CHARITY'S SAKE.

Ladies of Ladies Will Run a Newspaper One Day,

Aggregation Gives an Attractive Minstrel Show.

PORT HURON, Mich., Dec. 12.—The issue of Dec. 21 of the Port Huron Daily Times will be given over to the ladies of this city to edit and publish for the benefit of charity and the art institute. It is proposed to give the issue over entirely to the ladies, they to have charge of both the editorial and business departments of the paper, and all proceeds to be divided equally between the King's Daughters for the benefit of the free kindergarten, the hospital and home and the Port Huron Art Institute.

WOMEN AS "END MEN."

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The Monte Relief Society, a Hebrew charitable organization, gave an entertainment the other evening for the benefit of its poor fund, at the Lexington Avenue Opera House. The benefit took the form of an elaborate spectacular production, which was called "The Congress of Flowers." The botanical specimens were all members of the society, and appeared on the stage clad in tights or extremely short skirts. There were dark and blond lilies and brunette fuchsias, and roses in long pink stockings and short white skirts, and poppies with crimson stems. In the background a dozen sunflowers nodded from vivid green stalks that wore no skirts at all. On each side there were clusters of violets and jasmines, and here and there a spray of lighly clad golden rod. Tender orange blossoms and pinks and daisies, gorgeous and dazzling, but poorly protected from frost, blossomed in radiant profusion.

Amateur elves inhabited the flowers and tropical garden, and wore costumes befitting the climate and sang and danced skirt dances. A temporary transmigration of Monte Relief members resulted in fluttering butterflies and nimble-footed cupids and other delightful things which sang sweetly and danced bravely.

The performance was arranged by Miss Mollie Teschner, secretary of the society; the entire production was under the supervision of Mrs. Sofia Monte Loebinger, the society's president.

The performance was a cleverly arranged vaudeville, and consisted of a minstrel feature, with end men, or end women rather, and tambourines and jokes especially cracked for the members and friends of the cast.

"The Realms of Flora" was another feature of the entertainment, and gave the members of the flower congress an opportunity for a grand march collectively, and several songs individually. "The Sunflower Minstrels," in which Mrs. Rose Neuberger acted as leader, and Miss Rose Joseph and Miss Louise Bottstein as ends, ended the performance. A ball followed.

BUCHANAN'S CASE.

Why One Man Wished He Had the Gift of Public Oratory.

LEAMINGTON, Dec. 13.—Sherman Buchanan, a farmer near here, was reading a paper in the postoffice this morning, when his eye caught the paragraph referring to the case of Hezekiah Vaughan, which I telegraphed you. "His case was as nothing to mine," said Buchanan. "I had been a sufferer from kidney disease for years. My back pained me and I could scarcely stoop over. I consulted doctors and took a great deal of medicine, but I did not get any better. The doctors told me I had lumbago, but their treatment did not benefit me, and I became satisfied that my kidneys were the source of trouble. I was advised to give Dodd's Kidney Pills a trial. I did so, and look at me now. I wish I was a public speaker, so that I could hire a hall and tell the people of the benefits of Dodd's Kidney Pills."

IMMENSE INUNDATION.

Santa Marta Swept by a Tidal Wave—The Town of Laira Disappears—Many Lives Lost.

PANAMA, Dec. 12.—A dispatch from Santa Marta, capital of the Department of Magdalena, says the town was inundated by a tidal wave on Dec. 7. Heavy rains and strong winds caused the Managacar River to overflow its banks. At the same time great waves of the sea swept over the city, washing away houses and forcing the inhabitants to take refuge in the church steeples and lofty buildings.

Many persons perished, but the actual number has not yet been ascertained.

The town of Laira has completely disappeared and fourteen persons were drowned there.

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