Michigan Editors' Guitas.

The Michigan Press association held to annual convention at Maskegon. here was more pleasure than business at the program and the fun was pened with an informal reception to the present of the sacciation. The convention as opened by a welcoming address by lagor James Balbrine. President attengill responded. A paper entitled the Michigan Press Association and Arman Press Association and Flenton Harbor, was read by O. E. week, of Owsoo. The second day as taken up with a trip, on the electers to Lake Michigan park, an except, of the Michigan park, and the second that the seco

Many Tax Titles Invalid.

The supreme court decision in the lughes-Jordan case is likely to spread onsternation among tax title dealers, the court holds that the auditor-general cannot convey a good title from easter to lands upon which taxes seen returned to his office as denguent or not. The auditor-general, it is held, must require cidence of the payment of all axes which have become a lien upon a property before he can issue a ced, and as this requirement of the whas not always been strictly comied with the results of the control of the

A fire which started in Clecland's dry goods store at Cooperville, destroyed 20 business places before it was placed under control. Had it not been for help sent from Grand Rapids the entire town might have burned. The busi-sess portion is now a mass of ruins, The loss is over \$50,000, insurance bout \$30,000.

## MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS.

Leslie Miller, aged 7, fell under

iron bridge between Muskeyon and North Muskeyon.

Geo. F. Crowell, a well-known lum-ber sealer, suicided by shooting him-self, at Menominec.

Robt. W. Martin, aged 68, an old sol-dier, was killed at Arlington by a horse he was leading.

The barn of Wm. Simms, near Ne-wige, with its contents, was de-wige, with its contents, was de-wiged.

Mrs. Nettle Rev. of Coldwater, will probably die from injuries received by falling from a hammosk.

A donation of 5000 has been made to

nd. from drinking wood alcohol.
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lilled at Calumet by a chain breaking
and striking him while loading ore.
Frank Pryor, a Jackson. expressman,
as found in his home with his neck
other. How it happened is a mystery.

for home. Eugene Bailey, a farmer near Lemox. Logt his barn and the season's crops by lightning. Other damage was done in the same vicinity.

Michigan has lost one of her sons at Santiago from gellow fever—Private Co. F. 33d Michigan. To Huron. Co. F. 33d Michigan at Pernandina blew down during a rainstorm and all of the patients were drenched.

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men being overcome in one day.

Lightning struck the 'house of Wm King, in Pulaski, Jackson county, in which an ice cream social was being held, Of the 19 persons present only one escaped injury entirely, and several were mixed with a burned streak from head to foot and severely shocked.

Lieut. Glup Lawley C.

erai were marked with a burned streak from head to foot and seeverly shocked. If from head to foot and seeverly shocked, Mehlgan, left Camp Eaton eight weeks ago weighing 173 pounds and in sound health. Soon after landing in Cuba he contracted malaria and rheu-matism and is now home on sick leave, weighs only 155 pounds and is broken to the land of the land of the land of the weight only 155 pounds and is broken The Railway Bagzage Agents of America held their annual convention at Detroit. W. K. Maxwell, of the M. K. & T. railroad, was elected pres-ident; J. E. Quick, of Toronto, of the M. K. & T. railroad, was elected pres-ident, J. E. Quick, of Toronto, of the target-reasure. The next convenients seem-tury-treasure. The next convenients will be held at Charlevok.

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Lieut. A. J. Babcock. of Flint, Co. K (Sons of Vestrans), 33d Michigan, died from typhold fever in the hospital at Shonory. If was an only son and a Shonory of the was an only son and a Shonory of the was an only son and a shonor-alogne will be an immense one.

In Raiamazoo, Van Buren, Allegan and St. Joseph counties the value of the complex of

purpose of emoarcing on a vagor emploration agricultion when the American arms were adding victory upon a consideration and the second of the deepest interest throughout Washington, particularly in diplomatic ericles, where much surprise was expressed, as they had had no official intimation of such action.

\*\*Sagista Brates 15.\*\*

Madrid, via Paris: The government denies that the cabinet council occupied itself with the question of peace. Senor Sagasta denies the existence of official peace negotiations, but Diake Almodorar del Rio, minister of foreign affairs, says negotiations of a private character have been opened, due to private initiative.

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Grand Trunk railroad system, secretary-treasurer. The next convention
will be held at Charlevoix.

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The second district convention at Ann Arbor, Mr. Smith gained motoriety by
commencing suit against the Lake
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Maj, Chaş B. Nanerole, 33d Michigan, who & home for a short time,
having been detailed to accompany the
sick and wounded soldiers brought to
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his position in the army in the fall and
resume his duties in the University of
Michigan.

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White, of Mendon, and Floyd Frankin,
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SUES FOR PEACE THROUGH
THE FERNCH AMBASSADOR.

The First Proposition submitted Suggests

Negotiations Looking to Termination
of the War and Settliment of the
Terms of Peace.

Washington: The Spanish governthe washington the Spanish governthe through the great powers of Europe,
but by a direct appeal to President Me,
Kinley. The proposition was formally
ambutted to the President by the
French ambassador. M. Jules Canbon, who had received instructions
to deliver to the U. S. government the tender of peace formulated by the Spanish ministry.

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LAND ON PORTO RICO.

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The first expedition of American troops—those which sailed from Guantananounder Gen. Miles—sent against content of the standard o

or mones.

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Suddenly about 20 Spaniands opened fire with Mane; rilles on the American party. Lieut. Huse and his mear responded with great galantry, the Colt zun döling effective work. Almost immediately after the Spaniands fired on the Americans. the Gloucester opened fire on the enemy with all her three and six-pounders which could be brought to bear, shelling the town and also dropping shells into the hills to brought to bear, shelling the town and also dropping shells into the hills to head the state of the state of the state of the spanial state of Spanial could be a musher of Spanial could have been shelling the town and landed. Lieut. Huse then threw up a little fort which he named Fort Wainwright, and laid barbed wire in the street in front of it in order to repel the expected cavalry attack. The lieutenant also mounted the Colt gua and signaled for reinforcements, which were sent from the little street, and the force of the street of the stree

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