the last month there has cases of diphtheria in the of Danby, 12 cases of tye had fatal results.

r. Durand, Jackson's oldest died Monday evening. He Jackson in 1830, and was, ne of his death, 75 years of

aud who goes about selling 's electro-nickel plating." It noney in your pocket to have to do with him.

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bldiers and sailors of Saginaw
vill hold their fourth annual
on the 31st of August and
f September at the Saginaw
cing park.—[Saginaw Her-

#### The Surprise.

bright September moon hill-top rises, hill-top rises, re some one I know eetest of surprises. me, just the other night, is little wife; 1 that already I some one more than life.

how very grieved he seemed, ok my hand in parting h a look. I'm sure my eyee at the tear-drops starting. he asked for one more walk h the moon's soft ray ed I would tell him then ole my heart away.

hen the September moon he hill-top shining, he trees I'll walk with him, in his entwining, how glad his smile will be my secret tell.

s of Potatoes in One Season been discovered that two

early rose potatoes can be the same land in a single nd it is worth testing in on. Take young potatoes sar's growth, and dry for a in the shade; then put them er them, cover with a few dirt, and then place straw frame to prevent too much ion. At sundown place n a glass sash, and remove ext morning. In four or the potatoes will sprout, y can be cut to two eyes ted. Whole potatoes do er as well as those that are nt in checks two and a apart, or in drills three feet en inches, and cover light n the digging of early to the middle of August is r time for the second crop. ot hill. The points to be are to use plenty of fertilwo crops exhaust the land: od seed; be sure that the sprouted bofore planting; llow, and endeavor to take stage of the season. Or, to

manner, removing all but vigorous sprout, and trans-In doing this it is well, if to take up the plant entire, and decaying potato adhere-s above is recommended by e above is recommended by owers ,and famers' associ-lit appears to be a good or growing early potatoes late ones.

ore economical method, the otatoes. provided they are ether with large ones, if

nay be cut and bedded like

potato, and when they are sted can be taken up in

There is a far more excellent way of cradicating the thistle than by summer fallowing, and this is by means of clovering. Sow clover, without a grain crop, on thistley land, well prepared by late fall plowing; run the mowing machine over the ground before the thistles bloom, let the aftermath grow, which it will do faster than the thistles, mow again in due time; repeat the process the second year, and you may say "good-bye" to the thistles. Is not this a far easier plan than "early and often plowing during the entire summer!" The field thus worked yields no crop, whereas on the clover method there is a crop of hay to pay for the labor, while the land which has been tw seasons in clover is left in a prime condition for a wheat crop other grain crop. Summer fallow-ing is a relic of old fogy farming. It is a fight with nature, which aims to cover the surface with some kind of a green growth. Let that green growth be clover, and the double work of cleaning and enriching the land will be most satisfactorily done

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Last Sunday morning as I was seated by the window, leisurely Ismoking my pipe, I saw, on the opposite side of the street, a child, some four years old, and cleanly and tastily dressed, walking hurridly along like a little lady. Soon she called out, "Dranma, somehody's toming," Ah, yes! grandma heard those words, although she was some rods away. Grandma came to the door and down to the gate, and sure enough, "somebody" had come.

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to the house, ride old Kate (he holding me on) to water. Why, it was the grandest thing in all my later experiences. Soon it was my own little girl going to her "drammas." She was her grandmas pet and idol. Once, when there, she left the inprints of her little solled tingers upon the door, and "dramma" ever let it remain. It was the marks of the little hand of her grand-child.

child.

And now it is my grandchild coming to see her grandma, "Why, here comes little Lena! How do you do? Grandma h'ain,t seen her little girl for two days or a week. You'r tired and hungry, aint you?" What monarch more absolute than the grandchildren, or more loved?

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