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### / Announcement

After withdrawing my name as a candidate for treasurer two years benue. ago, I have decided at the request for fite individual instruction given of fiteinds to announce my candi-by the commissioner to the district officers in regard to making out decy for the office of Township officers in regard to making out their reports, etc. He said that as their result of Mr. Craft's work this Spring.

Your support will be appreciated. L. F. SCHROEDER.

#### Announcement

I wish to sunounce to my many friends in Farmington township that that during Mr. Craft's term of I will be a candidate for the office over a half million of dollars of Highway Commissioner, subject to the wishes of the Republican caucus, to be held during March. Your support will be greatly ap preciated Respectfully,

PERRY E. WIXOM. 15•tw

War may be all that Sherman said it was, but there are other things, now just for instance doal bills-and icy sidewalks.

Michigan Progressives will hold their state convention at Jackson on Tuesday, Feb. 16. Carl Tib-bits of this place was elected as one of the alternates.

And it's just possible, you know, that the old groundhog wasn't able to cast a shadow, what with these benefit of it. hard times and wheat hitting it up toward the \$2.00 mark, the poor fellow would indeed be lucky if he were even fat enough to cast a shadow.

And from now on until after the Spring election, residents of Oakland County will have very little

make every effort to put their lit-by the Woman's Literary club. erature and individual views in the We hope the people of Plymouth Detroit at the ratio of 10 to 9 that the county will remain in the wet column, and while there is little or no question that Farmington Township will give a substantial wet majority as it always has, yet several of the townships are seem ingly in doubt. Certain it is that

both factions will make a supreme effort to get out a large vote.

### A Bigger Town Hall?

It is quite likely that a move-ent will be started some time this Spring favoring, an addition to the resent Town Hall building. That the project would theet with favor in the village is assured, and the writer can see no reason why it should not be accorded a similar eception by the country faxpayers of the Township. As outside of the I. O. O. F. Hall, this is the only place in the Township where a 'gathering of any size can be ac-commodated, it is surprising that the movement has never before been launched

The capacity of the Town Hall at present is best illustrated by the fact that standing room is always at a premium for any large meeting or enter tainment. The local Ma-sonic order, who own the other half of the building, would be only too willing to build simultaneously with the Town, is more or less from Foley Kidney Fills. After all youched for by the fact that the these years I have never had a matter has previously been favor - return of these terrible backaches ably considered by them; The expense of the addition nearly cured." Men and women,

would not be great to the Town! ship and would certainly be a great remedy relieves rheumatism, back-improvement and benefit, in which ache, stiff joints and ills caused by all would share. We would be weak of discased kidneys or blad-glas to hear hom some of our sub-lder. Sold by T. A. McGee. der. Sold by T. A. McGee. gias to near nom source of the sizew scribers on this matter, with a view to making public the general FOLEYS KIDNEY PILLS

### A Good Record A number of the school officers

MEXICO'S ROYAL GHOST. 1

from the rural districts of this sec tion attended their annual meeting at Pontiac Tuesday. John M. Munson, deputy superintendent of public instruction, was present and gave the school officers some valu-able pointers on school law, new legislation, free tuition and the standard school proposition.

Lagand et the Sumbling Gave of Las Siervas Hot Springs. The bota springs of Las Siervas, nex Valle de Canizos, in a remote part of the state of Guerrero, Nexico, harve been visited by few people from the outside word, but they are fangues in the legends and history of the indian tithes of their part of the republic. According to the natives, the writers for the state part of the republic. According to the natives, the writers of the state part of the republic. According to the natives, the writers independent of the state of the state property of the robids finallies of the Spap-neca, Alcothwa and other tribes that lived in that region. On both sides of, the chief spring there are huge rocks write stately ap-les and the figures of women beaut-fully carred. Judging from the robes worn by the women, their stately ap-becks, the figures on the stately ap-becks, the figures on the stately ap-robed with state of the Spap-les and the figures of women beaut-fully carred. Judging form the robes worn by the women, their stately ap-becks, the figures on the stately ap-form the growt a state stateme to a growth that as never been explored. From the growt as a rund the the rimble is caused by the ghost of King Ercannian, who ruled over that part of the country three or four ceaturites be figure merely for the pleasure of seeing them die and committed every crime. He had his palace constructed in another care, which communicated with that of the spring by a tunnel. There Ercannian, in company with some of his favorites, had origies that inster weaks and months. GREEKS LOATHE THE TURKS. Mr. Munson paid a strong com-pliment to the work of County a direct result of Mr. Craft's work in this line the reports sent to Lansing from Oakland county are the most accurate of any received from the entire 84 counties in the

Mr. Munson pointed to the fact has been received by Oakland county in primary and library money and that not a cent of it had gone astray on account of in-correct reports .- Holly Herald.

Weakly Joke Apology

(Passed by National Board of Sensers) An all 'roand boozer, Jim Jamme Got mad--voted dry with a slamme The state went dry No booze could he buy And he mournfully wails, Oh doggone.

GREEKS LOATHE THE TURKS.

From Our Exchanges Among the many things wante by the South Lyon, Herald for that village for the year 1915, is the

purchase of ground for an athletic field near enough to the school house so the children may get the At a special meeting of the vil-

GREEKS LOATHE THE TURKS. An Incident That Shows How Deep Seated Is the Hatrad. The actuate to which the Greeke' hatrad of the Turks goes Is illustrated in "A Child of the Orient' by Jonetta Yaka. The author's Aunt Kallfore was an old Greek woman, 'Noes feelings' were the most anti-Turk. She had bought a large Greek house feelings' were the most anti-Turk. She had bought a large Greek house feelings' were the most anti-Turk. She had bought a large Greek house feelings' were the most anti-Turk. She had bought a large Greek house feelings' were the most anti-Turk. The author writes: "The next time we visited Aunt Kal-lines all and anti-Turk and the Spathary house as a large within the front door which them this choice the she was orthodox Greek woman spun herself for the purpose of putting on the tuble where the Riose were laid—a tuble: choid always washed by the milytess herself in a besin kept spart from the other disless. On the tuble larg a Greek kon, a brass condicatic holding three candies, all buring, and a brass in-cease burner, from which a column of blue anoke was rising filling the house with the odor of fneess. "Why it least Caster, and it lard threat sain's l oried. 'It sart eren a great sain's day. Way are you hum-ing the burner of the rege to hum-ther the set burner, and the sing start tom Turkish poliuton." "They have been burning alone It "Bur spice Baky Pasha nover onguit t and neere lived in it-""."No hot Turk covered if, and that is enough to poliute a Christian house." lage council of Redford, held last week, the contract was let for the erection of a tower and water tank for the village water works system to the Pittsburg-Des Moines Steel Company. Twenty-three bids were considered by the council, says the

Pace of mind, as regards the week and dry issue, since the Supreme Court recently decided that the the Plymouth Mail for a Carnegie the Plymouth Mail for a Carnegie library for. Plymouth, seems to be the with general approval, Both sides to the issue will carry meeting with general approval, on a strenuous campaign, and will and the matter has been taken up

hands of the voters. It is said that some money has been posted in desired acquisition to any fown. may succeed in getting this much-The Brighton Argus is urging

the farmers of that community to name their farms, and suggests a number of suitable names The editors of the Oxford Leader

seem somewhat "peeved" because the game warden wants sparrow protected, and say next thing we know we'll have open and closed season for the cut worm and potate

bug. That old saying, "All things

come to him who waits", is pretty well illustrated in an article in the Rochester Clarion, wherein is told the story of a farm hand who was employed on a farm nearby, and who only drew barely enough of his earnings to buy his clothing, leaving the balance until the end of the year, when a note was made for the amount, and interest on the notes of previous years com puted and added to the principal This system has been going on for about thirty years, and now the amount due the hired man is an

amount in excess of \$10,000, which is all the farm is worth

### After Many Years . J. L. Southers, Eau Claire, Wis. writes: "Years ago I wrote you in

"What may superior and an artist" "Drawing materials" "I didn't know you were an artist" "A didn't know you were an artist" "Artist nothing! If contains a couple of pairs of forceps the denitst afked me to get for him"--Boejon Transcript regard to grear results I obrained

Nothing to Offer. "Have you," asked the judge of a re-cently convicted man, "anything to of-fer the court before sentence is passyoung and old, find this reliable remedy relieves rheumatism, back-

"What have you got in that little

ed?" "No, your. honor," replied the prison er. "My lawyer took my last farthing." —London Mail. To Clean Mother-of-pearl. Mother-of-pearl articles that have become dull and blurred may be re-stored by cleaning them with pure olive oil, then, applying, the, ordinary nationals, and subbing with channes.

A Change of Legend of the Rumbling Cave of Las Siervas Hot Springs. Commander

# By DWIGHT NORWOOD

In the olden time, when the fuc-cancers infested the Spanish main, an English pirate named Ricketts, finding that the Atiantic was becoming poor hunting ground on account of the

that the Atlantic was becoming joor hunting ground on account of the number of akult and bones flags of a, concluded to betake himself to the P-ciff. Having weathered the Horn, he turned his curse northweat it out he P-ciff. Having weathered the Horn, he turned his curse northweat way in his hope of failing in with merchantrien among the many islands lying directly south of the equator and east of Aus-tralia. Ricketts, ibough fifty years old, had never sailed in any except Atlantic waters. He had been an officer in his Hord whatry and during the long pe-dol waver and during the long pe-dol waver, and during the long he-nerce with pedros possible in the new with Bedros possible in the north and south set of the the set of the beinses himself. He knew the north and south Atlantic, their winks, their topis and portracted cains. But the Pedfic was to him an unexplored tract. None of his officers had had any more suprisence in the Pedfic them winks, their dol and portracted cains. But the Pedfic was to him an unexplored tract. None of his officers had had any more supressions in the Pedfic that a Brithwer's confidence in his heart from assions who had peart much the Atlantic different from these of the Atlantic different from these of the Atlantic different from these of the Atlantic second his had. scouted the idea that a man who rules a plarts ship is not to be contradicted. While approaching the Marqueess islands filtkets fell in with a ship which he appropriated and compelied the crew to wak the plank. Three was a gauteman aboard from the col-ory of New York named Fischer, with his wife and daughtier, and being Brit-isla subjects, Bicketts concluded to sparte hum. There was also a yoing saito, Dirgun, whose yigoxions appea-tance planess the opticing a spart hum britte appearior intelligence to keap the fischer do in his masteril way he had with him, ac-quired ha sparent fischer, with him a sequired plane apperior intelligence to the spart hum. There was also a strong a top. For these reasons Ricket

hem. One afternoon Bicketts was pacing the quarterdeck, now and again sweep the quarterdeck, now and again ing the horizon with his glass in of prey, when he heard a voice

ng. "Haul taut! Haul, every man of you or your lives?" cried Dargan.

"Hoult tatut Haul, every man of you, for your lives?" cried Darga. The yards swung round so as to take the coming wind. Then endedup the stillness was broken by shricks in the rigging above, and the pirate ship ca-reased till the water poured over the les guavale. The crow cloug to what they could catch; the capital was gitch-they could be able to be above. The show the ship barrent who was concerd as

The storm was over in a few min-utes, and the sun came out, a hardmager of changed conditions for the pirste ally. Dargan, who was obserd as commander, agreed with the crew that it thay would secure a pardon for every man except the caption. A course was then laid to New Zeeland, where a surreader was made. The New Yorker and Mis family supported Da-gan's story, the crew were pardoned, and the captain was hanged to the gran's story, the crew were pardoned, and the captain was hanged to the pardarm. When Mr. Fletcher found a ship to the him and has family to New York, so grateful was he to Dargan for the sense all their lives that he inrited afing any write that he inrited to make differ the sense and the sense of differ the first them. Fletcher was a differ of the first them. Fletcher was differ of the first the sense of and the offer. He finath mariful Miss Fletcher and became a large ship owner.

# **BIG AUCTION SALE!** Tuesday, Feb. 16

# At Twelve O'elock Sharp

Grey mare 16 years old, wt, 1250 Bay mare 12 1350 Holstein cow 5 yrs milking, due Aug. 15 " 5 " 9 16 i. · •• 66 28 "6 "5 \* 1. 66 30 64 · .4 •4 .17 . .... 46 1 · 16 Oct, 1 64 46 , 6 years old, tresh · ... \*\* 3 " calf by side 2 Holstein heifers coming 2 years old in August, due Aug. 1 1 Holstein heifer coming 2 years old in August, due Nov. 3 Holstein calf 6 months old, nice one Deering corn harvester McCormack mower, nearly new Grain Drill Superior corn planter Little Willie cultivator Land Roller, Potato Digger, nearly new Spike tooth harrow Spring tooth harrow, Parker plow Northville corn marker, new Clover Leaf manure spreader Farm truck, nearly new market box 1-horse wagon, good one Hay Rack, Corn Sheller Osborn 12 it. hay rake. Lumber wagon, Hay rack Single Harness. Light Harness 1-horse cultivator Single buggy, Bob sleighs Stone boat, Gravel box 5,000 lb wagon springs Whiffle trees, Neck yoke Forks, Shovels, Sacks, etc. 1 set double harness Hay and Grains 8 tons timothy hay 100 bushels oats 60 bushels shelled corn 125 bushels ear corn

Rye and wheat mixed 2 bushels beans 12 ft. of silage

Hogs 3 Berkshire shoats, 4 months old

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# Monday, February 15, 1915

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Will meet the Twelve o'clock car going North and 12:25 going South.

Phelps Bros., Prop. H. D. Wolcott, Clerk.

Harry Robison, Auctioneer,

**AUCTION SALE!** The undersigned having decided to go out

The quarterveck, now now new spin server, ing the borcos with his gives in server of prey, when he heard a voice and ships aligo ut in stentoring that a good The capital turned with a good to see who except himself dared give an order on the skip he command; ed and saw Dargan and the met retus could on the skip he force Rick tetts could be the barces, were manned and the salors stood ready for the next order. "Wrold these burees," cald Dargan called he faculties and Dargan called he braces, "cald Dargan called he braces," cald Dargan called, but framit, "Hold the braces," cald Dargan called, but framit, "Broy these burees," cald Dargan called, but framit, "Broy the braces," cald Dargan called, but framit, "Broy and face turned from Dar-gan to Ricketta. A faw dropped the braces, the rest held them. Whipping a pistol from his beit, the commander fired a shot a Dargan which grared his check. "There's a hurricane coming, men," and Dargan. "If you drop the braces we are loid." This sizedied the men amaringly. The capital proped, and the sale fapped. Ricketta loke da the water to between and saw a black the com-tal.

Good Word For Religion. This is a broad minded age, and the gentitemen on the last trap, who was in what one may define as the talka-tive stage, shared the characteristics of the times. "I've mothin' to say against 'in even if he does belong to a P. S. A. I'm no bisot, not a bit of a P. S. A. I'm no bisot, not a bit of the times of the does belong of the times of the does belong of the times of the does belong follow the source of the does belong the source of the does belong to source of the source of the source of the Goung the source of the source of the source of the Goung the source of the source of the source of the Goung the source of the source of the source of the Goung the source of the source of the source of the source of the Goung the source of the source of the source of the source of the Goung the source of the source of the source of the source of the Goung the source of the

Planning a Future. "Do you think you can support my daughtar, in the style to which ab has been accustomed?." "Tes," replied the slangy young man after some heatinton. "Hot don't you think Td better stick, around with you think Td better stick, around with you think Td better stick, around with you think Td better stick, around state. tomed to it?"-Washington Star.

Nathing Doing. "Can I interest you in an attach-ment for your trgwwriter?" askod the Isgent as he entered the office. "No chance," replied Mr. Groppch. "I'm straft of the attachment I had for my last: typewriter."-Cincinnati En-quirer.