

Hon. A. C. Wellette.

Colonel A. C. Mellette, recently appointed governor of Dakots until its division into two states, was born in 1845 in Indiana and served during the civil war, upon the close of which he took up his residence at Muncle. Indiana, where he pratised law and was made prosecuting of his judicial district. He was taken a state of the property of the Times, one of the most influential re-publican newspapers of the district; in addition to this he carried on an ex-censive paper business. In 1878 he was appointed register of the general land office at Springfield, Dakota, and afterward removed to Watertown, his present home.

present home.

Rev. Washington Gardner, the former state commander of the Michigan G. A. R., is now an M. E. pastor in Clacinnait, O. He served as a private soldier during the war of the re-buildon and hence knows something about soldier life. In the course of an interest of the soldier life. In the course of an interest of the soldier life. In the course of an interest of the soldier life is the soldier life of the life is the soldier life of the life is life in the price of the life is life in the price of the life is life in the life in the life in the life is life in the life in the life could be known or life in the life could be known on the life of life in the life could be known on the life of life in the life could be known on the life on the life in the life could be known on life in the life in the life could be known on the life in the life in the life could be known on the life in the life in the life could be known on the life in the life in the life could be known on the life in the life could give me; and no man wus sees avaise on human life could be *hird* to go to battle, but for the *love* of country one million brave men could be mar-shalled within thirjy days to fight to the death for freedom and liberty. Then talk of pay! When the boy has paid his mother for the pains of his birth, the days and nights of care and suffering, heartaches, furrowed-brow and white hair, then, and not until, can this government pay its soldiers in money for its services rendered. All that so no can do for his mother is the way of compensation is to show adequate appreciation, and that is all that the government can do for its soldiers.

Dom Pedro is said to have expressed in a opial no to the effect that he is at emperor that Bradi will ever see. Whether on not his majesty over 1 and 1 and

defigurement is growing very raplip. Brault has a great future before
Lip. Brault has a great future befor

s young emperor of Germany is y replacing the veteran com-ars, so popular with his grand-t, with young officers, and is in-icing compulsory retirement reg-ns with a view of having only

Weekly Crop Report.
daily temperature for the week end
y 25 has been 2 and 3-10° below nor
be rain fail, 65 100 inches, 12-100 be
awerage; sunshine below the aver
than unfavorable effect on corn.

Michigan News Briefly Told.

GENERAL NEWS.

FOREIGN NEWS. rill of the late John Bright of En-

Falls, W. T., to tion of project fine Colville in Bohemia

The Frince at the Theater.



This is the way SAM gets there with George Erb & Co. Every Farmer should have a Planet, Jr., Cultivator. They are the best in the world



Buckeye Riding and Walking Cultivators! Bear in Mind that We have the best Fertilizer Drills Made



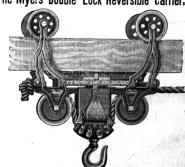
You have run a mower perchance since boyhood, but you never rode one of so light draft, so easy to manage, and such a powerful cutter as this No. 4 Steel Mower. Do I know what I am talking about? I do. The dynamoter power proves our superiority for light draft. It takes but a moment to grasp the lever and raise the bar. How easy it is done. Its long pitman gives it a powerful stroke and the guards are cleared without backing the machine!

It is tested in the shop. It is built upon honor. It will save you grass. Your boy can handle and your horses can easily draw the McCORMICK No. 4 MOWER. It is the best Mower for the money ever built, and don't you forget it!



Every farmer should compare the Mc-Cormick Harvester with all other makes that are offered for his inspection. It will repay his time. Let him examine all the little points, as well as all the big ones. Let him look at the canvas; observe the grain wheel; notice the gearing; run his eye along the cutter bar, and examine the main wheel. It is not a cheap machine. It was not made for one. It is the cheap things that are dear in the long run. It is the better construction that gives the McCormick its added life. This better construction lessens draft. Let the farmer remember his horses. If he does not forget his team he will buy the McCormick.

The Myers Double Lock Reversible Carrier.



e agents for the J. I. Case T. M. Co., Garr, Scott & Co. and A. W. 8 and Threshing Machines. When in Detroit call on GEORGE ERB, 232 MICHIGAN AVENUE,

mine his stock of all the latest improvements of the leading and be At Birmingham and vicinity ME. SAM HERBISON w... Il kindly at Free Freights to Royal Oak and Birmingham ALL GOODS WARRANTED