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Westward No. 11 has Parlor Car to Gd. Rao-ids (Extra charge 25 cents). No. 15 has Par-lor Buffet Car. Detroit to Grand Rapids. No. 17 has Pullman Sleeper, Detroit to Chicago. No. 81 has Wagner Sleeper to G'd Rapids, daily.

TOLEDO. SAGINAW & MUSKEGON R'Y— Trains leave Owoseo Junction, west: Mail 9:28 p. m.; Mixed, 5:15 a. m. Trains arrive from west: Express, 6:15 p. m.; Mixed, 12:80 p. m.

CHICAGO & GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY Going West: For Chicago and West, Ly. Owesso. 9:35 a. m. Ly. Durand . 9:35 a. m. 1:59 p. m. 2:22 p. m. 6:36 p. m. 6:36 p. m. 6:36 p. m. 5:03 a. m.; 6:35 p. m.; 6:35 p.

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TIME TABLE. IN EFFECT MAY 14 Trains leave Owosso as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.	
10:00 a. m.	8:50 a. m.	
7:25 p. m.	5:55 p. m.	

Gen. Pass. Agt.

#### MIGHIGAN CENTRAL 'The Niagara Folls Route'



SAGINAW DIVISION.

OWOSSO TIME CARD. TRAINS SOUTH. Galcago Expressitoaves 9:90 a. m., arrives in ackson 11:15 a. m., Chicago 5:30 p. m. Chicago Express. daily, leaves 9:17, p. m. rrives if Jackson 11:30 p. m., Chicago 7:15 a. m. hrough Siesper (Bay City to Chicago) daily, Owosso Accomodation leaves 2:00 p.m., arriv Owasso Accomodation tears ag in Jackson 4:18., p. m. Bay City Accomodation leaves Bay City 10:30. m.; Saginaw 11:03 a. m., arrives at Owosso

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Saginaw and Bay City leaves 2:25 p. m. and arrives at Saginaw 3:55 p. m. Cay City, 4:35 p. m. R. S. ENIGHT, Agent, Owesso, O. W. BUGGLES P. G. & T. A., Chicags.

#### STATE ITEMS.

Thursday, Dec. 14.

At the last meeting of the fourth district Young Men's Christian associatian it was decided to hold a series of meetings at Allegan, Downgiac and South Haven.

Mrs. Mary Johnson of Ann Arbor fell and broke her hip at Webster, where she was visiting. The injury is a serious one, from which she may not recover.

Harry Jones of Hastings, who forged paper to the amount of several hundred dollars, was sentenced Weinesday to four years' imprisonment in the state prison at Jackson.

Bennett Parsons pleaded guilty in the Van Buren county circuit court to burg-lary at H. L. Cornwell's store at Lawrence and was sentenced to three years in the state house of correction.

William Bonaldson caught an otter in a trap at Cass Lake Wednesday. It meas-used 3 feet 9 inches from tip to tip, and is the first one caught in Oakland county in

Rev. F. N. White has declined the offer of the pastorate of the Congregational church of Hancock, preferring to return to Japan and resume his work as a missionary.

Wednesday night fire destroyed the in-cubator building on the farm of Arthur Joslin, just north of Adrian. Some 200 chicks were roasted and a number of eggs

Thursday the Coldwater fire department was called out to extinguish a fire in the residence of A. Perry. It caught from a woodstove and completely ruined the building. Only a few of the contents were saved. Loss, \$1,000: insured.

Saturday, Dec. 16. There is talk of an electric railway to run from Berrien Springs to St. Joseph if the right of way is donated.

Niles Masons are making great prepara-tions to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the organization of their local lodge. John Quimby, a Cass county nimred, re-cently shot a white owl which measured 5 feet and 6 inches from tip to tip of its

A special election will be held at Belding Tuesday, Dec. 25, to vote upon the question of bonding the village for \$10,000 for public

J. H. Vanner, a Detroit traveling sales-man, while going from Algonac to St. Clair, was held up and robbed of his pocketbook, containing \$17 50.

Monday, Dec. 18. Ice is ripe at West Branch, and the harvest has commenced. The fruit is from 10 to 12 inches thick.

Mason young people turn their parties into sewing and quilting bees, the products finding their way to the needy.

The hunters of Forest would be perfectly happy if they could get a shot at a Canada lynx that is robbing their henroosts.

Charles Utley has begun suit against Imlay City for \$5,000 damages for injuries received on account of a defective sidewalk.

The stage line from Carsonville has changed hands, and is now owned by Peter McDonald, proprietor of the McDonald House at Sanilac Center.

Michigan curly and birdseye maple is coming in great demand for veneers. New York buyers are taking in all they can find in Alpena and Presque Isle counties.

Tuesday, Dpc. 19.

Allegan county statistican estimates that \$10,000 worth of sheep have been killed and maimed by mutton loving dogs in that county during the past year.

Matthew W. Stephenson, a pioneer of Sanilac county, died at Mills Sunday morning at the age of 74 years. He settled in Crosswell over 44 years ago.

Manistee has sent the upper peninsula relief committees \$500 in cash and \$700 worth of clothing and provisions, and L'Anse has donated \$3,008 in cash and as much more in necessaries.

much more in necessarie Snow is deep in Gladwin county, the crust strong enough to sustain a dog. It is claimed that hunters go out with their dogs to bunt rabbits and come home carrying venison.

Henry Godden, arrested for being drunk and disorderly, and A. Frazier, colored, ar-rested for drawing a razor on Tom Bush-nell, escaped from the Coldwater lockup by prying off a lock.

Wednesday, Dec. 20. Ovid Methodists expect to dedicate their new church the first Sunday in January. Burglars entered the depot at Manistique while the employes were at dinner and made way with \$40.

A social club has been organized by 25 of Ovid's business men and is called the Peninsular club.

The Port Huron guards, Company F, Third infantry, Michigan national guards, will give a grand ball on Dec. 28. Governor Rich and his full staff will be present.

Jake Kennedy, a motorman on the Man-istee street railway, was struck on the head by the handle of a scraper and is probably fatally injured.

Bert Stewart was struck on the head by a beam at a barn raising near Schoolcraft, Kalamazoo county, and it is thought that the injury will prove fatal.

Fred Locke of Capac had his leg broken Monday. He was running on his way to school, when his foot caught in a hole in the sidewalk, breaking the limb at the

### THE MARKETS.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, 61%; January, 62c; May, 60%c; No. 3 red, 58%c; No. 1 white, 60%c. CORN—No. 2 mixed, 88%c; No. 2 yellow, 39%c. OATS—No. 2 yellow, 82c. Chicago Livestock.

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CATTLE—Receipts, 5,000; market dull, weak; top grades, \$4 75@5 00; good to choice, \$3 75@4 65; others, \$2 75@3 50; cows and heiters, \$1 25@3 10; stockers and feeders, \$2 00@3 00.

Hous—Receipts, 17,000; market closed 10@15e lower; rough and common, \$4 50 @4 85; packing and shipping, \$4 90@5 30; grime butchers, \$5 30@5 25; light, \$5 00@5 50; mixed, \$5 00@5 15.

SHEEP—Receipts, 9,000; common ewes, \$2 00@3 25; others, \$2 50@8 50; good westerns, \$2 90@3 50.

LAMBS—\$2 00@4 80.

Philadelphia

Wool.—Obio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia XX and above, 23@24c; X and above, 31@22c; medium, 24@25c; Y-blood, 25c; common, 20@22c; New York, Michgan and Wisconsin fine, 19@21c; medium, 25@24c; 4-blood, 20@22c; ommon, 21@22c; tags, 10@15c; washed combing and delaine fine Obio, 25@25c; fine Michigan, 21@33c; medium, 25c; Y-blood, 24c; low, \$2@25c; unwashed fine, 14@15c; medium, 18c; Y-blood, 18c; common and burry, 14@16c; tags, 7@10c.

Chicago Provisions.

WHEAT—December, 61c; May, 66%c.
COHN—December, 34%c; January, 35c;
May, 38%c.
OATS—December, 27%c; January, 37%c;
May, 30%c.
PORK—January, 812 20; May, 812 38.
LARD—January, 87 50; May, 87 40.
Ribs—January, 86 35; May, 80 42%.

New York Grain. WHEAT—January, 67%c; February, 68%c; March, 60%c; May, 71%c; December, 65%c.
CORN—January, 43%c; February, 43%c,
May, 45%c; December, 44%c.
OATE—January, 83%c; February, 84%c;
May, 35c; December, 33%c; No. 2 white,
84% 635%c; mixed western, 84%55c.
RYS—Nominal

### IN FIGHTING HUMOR.

THE REPUBLICAN REPRESENTATIVES IN THE HOUSE.

The Urgency Deficiency Bill Was Considered and Finally Passed Amid Some Exciting Scenes-In the Senate Mr. Berry of Arkansas Advocated the Repeal of the Federal Election Laws.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20 .- The house vas in an ugiy frame of mind Tuesday. The Republicans were in a fighting temper over the Hawaiian situation when the house met and the row opened immediately, Mr. Cockran's resolution of Monday was presented and hurriedly referred to committee on rules. Then came the sharp skirmish on the Boutelle resolution. By means of this resolution resolution. By means of this resolution Mr. Boutelle succeeded in getting an opportunity to address the house, but his phillipic against the administration was suddenly cut short by the action of the speaker in deciding the point of order to which Mr. Boutelle was speaking in his favor and referred the resolution to the committee under the relession.

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The consideration of the urgency deficiency bill was then resumed, and
some very exciting scenes were enacted
before it was finally passed. The item
appropriating \$200,000 for special examiners was amended so as to prevent
the suspension of any pensions without
giving the pensioner notice with opportunity to furnish testimony in rebuttal.
Amendments were also adopted appropriating \$18,000 for extra mileage for
members and senators, \$46,000 for stamembers and senators, \$46,000 for sta-tionery and about \$25,000 to pay em-ployes of the house and senate an extra menth's pay.

Washington, Dec. 20.—The debate which was expected in the senate Tueswhich was expected in the senate Tres-day on the president's message as to Hawaii, was averted by Mr. Hoar (Mass.), whose motion to refer the mes-sage and accompanying documents to the committee on foreign relations is the pending question before the senate, yielding to Senator Berry of Arkansas and to Senator Peffer of Kansas.

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The first named addressed the senate in advocacy of the bill to repeal the federal election laws, while Senator Peffer argued in favor of the bill introduçed by him appropriating money for immediate use in relieving want and destitution throughout the country.

Record In Brief.

Washington, Dec. 14.—The Hawaiian question was again the subject of animated and interesting discussion in the senate Wednesday. Mr. Blount's re-port was characterized as containing "not one line of unvarnished truth" by "not one line of unvarnished truth" by Mr. Frye of Maine, while Mr. Vest of Missouri declared that while he was opposed to the annexation of the islands, the restoration of the queen by force would be "an act of war."

Washington, Dec. 14.—The bill for the admission of Utah to statehood was

the admission of Utah to statehood was passed without division by the house Wednesday at the conclusion of the debate, the only amendments of importance incorporated in the enabling act being one by Mr. Powers of Vermont prohibiting polygamy forever and by Mr. Wheeler of Alabama reducing one-half the land granted to the state for common school purposes.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Among the bills introduced Thursday was one by Mr. Voorhees providing for the coinage of silver semiorage in the treasury at the rate of \$2,000,000 per month. House: Only bills of minor importance were passed.

passed.
Washington, Dec. 16.—In the house Friday the bill for the admission of

Arizona as a state was passed.

Washington, Dec. 18.—A debate over the pension policy of the present administration, growing out of an item

e urgent appropriation bill appropriating \$200,000 for special examiners, consumed the entire day Saturday in the house WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 .- In the senate

Monday the message of President Cleve-land was read. House: The message was read and the pension policy de-

### DOWN TWENTY FEET.

A Passenger Coach Hurled Into a Creek and Several Were Injured.

Pittsburg, Dec. 20.—A small engine used at the Edgar Thomsom steel works

of Carnegie's to haul "ladles" of metal, crashed into the West Newton accom-modation on the Baltimore and Ohio road on a bridge near Bessemer, Pa., at 7 o'clock Tuesday evening, burling one coach of the accommodation into the creek 20 feet below. Ten persons were injured, one of whom has since died and another is believed to have been

Candy and Cracker Factory Destroyed LOUISVILLE, Dec. 20.—Fire in Hall & Hayward Company's candy and cracker factory on Jefferson street, destroyed property to the amount of \$50,000. The fire is supposed to have originated in the hot air shaft. The factory was the largest of its kind in the south. The loss is covered by insurance in Roston. loss is covered by insurance in Boston and Louisville companies.

LaPorts, Ind., Dec. 20.—Rev. J. B. Crawley, pastor of St. Peters Catholic church, this city, died Tuesday after a three days' illness from pneumonia. Deceased was born in Castlereagh, Ireland, 64 years ago, came to this country in 1860 and was ordained a priest by Archbishop Purcell at Cincinnati in 1864.

Buried Near His Victim

DENVER, Dec. 20.—Edward Hanfield, Sr., father of the young man who mur-dered his sweetheart, Ida Hall. last week and committed suicide, arrived here from Ashfield, Mass., and had his son's remains buried in Fairmount cemetery, near the spot where Miss Hall was buried.

A Special Medal Ordered.

VIENNA, Dec. 20.—The emperor has ordered a special medal to be struck for the purpose of commemorating the Archduke Ferdinand's voyage around the world. The medal will be conferred upon all the archduke's com-

Canadian Commits Suicide. St. Thomas, Ont., Dec. 20.—Thomas Grant, a prominent resident of this county, committed suicide by hanging-

He was suffering with dementia. Two Boxes of Dynamite Stolen. London, Dec. 20.—A dispatch from Vienna says that two boxes, containing 20 kilos of dynamite, have been stolen from the navy yards at Pola. CHICAGO ELECTION.

John P. Hopkins Elected Mayor Ove

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—John P. Hopkins, the Democratic candidate for mayor, was elected over George B. Swift, his Republican rival, by a majority of 1,387. The total vote was: Hopkins (Dem.), 112,700; Swift (Rep.), 111,313; Britzins (Socialist, Labor), 1,517; Wakeley (People's, silver), 867; total, 225,897. The vote, which was one of the heaviest

ley (People's, silver), 307; total, 225,897. The vote, which was one of the heaviest ever polled in the city, shows a decided Republican gain.

The Democracy carried the city by 30,000 in the last presidential election, and in the county election last month several of the Democratic candidates had majorities of 4,000 in the city, which were only overcome by the Republican vote in the county. The weather was all that could be desired for an election day and the full vote of both parties was polled.

In several of the downtown wards, where the heavy lodginghouse vote resides, the contest was very bitter, and "scraps" were of frequent occurrence when the police were not at hand. In all other portions of the city the voting progressed without incident.

Late Tuesday night the Republican city central committee decided to contest the election of Hopkins. It is claimed that the police returns on which the above figures are based show 600 more for Hopkins than were actually cast. It is claimed by the committee that an honest official count will give the election to Swift. Even if Swift is not seated the Republicans claim to be satisfied with the result as compared with that of the last mayoralty election when Carter H. Harrison's majority over Allerton was 19,100.

WEDDED AN EARL.

Miss Adele Grant of New York Married In London.

LONDON, Dec. 15 .- The marriage of Miss Adele Grant of New York to George Devereaux De Vere Capell, earl of Essex, took place Wednesday afternoon at St. Margaret's church, Westminster. The archdeacon of Westminster, Frederick W. Farrar, assisted



MISS ADELE GRANT. by the private chaplain of the Earl of Essex, officiated. The church was crowded and included among the con-gregation were nearly all the best known Americans in London as well as

repsesentatives of the aristocracy of the United Kingdom. Among those present were United States Ambassador Bayard and all the members of the United States embassy. The marriage took place at 2:30 p. m. and was followed by a reception at Mr. Grant's house on Cumberland place.

FOR THE TWELFTH TIME.

Samuel Gompers Elected President of the American Federation of Labor. CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Samuel Gompers

was Saturday night re-elected president of the American Federation of Labor for the 12th consecutive time. The movement on the part of the western delegates to bring the presidency of the federation from the east, where it has remained for a number of years, to the west failed when the matter was sub-mitted to a vote. John McBride of the United Mine Workers' union from the state of Ohio was the candidate selected to take up the fight against President Gompers. When announced the re-sult was: Gompers, 1,314; McBride, 1,222; Gompers' majority, 92.

A Cowardly Assault.

FLORENCE, Kan., Dec. 19.-J. F. Todd, state labor commissioner, made murderous assault with a loaded cane on J. E. House, editor of The Bulletin, on the depot platform. Todd came up behind House, who was talking with a friend, and hit him over the ear. The latter grappled with him, threw him over a truck and was pummeling him when the crowd separated them. The affair grew out of a newspaper con-troversy. Todd has been put under ar-rest waiting trial for assault with in-tent to kill.

Crushed His Father's Skull.

PRINCETON, Ky., Dec. 18.—Melvin Roberts, the 14-year-old son of Rev. N. F. Roberts, made a murderous attack upon his father with a hatchet and succeeded in crushing his skull. The boy is now in jail and pleads temporary insanity. Rev. Mr. Roberts will die. The affair happened in Crittenden county 20 miles from here.

Killed His Wife and Himself. CINCINNATI, Dec. 19.—In the West End Henry Klaving, a carpenter crazed by being out of emplopment, cut his wife's throst with a razor, then cut his own throat, causing his death. His wife may recover. Seven children are left fatherless.

DENVER, Dec. 19.—Officers of the Chinatown police squad discovered a Chinese leper in a deep cellar on Wazee street. The man is 65 years old and for two years had been confined to this foul pit which had neither windows nor ventilation. The disease was so far advanced that the flesh had fallen from

Robbed the Mails.

LAREMORE, I. T., Dec, 19.—The depot at Fort Gibson was robbed by masked men and both mail pouches and considerable express matter and the cash in the office carried off. The amount secured is not known. This makes the fifth robbery of the mails at that point within the last year.

Set For Jan. 24.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 19.—Mrs. Floyd and her two sons jointly charged with grand larceny were arraigned and pleaded not guilty. Their trials were set for Jan. 24, the boys being admitted to bail in \$5,000 each and Mrs. Floyd in \$2,000.

### HORRIBLE ACCIDENT

BRIDGE UNDER CONSTRUCTION GIVES WAY.

Fifty-One Men Were Precipitated 110 Feet Into the Ohio River at Louisville. The Catastrophe Supposed to Have Been Caused by the "Travelor" Becoming Loosened by the Wind.

Louisville, Dec. 16 .- At a few minates past 10 o'clock Friday morning the false work and that part of the middle span of the Louisville and Jefferson ville Bridge company in place gave way and with all the workmen was precipitated 110 feet into the water below. There was but a moment's warning and those who escaped going down with the mass of iron and timber started for the piers after the first trembling that indicated

after the first trembling that indicated the giving away of the false work.

The accident was a horrible one and is the last of a long list of castastrophes that have marked the construction of this bridge. The foreman in beginning work noticed that during the night the "traveler," which had been put in place Thursday night, had been worked loose by the wind. An order to draw it back into place was given, and the men and engines started.

The wind was high at the time and the gentle swaying of the false work gradually forced the traveler off of the piles on which it was resting. When the end slipped, the whole work trembled and the men, realizing their danger, started for the piers. As luck would have it, the central bent was the would have it, the central best was the first to give way, and the men on this bent went down to be covered by the the mass of iron and timber of the other bents, which fell almost immediother bents, which fell almost immediately, carrying with them the other workmen who failed to reach the piers. The north bent, or the one attached to the Indiana pier, did not fall for 15 minutes after the other parts went

As near as can be ascertained there were 51 men on the bridge when the were 51 men on the bridge when the alarm was given by the engineer in charge of the work. Of this number several succeeded in reaching the piers. Of those that went down some were covered by a mass of timber from be-neath which it will be days before their

bodies are recovered.

The revised list of dead, injured and missing is as follows:

Dead. L. G. GARLOCK, Buffalo, JOHN COURTNEY. F. BURNS, C. MURPHY. C. W. COOK. Missing.

Missing.
C. F. HOLDERER.
A. SODDEN.
J. CREGAN.
M. SOLAN.
FRANK SIMMONS, Jeffersonville.
G. H. HINKLE, Dauphin, Pa.
J. HOLDEN.
J. L. WILSON.
PAT KELLY.
J. T. OWENS,
F. SHEREDAN.
J. ALLEN.
P. F. MOORE.
GEORGE LILLEY.
R. L. DERFLING, Virginia.
H. PLISS.
Injured.

Injufed. J. MYERS, Lexington, Ky.; left leg badly fractured. HARRY LEE, New Albany, Ind.; slightly

sprained. G. E. Sheehan, Greenup, Ky.; flesh

A. T. HALL, East Tennessee; badly

bruised.
S. Parks, Scotland; three ribs broken and ankle sprained.
T. Galloway, 2707 Sayre street, South Pittsburg; leg fractured.
E. Sherfff, 461 South State street, Chicago; fatally injured.
E. Horis, fatally injured.
W. A. Sharff, 721 Oldham street, Louisville: left arm broken burt internally.
General opinion ascribes the cause of the disaster to the stiff wind that was the disaster to the stiff wind that was sweeping the river. It bore with great sweeping the river. It bore with great force on the ponderous framework which necessarily became loosened from the constant strain and swaying of the heavy timbers. A great number of people before the first span fell could see the great "traveler" rising 80 feet above the piers, swaying and quivering in the wind in what appeared to be a most alarming manner to those on shore. The motion how

peared to be a most alarming manner to those on shore. The motion, however, was hardly noticeable to the workmen and they had no idea of their deadly peril until the great mass of wood and iron began to sink and the awful cracking and crashing of the timbers smote upon their ears.

The third span of the bridge collapsed at 8:20 Friday night. So far as known there was no one injured. This will be an additional loss of about \$75.000 to the bridge company. This span ooo to the bridge company. This span had been completed, but the collapse of the fourth span is supposed to have loosened and displaced it.

BIG LOSS BY FIRE.

Cleveland Destroyed.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 18.-The plant of the National Carbon company on Will-iams avenue near the Lake Shore railway was destroyed by fire at 6 o'clock Sunday morning. There were three brick buildings, one 300 by 75 feet and two stories high, and two small 1-story structures. The fire started it is supposed in the engineroom and spread rapidly. The two small buildings were totally destroyed and the larger one nearly consumed. The loss is between \$150,000 and \$170,000, two-thirds of \$150,000 and \$170,000, two-thirds of which is on machinery. The insurance is between \$50,000 and \$60,000. Two hundred men are thrown out of em-ployment. The works will not be re-built as the company contemplates the erection of a new plant in West Cleve-

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 18 .- The crossing of electric wires caused considerable damage in several downtown stores Sunday evening. It seems that an arc and incandescent wire came in contact, creating a short circuit. The wires thus coming in scatter, burned, and coming in contact burned and set fire to woodwork touching them. From this cause five fires were started at once in various parts of the business district at one time. None of the fires proved

ROME, Dec. 30. — Albert Monroy, prince of Formosa, committed sucide at the Hotel Tripacers by shooting him-

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