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## A MUSLIN OPPORTUNITY FOR TUESDAY

25 pieces Scotch Dimity Corded Muslin, in white grounds with neat dots and small figures, fast color, just the thing for cool waists, dresses and dressing ackets, regular value 15c, on sale Tuesday at per yard

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## \$2.75 Skirts On Tuesday For \$1.98

2 dozen ladies' white wash skirts, made of extra quality Indian Head Cotton, full gored, trimmed with pleats and wide insertion, regular price \$2.75, on sale Tuesday at each

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## Fancy Parasols At Reduced Prices

Our entire range of Summer Parasols is reduced in price. White embroidered Parasols, white and colored silk parasols-nobby styles, correct handles, all at

\$1.35 to \$3.85

## THOMAS STONE & SON

SUMMER BARGAINS WESTMAN BROS.

. ALL

LAWN MOWERS 25 per cent. off

REFRIGERATORS 25 per cent. off ?

**ALL GRANITE WARE** 

25 per cent. off

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Build up that weakened condition of your boy or girl on McGEACHY'S AERATED MILK

Delivered to Any Part of the City in Sealed Sterilized Bottles McGEACHY'S CITY DAIRY

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Minard's Liniment cures Colds,

Dr. Neil Smith ...DENTIST... over A.I. McCall & Co's Drug Store Cor, King and Fifth Sts. Phone 164.

# Detroit, July 22.—Thirty-one killed and half a hundred seriously, some probably fatally, injured, is the result of a head-on collision Saturday morning, near Salem, Mich., 31 miles west of this city. Those killed and hurt were some of the 300 passengers on the annual excursion of the Pere Marquette Railway employes from Iona to Detroit, leaving that town at 6 p.m. The freight train running behind its orders was the cause of the wreck. Westward from Plymouth, in a serpentine, gradually sloping path, runs the track along which the heavy freight thundered to meet the ill-fated excursion train. Rounding one of these sudden turns, and leaving the level, one plunges into a deep, chasmlike cut, with ahear walls of earth some 15 feet high on either side. It was here that the two trains came together without warning until both had rounded the curves to be seen too late for any earthly power to prevent a collision. late for any earthly power to prevent

Thirty-one People Killed In

P. M. Wreck at Salem Mich

with Special Excursion Train, is the Official

Statement-Seventy Injured.

The passenger train of eleven cars, carrying employes of the Pere Mar-quette shops at Iona and their fami-lies to the Michigan metropolis for lies to the Michigan metropolis for their annual excursion, was running probably fifty miles down a steep grade.

It struck the lighter locomotive of the freight train with such terrific force as to turn the freight engine completely around.

Both locomotives were wrecked, but only a few of the freight cars were

mashed. Six cars of the passenger train were

piled up in a mass.

Four of the coaches remained on the track undamaged, and were used to convey the dead and injured to

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One coach was entirely undamaged, with only its forward trucks off the rails.

Two coaches were thrown crosswise on the track and lay from bank to bank, five feet above the rails.

Of the bagage car, not enough remained to show where it had been tossed. Portions of bagage-car and freight cars were mere debris.

Freight Crew Blamed.

Responsibility for the wreck is placed upon the crew of the freight train by officials of the road. Officers who arrived at the scene soon after it happened, obtained from the crew of the freight the orders under which it was running, which clearly show that the freight encroached upon the other train's running time. train's running time.

The excursion left Iona crowded

MR. SULMAN

with men, women and children at 7 o'clock Saturday morning. Every family had its lunch basket, and many of the excursionists were eating when the trains collided.

The impact was so great that a number of passengers sitting near the windows of the rear coach were thrown out of the windows to the ground.

There was a panic among the passengers in the undamaged coaches for a few moments.

Then, when the uninjured realized that they had not been hurt they rushed from the cars to the rescue of their friends and relatives, who were pinioned in the wreckage.

Families were scattered among different cars, and there was frenxied searching for missing relatives.

The sight was sickening. People were running around as though mad. For a few minutes it seemed as though they had all gone cray. Then they began digging the bodies out. Perhaps it was an arm or a leg that was found. One man in his excitement grabbed an arm that protruded from the mass, gave a slight pull, only to find that it was free at the other end. A young man about 18 years of age was found with both of his legs nearly off and his right arm hanging by the skin. The man begged his rescuers to kill him, and said: "For God's sake, shoot me. I can't stand this." Two men worked for an hour before the unfortunate man was gotten out, and he died five minutes later.

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Rescuers took out a woman of middle age terribly mangled, with the left leg completely severed above the knee. As she lay on the blood-soaked grass faintly breathing her last, a little boy of a dozen years sank beside her, crying: "Mother, mother," but she died without recognizing him.

After the wreck one woman with her arm nearly severed from her body and the clothes nearly stripped from her body was meaning for her child. "If my baby is killed then let me die, too," she kept repeating, "for my little girl is all that I have left in the world."

Soon after the wreck farmers gathered from all over the surrounding country, bringing food, water and liquor with them, and soon there was a crowd of over 1,000 people on hand. Everyone was busy, either attending to the wants of the injured or assisting in getting injured or dead from the demolished cars. Cushions were strewn along the banks alongside the track and the dead and injured were placed on them.

#### SAYS ORCHARD RETURNS HOME TOLD TRUTH

He Attended the big Macca- Counsel For State In Hay-

George W. Sulman returned yesterday from Detroit after attending as Canadian representative the meeting of the Knights of the Maccabees, and in conversation with a reporter this morning he made several statements that undoubtedly will be of interest to the Order at large.

He stated that during the last three years the reserve fund has doubled, and during the same time they have paid out twice as much in benefits. This shows the correctness of the new rate that was established three years ago. It is now the strongest fraternal society in America, and the future before it looks bright. A motion to change head quarters of meeting from Port Huron to Detroit was brought in, thus increasing the size of the Supreme Tent Review from 75 to 150 members in order to decrease the cost of membership, it has been arranged to hold the meetings every four years instead of every three, as heretofore. Out of the 100 representatives only four were from Canada, and two of these received offices. S. W. Trussler, of Camischie, was elected Supreme Trustee, and G. W. Sulman Supreme Second Master of Guard. When Mr. Sulman was elected the American friends sang "God Save the King," after which the four Ontal and Trustee, and G. W. Sulman Supreme Second Master of Guard. When Mr. Sulman was cleeted the American friends sang "God Save the King," after which the four Ontal and Trustee, and G. W. Sulman Supreme Second Master of Guard. When Mr. Sulman was cleeted the King," after which the four Ontal and Trustee, and G. W. Sulman Supreme Second Master of Guard. When Mr. Sulman was cleeted the King," after which the four Ontal and Trustee, and G. W. Sulman Supreme Second Master of Guard. When Mr. Sulman was cleeted the King," after which the four Ontal American friends sang "God Save the King," after which the four Ontal American friends sang "God Save the King," after which the four Ontal American friends sang "God Save the King," after which the four Ontal American friends sang "God Save the King," after which the four of the four of the four

#### DEAD BESIDE FIRED ON THE TRACK

Two Miles From Dresden

a Midnight Freight-May Be A Tramp

Dresden, July 21.-The body of an nknown man, s posed to be a Marquette tracks this morning by ome farmers who reside near. The left leg was cut off and the man's face was badly bruised.
On the left arm were tattoed the

initials "E. H." The letf hand was smailer than the right, and was seemingly withered. The man was of medium size and of sandy complexion. His pockets were turned inside out, and the only things found in his clothes were a cake of soap and several handkerchiefs.

The victim was seen around town during Friday, but was unknown to anyone. His age was apparently about 27 years.

Dr. Wiley decided that an inquest was unnecessary, and the ramains will be interred on Monday. The man had evidently been killed

The man had evidently been killed by the midnight freight, which passed through Dresden about 12 w.clook Saturday night. He was evidently not intoxicated, and it is supposed he was stealing a ride when he was thrown from the car and run over. When he was found he was some distance from the place where he had been run over, so it is thought that death was not instantaneous, but that it was caused rather by loss of blood. The remains were taken to Rubble's Morgue.

d by breaking glass and falling timbers.

An immense crowd immediately gathered, and fire and riot calls were dethe crowd and used clubs freely. Twenty arrests were made for rioting. The supposed that the man who is tacked the crew released the brake on the other car and started it down the hill.

## STREET CARS

Freight Conductor is Responsible for a head-on Crash Unknown Man Found About Dastardly Attack With Revolvers In San Francisco Street

> Was Evidently Killed By Three Men were in Ambush -Woman And Child Injured

> > San Francisco, Cal., July 22.—A car of the United Railroads in charge of J. Talskeng and Motorman Fellel at Twenty-Ninth and Noe streets yesterday was ready to start on a trip when three men standing in the darkness fifteen yards away opened fire on it with revolvers.
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when a bullet smashed his elbow. Almost at the same moment Fellel dropped with a bullet in his thigh. Another car drew up at the time. The crew left it and took the car with the wounded men to the car barns at 29th and Mission streets. As they turned the corner at that point they saw their car coming down the hill at high speed.

At the turn the runaway car jumped the track and plunged into a haberdashers store, wrecking the building. Sophie Bernstein, daughter of the proprietor of the store, and Ralph D. Hoff, and his wife and child, customers, were painfully cut and brutsed by breaking glass and falling timbers.

An immense crowd immediately

## The Pere Marquette Picnic Brought Many to Chatham

Excursionists Were Delighted With Their Treatment In The Maple City - The Results Of the Races -A Very Successful Day

As was stated in Saturday's Planet, the Pere Marquette pienic, which was held in this city, was one of the most successful events ever held in Chatham. The crowd which attended was very large. Tecumseh Park and the most of the main streets were thronged with visitors all day, and everywhere were heard expressions of delight and satisfaction, both with the picnic itself and with the hearty welcome which was given the visitors by the citizens and merchants of the Maple City.

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Callen 3. The prizes were a medicine cabinet, Starrets universal square, and a pair of gent's summar shear and a pair of gent's summar shear sh

and was decided a draw after several rounds of scientific boxing.

The following is the result of the afternoon's proceedings, ladies race, over 18 years of age:

Miss Gertie Jago I, Miss Hepworth 2, Miss Mand Conover 3. The prizes were a flower stand, six months subscription to The Planet, and viscomothis subscription to the News.

Girls race under 12 years of age:
Miss Eva Perry I, Miss Mary Martin 2. The prizes were bozes of candy.

At Plowers 1, G. W. Knight 2, Toby Allan 3. The prizes were an arm chair, an unbrella, and half pound tin of cut tobacco.

Switchmen's race, 75 yards.

Mr. Chapman 1, Mr. Wilkee 2, J. Gilligan 3. The prizes were an amount of rubber boots, a box of cigars, and a gent's belt.

Men's race, 75 yards, over 17 years of age:

Ed. Meness 1, J. W. Gilligan 2, Mr. Wickens 3. The prizes were an umbrella, a razor and a baseball suit.

Trainmen's race, 75 yards, over 17 years on age:

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OUR ANNUAL SALE OF

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## HAIR BRUSHES

WILL COMMENCE

Tuesday, July 2nd AND LAST FOR TEN DAYS

We will give Hair Brushes at one half their value for these ten days and we want every one of our customers to come and get at least one of these bargains. Nothing but good reliable brushes will be put in this sale.

Prices: 17c, 19c, 22c, 33c, 79c.

Those who bought last year know the excellent value we give. Those who did not come and get an idea of what a bargain in hair brushes is. We have 5000 to sell and we want to sell them all in tentdays.

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KING & 6th STREETS .

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pay you.
Men's Clothing, Boys' Clothing, 2-pee. Suits, Pants of all lescription.
Men's Pants at 99c. that are

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Bosy' Caps, 10c., 50c.
Neckwear, 39c.
Children's Overalls, 25c.
This Sale will not last long.
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