THE SCRANTON TRIBUNE-MONDAY MORNING, APRIL 26, 1897.

heighboring Counties.

veins are not large, but it is believed

they indicate the presence of richer

Executions amounting to \$6,530 have

dent while going to attend the fun-

eral of Mrs. Sylvia Cole at Laneshoro

last week. While driving from Sus-

quehanna to Lanesboro their horse be-

ame frightened, the buggy was over-

usned and the child received severe

Patrick Shovlin, aged 25, was killed

'riday in the No. 2 colliery of the Del-

breast when a mass of top coal fell,

turning him so severely that he died

con after being extricated. William

Thomas, a miner, aged 59, was killed

last week in the Delaware mine, at

A peculiar discovery has been made

The contractor on the new Towanda

ford county commissioners a statement

of Mr. and Mrs. John McHale, of Dur-

yea, employed as a driver boy in the

Barnum mine, was so badly burned

while at his work last Friday morning

that he died at 2.15 in the afternoon,

It seems, says the Pittston Gazette,

that the boy had carried a bottle of oil

his pocket and that the oil, hav-

ng escaped, saturated his trousers.

While sitting at his door, the flame of

his lamp came into contact with his

oily clothing, and in a moment the boy

FOREST CITY.

"The Princess," dramatized by Miss

Carolyne V. Dorsey, of Scranton, from

nt in Davis' opera house last Wednes-

erian church. The rehearsals and the

presentation of the drama were un-

was surrounded by flames.

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juries. Mrs. Cole escaped unhurt.

NORTHEASTERN PENNSYLVAINA

There are 134 prisoners in the Luzerne county jail. The Zenitis murder trial at Wilkes-

Barre will close to-day. The Erie is laying extra heavy steel rails on its Delaware and Susquehanna

divisions, The Sunday schools of Wyoming county will hold a convention at Tunkhannock, May 5 and 6.

The people of Mehoopany and Laceyville, Wyoming county, are petition-ing for bridges across the Susquehanna widely known resident of Monroe coun-Tiver.

A girl on her wheel, with a big re volver in her belt, passed through gaged in the hotel and lumbering business at Long Pond. He has been un-Shickshinny en route to Beach Haven fortunate in business ventures relast week The Athens News makes the state cently.

ment that 700 cows have already been elaughtered in Bradford county in consequence of tuberculosis.

The New Milford graded school will close with the first week in May, The commercement exercises will be held ni the opera house on May 6.

During the coming week, the Penn-pylyania Fish commission will send a large quantity of small trout, to be placed in the streams of Susquehanna aware and Hudson Coal company, by county. fall of coal. He was working in his

Surveyors and artists are now going over the Bernice & Bowman's Creek branch of the Lehigh Valley proparatory to issuing a bird's eye view of the scenery along the same. Rev. James Rainey pastor of the

Laceyville Baptist church, has ten-Mill Creek, by a fall of top coal. dered his resignation, to take effect June 1. He expects to locate in Tunkhannock after that date.

Excitement prevailed at Harleigh last week, due to the appearance of a mad dog. The dog made a tour of the town, and before it was detected had bitten several valuable dogs.

Forty years ago last week, in 1857, snow was four feet deep on the level in Susquehanna county. It began snowing April 19 and stopped on the 21st. Fruit trees were broken down and considerable damage done.

It is expected that a railroad will b built the coming summer from a point on the Bernice and Bowntan's Creek branch, about a mile west of Lopez, to what is known as the "eight foot opening" on the Jackson coal tract.

William McElwaine, a Central railroad employe, missed his hold in attempting to board a moving train at Mauch Chunk Saturday and fell. The car wheels grazed his head, almost completely scalping him, His recov ery is expected.

The Northeastern Central Pennsylvania division Luther League of America, will hold its semi-annual convention in Christ Lutheran church. Wlikes-Barre, on Tuesday. There will be three sessions at 10 a. m., at 2:30 p. m. and at 7:30 p. m.

A lecture will be delivered at the Lawrence Congregational church, Duryea, this evening, by Rev. T. C. Edwards, D. D., subject, "Through Italy Wales," with beautiful views of Naples, Pompell, the Bridge of Sighs and Welsh scenery.

Diphtheria is epidemic at Foundry-Alfred Lord Tennyson's poem bearing ville. The officials at the colliery of that title, was presented by local tal-Markle & Co., at Jeddo, where a majority of the heads of the afflicted day evening under the patronage of families are employed, have issued orthe Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyders that they must be suspended until the epidemic abates.

The tweltth annual convention of the der the direct supervision of Miss Dor-Susquehanna Sunday School associasay and with her efficient aid and tion will be held in the Baptist church, New Milford, on Tuesday and Wednes-

such striking vividness as to hold the audience in a tenseness of interest which had frequent outbreak in bursts of hearty applause. The harshness in speech and motion, which usually accompanies the amateur ef-

fort in character portrayal was enwith a daily capacity of 100 tons will tirely lacking. The drama was marked be in operation on the Watt-Scurry tract of coal near the Crystal Lake throughout by an easy flow of language and natural, unstrained car-Water company's distributing reserriage and motion. The young ladies voir above Carbondale. The breaker will be fed from strippings, and its outin the Delsartean movements and choruses were particularly graceful in their put will be sold chiefly in Carbondale every effort and showed careful train-It is said two veins of coal have been ing and aptness. The singing was all found near Aldenville, about nine miles above Waymart. One is in the farm of William Debell and the other on the high class. A reception will be tendered those who paticipated in the production on Wednesday evening, May 5. place of Martin Fiemming. The farms are separated by only a ravine. The

BUCK MOUNTAIN TUNNEL TAPPED.

Stream of Water 8x12 Feet Shot Distance of Fifty Feet.

een issued against V. O. Merwine, a Hazleton, April 25 .- The Buck Mountain tunnel, which has just been comty. Mr. Merwine was at one time pleted after two years of operations, treasurer of that county and is enwas tapped last Friday, and the spectacle afforded was one that has never before been witnessed in this region. It took eight minutes from the time of the discharge of the battery to reach Mrs. Elmer Cole and child, of Monthe mouth of the tunnel, when a stream trose, were involved in a serious acci-

of water \$x12 feet thick shot forth a distance of 50 feet. It uprooted trees, tore a gulley of 15 feet in diameter, and filled the houses situated close by with seven feet of water. The body of water that this basin ontains cannot be estimated, but its

release will be the means of uncovering millions of tons of coal. As soon as the water recedes the Cross Creek Coal company will begin the work of driving gangways and making other improvements, which will furnish employment to hundreds of idle men and boys,

THAT ANTHRACITE COMMITTEE.

Has Finished Its Work in the Hazleton Region.

on the farm of W. Howell, of South Canaan, in the form of a boiling spring. Hazieton, April 25 .- The legislative The spring brings up sand, which, investigating committee held a brief when rubbed on the hands, leaves a ession here yesterday morning. Mayor Altmiller was the only witness. He glittering substance that requires days to wear off. An expert opinion as to testified that there was considerable what it is has not been ventured. Some destitution in the city, but dealt only have called it quicksilver which is in generalities, giving no figures or worth about thirty or forty cents an specific cases. The committee left at noon for Har-

risburg. It is expected that they will court house has filed with the Brad- go to Shamokin next week.

empowering them to deduct from fu-A Prisoner Violently Insanc. ture payments due him on the work Wilkes-Barre, April 25,-The trial the sum of \$3,539.80, the amount surof John Grablick for murder, which is charged by the county auditors after down for Monday, will have to be postthe recent investigation for overpayponed owing to the accused having bements on foundations. The architect ome violently insane. Grablick has of the building has returned to the been acting queerly for some time and treasurer the sum of \$175.94, his comyesterday became so violent that he had to be confined in a paded cell. Patrick J. McHale, aged 15 years, son

Towanda's Conneil Indicted. Towanda, April 25 .- The Bradford ounty grand jury yesterday returned a true bill against the Towanda bor-

ough council for maintaining a nulsance. The indictment was the outcome of a constable's report upon the condition of South Main street,

Boom in Building and Brickmaking. Pottsville, April 25 .- The Ryons will start up their extensive brick kilns at Auburn Monday, giving employment to 100 men. The building boom in Pottsville, Minersville and St. Clair

promises to be unprecedented this sea-Hot Wave at Stroudsburg. Stroudsburg, April 25 .- A hot wave truck this place today, the thermom-

cter registered \$1 degrees at 2 p. m. VERY BUSY CLERGYMAN.

THE MARKETS.

Wall Street Review.

New York, April 24 .- The dullness of the trading continued today and the market sagged from inanimation. The lower prices of American securities on the London exchange gave the tone to the opening here where prices of the

international shares promptly adjusted themselves to the London parity, except in the cases of Reading and Southern preferred. These two stocks were an exception on the London exchange in showing fractional gains over the New York closing. But New York declined to adopt the London view of them and they sold here at a decline about proportionate with the other internations. The bears attacked Missouri Pacific with renewed stories of financial difficulties and probability a receivership. The stock rallied slightly from the decline on official de-

nials of these rumors, but the net loss of the day amounted to 1%. Consoli dated Cas was affected by the con-tinued agitation for legal restriction of the price of gas to \$1 and fell two points without rallying. There was a slight rally in the list at one time, but the selling pressure was resumed and prices declined to the close. The total

sales today were 45,619. Furnished by WILLIAM LINN, AL-LEN & CO., stock brokers, Mears building, rooms, 705-706.

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July 4.20 4.30 Sept 8.52 8.65 4.20 8.47 4.27 Sept Scranton Board of Trade Exchange Quotations -- All Quotations Based on Par of 100.

STOCKS. Bid. Asked & Pittston Trac. Co. ... Scranton 29 80 National Boring & Drill'g Co .. 100 150 Scranton Axle Works Weston Mill Co 254 Alexander Car Replacer Co... 109 Scranton Bedding Co...... Dime Dep, & Dis. Bark 145 Lacka, Trust & Safe Dep. Co.. 149

DOCTORS HAD GIVEN HER UP.

(A Convincing Letter From One of Mrs. Pinkham's Admirers.

No woman can look fresh and fair who is suffering from displacement of the womb. It is ridiculous to suppose that such a difficulty can be sured by an artifical support like a pessary.

Artificial supports make matters worse, for they take away all the chance of the ligaments recovering their vigor and tone. Use strengthens; the ligaments have a work to do.

If they grow flabby and refuse to hold the womb in S. Lin place, there is but one remedy, and that is to strengthen their fibres and draw the cords back into their normal condition, thus righting the position of the womb.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is designed especially for this purpose, and, taken in connection with her Sanative Wash, applied locally, will tone up the uterine system, strengthening the cords or ligaments which hold up the womb.

Any woman who suspects that she has this trouble -and she will know it by a dragging weight in the lower abdomen, irritability of the bladder and rectum, great fatigue in walking, and leucorrhoea-should promptly commence the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. If the case is stubborn, write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn., Mass., stating freely all symptoms. You will receive a prompt letter of advice free of charge. All letters are read and answered by women only. The following letter relates to an unusually severe case of displacement of the womb, which was cured by the Pinkham remedies. Surely it is convincing :

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier cured me when the doctors had given me up. I had spent hundreds of dollars searching for a cure, but found little or no relief until I began the Pinkham remedies. I had falling and displacement of the womb so badly that

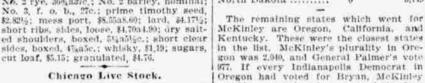
for two years I could not walk across the floor. I also had profuse menstruation, kidney, liver, and stomach trouble. The doctors said my case was hopeless. I had taken only four bottles of the Vegetable Compound and one of the Blood Purifier when I felt like a new person. I am now cured much to the surprise of my friends, for they all gave me up to die. Now many of my lady friends are using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound through my recommendation and are regaining health. It has also cured my little son of kidney trouble. I would advise every suffering woman in the land to write to Mrs. Pinkham for aid."-Mns. EMMA PANGBORN, Alanson, Mich.

nal, Corn-Firm and 42c, higher; No. 2 | the Indianapolis movement voted for their mixed, April, 284a2842; May, 284a29c; June and July, nominal. Oats-Steady; No. 2 white, April 294a25c; May, 234a 244c; June, 235a244c. Flour-Firm and 1 cents per barrel high-er. Butter-Firm, good demand; fancy water gramstrank. western creamery, 18c.; do, Pennsylvania prints, 29c.; do, do, do, jobbing at 21a24c. Eggs-Firm; fresh nearby, 10c.; do. western, 10c. Refined Sugars-Strong, good demand, Cotton-Firm and 1-16c, higher; the three other states of the so-called middling uplands 7%c. Cheese-Un-changed, Tallow-Steady; city prime, in hogsheads, 3%c.; country, in barrels, 3c.; North-Atlantic division: do. dark, 2%c.; cakes, 3%c.; grease, 2%c. Receipts-Flour, 2,000 harrels, 1,600 sacks; wheat, 300 bushels; corn, 61,000 bushels; outs, 9,009 bushels. Shipments-Wheat, New York 1,300 bushels; corn, 163,000 bushels; oats, lantic states which were carried by Mc Kinley the Palmer vote was no factor: 14,000 bushels, Chicago Grain Market. Chicago, April 24.-The leading futures ranged as follows: Wheat-April 75%a 76%c.; May, 75%a76%c.; July, 75%a76%c.; [6] Sc.; May, royaroyc.; July, objarter.c.;
September, 71%a773%c. Corn-April, 24%a
[27%c.; May, 24%a27%c.; July, 25326%c.;
September, 37%a27%c.; Oats-May, 17%a
[18%c.; July, 15%a19%c.; September, 15%a
[19%]. Meas Pork-May, 38.55%a8.56; July, Of the group which the Census Office de nominates the North Central Division McKinley carried all but Missouri, South Dakota, Nebraska, and Kansas; in every ¹⁰⁴2. Mons Fork-May, 83,2252,33,36; July,
83,6538,674. Lard-May, 84,12524,1742; July,
84,2212,34,2752; September, \$4,2252,34,3752;
Short Ribs-May, \$4,7044,7752; July, \$4,753,4,8252;
September, \$4,825,36,8752; Cash quotations were as follows: Flour-Strong; winter patents, \$4,304,50; straights, \$4,104, 155; straights, \$4,10 case by pluralities vastly exceeding th total of the Palmer vote Illinois 4.25: spring specials, \$4.59: spring patents, \$3.9044.20: straights, \$1.603.30: bakers, \$2.90 n3.25: No. 2 spring wheat, 767aa78c.; No. 2 red, 925a96c.; No. 2 corn, 254a2554c.; No. 2 cats, 184.c.; No. 2 white f. o. b. 20a224;c.; No. 2 Michigan 6,930 Wisconsin Minnesota Iowa No. 2 rye, 35% a37c; No. 2 barley, nominal; No. 3, f. o. b., 27c; prime timothy seed, \$2.82%; mess port, \$8.55a8.00; lard, \$4.17%; North Dakota

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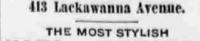
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Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, April 24.-In cattle the week would nevertheless have gained the fou ed with average prices for beef catt exceeding 1.000. In California the varying Dalle, lower than a week ago, the invotes given to the respective electors the Republican ticket resulted in creased receipts having caused a weaker market for light weights and inferior Choice cattle have shown no choice of one Bryan man and eight 4. eeves. change. Today's arrivals were too small to constitute a market. The few offer-Kinley men. 1.739; the plurality for the highest McKu ely elector was 2,797. We have not at hand the figures for the other McKinley elecings were readily disposed of at yesterlings were reactly disposed of at yester-day's prices, but quotations were largely nominal. There was a fair general de-mand for hogs at reductions of 2½a5c. light weights declining the least and heavy hogs the most. Heavy sold at \$3.60 tors in California, but let us assume that the transfer to the Bryan column of the 1.730 Palmer votes would have reversed to result and given to Bryan eight of the nine votes, instead of one. In Kentucky a4.07%, and the light weights brought \$3.99 a1.15, the bulk of the hogs crossing the Palmer vote of 5.114 exceeded the Mck. nscales at \$1a4.05. The sheep market closed ley plurality of 281. Here, likewise steady at \$3a2.50 for inferior up to \$4.75a5 for good to choice wethers. Lambs were assume that the absence of an Indianapo lis ticket would have given to Bryan for that state thirteen electoral votes instead saleable at \$3,50a5.65, being about 25 cents higher than a week ago, while sheep have of the single one which he got. Transdeclined 15a25 cents in the same period. ferring, on the strength of this extreme Receipts-Cattle, 500; hogs, 15,000; sheep, supposition, seven electoral votes of Call







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Reputation	ARTISTIC SUR- PRISES EVERY
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and entertainment. UNTRIMMED MILAN LACE and FAN-CY STRAW TOQUES, Turbans and Round Hats, 3%, 4%, 62, and 76, each, TUSCANY and Fancy STRAW HATS. Open Work Lace Brims Hand-Made BRAID HATS. They're perfect ideals of graceful sivle, 5%, \$123 and \$1.48, FLOWERS and FOLLAGE of every land and clime. and clime. EWEST RIBBONS fresh from the

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vote, over Bryan

Suits at \$15, \$18 and \$20

We have secured a piece of the identical goods from which PRESI-DENT M'KINLEY'S inauguration suit was made. We are now ready to make suits from these goods. It is a beautiful fabric, the most perfect production of an American loom.

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day, May 4 and 5. There will be a meeting of the Bible society for reorganization the first day. William Creeden, James Wilson and

Nat Gaffney, boys between 12 and 15 years of age, are in Wayne county jail on a charge of holding up a lad of 12 years named Edwin Eberhardt, on one of the suburban streets of Honesdale, and robbing him of several dol lars.

Prominent Erie officials are credited with the statement that the half time rule in the Susquehanna shops will be for the remainder of the present month only. In the meantime the Eric shopmen have been divided into two shifts, each shift working three days of two hours each. The Lehigh Valley railroad has is

sued new orders in regard to the use of bituminous coal in engines. The orders are to the effect that after all hard coal now stored up is used, all the engines, passenger and freight. are to use bituminous coal except the Black Diamond engines.

Six homing pigeons were flown Saturday by S. B. Lear, of Pottsville, from Raleigh, N. C., a distance of 375 miles in an air line made excellent time. They were released at 7 a. m. and the first bird reached home at 5.55 in the evening. The other birds arrived a few hours later. Within a month's time a breaker

After all it is Nature that makes the cures. Only now and then she gets into a tight place and needs the helping hand of science. When the right thing is needed to check diseased action and start the organs and tissues on the way to health, Scott's Emulsion in their respective parts, acquitted comes as the helpmeet of them much credit, and J. C. Waters Nature. It feeds, nourishes, strengthens; and it does this Hine, Martha Griffiths, Gretta Dun-ning and Flo Ailen and Mr. Thomas all round-the Hypophosphites act upon the nerves; the Cod-liver Oil feeds the body. For sale by all druggists, go cents & \$1.00.

those participat ing, combined with their natural qualifications, the play was rendered in a rom the Pawtuxet Valley Gleaner. manner which would do credit to the professional stage. The costumes were tasty and fitting to the occasion. The

ast of characters was as follows: Princess Ida, a Southern Princess Mrs. W. J. Maxey Lady Blanche, Lady Psyche, instruc-

tors in the university, Stelle Allen, Beulah Hines Lady Maude, a friend of Ida's youth, Gretta Dunning Melissa, a daughter of Lady Blanche Martha Griffiths

Violet, a daughter of Lord Ipse, Flo Allen Psyche's Maiden Babe ... Minnle Hines

Prince Arthur, a Northern Prince, betrothed to Ida in youth, Daniel Allen Count Florian, a friend of the Prince

and brother of Psyche, D. Stanley Evans Count Cyril, friend of the Prince and

Count FlorianFred Reynolds King Gama, father of Princess Ida, J. C. Waters Lord Ipse, nobleman of King Gama's

he died.

death I have gone on alone,

court, father of Violet .. Thos. Harris King Alta, father of Prince Arthur, John Williams Prince Arac, brother to Ida and son of King Gama Thomas Brown, jr. Pupils of Lady Blanche and Lady Psyche-Louise Westgate, Pearl Gard, Mame Brown, Lizzie Hartung, Emma McLaughlin, Ethel Alexander, Susie

Randall, Rena Boucher, Maude Griffiths, Lettie Brown, Soldiers and Courtiers-Dave Harris, Ed Boucher, Nathaniel Lang, Oliver easnall, E. E. Horton, Edward Randall, Archie Pentecost,

Mrs. W. J. Maxey, in the role of the Princess, showed that her conception of the part was well night perfect and the climaxes were skillfully worked up to a point approaching perfection. do, earned a dollar and sent for me Miss Stella Allen, by her strong per-She gave me the money and said, 'I sonation of Lady Blanche, imparted to want you to buy the key to the new that character marked distinction and church with this,' and I did it." brought to the front a part which In his lonely home Mr. Cottrell has would naturally repel. Daniel Allen, nade some bed quilts of wonderful D. Stanley Evans and Fred Reynolds, design, one with 5,000 and the other with 3,000 pieces. He is his own sexthemselves in a manner which did and John Williams, as Kings Gama and keeps the church out of debt. He and Alta, gave meritorious presentatrell is a well preserved, keen, aged Harris are deserving of special menevery act.

Speaking . of the production as a

whole it certainly classed high above any previous effort on the part of home talent. The portrayal of each character was so skillfully executed and with

CARPET SALE

1,000 yards Ingrain Carpets marked to 18c, 23c, 25c, 29c, 35c, worth from 25c to 50c.

OIL CLOTH SALE-500 yards Floor Oil Cloths marked to 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 33c Square Yard, worth from 20c to 50c.

MATTING SALE-200 yards assorted Matting, 81c to 25c. Just onehalf their value.

This sale to last one week only. Tapestry Carpets at cut prices.



no mower."

Rev. Benjamin Cottrell, of Pawtuxet Traders National Bank Valley, Has a Great Record. BONDS. Scranton Pass, Railway, first

The celebration of the eighty-first mortgage due 1918 People's Street Railway, first 110 birthday of the Rev. Benjamin Cotmortgage due 1918 110 Granton & Pittston Trac. Co. ... trell at Fiskville Corners, in the Pawtuxet valley last night, calls attention o the wonderful record of service per-People's Street Railway, Second mortgage due 1920 110 Dickson Manufacturing Co.... formed by this minister of the gospel In speaking of the details of his busy Lacka, Township School 35.. ... life Mr. Cottrell said: "I have mar-ried 782 couples and I have married as many as 23 couples some years. The Scranton Axle Works largest sum I ever received as a mar-

New York Produce Market.

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riage fee was \$20, which the late Henry S. Angell paid me. I have often married couples who would promise to New York, April 24.—Flour-Strong and higher, with the advance in wheat; city mill patents, \$5.10a.5.5; do. clears, \$4.55a come back and pay when they got 5: Minnesota patents, \$4.30a4.60; Minne-sota bakers, \$3.65a3.90; winter patents, \$4.65a4.90; do, straights, \$4.25a4.55; do, exmoney, but I never saw the large majority of them again. The smallest fee I ever received for a marriage was tras, \$1.25a3.60; do. low grades, \$2.75a2.95, Ryc Flour-Firm; superfine, \$2,30a2.60; fancy, \$2.60a2.75, Cornmeal-Steady; yela codfish and a dozen of eggs. Years ago many of those whom I married low western, 61c.; city, 62c.; Brandywine, \$1.80. Ryc-Firm; No. 2 western, 40c. C. I. paid me in vegetables, and one good farmer never got through putting in F.; Buffalo; car lots, 29a49c, Barley-Firmer; feeding, 285c, C. I. F., Buffalo; malting, 25a42c, Barley Malt-Qulet; western, 45a55c, Wheat-Final prices were vegetables for me each winter until "I have attended 1,495 funerals as

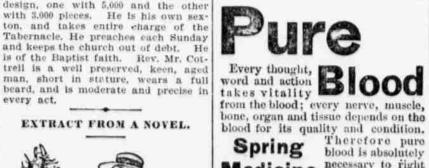
officiating clergyman, Among those officiating clergyman. Among those funerals were those of my first and second wives, the latter dying some eightsen months ago. There were two children, a boy and a girl, by my first marriage. I do all my own house. first marriage. I do all my own housefirm and advanced later with wheat and work, cooking, washing, ironing.

work, cooking, washing, ironing. I learned to do it gradually, for my last wife was an invalid, and since her death I have gone on alone. I raised all the money but \$10 to build the Tabernacle church, where I preach every Sunday. It was built preach every Sunday. It was built state, 24a30c. Provisions - Unchanged quiet, Butter-Steady; western creamery in 1873 and cost \$1.664.41, and when it was dedicated April 16 it was all paid

Tallow-Weak; city, 31 ge.; country, 31 ge.

Philadelphia Provision Market.

Philadelphia, April 24,-Wheat-Firm and 2c. higher. Contract grade: April, 92a9242c. May, 8545a8dc.; June, nominal; July, nomi



Medicine necessary to right living and healthy bodies. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the great blood purifier and the best Spring Medicine. Therefore it is the great cure for scrofula, salt rheum, humors, sores, rheumatism, catarrh, etc.; the great nervine, strength builder, appetizer, stomach tonic and regulator.

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New York, April 24.-Beeves-Receipts, 479 head; no trading. Cables quote Ameri-can steers at 10/gall%c.; sheep at 10/ga 12/gc.; refrigerator beef at 939/gc.; exports, 1,050 beeves, 285 sheep and 4,330 quarters of beef. Calves-Receipts, 201; quiet but beef. steady; yeals, \$435.12%. Sheep and Lamba -Receipts, 2,320; firm; unshorn sheep, \$4 a5.25; clipped do., \$4a4.75; unshorn lambs, \$5.59n6.59; elipped do., \$5a5.50; Hogs-Re-ceipts, 3,234; steady at \$4.25a4.50.

Buffalo Live Stock.

East Buffalo, April 24.-Cattle-Receipts all consigned through, aside from a small lot of bulls; market closed steady. Hoge -Receipts, 20 cars; market fairly active Yorkers, good to choice, \$4.17(3.4.27) roughs, common to good, \$2.59a3.75; pigs, good to choice, \$4.10a4.15. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 12 cars; market rather slow; lambs, choice to prime, \$3.90a6.25; culls to common, \$3a4.25; sheep, choice to selected wethers, \$4.90a5.25; culls and common, \$3n3.75.

Oil Market.

Oil City, Pa., April 24.—No bids for cer-tificate oil. Credit balances unchanged, Shipments, 63,359; runs, 194,776.

PUNCTURING A SHAM CLAIM.

From the New York Sun.

Ever since the defeat of Bryan in No-vember last, the small but loquacious faction of sound-money Democrats who pre-ferred their personal comfort to a direct vote for McKinley and Hobart, have been pretending that in some manner not definitely stated their votes helped to save the election and the country. The preten-sions of the Indianapolis party are growing somewhat bolder as the event become ore remote. There are conceivable cir-umstances under which the result of the election might have been determined by these 133,000 votes of the Cleveland Demobone, organ and tissue depends on the Buckner, but those are not the circum-blood for its quality and condition. vember. The Palmer and Buckner vote did not elect McKinley. It did not defcat Bryan. It did not affect the result of the election at all. The proof of this is in the election figures. They demonstrate beyond the possibility of question that if every sound-money Democrat or Mug-wump who voted for Palmer and Buckner had voted for Bryan and Sewall, Mr. Mo-Kinley would nevertheless be president today all the same.

It seems almost cruel to exhibit in de tail the numerical poverty of this Indian-apolis movement, for it is in grotesque contrast with the vocal pretensions of the historians and prophets of that move-ment. Yet it is high time to state the facts. In every one of the New England states the vote for Palmer and Bucknet was very much smaller than the plurality of McKinley over Bryan. That is to say it made no difference whatever as to the result in Maine, New Hampshire, Ver-mont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Hood's Pills taken after dinner aid digestica. | Connecticut, whether the supporters of

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