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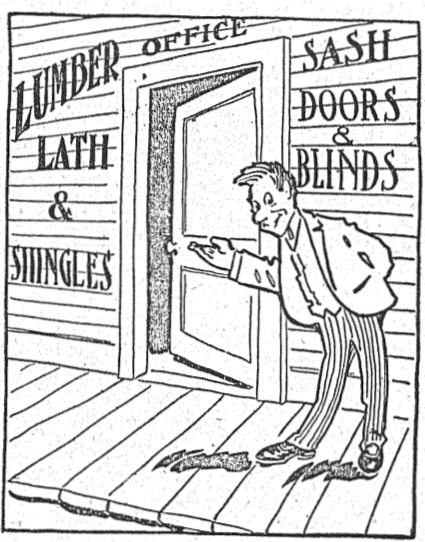
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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Additional locals on last page.
 Rev. S. P. Jackson spent Sunday at Ionia.
 Hotel McCain, at Deford, is being painted.
 C. B. Hill, of Vassar, was in town on Monday.
 J. W. McCain, of Deford, was in town yesterday.
 F. Sykes made a business trip to Adrian last week.
 Mrs. E. K. Wickware is reported in quite poor health.
 Jas. Bruce, of Deford, did business in town on Monday.
 A. Cleland, from near Holbrook, was in town on Tuesday.
 W. H. Comfort and lady, of Bad Axe, were in town on Sunday.
 Mrs. Macomber, of Caseville, called on friends here yesterday.
 D. H. Griffin, of Kingston, called on friends here last Thursday.
 Roy Gamble, of Sebawaing, spent last week with friends here.
 Miss Nina Karr assisted at Ostrander's shoe store on Saturday.
 Rev. F. Klump made a business trip to Saginaw and Bay City last week.
 Geo. W. Ferguson and Geo. H. Jones, of Shabbona, were in town on Monday.
 C. W. McKenzie and Mrs. E. McLean spent Sunday visiting friends at Bad Axe.
 Miss Maggie Masters, of Gageton, is employed as domestic at Mrs. F. C. Lee's.

Geo. Collins, well known through this section on account of being engaged in threshing, died at his home near Shabbona the first of the week, the funeral being held on Tuesday.
 The Gleaners and Knights of the Modern Maccabees held their meeting in Odd Fellows Hall last week, through the kindness of that order, as the Forester Hall is not yet ready for use.
 In our report of the fire in our last issue we erred in intimating that the household goods of Mrs. C. M. Seeley were saved. Very little was saved of her household effects, the loss amounting to about \$500.
 Geo. S. Farrar, who managed the helm at Hotel Gordon for a few days, started back to Port Austin on Friday evening. On Monday he assumed the management of the Point aux Pins Hotel at Port Austin.

A special spring meeting of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society will be held on Wednesday, May 27th, at the home of Mr. Seed, on the hill. Supper will be served from 5 to 8 p. m. Everyone will be cordially welcomed.

Rev. R. Weaver will preach on the following subjects next Lord's Day: Morning, "Faith and Power." Evening, "Christ's aid for the Ungodly." B. Y. P. U. 6:30. Topic, "Power and Prayer." A hearty and cordial invitation is extended to all.

All members of the Modern Maccabees are hereby notified to call at the office of the Finance Keeper, M. L. Moore, and pay the assessment now due on or before the last day of the month. He is not able to get about to see the members.

The cucumber seed, to be planted on contract for The Williams Bros. Co., for their salting station at this place, is now at Laing & Janes' store. Only those who have contracts can secure the seed, but any who have not contracted may do so yet.

Mrs. J. B. Piercey and two children arrived from Bad Axe on Sunday. Mr. Piercey is the manager of the local cold storage plant of The Comfort Produce Co. For the present they have secured rooms in the H. Seed farm residence, just north of town.

Ed. Striffler, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Striffler, of Argyle, who has been a sufferer from consumption for some two years, passed away on Saturday, at the age of nineteen years. The funeral was held on Monday and was attended by a number of relatives and friends from this place.

T. E. Johns, superintendent of the Growing Department of the Sioux City Seed and Nursery Company, has been looking after the company's interests here this week. They have put out a larger acreage of beans than usual in this locality for this season. D. Law is still the local manager.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Lee wish us to express their thanks to the many friends, and especially the ladies and members of the fire department, who took such an active part in the endeavor to save their property from fire. Notwithstanding Mrs. Lee's poor health she has stood the loss remarkably well.

We are pleased to be able to state that C. W. Heller is making as good a recovery as can be expected from the burns received at the late fire. He will be a sufferer for some time and will not entirely recover for months, but he is extremely thankful for progress already made toward recovery. He is able to walk about his room a little.

The special service at the M. E. Church, held last Sunday evening, commemorating the organization of the Epworth League, was especially instructive and edifying. The pastor, Rev. M. W. Gifford, Ph. D., had prepared a chart to illustrate the Epworth Wheel, and the various departments of work in the organization. After he had made a few introductory remarks, papers were given regarding the different departments, as follows: Prof. D. H. Kyes, 1st vice pres., spiritual department; Miss Etta Keating, Mercy and Help department; Miss Mina Orr, 3rd vice pres., Literary department; Mrs. F. A. Bigelow, Social department; Miss Vera Schell, Correspondence department; Fred A. Bigelow, treas., Finance department; Mrs. D. H. Kyes, Junior League Supt., the Junior League. Considering the warm evening, the attendance was very good.

A NEW DEPOT.

To Be Commenced at once at Cass City.

Supt. W. C. Sanford, of the P. O. & N. R. R., with other officials passed over the road by special train yesterday. While making a brief stop here, the superintendent informed Station Agent G. G. Beebe, that the new depot at this point would be started at once, probably within a week. The new building will be erected on the site of the old one, and will be similar in style, though somewhat better, probably the best depot on the entire line. Instead of one general waiting room, as formerly, there will be two, one of which may be used as a smoking room. The latter will be located between the waiting room proper and the baggage room and will also be used as a sort of a drayman's office, while doing business with the agent. The baggage room and warerooms for freight will be located much the same as formerly. We understand that the Village Fathers have expressed a willingness to place an arc light at the intersection of Garfield Avenue and Vulcan Streets and it is to be hoped that the company will see their way clear to place electric lighting in the new structure.

Passed to Her Rest.

Miss Elizabeth Edna Epplett was born in Teeswater, Ontario, March 12th, 1883, where she lived until she was seven years of age, when her mother came to Michigan to make her home. Mr. Epplett died when Edna was a babe of four and a half months. She attended school in Ellington and Deford and six years ago she came to Cass City where she has since lived. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church and a few months since she joined Companion Court Davenport, I. O. F. Besides her mother, she leaves one brother, John, to mourn the loss of a gentle daughter and sister. Her death, which occurred Tuesday morning after a nine weeks' illness, is a sad blow to the family. The funeral services will be held this afternoon at the Presbyterian church under the auspices of the Lady Foresters. Miss Epplett was well known among the young people and her sweet disposition endeared her to all. She led an exemplary life and will be missed by a large circle of friends.

Memorial Day at Cass City 1903.

Program and order of march.
 The Post will assemble at Post Hall at 10 a. m. and proceed at 11:30 to depot to meet friends and comrades. Will then take up line of march to Post Hall.

Post will reassemble at 1 o'clock and with Ladies' Circle and Sons of Veterans proceed to Town Hall where services will commence as follows:

- Music—Carnet Band.
- Prayer—Rev. S. P. Jackson.
- Music—"America," by entire assembly.
- Recitation—Mrs. H. L. Pinney.
- Music—Male Quartette.
- Address—Rev. J. W. Fenn.
- Solo—Mrs. Caroline Fenn Bigelow.
- Reading—A. A. P. McDowell.
- Music by Band.
- After which procession will form in Main Street and proceed to the cemetery in the following order:
- Marshal, D. P. Deming.
- Cass City Band.
- Teachers and Pupils of Schools.
- Ladies of G. A. R.
- Sons of Veterans.
- Milo Warner Post, No. 232, G. A. R.
- Other Societies.
- Orators of the Day, Common Council, Board of Education and business men in carriages.
- Assistant Marshals.
- Citizens on foot.
- Citizens in carriages.

It is earnestly hoped that all children will form in line with the procession, as they will be counted and the number sent to the department of Michigan.

We respectfully ask all citizens to participate on this occasion. Let this day be cherished by all patriotic citizens as a National Day, set aside in honor of our noble dead, who gave their lives that we might have the grandest country on earth.

After the decoration of the graves, a hollow square will be formed by the Post, Ladies of the G. A. R. and Sons of Veterans.

Ritual Service.
 Salute to the Dead.
 Taps on the Drum.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Will pay \$3 per week. 2 1/4 miles west of Cass City.
 H. A. DONALDSON.

WHY pay 15c for a Hose

when you can buy a better one for **10 cts.** WE HAVE IT and defy competition on it. We carry the "BLACK CAT" Hosiery in ALL PRICES and kinds and guarantee them to give satisfaction.

OVERALLS are worth more money each day, because the material from which they are made is constantly going up in price. But we are supplied with a big line at 50, 60 and 75 cts. which we will compare with anything at the price and want you to try a pair. Also WORKING SHIRTS at 50c. Will give you one if you can bring us a better one at the same price regular.

Here are some prices on LADIES SKIRTS for Saturday, May 16th and 23rd:
 Regular \$1.00 black satin skirt for \$2.98
 " 2.00 " " " 1.79
 " 1.50 " " " 1.19
 " 1.25 " " " .98

FLOCK to our store and let us SHOE you out. Our shoes are guaranteed and will give a new pair for anything at \$2 or upwards that does not wear well.

Laing & Janes

THE THUMB RAILROAD.

Meetings Held at Port Huron and Sanilac Centre.

A railroad mass meeting was held at Sanilac Centre on Monday evening to listen to the arguments advanced by W. W. Wixon, of Bay City, and G. R. Lovejoy, of Lenox, the former representing a syndicate of Bay City capitalists, and the latter a promoter of the proposed steam road between Bay City and Port Huron, by way of Lexington, Crosswell, Peck, Sanilac Centre, Cass City (or Caro) to Bay City, to be known as the Port Huron, Sanilac Centre and Bay City railroad. The meeting was a large one and all seemed to be in favor of such an outlet to the east and improved shipping facilities. A committee was appointed to raise \$15,000 and secure the necessary right of way, and every effort will be made to help the project along.

The Merchants' and Manufacturers' association of Port Huron held a meeting on Tuesday evening in the interest of the proposed steam road between Port Huron and Bay City. The promoters of the road desire Port Huron business interests to provide a bonus of \$25,000 and have already planned routes in the city and depot grounds. The depot is proposed to be located on River Street, near the Kern brewery, and connection will be made with the Grand Trunk road at the Jenks shippards. A committee has been appointed and an endeavor will be made to raise the bonus.

Local interest in the proposed railroad east and west through this section, appears to be rapidly on the increase. Shabbona citizens have always been enthusiastic and stand ready to do their part to a man. So many paper railroads have been built that some of our people have looked upon this project with doubt but now that Bay City and Port Huron appear to be working together, we find that our people are becoming rapidly interested and are awaiting developments with no little anxiety. The road is not an assured fact yet, but as far as we can judge of matters, the outlook is more in favor of the road than ever before.

Vocal Culture and Sight Singing.

Mrs. Caroline Fenn-Bigelow wishes to announce she will take a few pupils in either Voice Culture or Sight Singing. Satisfactory recommendations may be procured concerning her success as a director of choruses and quartets, and as a teacher of sight singing classes and vocal culture. Having made an exclusive study of vocal work at Albion College, Mich., the Conservatory of Leavenworth, Kansas, and the Training School for Music Teachers at Detroit, Mich., her pupils are assured a thorough and scientific training.

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Cass City Markets.

Wheat No. 2 white	70
Wheat No. 2 red	68
Wheat No. 3 red	40
Oats No. 3 white	40
Rye	46
Beans, Hand picked	1 00
Peas	1 30
Clover Seed	5 00
Hay, pressed, per ton	10 00
Wool	16 25
Eggs per doz.	13
Butter	13
Hogs, dressed per cwt.	8 00
Beef, dressed	6 00
Sheep, live weight, per lb.	3 1/2
Lamb	4
Chickens	9
Turkeys	10
Ducks and geese	5
Hides	6
Live Hogs	6 00
Potatoes per bush	2 1/2 to 3 1/2

White Lily	4.20 per bu
Blackwheat flour	4.00 " "
Graham Flour	4.00 " "
Laurel	4.40 " "
Best Meal	2.10 cwt
Feed	1.20 "
Meal	1.30 "
Brans	1.00 "
Middlings	1.10 "

EYES ARE ON DENVER.

Two Hundred Michigan Endeavors Will go There in July.

The eyes of every Christian Endeavorer in Michigan are turned on Denver and more than 200 Michigan delegates will attend the international convention of that body to be held there July 9-13. Arrangements for transportation have been made with the Wabash, the Chicago & Northwest and the Union Pacific railways by Dr. George H. Lan, of Detroit, transportation manager for Michigan. A special train will leave Detroit via the Wabash the morning of July 7, arriving in Chicago the same evening and connecting with a through Northwestern special which will arrive in Denver the following day. A special round-trip rate of \$25 from Chicago has been secured, with proportionate rates from points in Michigan. The return limit is August 31. Many western Michigan delegates will go direct to Chicago and will join the party there. Every large city in the state will send several delegates, and many of the smaller societies individual members, while in frequent cases villages or country districts comprising several societies have combined and will send a single delegate. The program for the convention is announced as being the best for any similar convention in years.

To Pickle Growers.

The Williams Bros. Co., who are establishing a salting station here this year, send the following suggestions to the growers in this section:

From half to three-quarters of a pound is sufficient to plant one acre of pickles. The hills should be planted five to six feet each way, so they can be cultivated without trouble. There ought to be about ten seeds in a hill, which would be sufficient, and after they come up, and are beyond the danger of bugs, that is after they are in the third or fourth leaf, they want to be thinned down to three or four plants to the hill. We would not advise the farmers to plant in rows this year, on account of the great shortage in seeds. Planting in rows requires two or three pounds of seed to the acre and will not give any better results. In fact pickles can be handled and picked better by having them in hills. The planting should be done between the 4th and 12th of June.

All persons owing me are requested to call and settle as I wish to close up my business as soon as possible. Accounts may be paid to L. I. Wood & Co., who will give receipt for same.
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Mrs. G. W. Goff,
 Cass City.



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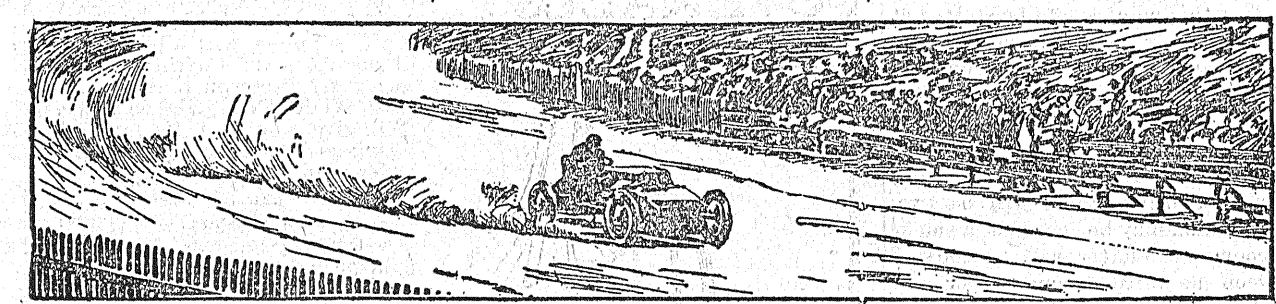
DARING CHAUFFEURS WHO WILL RISK LIVES TO GAIN RENOWN

Alexander Winton, Louis P. Mooers and Percy Owen to Represent America in the Great Automobile Road Race Over Irish Roads on July 2 Next—Their Opponents Experienced Men.

Three intrepid Americans will on July 2 next, over 300 miles of Irish road, match their daring and skill and the strength and swiftness of their road locomotives against the best that Europe can muster in men and machines for the automobile championship of the world.

Against Alexander Winton and Louis P. Mooers, of Cleveland, and Percy Owen, of New York, Germany, France and Great Britain will pit veterans of many a famous road battle. Of the Americans, Winton alone has had ex-

perienced the European racing game and that on only one occasion. Mooers and Owen are familiar only with track racing, a far less perilous form of machine speed contest.



Winton, in His Famous "Bullet," Traveling Over the Cleveland Racetrack at a Rate of 57 Miles an Hour—The Wheels on the Right Side of His Little Car Were Off the Ground as the Machine Sped Around the Curves of the Racecourse and the Daring Driver Balanced It by Shifting His Seat.

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Fighting for the blue ribbon of auto-mobiling on the European teams will be such noted chauffeurs as Henri Fournier, winner of the Paris-Madrid race and holder of the American mile record of 51.45 seconds; Rene de Kuyff, victor of the Paris-Bordeaux contest of 1899, and leader of the first day in the Paris-Vienna contest of last year; S. P. Edge, who captured this year's Gordon-Bennett cup for England last year; Charles Parrott, achiever of a straightaway mile in 46 seconds and Baron de Katers and Herr de Grass, champion drivers of the ponderous German speed cars.

The result of the race will not only determine the champion chauffeur of the world, but will do much to settle the mooted question of national superiority in automobile building.

Broken limbs, bruised bodies and even death have previously marked the course of these great international contests. A mile-a-minute pace on a clear, broad, straightaway road is a rare feat for drivers who have the courage to dare. Shift the race, however, to a narrow and by no means smooth Irish road, with sharp turns to be negotiated every mile or so; remember, too, that the pace most of the way will be close to a mile a minute; that to pass a rival a racer must do so with one wheel in the ditch; that corners must be rounded at full speed, at times with outer wheels in the air, and the danger of traction falling and the luckless driver being dashed into a wall or a tree by the road side, and that at any moment the racing cars may become bunched and wrecked in an awful tangle of men and machinery.

Such are the possibilities of the Irish race and such the perils the daredevil drivers of Europe and America have undertaken to face with out flinching.

Alexander Winton was the first to volunteer to build and drive a machine in the race, and so make an American team possible. He was accordingly chosen by the contest committee as the nucleus of the team. The selection of Mooers and Owen as the other two members followed the recent speed tests in Long Island.

Alexander Winton is designer of the racers to be driven by Owen and himself. A small, wiry, nervous man of forty-three is this champion of American racers and prince among American builders. Born in Scotland, he came to this country twenty years ago. His mechanical cleverness soon placed him in charge of a marine engine shop in this city. Later he took up his residence in Cleveland and became prominent as a bicycle maker. In 1895 he designed and built a vertical gas motor for automobiles.

In 1900 Winton represented the Automobile Club of America in the Gordon Bennett cup race, which that year was run from Paris to Bordeaux. After 125 miles of racing he ripped a tire off in rounding a corner, but con-

tinued for twenty-five miles further on the run before stopping. At Olean, Charron, who was second, led him by an hour, but was forced to lay up two hours for repairs. This would have made Winton second had his wheel been intact and permitted his going further.

Winton is the holder of the world's mile track record of 1.02 1/4, made at Cleveland Sept. 16, 1902, and of all track records up to ten miles in 10.50 as were scored the same day. In a straightaway trial in the Ormond

(Fla.) beach, March 28, 1903, he drove the Winton "bullet" a mile in 52.1-5s., the fastest mile ever made by an American automobile. The same day he scored 10:26.15 for ten miles, including a complete turn.

Louis P. Mooers was born in Massachusetts and is 30 years old. He is the daredevil par excellence of the race. He looks the part, too, with his freckled face, sandy hair and scrappy visage of the Terry McGovern cast. And this same pugnaeous face bears more than one scar, betokening the risks he has taken in driving.

Percy Owen is the Adonis of the team. He has blue eyes, blond hair and a well-cut-up figure of medium height. His manner is snappy, his conversation witty and his style altogether typical of the up-to-date New York boy. Owen was born at Oswego, N. Y., in 1875.

Owen has been racing automobiles

for three years and is the possessor of many trophies won at the Providence, Cleveland and other meets. The proudest feathers in his racing cap, however, are the American mile straightaway record of 1:17.35 for gasoline vehicles from 1,000 to 2,000 pounds, and also the kilometer record of 47 seconds for the same class. Both were scored at Staten Island May 31, 1902. Most of the track records and victories of the famous Winton "pup" were made under his guiding hand.

The Irish race will be largely a contest of drivers. No more capable and courageous ones could be found among American automobilists than have been chosen.

Green Sunset Hues. Lucien Libert of Sainte-Adresse, near the mouth of the Seine, has been observing the sunsets over the sea and has found many instances of the "green ray," as well as apparent deformations of the solar disc, says Pearson's Weekly.

Speech of the Average Man. "The normal man, who strikes an average between indifferent silence and meaningless verbosity, will talk probably one hour, all told, each day, which would allow him 2,400 words.

Enough Said. Lady (to pretty applicant)—"Yes, I want a cook. But why did you leave your last place?" Applicant—"Because the head of the house kissed me, ma'am."

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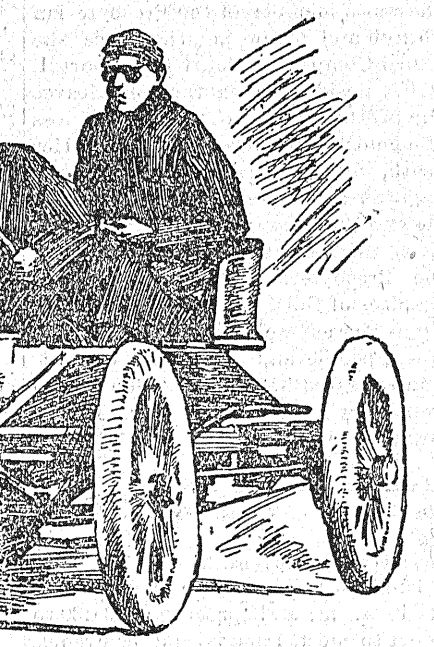
The most curious shapes were seen at the moment the sun appeared to touch the crest of the waves. On one occasion its orb seemed to be sucked into the water and its light flickered like a dying lamp. The last rays of the sun were at times of a beautiful green color. Once the green light lasted 364 seconds.

This effect is now ascribed to the decomposition of the sunlight by vapor acting as a prism. In the order of decomposition appear first the red, then the orange, yellow, green and

blue rays, reflected by particles of dust which float in the atmosphere.

Hunting Polar Bears Is Tame. The animal par excellence, which the hunter, the amateur Arctic traveler and the young explorer hopes and dreams of killing is the polar bear. The reason for this is the magnificent trophy which the great white skin makes. This feeling was no less strong centuries ago than it is now, for we read that one of the early Icelandic sea rovers to Greenland quarreled with and killed his bosom companion because he had claim a large bear instead of leaving that honor to his chief.

With the modern repeating rifle the bear stands no chance against the hunter, no matter under what circumstances they may meet, and if he is hunted in the native way, with the assistance of dogs, there is hardly



Percy Owen, a Blond Adonis of the New York Athletic Club, is in the Race Because He Loves the Thrilling Dangers of a Wild Contest Over Strange Roads.

more excitement than in killing musk-oxen, except for the wild, helter-skelter dash over the ice to overtake the animal after the dogs strike the hot scent—Commander Robert E. Peary, in Leslie's Monthly.

Some Maine Epitaphs. She lived with her husband fifty years and died in the confident hope of a better life. John K. (killed in the battle of Shiloh) was born in the state of New York, where the wicked cease from troubling, and the weary are at rest. Here lies Barnard Lightfoot, who was accidentally killed in the forty-fifth year of his age. The monument was erected by his grateful family.

Know What He Wanted. "Well, Moses," began the Senator as a grinning African was ushered in his presence at Washington, "what brings you here?" "Mars Joe," replied Moses, "I've got 'portant business, sah. I want er office." "You want an office! Why, what can you do?" "Do, Mars Joe? What does everybody do that's got er office? Bless yer heart, Mars Joe, yer don't un'stand ole Mose. I ain't look'n' fo' work, sah; I only want er office."

Cigarettes in France. During last year the cigars and cigarettes smoked in France represented the respectable total of 4,050 tons. It is noticed that the smoking habits of the French people have undergone a great change during the past twenty years. Cigars have steadily declined in popular favor and cigarettes have rapidly advanced.

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SILK DRESSES OF TIN.

Nearly 75 Per Cent of the So-Called Silk Is Tin, Pure and Simple. A Chicago chemist declares that 75 per cent of the so-called silk used for skirts, blouses, and dresses is nothing less than tin, pure and simple.

He asserts that the practice of substituting tin for vegetable weighting substances originated in Germany. The vegetable matters were no detriment, though equal brilliancy of color was not obtainable, and there was not the same sliken and "feel" when handled as that produced by the real silk, which has the rustic so pleasing to ladies' ears. "The practice of the dyer," he explains, "to whose hands the silk yarn is intrusted for dyeing and weighting, is to boil it, and in so doing he reduces every sixteen ounces to twelve, thus eliminating the natural gummy substance and the foreign matter added for the purpose of spinning. The twelve ounces were then brought to fourteen by the use of tannic acid, etc. To-day by the substitution of tin, the twelve ounces are raised to sixteen ounces, or even thirty ounces."

"The proportion of 'weighting' is more than that in black silk," said a manufacturer to whom this statement was submitted. "Frequently only one-fourth of the woven material is real silk; the other three parts are tin and dye."

Any woman can test for herself whether the silk she is buying is tin weighted. Let her hold some threads in a flame, and the genuine will leave an ash resembling that of wool when burned, with no traces of filament, while the tin weighted simply loses its color and tenacity, each thread remaining distinct in a thin wire gauze.

BIBLE WAS AT BUNKER HILL. Mr. Rufus Choate Loans Relic to Ipswich Historical Society. A Bible that was carried at the battle of Bunker Hill has been loaned to the Ipswich Historical society by Mr. Rufus Choate. It was originally owned by Francis Merrifield, who had it in his pocket on the 17th of June, 1775, when he marched to Bunker Hill, in Capt. Nathaniel Wade's company. That night, after returning from the fight, he wrote on the inside of one of the covers, "1775, Cambridge, June 17. A batel fought on bunkers hill, on Saturday, in the afternoon, which lasted an hour and a quarter, two men were wounded and a wonderful deliverance, the number of my gun one hundred eighty-three 183, the Seventh Regiment, 17."

He wrote on the back of the title page of the New Testament: "Cambridge, Jun 17 1775 I desire to Bless God for his kind assistance in delivering me and sparing my Life in the Late batel fought on Bunkers hill. I desire to devote this spared Life to his Glory and honour as witness my hand Francis Merrifield."

Mr. Merrifield was a native of Ipswich, where he was born in 1735. He served in the French and Indian wars and was in the Ticonderoga campaign, and later served all through the war of Independence.

"Unto How Many." Unto how many men each hour Prail little fingers seek to bring Some gentle gift, some flower? That is the soul's best offering! Some happiness which we despise, Some boon we toss aside forever— And only that our selfish eyes May smile one minute on the giver.

How many of us count or treasure The little lives that perish thus? To garner us a moment's pleasure, A moment's space to comfort us? Blind, ever blind, we front the sun And cannot see the angels near us. Forget the tender duties done By willing slaves to help and cheer us. Earth and its fullness, all the fair Creations of this heaven and air, All things that die that we may live, All gifts of service we pass by; And blessings love hath power to give. We scorn, O God, or we deny! —Robert Buchanan.

Accommodating Music. It was at the typical musical comedy. "What are they singing now?" he asked. "You see, I've lost my program." "I haven't a program, either. But, by the character of the music I would judge that it's either that beautiful poetic number, 'Song ditty, No. Use, Yo' Pullman Porter, Yo' Has Ter Mossey Now.' I'm quite sure it's either one from the music.—Baltimore Herald.

Know What He Wanted. "Well, Moses," began the Senator as a grinning African was ushered in his presence at Washington, "what brings you here?" "Mars Joe," replied Moses, "I've got 'portant business, sah. I want er office." "You want an office! Why, what can you do?" "Do, Mars Joe? What does everybody do that's got er office? Bless yer heart, Mars Joe, yer don't un'stand ole Mose. I ain't look'n' fo' work, sah; I only want er office."

Cigarettes in France. During last year the cigars and cigarettes smoked in France represented the respectable total of 4,050 tons. It is noticed that the smoking habits of the French people have undergone a great change during the past twenty years. Cigars have steadily declined in popular favor and cigarettes have rapidly advanced.

Enough Said. Lady (to pretty applicant)—"Yes, I want a cook. But why did you leave your last place?" Applicant—"Because the head of the house kissed me, ma'am."

Lady—"And you objected, eh?" Applicant—"Well—er—his wife did."

Sign Language Among the Animals.

Writer Asserts That Its Use Is Common, and Mentions Several Instances That Have Come Under His Notice—Why Do Ducks Bob Their Heads?

"The sign language, once forming such an extensive part of the human vocabulary, and still used with much profit, is not unknown to lower orders of life," said a man who takes much interest in matters of this sort, "and I have had occasion in my time to observe some rather impressive instances. Some of the signs are understandable. Many of them are plain as the words of human speech, as, for instance, the sapsucker's love call, the rabbit's drumming, the head gesture which accompanies the cluck of the old hen when she is trying to attract the attention of her brood to a bit of food she has uncovered in the soil.

"But there are many mysterious and altogether inexplicable things to be found in this strange realm of signs. Every sign means something. We may be sure of that. It is a part and parcel of speech. It conveys a meaning definite enough to the creature in the particular order of life. But there are so many signs which are not followed by results which throw light on their meaning that the field becomes one for interesting speculative inquiry. What does the duck mean, for instance, when simply bob-

bing the head up and down? It is not confined to one sex. Drakes and hens resort to the same form of speech. I have seen them go through this motion in perfect silence, and when the motion of the head would not be followed by any other activity, or by sound of any sort which would be an explanation.

"They just nod at each other. It may be simply a friendly sort of greeting, a nod of reassurance that 'all is quiet on the Potomac,' and that there is no fox or other dangerous intruder anywhere around. Or it may be a flirtive sort of speech, the duck's way of smiling and goo-gooing. I don't know how this is. I only know that it happens. It may be, of course, that this movement of the head and neck is physically necessary, like the habit of yawning, or the unconscious movement of the limbs of human beings. But ducks yawn and stretch very much after the fashion of the human kind. Still the movement to which I have referred may result from a similar motive. I would like to know. Can any man tell me what a duck means by silently nodding to one or more of his companions?"—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Wealthy Men Who Lived Long.

Old-Time Merchants Reached an Age Which Very Few of Those of the Present Day Attain—Early Habits of Frugality Possibly the Cause of Their Longevity.

Last year saw the death of many old-time New York merchants—John Daniell, Hugh O'Neill, Peter Hoe, Tiffany, Salem H. Wales, Charles Broadway Rous, says the New York Evening World. The mortality continues with the demise of James McCreery and Joseph Parke within a fortnight. As mercantile life goes now, a business man of sixty is not so good an insurance risk as a sea captain and hardly a better one than a soldier, so strenuous is competition, and so vast and varied are the responsibilities of the executive control of large merchandising interests. Too frequently the apoplectic stroke or the nervous collapse prevents the attainment of the three-score at which one of the best periods of life should be the beginning. But is hard work alone responsible for the earlier breakdown?

Most of these old-timers were notable for the fact that they lived on to a green old age—active, robust and hearty old fellows of whom it could be said that they were veterans lagging superfluous on the stage. McCreery, for example, lived to be seventy-eight, Daniell eighty-one, Parke eighty, Hoe eighty-one, Wales seventy-

seven and Tiffany ninety. One is led to wonder whether an inherited sturdiness of physique had most to do with their length of years or whether the main contributing cause should be looked for in their simplicity of life, following the early habit of frugality. They began their business careers in an humble way, as office boys or minor clerks; they worked as hard and as long and with precisely as many worries as assail merchants now busy amassing fortunes. But when prosperity arrived they maintained the even tenor of temperance that safeguards the physical and mental health and conduces to longevity.

No ostentatious expenditure for them, no automobiles in record-breaking races across Jersey, no equine dinners, no search for excitement in its freak forms, but a quiet and dignified existence in the leisured elegance of great wealth.

To enjoy riches rationally and to retain a sound mind in a sound body a score of years after the pleasure-seeking millionaire is dead—is not that to have got something out of life which the sensation-hungry rich man does not realize?

Fat Man and His Trousers.

Tailor's Delay Caused Much Worry and Inconvenience to Unfortunate Traveler—His Generous Build Made "Hand-Me-Downs" Entirely Out of the Question.

William Bolton, editor of the Live Stock Inspector of Woodward, Ok., was at the stock yards yesterday on business. Mr. Bolton admits that he weighs 318 pounds. He looks the part. When he came into the lobby of the exchange building at the stock yards yesterday he was perspiring freely, but smiling.

"Anything new?" he inquired, in answer to a similar query. "Well, I should say there was, but it's not for publication. I consider myself the most fortunate person that will sleep in Kansas City to-night. It's this way, and I hope it will never happen again: "Just before I started for Kansas City on this trip I realized that my best trousers needed mending"—he didn't call them trousers—"so I put on an old pair and sent my best ones down to the tailor. Just before train time I sent down to the shop for them and received word that they weren't ready. Well, I fidgeted around for a few minutes and then finally decided that I'd have to come away without them. My old ones are fairly good, excepting in one place. They are getting thin in the seat, and I've been fearing that something might happen. Perhaps you know how uncomfortable

a feeling one has in such a predicament. But I did not want to miss my train, and so I decided to come along in my old ones. I left word to send my best ones by express. I went to Guthrie first and hoped they would overtake me there. But they didn't. When I reached Wichita I telegraphed to have them forwarded. When I left Wichita for Kansas City I was still wearing the old ones, and I tell you the anxious seat was nothing to be compared to the seat I was sitting on. When I got here the first thing I did was to telegraph to all three points to have my best trousers forwarded to Kansas City by lightning express. They just arrived this morning and I've been happy as a boy ever since. No, nothing happened that I was ashamed of, but I've figured that I spent enough in paying for messages and express charges to buy a new pair."

When asked by a listener why he did not buy a new pair in the first place, Editor Bolton replied: "Couldn't do it. Not even in Kansas City. Why, son, do you know I measure fifty-six inches around the waist? There's not a pair of 'hand-me-downs' in Kansas City big enough to fit me."—Kansas City Journal.

INDIANS HAVE SCALP QUILT.

Grotesque Covering Supposed to Be a Panacea for All Ills. A grotesque heirloom in the shape of a scalp quilt five feet square is owned by the fourscore Iowa Indians that live between Stroud, Okla., and Guthrie.

The quilt is vari-colored, being made of battle trophies cut from gray, red, black and brown haired victims. The Iowas claim that most of the sacred scalps were taken by their ancestors about 150 years ago, and that the scalps were jerked from the heads of peaceful and very good persons. The barbarous scalping was done by special command of the Great Spirit. He told them to collect about seventy scalps from the heads of representatives of the white, negro and red races and from the very best men and women they could lay their scalping knives on.

together and kept concealed from the common herd outside the Iowa tribe. The blood-curdling quilt was to be an infallible talisman, a panacea for all ills—a regular heathen cure-all. The scalp quilt has been guarded and kept with jealous, reverential, and superstitious care for the last 150 years.

In cases of severe sickness, the chief medicine man wraps the quilt around the body of the sufferer and accompanied by the united prayers of the whole tribe often succeeds in curing the afflicted. Only a few white persons or members of other Indian tribes ever saw the scalp quilt. It is brought forth only once every year, and for only one hour is it kept outside of its secret chest.

The scalp quilt is exhibited in the sanctum sanctorum of the medicine man's wigwam at noon of the first day of the annual wild onion feast, which generally takes place during April.

NEW WHEN TO QUIT.

Judge Promptly Saw the Point in Politician's Advice.

One of the most hospitable citizens of Sioux Falls was Judge Fuller of the Supreme Court. He was introduced to the president's attention with the following incident of his career:

The judges made a strong campaign to get the legislature to raise their salaries. The bill met with great opposition. Judge Fuller, who had no small political influence, went up to Pierre to see about it. He was met by one of the leaders of the party.

"How about this thing?" said the judge.

"Judge," said the other politician, gravely, "you better drop this salary business. I tell you as a friend, you don't want it to go through. It is not in your interest."

"Why ain't it?"

"Don't you see, judge," explained the politician, "that if we put the salaries of the judges up to the figure you want, the people will turn around and elect real lawyers to the bench."

The point of the story is that the judge dropped the amendment at once.—New York Sun.

A REMNANT OF OLD NEWGATE.

Where Savage Torture Was Inflicted in Ancient Times. The most notorious part of the whole structure—and which yet remains—was the press yard. Here it was that pain forte et dure was inflicted upon prisoners charged with felony who, with the view of saving their property from confiscation, refused to plead at the bar. This dreadful punishment of being pressed to death was, however, abolished in 1772. A Major Strangways, who was indicted for murder, having refused to plead, was condemned to this savage pain forte et dure. He died in eight minutes, and many of those who witnessed the dreadful sight threw stones at him to hasten his end.

Bear Worshipers in Japan. The queerest and perhaps the oldest people of the earth are the Ainu, the bear idolaters, who are found in the Japanese islands of Kouriles, Sakhalino and chiefly in Yezo or Honnaido. They number not more than 18,000 souls in all and they are fast disappearing. They have the broad nose and the oblique eyes which characterize the Chinese and Asiatic races generally, but there the resemblance ends. The Ainu are a large and powerful people, straight as an arrow. All the Ainu declare they sprang from the Great White Dog—the bear—and a princess of the south. The bear is their chief god.

An Old Lady's Discovery. Garnett, Ark., May 18th.—For 13 years Mrs. Mary Dunlop of this place has suffered with kidney trouble, which was so bad at times that it made her life a burden. She tried much medicine and many treatments, but got no better.

At last, however, Mrs. Dunlop claims to have found a perfect remedy, and she is so pleased at the wonderful cure she herself has received, that she is telling all her friends and praising the medicine to everyone she meets.

The name of this medicine is Dodd's Kidney Pills, and it has done wonderful work for Mrs. Dunlop. Everybody is talking about it, and some people are claiming to have been cured of Rheumatism by it.

A Mrs. Garrett who lives in Brazil, this state, was at the point of death with some Cerebro-Spinal trouble and was saved by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

It is certain that no other medicine ever introduced here has done so much good in such a short time.

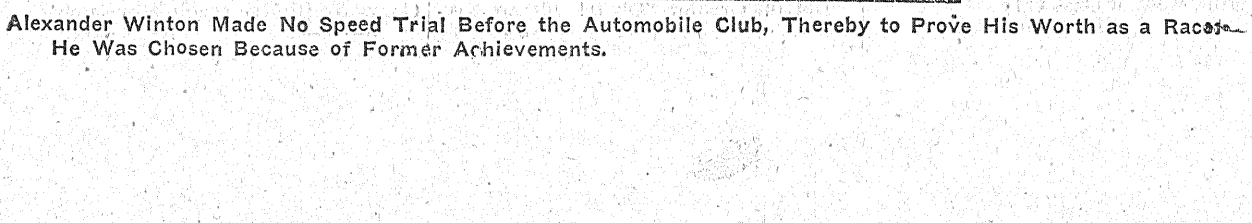
Had Missed Him. When a shot was fired in the wings of an opera-house during the third act of "Carmen" on Zelle de Lussan's opening night in San Francisco a disappointed spectator, who considered Tenney's Don Jose about "the limit," remarked with a sigh of relief, "Thank God." Those about him, who shared his feelings, snickered sympathetically. But their smiles were turned to peals of laughter when Don Jose presently bobbed up serenely, and the talkative wag exclaimed tragically: "Ye gods, her aim was bad. She missed him!"

The Young Critics' Idea. Friends of E. J. Couse, the artist, are laughing over a remark made by some seminary girls who attended an exhibition where his picture, "The Peace Pipe," took the Hallgarten prize. "I like that Couse canvas better than anything I've looked at," said one, "and I want mamma to come and see it." "Which one was that?" her friend inquired. "Oh! That 'Peace-Pipe Dream,' was the reply.

This Will Interest Mothers. Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, Cure Feverishness, Bad Stomach, Teething Disorders, move and regulate the bowels and destroy Worms. Sold by all Druggists, 25c. Sample FREE. Address A. S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Train Inspector Is Killed. Shelton, Conn., special: In a railroad collision here Conductor Dinnan of New Haven in charge of a gravel train was probably fatally hurt and Train Inspector Frank Root of New Haven killed.

GOOD HOUSEKEEPERS Use the best. That's why they buy Red Cross Ball Blue. At leading grocers, 5 cents. If a man who is injured in a railroad wreck fails to recover his heirs will try to. The average man doesn't care what you think of him as long as you don't say it.



Alexander Winton Made No Speed Trial Before the Automobile Club, Thereby to Prove His Worth as a Racer—He Was Chosen Because of Former Achievements.



Mrs. F. Wright, of Oelwein, Iowa, is another one of the million women who have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Overshadowing indeed is the success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—compared with it, all other medicines for women are experiments.

Why has it the greatest record for absolute cures of any female medicine in the world? Why has it lived and thrived and done its glorious work among women for a quarter of a century? Simply because of its sterling worth. The reason that no other medicine has ever reached its success is because there is no other medicine so successful in curing women's ills. Remember these important facts when a druggist tries to sell you something which he says is just as good.

A Young New York Lady Tells of a Wonderful Cure:



"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—My trouble was with the ovaries; I am tall, and the doctor said I grew too fast for my strength. I suffered dreadfully from inflammation and doctored continually, but got no help. I suffered from terrible dragging sensations with the most awful pains low down in the side and pains in the back, and the most agonizing headaches. No one knows what I endured. Often I was sick to the stomach, and every little while I would be too sick to go to work for three or four days; I work in a large store, and I suppose standing on my feet all day made me worse.

"At the suggestion of a friend of my mother's I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it is simply wonderful. I felt better after the first two or three doses; it seemed as though a weight was taken off my shoulders; I continued its use until now I can truthfully say I am entirely cured. Young girls who are always paying doctor's bills without getting any help as I did, ought to take your medicine. It costs so much less, and it is sure to cure them.—Yours truly, ADELAIDE PRAHL, 174 St. Ann's Ave., New York City."

Women should not fail to profit by Miss Adelaide Prahls experiences; just as surely as she was cured of the troubles enumerated in her letter, just so certainly will Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cure others who suffer from womb troubles, inflammation of the ovaries, kidney troubles, nervous excitability, and nervous prostration; remember that it is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that is curing women, and don't allow any druggist to sell you anything else in its place.

If there is anything in your case about which you would like special advice, write freely to Mrs. Pinkham. She can surely help you, for no person in America has such a wide experience in treating female ills as she has had. Address is Lynn, Mass.; her advice is free and always helpful.

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Five gallons for 25 cents.
Charles E. Hires Co., Halvorn, Pa.

The Philosopher Wondered.
An Englishman used to meet the great philosopher Arthur Schopenhauer every morning walking with his ugly poodle along the promenade in Frankfurt-on-the-Main. Schopenhauer's eccentric appearance, deeply immersed in thought, excited the Englishman's curiosity to such an extent that one day he could contain himself no longer, and, walking up to the philosopher, addressed him abruptly thus: "Tell me, sir, who in the name of fate, are you?" "Ah!" Schopenhauer replied, "I only wish I knew that myself."

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Shake into your shoes, Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It makes tight or New Shoes feel Easy. Cures Swollen, Hot, Sweating Feet, Corns and Bunions. At all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

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DOES NOT LIKE TOURISTS.

Missouri Editor Vents His Opinion of Wanderers on Earth's Surface.

Since his recent visit to Havana, Cuba, where he dined with men from every part of the world, Bob White of the Mexico (Mo.) Ledger seems to have taken antipathy to tourists as a class. In a recent issue of his paper he says: "The party was not a large one, either—the world isn't 'roasts' the tourists, and especially the Americans, who are now 'doing' Havana by thousands. 'A regrettable feature of the tourist,' he writes, 'is the absolute lack of consideration found among many of them—their ruthlessness—and disregard for the privacy of homes, sacred edifices, or wherever else their bent takes them. They enter the grand old churches during sacred service, when the congregations are devoutly and silently following the impressive services. They explore all parts of the building, talking in loud tones, crossing and recrossing, sometimes with their hats on, between the kneeling congregation and the altar, snapping their kodaks at whatever objects attract them most.

"With what disgust must the people here regard such demonstrations—what contempt must they feel toward this class. At the present amazing progress of this grossness, hogfishness, we could well say, 'we may soon hear that all the churches in the city have been closed to visitors. Were the Cubans to go to the states and conduct themselves as many Americans do here, it is certain that they would be very summarily dealt with, and they would deserve it, as do that class of Americans to whom so much forbearance is now being shown in Havana."

STATE SECRETS OF AUSTRIA.

They Are Securely Placed in Rooms Made of Iron.

The Austrian imperial archives have been lately conveyed from the Hofburg to the great house built for them adjoining the Foreign Office. They will later on be opened for public inspection, from the most ancient documents down to those of 1840. The rooms containing the secret archives are of ironwork, each story being completely separated from the next one, so that neither fire nor water can penetrate. These ironwork buildings are of water is fixed in every direction, the windows can neither be melted by fire nor destroyed by blows, and the ornamental ironwork before each window can be unlocked in case of emergency.

It is remembered when Napoleon Bonaparte invaded Austria and established himself at Schonbrunn, with what terrible haste the secret archives were carried off to Budapest, to the Ofen stronghold, these being the first things secured when all else was left. Among the iron cases stands a plain brown wooden box, which will not be opened for fifty years.

It contains the letters and papers of the late Crown Prince Rudolph, hurriedly collected at Mayerling on the day of the disaster, and placed in a box bought in the adjoining village.—London Telegraph.

Across the Street.
Across the street the bright lights flashed and gleamed, and fortune's favored ones were gathered there. The merry music of the dance streamed upon the air.

Across the street—it seemed so far away, That joyous world, from my unhappy sphere. Made up of toil, day after day, And year by year.

I turned from my window with a sigh, "Thou mak'st life's differences, O God, so wide." I could not conquer that ungrateful cry, 'Thou' hard I tried.

Across the street, next night, across the street, Death's grim insignia from the door was hung. I heard the passers by, low voiced, repeat, "So fair, so young."

Across the street—ah, surely 'twas not so, That they were mourning who last night were gay, That yonder mansion was a 'house of woe,' Where death held sway?

Across the street, beside a single light, A cheerless company a sad watch kept. And she, the homaged one of yesternight, Forever slept.

Mark Twain Was Too Smart.
"Once, when I was a Mississippi pilot," said Mark Twain, "I got out of work and had to hustle for a job. I talked to a number of captains, but none of them wanted a pilot. Finally, I met a man who said there was a vacancy on his boat that I might fill if I could qualify. He asked me about my habits, my religion, my birth, my schooling and so on. Then he said: 'Now, for the main thing: Do you know where the snags in the river are?'"

"No, captain, I said, 'I don't.'"

"He swore, 'Wants to be a pilot,' he muttered, 'and don't know where the snags are.'"

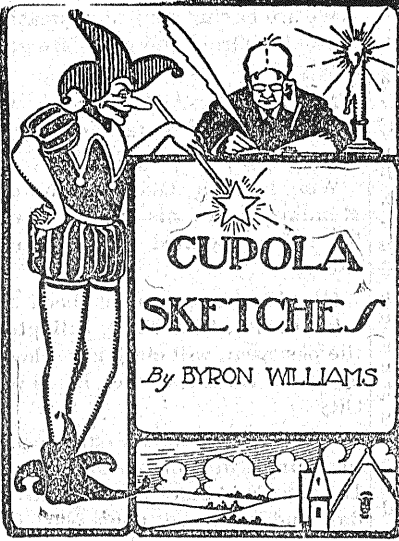
"I know where they're not," said I. But my smartness cost me the job."

Good Selection.
They halted before the opium smoker's couch.

"What is he mumbling about?" asked the wealthy gentleman in the slumming party.

"Oh, the drug is getting in its work. He is talking about red devils, purple witches and blueimps."

That so? Well, I'll just get him to select a name for my new racing automobile."



An exchange admonishes woman to weep in memory of the man who invented the tissue paper dress pattern. He is dead; yet will his work live after him. Several hundred years ago some individual whose name Fate has since frowned upon invented a basque pattern. To this very day, in the rural districts, may be seen its likeness on feminine busts. What manner of forgetfulness, then, shall cause our minds to wander from the man who originated the "complete tissue pattern in the latest style for 10 cents?" Between the two patterns there is a social chasm as bottomless as a Dante could conceive, and yet the parallel of constancy to each may be appropriately drawn. The tissue pattern develops furbelows and flounces wonderful even to the costumer's art. Its product is seen on the fashionable boulevard as frequently as the basque-pattern's polka-dot vies in pastoral hamlets where Mirandy wears a calico sun-bonnet, and little Willie's sweater is a grain sack with holes for the neck and arms.

In their strata of life each is invaluable. Without them are dressmakers' bills that mesmerize the bank account, put crimps in papa's whiskers and scare the romantic Montgomerys from the lamp of matrimony, lest they perish like pillars of salt in a cow-lick, sacrifices on the altar of love.

The provident wife will never hesitate. She will use one or the other, and, incidentally, will not forget, figuratively, to drop a flower on the tomb of the man who invented the old basque pattern, or his more recent brother, the genus homo who conceived the tissue diagram.

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Ambition is a whip; contentment, a beautiful aromatic flower that never fades. Often lives are ruined by a desire to be great. Cultivate in your boy or girl a desire to aspire to lofty things, but teach also that contentment is greater even than success, for success without contentment is dress. Inculcate in the youth the love of country. Take from his eyes the film of tinsel that makes city life attractive. The young man who has forty acres of good farm land is better off than the city resident with a clerkship or a \$3,000 salaried position in the city. About the latter is temptation, smoke, fifty suffering, lewdness and the hundred and one things that we regret in the cities. On the farm is health and pure air, clean associations, elevating influences. It is not all sentiment that pictures the cottage in the foreground of a good acreage. There is more to the flowers, the interdependency, the gurgling brook, the singing birds, the neighborly sympathies, the shelter from the inclemencies of life, than those who scoff, feign to believe. Be not deceived by the glitter and the candelabra of the metropolis. The age has not yet come, and undoubtedly never will, when life in the city can outbalance for pure enjoyment and satisfied living the life in the country. Ennui enters the palace on the hilltop, just as it does the log cabin in the vale, and the Texan cattle have long been noted for their attenuated horns.

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Along about now every spring the deadly toadstool gets in its work. Wandering in the gladsome woods with no fool-killer near, the buoyant and mistaken ramblers gobble the poisonous fungus and feeds it into his compass. Later it is pumped out via a stomach pump with a vigorous doctor at the handle. It may be excavated in time to save life or it may not. The chances are altogether uncertain, hence if you are fond of the woods and love mushrooms, it would be as well conditionally to surrender your worldly goods to the kind friends to whom you feel charitably inclined, before entering the forest. A little preparation often saves great attorney's fees.

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An Illinois paper advertises that mothers can check their babies "during the parade at the nursery department of Blank's drug store." A parade in the nursery department of a drug store must be an interesting sight, but we suppose the people who have babies and drug stores know what they are about.

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A Texas paper advertises a "full-blood Durham cow giving ten quart of milk, a riding plow, three tons of straw and a lot of household furniture." Send us that cow, we will strait the output and sell to the second-hand man.

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Why not let those who prefer to "expectorate," spit, and those who prefer to "spit," let them expectorate? If they do both, wear your mackintosh! This is a free country and umbrellas are common property.

DEATH WAS NOT SURPRISING.

Britisher Realized Fall Was Sufficient to Kill Any One.

Charles Francis Adams, who was escorting a British friend to view the different objects of attraction in the vicinity of Boston, brought him to Bunker Hill. They stood looking at the splendid monument, when Mr. Adams remarked: "This is the place, sir, where Warren fell." "Ah!" replied the Englishman, evidently not posted upon local historical matters, "did it hurt him much?"

Mr. Adams looked at his friend. "Hurt him," said he, "he was killed, sir."

"Ah! he was, eh?" said the Englishman, still eying the monument and commencing to compute its height in his own mind. "Well, I should think he would have been to fall so far,"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Rising American Oarsman.

A young man with the poetic name of Fernand Demorelle, son of a former police commissioner of New Orleans, will be the representative of the Young Men's Gymnastic club of that city to compete in the trying out of the American oarsmen on Harlem river, New York, on the occasion of the Harlem regatta. If he succeeds in passing he will be one of the competitors for the diamond sculls to be awarded at the Royal Henley regatta in England. Mr. Demorelle has made an enviable reputation at the Crescent city as an oarsman.

With Christ in the vessel I smile at the storm.—John Newton.

A Beautiful Young Society Woman's Letter.
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521 Washburn St.
Dr. Hartman, Columbus, O.
Dear Sir:
"I took Peruna last summer when I was all run down, and had a headache and backache, and no ambition for anything. I now feel as well as I ever did in all my life, and all thanks is due to your excellent Peruna."
—Bess F. Healy.
The symptoms of summer catarrh are quite unlike in different cases, but the most common ones are general lassitude, played-out, tired-out, used-up, run-down feelings, combined with more or less heavy, stupid, listless, mental condition. Relish for food and the ability to digest food seems to be lost.
Skin eruptions, sallow complexion, biliousness, coated tongue, faint, irregular sleep, help to complete the picture which is so common at this season.
Peruna so exactly meets all these conditions that the demand is so great for this remedy at this season of the year that it is nearly impossible to supply it.
If you do not receive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.
Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

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LOUISVILLE, KY.—Every one who uses Doan's Kidney Pills free trial has a good word to say for them—that's why they are most prominent in the public eye.
Aching backs are eased. Hip, back, and loin pains overcome. Swelling of the arms and legs vanishes. They correct urine with brick-dust sediment, high colored, excessive, pain in passing, dribbling, frequency, bed wetting, relieved of all pains, Doan's Kidney Pills dissolve and remove trouble since. Prior calculi and gravel. Relieve heart palpitation, sleeplessness, headache, nervousness.

CHICAGO, ILL.—When I received the sample of Doan's Kidney Pills I was suffering terribly with my back was sick and unfit to do anything. The several remedies I had used, though highly recommended, did no good, but rather irritated the trouble and made me worse. Before I had used up the sample I was feeling so much better that I got more from the drug store. I could not sleep at night. Had to get up six or eight times, and the urine was so red, would almost choke it was part blood—there was thick sand, like brick-dust sediment. I cannot tell one-half that I suffered, nor how good I feel now that I am cured by Doan's Kidney Pills; but here I am, sixty-six years old, able to do my own work, feeling well as I did twenty years ago, for which I thank Doan's Kidney Pills ten thousand times.—Mr. E. T. GOULD, 914 W. Lake Street. Doan's Pills cure when others fail.

FREE—HOPE FOR THE HOPELESS.
Doan's Kidney Pills.
A SPECIFIC CURE.
ABERDEEN, WASH.—I had a bad pain in my back; I could hardly walk or sit down. I could not write for sample, but got a fifty-cent box of Doan's Kidney Pills, and they have made me all right. No other medicine did me any good. Send me a box of Doan's Kidney Pills, 408, 85 1st St., East.
Please send me by mail, without charge, trial box Doan's Kidney Pills.
Name _____
Post-office _____
State _____
(State on dotted lines and mail to Foster-Silburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.)
Medical Advice Free—Strictly Confidential.

Kidnaper and Boy Found.
Lawrenceville, Ill., dispatch: Archie Davies, the 13-year-old son of O. L. Davies of Kansas City, and a tramp who had kidnaped him were found in the railroad yards here by Sheriff Peter J. Carr.

HOUSEWIVES HEADACHES

You don't know why you suffer from headache and you are apt to believe you have some dire female trouble, but its dollars to doughnuts that you are wrong. Women are prone to put off the duties of Nature to attend to the duties of the home and when they do get time to go, the feeling has passed. Constipation results and then the awful racking headache. Take a spoonful of **Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin** every night before going to bed. Keep it up for a few weeks. A. E. Klop, of Troy, Ohio, miller at Herber's Distillery, writes under date of June 10, 1901: "My wife and self suffered off and on for three or four years with Constipation and Sick Headache, and we received almost instant relief by taking Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. The use of several bottles restored our digestive organs to normal condition, and although we are free from any gastric trouble, we do not consider being without a bottle for a minute."
Your Money Back If It Don't Benefit You
PEPSIN SYRUP CO., Monticello, Ill.

FREE TO WOMEN!
No more of that cleansing power of Paxtine Toilet Antiseptic we will mail a large trial package with book of instructions absolutely free. This is not a tiny sample, but a large package, enough to convince anyone of its value. Women all over the country are praising Paxtine for what it has done in local treatment of female ills, curing all inflammation and discharges, wonderful as a cleansing vaginal douche, for sore throat, nasal catarrh, as a mouth wash and to remove tartar and whitening the teeth. Send today; a postal card will do.
Sold by druggists or sent postpaid by us, 50 cents. Large box, Satisfaction guaranteed.
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WESTERN CANADA HAS FREE HOMES FOR MILLIONS.
Wonderful yields of wheat and other grains. The best grazing lands on the continent. Magnificent climate: plenty of water and fuel; good schools, excellent churches; splendid railway facilities.
HOMESTEAD LANDS OF 160 ACRES FREE.
The only charge for which is \$10 for entry. Send to the following for an Atlas and other literature, as well as for certificate giving you reduced railway rates, etc.: Superintendent of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to M. V. McInnes, No. 2 Avenue Theatre Block, Detroit, Mich. Write to both. See also the authorized Canadian Government Agents.

DO YOU COUGH?
DON DELAY
KEMP'S BALSAM
Best Cough Cure
It Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stages, and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Large bottles 25 cents and 50 cents.
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Promptly cures all
Headaches

MORPHINE
and all forms of drug habit permanently cured in three days without pain. Craving allayed instantly. THE ONLY TREATMENT EVER PUBLICLY DEMONSTRATED ON TEST CASES.
No relapses. All money back if we fail to cure. Communications confidential. Write for Booklet or call, **THREE DAY SANITARIUM, 1147 Third Avenue, Detroit, Mich.**
If afflicted with sore eyes, use **Thompson's Eye Water**
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Cass City Enterprise.

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Advertisements.
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6-20-01

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I. A. FRITZ, DENTIST. Office over Fritz's Drug Store. Assisted by J. M. P. L. Fritz, D. D. S., graduate of University of Michigan.

P. A. SCHENCK, D. D. S.
DENTIST—Graduate of University of Michigan. Office in new Fritz block, Cass City, Mich.
19-31-01.

Societies.
I. O. F.
COURT ELKLAND, No. 826, I. O. F., meets on 1/2 second and fourth Tuesdays in their hall in the Campbell block at 7:30 p. m. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.
JAS. M. ALLEN, C. R.
A. A. P. McDowell Rec. Sec. 3-11-97

I. O. O. F.
CASS CITY LODGE, No. 233, meets 1/2 second and fourth Tuesdays in their hall at 7:30 p. m. Visiting brethren cordially invited.
A. D. GILLIES, Secretary. W. FALLIS, N. G.

K. O. T. M.
CASS CITY TENT, No. 74, meets the first and third Friday evenings of each month, at 7:30 p. m. Visiting Knights cordially invited.
A. A. P. McDowell, Commander.
A. D. GILLIES, Record Keeper.

Elkland Arbor, No. 31, A. O. O. G.
meets the second and fourth Thursdays of each month, in Forester Hall. Visiting companions always welcome.
A. E. BOULTON, C. G.
JAS. BEAGH, Sec.-Treas. 1-29-03.

Church Directory.
BAPTIST—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on Sunday. Sunday school at 12 m. Young people's meeting Monday evening. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening.
REV. R. WEAVER, Pastor.

**EVANGELICAL—Services begin with Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching services 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. X. P. A. meeting at 8 p. m. English services every Sunday evening. All are invited.
REV. L. V. SOLDAN, Pastor.**

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday. Class meetings follow morning services. Sunday school at 12 m. Junior League at 3:30 p. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Prayer-meeting at 7:30 on Thursday evening.
REV. S. W. GIFFORD, Pastor.**

**DRSBYTERIAN—Sunday preaching services, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Y. F. S. C. E. at 6:50 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30.
REV. S. F. JACKSON, Pastor.**

Cass City Woolen Mills
Having been refitted with
New Card Clothing
of the very best quality is now more than ever better prepared to do all kinds of
Custom Work
such as
Carding into Rolls, Spinning Yarn, (single or double) and Twist
Will also have large stock of WOOLEN GOODS to trade for wool or wood. Will pay cash for wool. Carpet weaving done.
B. P. Rock, W. P. Rocks, B. Minoras and R. C. B. Leghorns Eggs for Hatching. \$1 a Setting
A call solicited.
James N. Dorman

For Sale!
125 acres of land in Novesta; 30 acres cleared; house, stable and young orchard. Will sell very cheap as I intend going in other business.
10-23
J. H. DAVIS
5-1-1f Box 86, Cass City.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers
The famous little pills.

BONE FOOD

Soft and crooked bones mean bad feeding. Call the disease rickets if you want to. The growing child must eat the right food for growth. Bones must have bone food, blood must have blood food and so on through the list.

Scott's Emulsion is the right treatment for soft bones in children. Little doses every day give the stiffness and shape that healthy bones should have.

Bow legs become straighter, loose joints grow stronger and firmness comes to the soft heads.

Wrong food caused the trouble. Right food will cure it. In thousands of cases Scott's Emulsion has proven to be the right food for soft bones in childhood.

Send for free sample.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists,
409-415 Pearl Street, New York.
See and \$1.00; all druggists.

Deford.

The infant son of E. Lewis died last Friday.

Old Mrs. Sole, mother of Jesse Sole, is very sick.

Kindred from Bay City and Dryden are here to see Grandma Sole.

Howard Retherford's little daughter, Vera, suffers with an injured foot.

Since our last letter Chas. Cook and Alvey Palmateer have both raised new barns.

Mrs. Chadwick, mother of Mrs. Elmer Bruce and sister of Jobe Hartwick, died Sunday morning.

It would appear that Dr. Footo, of Novesta, is about to leave us. His many friends will be sorry to see him go.

From a Cat Scratch
on the arm, the worst sort of a burn, sore or boil, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is a quick cure. In buying Witch Hazel Salve, be particular to get DeWitt's—this is the salve that heals without leaving a scar. A specific for blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. Sold at Bond's, Cass City.

Watrousville.
Mrs. F. M. Sheppard and son, F. I., have returned from Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexandria, of Denmark, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Laws, last Sunday.

Mrs. S. Windrem and daughter, Edwina, have been spending the week with her sister, Mrs. F. M. Sheppard.

Rev. Mrs. S. Windrem, of Unionville, will preach in the Allen school house Sunday afternoon, May 24th, at 3:00 o'clock.

There will be an ice cream social in the Allen school house Friday evening, May 22nd, for the benefit of the new library.

Mrs. L. A. House gave a party in honor of Miss Louks, it being her 21st birthday. A pleasant evening was spent by all present.

Doesn't Respect Old Age.
It's shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the contrary in the case of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They out of maladies no matter how severe and irrespective of old age. Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Fever, Constipation all yield to this perfect Pill, 25c, at T. H. Fritz's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Freiburgers.
A. Hunt was in Argyle Saturday.

Rob McRae did business in Tyre Saturday.

Jontie Hunt did business in Argyle Saturday.

Sam Pratt, of Cumbar, was a caller in town Tuesday.

Russell Graham made a flying trip to Cumbar Saturday.

F. W. Rehill called on friends in Forestville Sunday.

Mrs. Biglow, of Wickware, visited friends in town Sunday.

Frank Meredith, of North Branch, did business in town Monday.

Leslie and Olive Brown, of Cumbar, visited relatives in town Sunday.

Ben Ellber and Miss Lottie Madill, of Uby, visited at Rev. Thos. Pollard's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heatt, of Sanilac Centre, visited relatives in town a few days last week.

Rev. Thos. Pollard and grand-daughter, Irene, visited friends in Gageton a few days last week.

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TAR AND FEATHERS.

How It Feels to Wear a Coat of This Fearful Mixture.

People who read of tarring and feathering know that the punishment is a very unpleasant one, but few imagine how terribly painful and dangerous it is. In Wyoming I once saw a man who had been tarred and feathered, and although he fully deserved the discipline, I could not help pitying him. Hardened tar is very hard to remove from the skin, and when feathers are added it forms a kind of cement that sticks closer than a brother. As soon as the tar sets the victim's suffering begins. It contracts as it cools, and every one of the little veins on the body is pulled, causing the most exquisite agony. The perspiration is entirely stopped, and unless the tar is removed death is certain to ensue.

But the removal is no easy task and requires several days. The tar cannot be softened by the application of heat and must be peeled off bit by bit, a sweet oil being used to make the process less painful. The irritation to the skin is very great, as the hairs cannot be disengaged, but must be pulled out or cut off. No man can be cleaned of tar in a single day, as the pain of the operation would be too excruciating for endurance, and until this is done he has to suffer from a pain like that of ten thousand pin pricks. Numbers of men have died under the torture, and none who have gone through it regard tar and feathering as anything but a most fearful infliction.—Exchange.

Lifting by Magnets.
The most important employment of the magnet in the mechanical industries is in lifting and handling such masses of metal as ship plates, boiler plates and parts of machines which it would otherwise be difficult to get hold of. It effects an average economy in time and cost of handling, stacking, loading and unloading of from 50 to 75 per cent.

To meet the possible danger that from any cause the current from the dynamo might be cut off, causing the magnet to drop its load, it is usual in well appointed plants to install a storage battery, which effectually guards against such accident. In handling billets and material of convenient shape a number of pieces may be picked up at one time. The same is true of thin plates.

The type of magnets used in most American works has a lifting capacity of five tons. It makes a stranger nervous to see them at work, and he generally does not need to be reminded that one might be cut off, causing the magnet to drop its load, it is usual in well appointed plants to install a storage battery, which effectually guards against such accident. In handling billets and material of convenient shape a number of pieces may be picked up at one time. The same is true of thin plates.

Indian Homes.
The young Indian wife of today is clean, a fairly good cook and tidy with her house, says an exchange. She is not yet well versed in the art of decoration, and red and green are predominant colors in all of her rooms, whether in harmony or not. The house has good furniture, but it is strangely arranged. The lounge is a favorite piece of furniture, and one sees it in every Indian household, always in the parlor. If the Indians have a piano or organ, it goes into the bedroom. The young buck's best saddle also goes into the parlor, and in many houses it is hung upon the wall. Red ribbons are tied to everything, even the tail of the cat, for no Indian household is complete without a cat and a dog.

An Innocent Author.
Some new authors arrive with such a hilarious confidence, such a blithe innocence, that it is always interesting to hear about them. One has just sent to a well known London publisher a letter something like this:

"I am told that it is usual on the eve of the appearance of a book to entertain all the London reviewers to a dinner. Will you kindly tell me what this would cost, where the dinner should be held and who, in your opinion, should be invited? Of course the thing ought to be done handsomely!"

It is amusing and true.—London Chronicle.

A Mischievous Schoolgirl.
Commodore P. Vedder, while a young man, teaching school, had occasion to punish a mischievous girl, and, as was usual in that day and locality, was about to resort to the ferule. To the offending maid he said, "Miss —, give me your hand." She dropped her head and blushed. Again he said sternly, "Miss —, I say, give me your hand."

Slowly lifting her eyes, she remarked: "Mr. Vedder, this is embarrassing for me. You should not make such proposals in public. However, you must ask my papa first."

Able to Answer.
Uncle—What are you crying for, Georgie?
Georgie—Teacher caned me because I was the only one—boo-hoo—able to answer a question today.

Uncle (indignantly)—This is scandalous, my poor boy! What was the question?
Georgie (between sobs)—Who put the bent pin in the teacher's chair?—Tit-Bits.

Unneighborly.
"Here is a department store advertising that it will put initials on umbrellas free of charge."
"That is what I call an act destructive of all neighborhood feeling. Think how you would feel going around with an umbrella with somebody else's name on it!"—Washington Times.

Took One Chance.
"Does he ever gamble?"
"Well, he married!"—Chicago Post.

Ellington.

We are having very nice weather at present. Grain and grass are growing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fisher visited with Mrs. Fisher's father and family last Sunday.

Wm. Landon had a stumping bee Monday to get his stamps piled that he has had pulled so he can burn them.

Miss Ida Ross, who has been teaching school in Dist. No. 1, Ellington, for the past year, will close her school Friday and return to her home in Cass City.

Bert Strickland, who has been pulling stumps with his machine for Wm. Landon for sometime, finished Monday and returned home east of Cass City Tuesday.

Disastrous Wrecks.

Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from Throat and Lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Cragg, of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all Throat and Lung diseases by T. H. Fritz, Druggist, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Pigeon.
G. S. Farrar, of Pt. Austin, was in town the last of last week.

W. A. Scriber has treated the front of his furniture store to a fresh coat of paint.

John Knaggs is building a ten cent feed barn, which will be a great convenience to farmers.

Geo. Loosemore is building a cottage on the Gould addition, and will move thereto from Caseville as soon as it is completed.

The work of grading the streets and putting in new sewers has been begun under the management of Commissioner A. A. Pruner.

A. Hershberg & Son are putting a large stock of furniture in the Richmond building just west of the K. O. T. M. hall and will soon be ready to supply any needs in that line.

In almost every neighborhood someone has died from an attack of cholera morbus, often before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned. A reliable remedy for these diseases should be kept at hand. The risk is too great for anyone to take. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has undoubtedly saved the lives of more people and relieved more pain and suffering than any other medicine in use. It can always be depended upon. For sale at Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Canboro.
Tom Parker visited his parental home Sunday.

Tom Jarvis was an Owendale caller Sunday evening.

A. Libkuman was a caller in Owendale one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Forchee were Cass City callers one day last week.

Berlette Webster and Wallace Stoddard are busy shearing sheep now-a-days.

Archie Halleck, of West Grant, was a guest of Miss Anna Jarvis Sunday evening.

John Parker and Miss Gertie Webster attended church in Poppel Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kinetz and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mellendorf and son attended church at Elkton Sunday forenoon.

Children's Day exercises will be held in the Canboro Church Sunday evening, June 14th, beginning at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend as a good program is being prepared by the committee.

The Michigan Peat Co. is securing options in Bay, Tuscola, Huron, Genesee and Mason counties on bog lands which will produce material from which merchantable peat can be manufactured. It has already secured an acreage in Bay county as to make it possible for the erection of a plant at or near Quanicasse. The capacity of the plant when erected will be about 90 tons a day.—Saginaw News.

A CARD.
We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tur if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. T. H. Fritz, A. Bond.

Bert Clark, the operator at the station here, was very painfully hurt last Friday evening. It seems as he was taking his cow into the barn she became frightened at something and started to run. She ran around one side of a tree and as Mr. Clark's hand had become entangled in the rope it drew his hand up against the tree in such a manner as to split it between the first and second fingers, a distance of nearly an inch. It being his left hand Mr. Clark has been able to attend to his duties at the station as usual, notwithstanding he has a very sore hand.—Millington Gazette.

A Runaway Bicycle.
Terminated with an ugly out on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. It developed a stubborn ulcer unyielding to doctors and remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured. It's just as good for Burns, Scalds, Skin Eruptions and Piles. 25c at T. H. Fritz's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

How foolish for a town made youth to turn up his dainty nose at a country boy because the latter's hands are rough, his neck and face brown and his clothes coarse. We have noticed that the hand spanked, bare-footed, hard-fisted country boy makes a much better fighter in the battle of life than the pampered, high colored and crease-trousered youth of our cities, whose clothes have always been dusted with a whisk broom instead of a shingle. Let the town man out of a job try a year on the farm. Plowing behind a mule will take the kinks out of his topknot, the frog out of his throat, the gas off his stomach, the weakness out of his legs, and will give him an appetite, an honest living, and a sight of heaven.—Lexington News.

The Wastes of the Body.
Every seven days the blood, muscles and bones of a man of average size loses two pounds of worn-out tissue. This waste cannot be replenished and the health and strength kept up without perfect digestion. When the stomach and digestive organs fail to perform their functions, the strength lets down, health gives way, and disease sets up. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure enables the stomach and digestive organs to digest and assimilate all of the wholesome food that may be eaten into the kind of blood that rebuilds the tissues and protects the health and strength of the mind and body. Kodol cures Indigestion, Dyspepsia and all stomach troubles. It is an ideal spring tonic. Sold at Bond's, Cass City.

Two weeks ago we gave an account of the mysterious case of Silas Burr, a Vassar citizen who came to his death in Clare county while there to complete a sale of some property to one Dr. Worden. Foul play was suspected and Dr. Worden was looked up pending the result of an inquest and an analysis of the stomach of the dead man. The report on the latter was received from Ann Arbor last week, but after a short session the inquest adjourned without giving out any facts to the public or press. Strong hints have, however, been thrown out in Vassar that the evidence is now very complete and that it will look dark for Worden at the examination which will soon be held in Clare county. It has been discovered that Worden's past history is somewhat shady. Seven years ago he was sent to Isabella county for bigamy. He was afterward pardoned by Gov. Pingree.—Tuscola County Courier.

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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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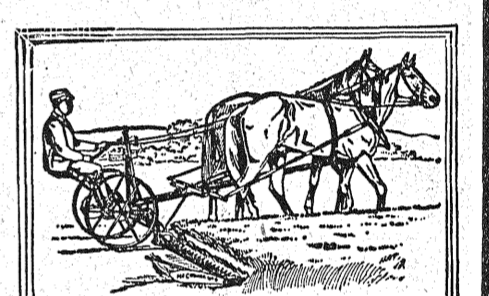
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Weak Hearts

Are due to indigestion. Ninety-nine of every one hundred people who have heart trouble can remember when it was simple indigestion. It is a scientific fact that all cases of heart disease, not organic, are not only traceable to, but are the direct result of indigestion. All food taken into the stomach which fails of perfect digestion ferments and swells the stomach, puffing it up against the heart. This interferes with the action of the heart, and in the course of time that delicate but vital organ becomes diseased. Mr. D. Kauble, of Nevada, O., says: "I had stomach trouble and was in a bad state as I had heart trouble with it. I took Kodol Dyspepsia Cure for about four months and it cured me."

Kodol Digests What You Eat
and relieves the stomach of all nervous strain and the heart of all pressure. Bottles only, \$1.00. Size holding 2 1/2 times the trial size, which sells for 50c. Prepared by E. O. DeWITT & CO., CHICAGO, ILL. A. Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

THOROUGHbred REG. SHORTHORNS
FOR SALE.
Both sexes. Some heifers now in calf. Write or call.
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One Minute Cough Cure
For Coughs, Colds and Croup.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve
For Piles, Burns, Sores.

Jim Dumps gazed out on sidewalks hot
And looked in vain for one cool spot.
And vowed he ne'er again would eat
A lunch of heat-producing meat.
Once more has "Force" restored his vim,
Although 'tis hot, he's "Sunny Jim."

"Force"
The Ready-to-Serve Cereal
makes comfort possible on a sweltering day.

Helps Him to Keep Cool.
"Force" is a blessing to hot humanity. I find since eating it—and I want it every morning—this I am able to go through a hot day with much more comfort than when I used to eat hearty meat breakfasts. It has taught me how to live.
"R. B. CLAYBORN."

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"I suffered terribly for 12 years. The doctors said my blood was all turning to water. At last I tried Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and was soon feeling all right again."—Mrs. J. W. Fiala, Hadlyme, Ct.

No matter how long you have been ill, nor how poorly you may be today, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the best medicine you can take for purifying and enriching the blood. Don't doubt it; put your whole trust in it.

Recovery will never be complete if the liver is inactive. Ayer's Pills are liver pills. Purely vegetable.

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Novesta

Mrs. A. J. Mills has gone to visit relatives at Brown City.

Drs. Howell and Foote were in Cass City on Monday on business.

Dr. Foote has sold his outfit and practice to Dr. Howell, of Ontario. Dr. Howell has been practicing for a number of years out in Dakota and British Columbia. He also practiced three years at Fairgrove prior to going out there.

The X-Rays.

Recent experiments, by practical tests and examination with the aid of the X-Rays, establish it as a fact that Catarrh of the Stomach is not a disease of itself, but that it results from repeated attacks of indigestion. "How Can I Cure My Indigestion?" Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is curing thousands. It will cure you of indigestion and dyspepsia, and prevent or cure Catarrh of the Stomach. Kodol digests what you eat—makes the stomach sweet. Sold at Bond's, Cass City.

Wilmot.

Frank Maply and Mrs. Will Harbin are on the sick list.

Mrs. S. Somers and daughter, Pearl, were at Wilmot Sunday.

Mrs. Dennis Maule is quite ill with pneumonia at this writing.

March Leckwood lost his best horse Sunday. Death caused by the horse getting into the wheat bin and eating too fully.

The proprietor of the Pontiac Milling Company, who has bought the grist mill at this place, was looking over his property here last Saturday.

Mr. Coaa was kicked on the leg one day over a week ago with his horse. He is able to be out again. Since then his horse has taken sick and died.

The Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Jane Green Wednesday for dinner. Mrs. Green will furnish dinner and the ladies will sow carpet rags for her.

Mrs. M. Tripp, of Battle Creek, and sister, Mrs. M. Cooley, of Inlay City, visited their uncle, N. Hart, and other relatives at this place last week, returning to their home Saturday.

Several in this vicinity are trying the Kimball organs with a view to purchasing, the agent from Caro having placed one in the homes of E. Hart, T. Maply and M. Sole.

H. Chapin, wife and children have returned from Antrim county, where they moved last fall. Mr. Chapman's health being poor while he was away, they returned much sooner than they expected. They will move into Ben Graves' house for the present.

GREATLY ALARMED

By a Persistent Cough, but Permanently Cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Mr. H. P. Burbage, a student at law, in Greenville, S. C., had been troubled for four or five years with a continuous cough which he says, "greatly alarmed me, causing me to fear that I was in the first stage of consumption." Mr. Burbage, having seen Chamberlain's Cough Remedy advertised, concluded to try it. Now read what he says of it: "I soon felt a remarkable change and after using two bottles of the twenty-five cent size, was permanently cured." Sold at Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; A. F. Francis, Kingston.

Mrs. George Greenwood, living about four miles northwest of Yale made a horrible mistake Friday morning by using carbolic acid instead of an eye wash for her 8 year-old child. It is not known yet whether the child's sight has been destroyed or not.

Prices For the Fancy.

Who says the poultry fancy is on the down grade when we can read of the trading that was done at Kendall, one of the best of the northern shows across the water? In barred Rocks Mr. Slater's dairy purchase that cost him \$200 had to go to second place. The other two hundred dollar purchase, a pullet, held her place, and to add to the excitement the second prize pullet was claimed at her catalogue price of \$250. The stir kept up in Game Bantams, where there were specials worth \$125 each to win. A two hundred and fifty dollar purchase in Brown Reds won one of these, and a bird that cost \$175 took another. Mr. Stretch won first in Piles with a wonderful cockerel, which was claimed by Mr. Tomlinson for \$250. A Pekin bantam was claimed for \$80, and so it went on. There is more life in the game every year.—Poultry Monthly.

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CANDY CANTHARIS

Genuine stamped C.C.C. Never sold in bulk. Beware of the dealer who tries to sell "something just as good."

HATCHING DUCK EGGS.

Some Valuable Information on How to Run Your Incubators.

One of our correspondents wishes to know if duck eggs are treated in the same manner in the incubator as hen eggs. He writes: "I have four Prairie State special duck machines which I operated a portion of last season with varying success. I have thought that perhaps I did not handle the machines right, as I found a good many dead in the shell in some of the hatches. I ran the machine the same as for hen eggs."

On most of the large duck farms the eggs are incubated very similarly to hen eggs, though the temperature is often run on one-half to one degree less, but some successful operators contend that duck eggs differ materially from those of other fowls and require different treatment. Some years ago the writer visited a large duck ranch at Riverton, Va., and the manager, who was very successful hatching duck eggs, explained in part his methods, which at the time we noted very carefully, as we were then hatching quite a number of ducks, and afterward followed his methods as closely as possible and are free to assert that the result was far better than our old method, which was practically the same as for hen's eggs. We cannot say that we operated our machines in exactly the same manner, or even remembered all we heard there, but this is the rule we adopted after our visit:

Slowly heat the machine to 100 degrees with the thermometer resting on the trays with the bulb free and hold it steadily for twenty-four hours, when it is ready for the eggs. After placing the eggs in the machine place the thermometer on the eggs, the top of the bulb just even with the top of the eggs, and then turn up the lamp so as to bring them to the desired 102 degrees as quickly as possible without unduly overheating the egg chamber. When the heat has reached 102, adjust the regulator so that the damper valve is slightly raised and then turn down the flame so as to just balance the lever. If the incubators are in a room where the temperature is liable to fall suddenly, turn the flame so the valve is slightly raised. The regulator will then do the rest. Do not disturb the eggs for the next forty-eight hours, but after that turn them twice a day, cooling as little as possible. Before the animal heat has developed in the eggs adjust the trays by raising or lowering so the thermometer on the different trays will read alike and then do not again change their position no matter how much the temperature seems to vary, but shift the trays each day so as to equalize or average the variation in temperature.

Test the eggs on the fifth day, placing all live germs at the back of the tray, leaving the unfilled rows next to the door. In the last of these (one farther from the door) place the thermometers, which should then read 99 degrees when resting on the bottom of the tray, with the bulb free. Test again on the fifteenth day, when, if development has properly advanced, the egg will be nearly opaque, the allantois having almost or entirely encircled the embryo. Handle the eggs very carefully when testing and turning, so as not to jar them.

After the twelfth day the creative forces will have done their work. This will be noticed by a rise in temperature, and with the adjustment you have it will require less heat from the lamp, and the regulator will doubtless have to be altered somewhat. If the machine is full of live germs, it will need watching very closely or it may run up to 105 degrees or more, especially during the third week, which would cause many to die. They may not die immediately, but they will before the end of the batch. Cool the eggs daily during the third week, so that a thermometer resting on the eggs will register 90 degrees, but do not cool any during the fourth week. During the fourth week the danger of overheating is not so great, as the animal heat declines or remains about stationary until pipping, when it increases and a temperature of 105 or 106 is desirable at the time the ducklings are breaking the shell, and under no circumstances should it then be allowed to fall below 103 degrees. When the last duckling is well dried off, open one of the doors about an inch and secure it in this position, so as to accustom them to a slightly lower temperature before being removed to the brooder, but if the nursery under the tray is not too full let them remain in the incubator for twenty-four hours.

There is not so much necessity for ventilation with duck as with hen eggs, and all currents of air should be avoided. This was the principal point we learned on our visit to the Virginia duck farm.—National Poultry Journal.

Bay Port.

Dr. Kaughmeyer, of Pigeon, was in town Monday.

J. E. Harris and daughter, Muriel, spent Sunday in Bad Axe.

Mrs. P. A. Davison, of Port Hope, is the guest of Mrs. W. H. Wallace.

W. J. Orr was in Port Hope and visited his old home near there recently.

Miss Anna Jackson visited her sister, Mrs. G. Van Horn, of Sebewaing, Sunday.

Mrs. A. A. Taylor and grand-daughter, Neil Kniessel, returned Thursday to Bay City.

Louis Smith took a party of young people for a boat ride in his Naptha launch, Alzora.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Brashaw was called to Bay City last week by the illness of Mrs. Brashaw's father.

Mrs. L. A. Brown, of Casoville, and Mrs. R. L. Gillingham, of this place, were in Saginaw on Sunday.

Mrs. Germain, Sr., of Casoville, was the guest of her son, Dan, of this place, several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Schmidt, of Sebewaing, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wallace at their club house on Heisterman Island.

Geo. G. Burse has accepted a position as agent at this place and is now filling the same. His predecessor was J. Riley who has associated himself with the R. L. Gillingham Fish Co.

Mrs. P. C. Smith and daughter, Frances, returned Wednesday from Chicago, where Mrs. Smith has been recovering for several weeks from the effects of an operation. She is now much better in health.

When you want a pleasant physic try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. For sale at Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

A Little Early Riser

Now and then, at bedtime will cure constipation, biliousness and liver troubles. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the famous little pills that cure by loosening the secretions, moving the bowels gently, and giving such tone and strength to the glands of the stomach and liver that the cause of the trouble is removed entirely, and if their use is continued for a few days, there will be no return of the complaint. Sold at Bond's, Cass City.

The New Stamps.

An educational feature has been added to the last series of postage stamps now on sale at the postoffice. They are a work of art, the artistic features of which perhaps few people stop to study and yet they are worth considering. The new series is a trifle smaller than the old, and not only is the face of some persons of note printed on the stamp from the finest kind of plate, but the name and date of birth and death are given. The one cent stamp as formerly, has the face of Benjamin Franklin; the two cent stamp shows George Washington, thus connecting the father of his country with the stamp most generally used. The three cent stamp has the face of Andrew Jackson; the four cent that of U. S. Grant; five cent of Abraham Lincoln; while the eight cent stamp has the honor of having the first woman's face ever used on a postage stamp. It is the face of Martha Washington. The ten cent stamp is Daniel Webster, the thirteen cent stamp is Benjamin Harrison, the fifteen cent stamp Henry Clay, and the fifty cent stamp Thomas Jefferson. No one will quarrel with Uncle Sam for choosing these nine worthies to be honored in this way.

There has also been a change in the special delivery stamp. The old stamp represented a boy running, but Uncle Sam wants something quicker and suggests it in the new design which is a boy on a bicycle.

Not a Sick Day Since.

"I was taken severely sick with kidney trouble. I tried all sorts of medicines, none of which relieved me. One day saw an ad. of your Electric Bitters and determined to try that. After taking a few doses I felt relieved, and soon thereafter was entirely cured, and have not seen a sick day since. Neighbors of mine have been cured of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Liver and Kidney troubles and General Debility." This is what B. F. Bass, of Fremont, N. C., writes, Oct. 5, at T. H. Fritz, Druggist, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

1904 Calendars.

We want to again call the attention of our business men to the fact that we have a complete line of calendars that are right and at prices that will not put you out of business; just give us a gentle hint and we will do the rest. You will also have the pleasure of patronizing a home institution, something we know you want to do whenever possible.

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Lexington's philosopher has settled the question.

He has decided that as a rule, man's a fool. When it's hot he wants it cool. When it's cool he wants it hot. Always wanting what he is not; never liking what he's got. He maintains as a rule, man's a fool.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box, 25c.

Notwithstanding the fact that small-pox is regarded as being a winter disease, and that in warm weather it is more easily stamped out, an epidemic of it seems to have broken out afresh in Wells town, and it is reported that there are from ten to a dozen cases, in various stages, at present within the borders of that township.—Tuscola County Advertiser.

Mr. Joseph Pomiaville, of Stillwater, Minn., after having spent over \$2,000 with the best doctors for stomach trouble, without relief, was advised by his druggist, Mr. Alex. Richard, to try a box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. He did so, and is a well man today. If troubled with indigestion, bad taste in the mouth, lack of appetite or constipation, give these Tablets a trial, and you are certain to be more than pleased with the result. For sale at 25¢ at Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

We heard a Lexington man loudly bewailing his poverty. He proclaimed that he would rather be dead than poor. It's tough and no mistake. We know that from experience, yet even poverty has its bright side. The poor man, in some respects, is blessed. Pickpockets never bother him, and road agents give him a wide berth. Nobody tries to borrow from him; nobody asks him to endorse. If the bank breaks he can grin and bear it like a man. He cannot get deeply in debt, and is not robbed by lawyers, or harassed by litigation. Burglars never invade his premises and he sleeps in peace. When he dies nobody questions his will, or attempts to confiscate his bones. Blessed are the poor in pocket, we say, for they always get their money's worth.—Lexington News.

"A man living on a farm near here came in a short time ago completely doubled up with rheumatism. I handed him a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and told him to use it freely and if not satisfied after using it he need not pay a cent for it," says C. P. Bayder, of Athens Mills, N. Y. "A few days later he walked into the store as straight as a string and handed me a dollar saying, 'give me another bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I want it in the house all the time for it cured me.'" For sale at Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Bad Axe's Gain.

A Pere Marquette railroad man on Thursday afternoon said to The Port Huron Times: "I noticed in The Times a few days ago that a couple of engineers and their families would probably take up their residence in Bad Axe as soon as the new time card went into effect. I want to say to you that if the road runs its trains from Bad Axe to Almont, making only a stop in Port Huron, it will take at least 25 people out of Port Huron."

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Cough Syrup Cures

Cut this out! This cut is on every bottle. A printed guarantee with every bottle is proof of its merits and has made Pine Root Cough Syrup famous. It cures Baby's or Grandpa's Cough, Bronchitis, Trouble, Obstructive Consumption, Croup, Asthma, Whooping Cough, La Grippe, Catarrhal Coughs, Etc. Thousands testify to its healing power. Bottles 25c and 50c. Sold everywhere. T. P. HOLDEN, mfr., Inlay City, Mich.

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Passenger Time Table

Trains run on Central Standard Time.

GOING NORTH				GOING SOUTH			
Frpt. No.	PA. M.	Mix'd No.	Stations	Mix'd No.	PA. M.	Frpt. No.	Stations
1	8:00	1	Pontiac	1	8:00	1	Pontiac
2	8:15	2	Clifford	2	8:15	2	Clifford
3	8:30	3	North Branch	3	8:30	3	North Branch
4	8:45	4	Kingston	4	8:45	4	Kingston
5	9:00	5	Wilmot	5	9:00	5	Wilmot
6	9:15	6	Defors	6	9:15	6	Defors
7	9:30	7	Cass City	7	9:30	7	Cass City
8	9:45	8	Gagetown	8	9:45	8	Gagetown
9	10:00	9	Owendale	9	10:00	9	Owendale
10	10:15	10	Janville	10	10:15	10	Janville
11	10:30	11	Pigeon	11	10:30	11	Pigeon
12	10:45	12	Bethel	12	10:45	12	Bethel
13	11:00	13	Caseville	13	11:00	13	Caseville
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The navy which gives England the supremacy of the seas costs \$155,000,000 a year, or a little more than the United States pays in pensions.

A scientific sharp in Germany asserts that he has found 2,000,000 microbes in a quart of strawberries. This calls to mind the old saying that doubtless God might have made a better berry than the strawberry, but doubtless God never did.

A writer in London Health says that in no sense of the word is the American face distinctive, and there is nothing that will call it up in the mind from the world's group of Caucasian faces. The answer to this is that the American face is a composite, necessarily.

Connecticut figures up the direct cost of crime in that State to be \$2,167,800 a year, in addition to the \$2,570,000 invested in prisons and reformatory institutions. Crime is a big leak in every State, and its prevention deserves to be studied more closely and practically.

The taboos of the skirt waist by the dressmakers is one degree of fashion which the women will not be in haste to obey. Every woman is willing to admit that she never wore anything quite so comfortable as the waists which have been in style now for several years.

Mrs. Sarah K. Bolton, of Cleveland, will shortly make a tour of the largest cities to plead the cause of the waif cat and tramp dog. Mr. Bolton is waging an active war against the pound, and she is setting up homes of refuge for neglected animals, not only in her home city, but in Boston, Washington and some of the Southern States.

The average rate of transmission by Atlantic cable is thirty-four words a minute. Marconi promises 200 words a minute through the air. The cable companies charge twenty-five cents a word. Marconi's contract with Canada stipulates ten cents a word as the maximum cost and his prophecy is that the rate will be one cent.

Experts in art are disputing over whether Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan has bought forgeries instead of originals in some of his most expensive recent purchases. As a matter of fact, there is nobody in the world—no artist, no professional connoisseur—who is not sometimes deceived by the cleverness of imitations, and this has been so flagrantly illustrated since art became so much the fashion that it is now generally understood, observes Collier's Weekly. A more interesting truth about our rich business men as buyers of art is that they can almost never secure for themselves the same pleasure that art gives to the artist or to the man of culture and of freedom from care.

There has been an enormous increase of rich young men in this country of recent years. Every month—almost every week—some laborious person, who has devoted himself to money-making, lets go his hold, and leaves a huge fortune to be divided among his heirs. Judging from the attention the newspapers lavish on these heirs public interest in them is acute. There are a great many millionaires in the country nowadays who are less than thirty-five years old. They are worth watching, asserts Life. It is not worth while piling up a big fortune by such means as most huge fortunes are piled up unless it is going to be an advantage to one's descendants. Merely to keep one's descendants fat and cheerful is a doubtful advantage.

The government of Paris announces that the city proposes to hold a great fair every spring, making it a fixed annual feature of her industrial and commercial life. Of course no effort will be made at these annual fairs to draw exhibitors from all parts of the world, but when once the fame of the expositions has been established we may be sure a good many foreign manufacturers and producers will need no urging to send exhibits to that great holiday capital of the world. At the present time Europe has two great fairs, that have come down from the Middle Ages—one which has been held in Leipzig for about 500 years, and another at Nijni Novgorod, who origin is lost in the darkness of prehistoric time in Russia. Neither of those, however, will be a rival to such a fair as Paris can and will arrange when she starts her series. There will then be a new inducement to visit the gay capital, and it is almost a foregone conclusion that success will attend the enterprise from the beginning.

MICHIGAN STATE NEWS

LOVE DISSOLVES THE BARRIER

Daughter's Marriage Brings Peace and Happiness to Parents. John Paul, a well known pioneer resident of Berrien county, is dead at Dayton, aged 68 years. For seventeen years the deceased and his wife resided together without addressing a single syllable to each other, their sphynx-like silence dating from the time of the birth of their first daughter, when they quarreled. However, on the occasion of this daughter's wedding, which took place a few years ago, the hands of the parents extended themselves impulsively toward each other, met and clasped and the spark of love which remained in their hearts was fanned into a glowing flame. Thereafter they lived in peace and harmony.

MEANS TO STOP DYNAMITING

Game Warden Causes Arrest of Man Who Is Fined. Murdock Morrison, caught in the act of dynamiting in Pilgrim river, was taken before Justice Brand at Houghton and fined \$10. Game Warden Vivian, who made the arrest, says dynamiters have become emboldened from long immunity to punishment, and that he intends to put a stop to the practice. Members of the Houghton County Rod and Gun Club were with Warden Vivian at the time and warmly commend his work, and as each member of the club is constituted a special deputy, fishermen who resort to illegal practices must be wary if they wish to escape detection and punishment.

Plan a Short Line.

A party of Pere Marquette surveyors are at work on a line between Riverside and Stanton. There is also talk of building a line from Greenville direct to Grand Rapids. This would materially shorten the route between Grand Rapids and Saginaw, over which line the company is now sending much through freight that formerly went east by way of Grand Ledge. The present zig-zag route between these cities is via Elmdale, Lowell, Belding, Stanton and Edmore.

Sleeping Car Saloons.

That it is not likely that anything will be done by the present legislature to hurt the sleeping car monopoly was shown by the action of the house. The liquor committee had reported out the bill providing that every sleeping car or buffet on which liquor is sold shall pay a license fee of \$25. When the bill came up Representative Campbell, of Gladwin, moved that the bill be referred back to the railroad committee, which was done.

Crop Report.

The weekly crop bulletin says: Wheat, rye, meadows and pastures have made but little growth, but are generally promising. Oats, barley and peas are germinating slowly. Reports indicate that the frosts did considerable damage to early peaches and cherries, but the trees still promise a fair crop. Warm weather and moderate showers are said to be needed.

Crows Blind Lambs.

While the department of agriculture is lauding the benefits of the crow family, the farmers around Leonidas are very much incensed about their picking the eyes out of their young lambs. The trouble usually begins by the crows picking at dead lambs found in the fields, after which they attack the live lambs while sleeping.

Death of Prominent Mason.

W. H. Squier of Hastings died after an illness of a few days at the home of Dr. W. T. Dodge in Grand Rapids. He was a prominent Mason, being a member of Pilgrim Commandary No. 28, Big Rapids Chapter, No. 52, R. A. M., and Big Rapids lodge No. 171, F. & A. M. He leaves a widow and daughter.

Offers Park Site.

The Detroit & Pontiac Realty Company have made an offer to donate five acres of their Fairview addition to that city for park purposes and to give \$3,000 either in money or in labor and material for the improvement of the property.

Dies From Blood Poison.

William Reynolds died at Ypsilanti. He was working on the street and while helping a team had his hand caught between the wagon box and the wheel, crushing his hand. Blood poison set in, with the above result.

Beetle in His Ear.

A beetle was removed from the ear of J. W. Sprague of Muskegon, which had been there since 1861. Except for a few hours after it flew in there, the beetle had not bothered Sprague in the least until recently.

His Last Slide.

Donald Villa attempted to slide down three flights of stairs on the banisters in the Weston building at Grand Rapids. He lost his balance on the top story and fell to the bottom floor, fracturing his skull. He died in a few hours.

Boodle at Owosso.

The Owosso people are putting on metropolitan airs by trying to work up a boodle sensation in connection with the asphalt paving contracts now pending there.

RELIEF CORPS CONVENTION

Michigan Department Is to Meet in Muskegon in June. The twentieth annual convention of the Department of Michigan Woman's Relief Corps, which is auxiliary to the G. A. R., will be held at Muskegon, June 10 and 11. Headquarters will be established at the Occidental hotel and the sessions will be held in the Congregational church. On the evening of June 10 a reception will be tendered Commander Anthony and his staff and it is expected that the national president of the Woman's Relief Corps will be present on this occasion. A rate of one fare for the round trip has been established for June 8, 9 and 10, good returning until June 13. Members desiring accommodations in private families are asked to address Rosa Eckerman, chairman accommodation committee, 35 Iona street, Muskegon.

Want Saloons.

The village fathers of Mt. Morris, have refused to allow the establishment of a saloon in the village, and a lot of residents who object to this and incidentally are heavy taxpayers will seek to get even by refusing to pay their taxes until next fall, after they have been returned as delinquent. Thus the council won't have any money to run the village unless they allow the establishment of saloons, each of which means \$250 in the village treasury.

Cigar Stub Starts Fire.

Charles W. Heller lies in a critical condition as a result of burns received at Cass City while attempting to save his hotel, known as the Gordon house, from destruction by fire. The hotel was saved but the barns and two other blocks were totally destroyed and another block considerably damaged. Loss, about \$5,000, with only about \$1,000 insurance. The fire started in the hotel barns, evidently from a cigar stub.

Revenue Plan.

A St. Ignace man has suggested to the local common council that an annual tax of \$5 per head be collected on the cattle which are allowed to use the city's streets as pastures. This is a good pointer for many other upper peninsula cities and villages, and if it was enforced in some of them no other taxes for local purposes would be necessary.

Hard to Please.

Muskegon people objected to the noise made by the Salvation Army meetings on one of the principal corners, and the police ordered the army to adjourn to another location. The latter refused, and the police arrested the whole bunch for disturbing the peace. Now the people are blaming the police for their action, claiming it was an outrage.

Child Is Scalded.

The little 3-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fleming of Benton Harbor, tumbled headlong into a basin of hot water. The mother was preparing a bath for the little one, having emptied boiling water into the basin and hurried to secure cold water to make it a suitable temperature. Physicians think the little one can be saved.

Wreck Chycolers.

Farmers in Cheshire township, Allegan county, throw the cuttings into the road when they trim their hedges and the sharp thorns play havoc with bicycle and automobile tires. Some machine owners have taken the matter into the courts to see if the farmers can't be made to suffer for their actions.

Imported Squirrels.

The oft-told stories about finding tarantulas in bunches of bananas are discounted by the discovery made by a Cadillac fruit dealer when he unpacked a bunch of the yellow fruit. Secreted snugly within the bunch he found a Porto Rican squirrel and two baby squirrels.

Honor the Dead.

The funeral of P. W. Travis, one of the most prominent business men of the place was held at Otsego. All business places were closed and friends were present from New York and many points about this state. Mr. Travis died very suddenly.

Quits School Post.

After four years as superintendent of the public schools of Alma, W. E. Hanson has declined a reappointment and will become superintendent of schools at Manistique.

Expect Big Fruit Crop.

The growers of western Michigan are preparing to handle the biggest crop of peaches and other fruits ever known in that section.

Anti-Saloon League.

The executive committee of the Montcalm County Anti-Saloon League, at a meeting to perfect plans for the enforcement of local option, decided to offer a reward of \$50 for evidence that will convict any violator of the law.

Model Laundry Closes.

The Model steam laundry, started at St. Joseph two years ago by Rev. A. K. Beem, who left his pulpit to work for the working people, has been closed for want of support.

MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

After debating the matter four hours the senate on Tuesday passed the Baird primary election bill, with one or two minor amendments, by a vote of 27 to 5. This is the same bill which Rep. Galbraith offered in the house and which was voted down by 79 to 13. It provides only for the direct nomination of city, village and township tickets. Simons demanded the yeas and nays on his amendment to include candidates for governor. Fuller paid no attention to the demand, but called a show of hands, and the Simons amendment was not considered. "We voted for the Baird bill on its passage," Simons explained, "because it would have been defeated if we had not. Then the primary issue would have been absolutely dead, and there would have been no chance to consider it after once being voted down. Now we can cast a solid vote on the result of the conference committee if the Baird bill is passed." The bill provides for the direct nomination of all candidates for office in all townships, villages and cities and of all delegates to county conventions. All the caucuses of all parties must be held on the same day throughout the state. Party registers are to be held three weeks before the caucus day.

The senate, by a vote of 17 to 2, passed the Sanderson bill, providing for a trip of the governor and staff, the president or president pro tem, of the senate, the speaker of the house and eleven members of the legislature, to Andersonville, Ga., to dedicate the monument which is to be erected to commemorate the death of 700 Michigan soldiers in Andersonville prison during the civil war. When the bill came up for passage, Senator Scripps moved to strike out all after the enacting clause. He was voted down by a vote of 17 to 2—Scripps and Scallen. Speaking upon his motion, Senator Scripps said: "This junket contented the expenditure of an amount nearly two-thirds the sum appropriated for the monument. The monument is a worthy object, but the plan to expend \$3,000 or \$4,000 to dedicate a \$6,000 monument located at so long a distance from Michigan is wrong; hence my reason for the opposition to the bill."

The senate committee of the whole considered the Adams liquor bill, permitting the making of wine in prohibition counties, this afternoon. Senator Bangham, on behalf of the men interested in the grape juice factories in Van Buren county, the locality this measure is an amendment favoring the manufacture of wine in local option counties, but prohibiting them from selling within such counties. The amendment also provides that such products must not be sold at wholesale within the county. Senators Bangham, Scripps and Brown favored the bill and Senator Woodman opposed, endeavoring to have action upon the measure indefinitely postponed. The bill was passed to third reading.

After a stubborn fight by Rep. Hunt, which consumed a good part of the afternoon, the appointment of an osteopath to the state medical board, the house passed the Nottingham bill practically as reported out by the health committee. Hunt finally withdrew his amendment to substitute an osteopath for one of the two eclectic members. The object of the Nottingham bill is that Michigan may participate in the general movement of the medical profession of all the states to bring about uniformity and reciprocity, so that the licensed physicians of one state may practice in other states. Six states have laws similar to the Nottingham bill, and it is hoped that all will come into line.

Representatives Galbraith, Herkimer and Higgins were the only members of the house who voted to concur in the senate's substitute for the primary election bill. The substitute was rejected by a vote of 82 to 3. On Rep. Colby's motion, the speaker was authorized to appoint a conference committee of three. Speaker Carlton immediately named Colby, of Wayne, chairman of the conference committee, and Rep. Wade, of Allegan; H. E. Powell, of Ionia, were named as the other members.

Two hours of the time of the house were consumed in the killing of Rep. Shea's boiler inspection bill. The measure proposed the appropriation of \$15,000 a year for inspection, to be carried on under the direction of the labor commissioner. A chief inspector was provided for at \$1,500 a year, and deputies at \$1,200 each. "Talk about your game-wardenship graft," said Rep. Rodgers, "that isn't a marker to the graft this bill would make possible."

The committees of the house and senate having in charge the matter of harmonizing the two branches on a primary election bill are Representatives Colby, Wade and H. L. Powell; Senators Baird, Smith and Jones. The house members are all strong for primary elections covering nominations from governor down and senate members are equally as strong against it. The house ways and means committee has reported out the St. Louis World's Fair appropriation bill. The figure recommended is \$50,000. The bill, when it passed the senate, provided for \$125,000. An attempt will be made to increase the figure on the floor of the house. The house ways and means committee has reported the appropriation bill for the Home for Feeble-Minded at Lapeer at \$156,000 for maintenance and \$177,000 for new buildings, etc., including repairs of the damages done by the recent fire. The senate railroad committee has reported out favorably the house joint resolution to place interurban railroads under the control of the commissioner of railroads. The bill to appropriate \$147,000 for the construction of a new cell block in the prison at Jackson was passed to third reading by the house in committee of the whole.

NEWS OF THE WORLD

Brief Chronicle of Matters of Importance

America Through German Eyes.

Baron von Polenz, kaiser's deputy, who traveled through the United States to make a study of the country, has submitted an interesting report. He says: "The more I saw of America the less I sympathize with our German jingoism, but I do hope that the United States may some day be forced to fight for her very life. The victory over decrepit old Spain was far too easily won. Unless I am very mistaken about the temper, the ambitions and the political destiny of the Americans, their admirable talent for assimilation and for attracting other peoples and countries will result in the annexation of Canada, Mexico and all the neighboring island world. Already they have achieved commercial and industrial supremacy in Mexico. It seems to be the mission of the United States to create an empire radically different from any Europe ever produced. The American easily forgives and forgets, the after-history of every war proves that abundantly. To my mind, the ways of the American courts are far from ideal, but I make haste to add that their mode of inflicting punishment is most humane. American young men are singularly well bred for the obvious reason that they are brought up with the influence of women of refinement, education and energy. German young men ill-compare with their American brethren. How could they, seeing that they receive their social education at the beer table?"

A Panic Predicted.

Dr. Herbert J. Davenport, of the economics department of the University of Chicago, in his class in economic history, made the statement that within five years the United States would see another panic. He bases this statement on the fact that wages are rising, causing a lessening of profits, which in its turn causes a slump in stocks, and on the fact that in the last century panics have occurred periodically; one every ten years on an average. He said: "Panics have been occurring at intervals of about ten years during the nineteenth century. It is to allow ourselves to be misled by our hopes to suppose that no more panics are to come. In recent years they have visited this country in 1857, 1896, 1873, 1884 and 1903. We are due for another now. The squeeze of last fall in the stock market may postpone for a year or two the time that a panic might have otherwise occurred. This movement, if successful, will have a bearing on the case in that it will tend to lower profits and to squeeze some water out of stock valuations."

Horror of the Kishinev Massacre.

Additional details of the Kishinev massacre of Jews give the number of victims thus far buried in the Jewish cemetery at 44 and say that 84 persons seriously wounded are still in the Jewish hospital. The horrors reported scarcely begin to appear. In one instance spikes were driven through a woman's head into the floor and cases of bodily mutilation have been authenticated. About 800 to 1,000 persons were arrested, an energetic official having been sent from Odessa to deal with the situation. The authenticity of the local authorities during the two days of rapine and murder appears to have been fully established.

Mormons may not reach the streets of New York, Mayor Low having refused them licenses.

The battleship Iowa is now totally disabled at Pensacola, Fla., having burst a steam pipe which tore away the steering gear. Postmaster General Payne announced that there would be no more establishments of rural free delivery postal service until July 1, the beginning of the next fiscal year. Back wages amounting to about \$300,000, are being paid employes of the Lehigh Valley Coal Co. at Wilkes-Barre, Pa., in accordance with the strike commission award. Grave diggers at New Haven, Conn., laid down their shovels and refused to dig a grave in St. Bernard's cemetery because Undertaker Sisk would not accede to the demands of the striking hackmen. The undertaker himself and a friend had to dig the grave.

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Awful Cruelties.

Dr. Doroszewski, the head physician of the National hospital at Kishineff, has given the following specific instance of hideous cruelties of the Russians in their massacre of the Jews: "A Jewess named Sura Fonarschli was brought here with two nails, seven inches long, driven into her brain through her nose. "The Jew was brought in with one hip, both ankles and wrists broken, his severed hands and feet dangling by the skin. "A Jew named Charifon had lost his upper and under lips, which had been cut away with a kitchen knife, after which his tongue and windpipe had been pulled out through his mouth with pliers. "The head of a Jew named Solzer had been cut away and his head battered in 12 places. He was a raving maniac. "A carpenter was surprised at work and both of his hands were saved off with his own saw. "A Jewish girl was assaulted by several brutes, who then cut her eyes out with a pocketknife. "One woman, after trying to defend her children was thrown upon the pavement, dismembered, and feathers and horsehair from her bed were stuffed into her body. "Small children were flung out of windows and trampled upon by the mob. "Forty-seven were killed on the spot. 80 died of their injuries and 300 are under treatment. Many will be crippled for life. "Four thousand Jews are without food or shelter and it is impossible for them to get away."

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Gov. Pennypacker, of Pennsylvania, has approved the newspaper libel bill, and at the same time issued a long statement giving reasons for his action. The bill is aimed to suppress the caricature and cartoon which touch the susceptibilities of the politicians and others, and is so far-reaching that any misstatement, whether intentional or by negligence, is punishable by severe penalties. It was notoriously the work of Boss Quay, and intended primarily, it is said, to throttle opposition newspapers.

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A destitute family of 12 children was the story which brought a check for \$15 from Mrs. Roosevelt to a Buffalo woman. She then communicated to a charity society which found the woman in a well furnished house with two children and her husband earning \$8 a day. Payment of the check was stopped.

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The Detroit Railway Horror.

The coroner's jury, which considered the matter of the killing of Toledo excursionists in Detroit at the Canfield avenue crossing, recently, brought in this verdict:

"The said person came to his death on the night of the third of May, 1903, at a point near where the Grand Trunk railroad crosses Canfield avenue, in the city of Detroit, by being struck with train No. 8, drawn by engine No. 1,100 of Grand Trunk Railroad Co., causing compound fracture of the skull."

"We believe the said Tony Pofek's death was caused by the loose management of the Grand Trunk Railroad Co., in running their trains between Lake Shore Junction and Brush street station, Detroit, Michigan, at a rate of speed in violation of an ordinance regulating the speed of trains between said points."

"The prosecuting attorney's opinion is that he cannot indict or prosecute any of the railroad employees under the state laws, but he calls the mayor's attention to certain conclusions: The speed ordinance has been ignored by city officials; enforcement would have prevented the accident; the police commissioner and the corporation counsel, both appointed by the present mayor, are fully authorized to enforce it; the ordinance should be repealed, modified or enforced."

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Sequel to "The Bow of Orange Ribbon."

A LOVE STORY BY AMELIA E. BARR

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CHAPTER XI.

We Have Done With Tears and Treasons.

"Here is a letter from Arenta!" repeated the Doctor to his wife, who was just entering the room. "Come, Ava, and listen to what she has to say." Then Cornelia read aloud the following words:

"My Dear Friend Cornelia: If to-day I could walk down Maiden Lane, if to-day I could see you and talk to you, I should imagine myself in heaven. For as to this city, I think that in hell the name of Paris would have spread itself far and wide. Do you remember our learning in those happy days at Bethlehem of the slaughter of Christians by Nero? Very well; right here in the Paris of Marat and Robespierre, you may hear constantly the same brutal cry that filled the Rome of the Caesars—"Death to the Christians!" Famine, anarchy, murder, are everywhere, and I live from moment to moment, trembling if a step comes near me.

"As to religion, there is no longer any religion. Everywhere the Almighty is spoken of as the 'sol-dieant God.' The monarchy is abolished, and yet so ignorant are the leaders of the people, that when Brissot mentioned the word Republic in Pétion's house, Robespierre said with a grin, 'Republic! Republic! What's a republic?' Spying, and fear, and death penetrate into the most private houses; above all, fear, constant fear of every one with whom you come in contact.

"I have told you the truth about our condition, because I have just had a letter from my father, and he talks of leaving his business in Claos Bergen's care, and coming here to look after me. You must convince him that he could do me no good whatever, and that he might do me much harm. Tell him not to fear; Arenta says, not to fear. While Minister Morris is here I have a friend that can do all that can be done.

"Ask our good Domine to pray that I may soon return to a country where God reigns. Never again do I wish to spend one minute in a place where there is no God; for whatever they may call that place, its real name is hell.

"Arenta, Marquise de Tounnerre," "Poor Arenta!" said the Doctor when Cornelia had finished the wretched epistle. Suppose that you go and see Van Ariens, and give him all the comfort you can."

Cornelia crossed the street and was going to knock at the door, when Van Ariens hastily opened it. When Cornelia told him her errand, he was in a hurry of loving anxiety to hear what his child had written.

"I understand," he said, when he had heard the letter. "She is frightened, the poor little one! But she will smile and say it is nothing! However, I set that I must go to her."

"Do not," urged Cornelia. "You may see by Arenta's letter, that she does not fear the guillotine. Come over to-night and talk to my father and mother."

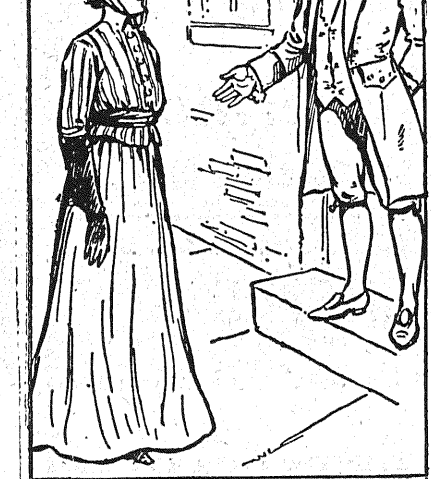
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Then he took both Cornelia's hands in his and looking earnestly at her said:

"Poor Rem! Impossible is it?"

"Quite impossible, sir," she answered.

"I am very sorry," he said, simply, and let her hands drop. In an



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hour or two to your house I will come. There is plenty to talk about."

The next day Cornelia walked down Broadway to Madame Jacobus's house. It was closed and desolate looking and she sighed as she compared its old bright spot of comfort, with its present empty forlornness. The change typified the change in her heart and love.

One exquisite day as they went up Maiden Lane the Doctor said: "My friend, Gen. Hewitt sails for England to-day, and we will go and wish him a good voyage." So to the pier they went, and the Doctor left his carriage, and taking Cornelia on his arm walked down to where the English packet was lying.

Soon Cornelia became conscious of the powerful magnetism of some human eye, and obeying its irresistible attraction she saw George Hyde steadily regarding her. She was enthralled

again by his glance, and never for one moment thought of resisting the appeal it made to her. With a conscious tenderness she waved him an adieu whose spirit he could not but feel. In the same moment he lifted his hat and stood bareheaded looking at her with a pathetic inquiry, which made her inwardly cry out, "Oh, what does he mean?" Then the Doctor touched her:

"Why do you do that?" he asked angrily.

"Because I must do it, father; I cannot help it. I desire to do it."

"I am in a hurry; let us go home."

She turned away with a sigh. The Doctor drove rapidly to Maiden Lane and did not on the way speak a word, and Cornelia was glad of it. Henceforward she was resolved to love without a doubt. She would believe in Joris, no matter what she had seen, or what she had heard. There were places in life to which alas! truth could not come, and this might be one of them. Though all the world blamed her lover, she would excuse him.

Now a woman's intuition is like a leopard's spring; it seizes the truth—if it seizes it at all—at the first bound, and it was by this unaccountable mental agility Cornelia had arrived at the conviction of her lover's fidelity. She reflected that now he was so far away, it would be possible for her to call upon Madame Van Heemskirk.

She resolved therefore to call upon Madame Van Heemskirk the following week. She expected the old lady might treat her a little formally, perhaps even with some coldness, but she thought it worth while to test her kindness.

One morning Mrs. Moran said, "Cornelia, I wish you to go to William Irvin's for some hosiery and Kendall's cottons."

"Very well, mother. I will also look in at Fisher's," and it was at Fisher's that she saw Madame Van Heemskirk.

"Good morning, madame," said Cornelia, with a cheerful smile.

"Good morning, miss. Step aside once with me. A few words I have to say to you," and as she spoke she drew Cornelia a little apart from the crowd at the counter, and looking at her sternly, said:

"One question only—why then did you treat my grandson so badly? A shameful thing it is to be a flirt."

"I am not a flirt, madame. And I did not treat your grandson badly. No, indeed!"

"Pray then what else? You let a young man love you—you let him tell you so—you tell him 'yes, I love you' and then when he says marry me, you say, 'no.' Such words I call bad, very bad. Not worthy of my Joris are you, and so then, I am glad you said 'no.'"

"Madame, you are very rude."

"And very false are you."

"Madame, I wish you good morning," and with these words Cornelia left the store. Her cheeks were burning, the old lady's angry voice was in her ears, she felt the eyes of every one in the store upon her, and she was indignant and mortified at a meeting so inopportune. Why had Joris lied about her? Was there no Joris way out of his entanglement with her?

She could arrive at only one conclusion—Annie's most unexpected appearance had happened immediately after his proposal to herself. He was pressed for time, his grandparents would be especially likely to embarrass him concerning her claims, and of course the quickest and surest way to prevent questioning on the matter, was to tell them that she had refused him. And then after this explanation had been accepted and sorrowed over, there came back to her those deeper assurances, those soul assertions, which she could not either examine or define, but which she felt compelled to receive—He loves me! I feel it! It is not his fault! I must not think wrong of him.

One day at the close of October she put down her needlework with a little impatience. "I am tired of sewing, mother," she said, "and I will walk down to the Battery and get a breath of the sea. I shall not stay long."

On her way to the Battery she was thinking of Hyde, and of their frequent walks together there, and ere she quite reached the house of Madame Jacobus she was aware of a glow of fire light and candle light from the windows. She quickened her steps, and saw a servant well known to her standing in the open door. She immediately accosted him.

"Has madame returned at last, Ameer?" she asked joyfully.

"Madame has returned home," he answered. "She is weary—she is not alone—she will not receive to-night."

The man's manner—usually so friendly—was shy and peculiar and Cornelia felt saddened and disappointed. She walked rapidly home to the thoughts which this unexpected arrival induced. They were hopeful thoughts, leaning—however she directed them—toward her absent lover. She went into her mother's presence full of renewed expectations and met her smile with one of unusual brightness.

"Madame Jacobus is at home," said Mrs. Moran, before Cornelia could speak. "She sent for your father just after you left the house, and I suppose that he is still there."

"Is she sick?"

"I don't know. I fear so, for the visit is a long one." It was near ten o'clock when Doctor Moran returned and his face was sombre and thoughtful—the face of a man who had been listening for hours to grave matters and who had not been able to throw off their physical reflection.

Cornelia at once asked: "Is madame very ill?"

"She is wonderfully well. It is her husband."

"Captain Jacobus?"

"Who else? She has brought him home, and I doubt if she has done wisely."

"What has happened, John? Surely you will tell us!"

"There is nothing to conceal. I have heard the whole story—a very pitiful story—but yet like enough to end well. Madam told me that the day after her sister-in-law's burial, James Lauder, a Scotchman who had often sailed with Captain Jacobus, came down to Charleston to see her. He declared that having had occasion to go to Guy's hospital in London to visit a sick comrade, he saw there Captain Jacobus. He would not admit any doubt of his identity, but said the Captain had forgotten his name, and

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Ask to see our Meakin's Dinner Sets at \$4.78

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Mammoth Clearing Sale of

SHOES

at "The MODEL"

Having purchased the entire stock of P. S. McGregory we propose to "CLEAN UP", to make room for Spring Stock now daily arriving. We start the SLAUGHTER ON SHOES

Saturday, May 23rd.

The Bargain Table receives all "ODDS"—Price 75c.

All other Shoes will be cut from 10 to 50 per cent. Don't fail to get our prices before purchasing. Equally good values in all other departments.

We carry the swellest line of Hosiery in the Thumb.

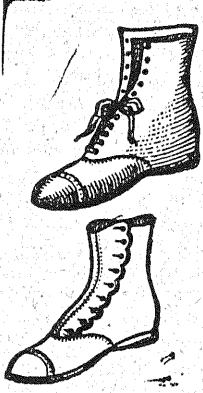
Agents for the Celebrated Corless Coon & Co. Collars.

"MADE-TO-MEASURE" Suits a Specialty. Yours for a trial,

THE MODEL

2 MACKS STAND.

Successors to P. S. McGregory.



At Monday evening's council meeting, the street commissioner was instructed to procure cement and proceed to lay new sidewalks as follows: On Leach street, north side, from Main to Pine Streets; on West street, west side, from Main to Houghton streets; on Seeger street, in front of the J. N. Dorman property; also five new cross walks.

Jas. Perkins had his young driver out for a bit of an airing on Sunday, and while he was out of the rig adjusting the top of the buggy, the colt took fright and started off north. By the time he had reached the top of the Seed hill he was about speeded and he was caught easily by a gentleman who chanced to be coming towards town. No damage.

Sensational reports have recently been circulated regarding some difficulty at Calumet, in which Ernest Clements, of this place, was implicated. The affair evidently is not a serious one, as at first thought. He defended himself against an attack from a foreigner, using an empty revolver, and as far as can be learned from reliable sources there was no shooting whatever.

Mrs. Ada Doying, who has made her home with her mother, two miles west of town, for some years, has recently become deranged in mind, so much so that it became unsafe to leave her at home, and after the usual legal process she was taken to Caro on Friday evening by Deputy Sheriff Morris, to await removal to the asylum at Pontiac. Her friends hope that the affection may be but temporary and that proper care will overcome the difficulty.

A letter has just been handed us, from Mrs. H. Guppy, Saco, Montana, in which she described the loss by fire of their own home and the home of Chas. Powell, both families being from this place and having many relatives and friends here. Mr. Powell was laid up with a broken leg and unable to help himself. Mr. Guppy was away to town and only Mrs. Powell and a hired man were at liberty to fight fire, as Mrs. Guppy had to care for the five little ones. Help arrived in time to carry everyone to a plowed field for safety and a few of the household effects and valuable papers were saved by hard work, but all the buildings were a total loss. The stock was all saved and all are thankful to have escaped with their lives. Mr. Guppy will rebuild as speedily as possible and remain on the ranch but Mr. Powell will live in town for the summer.

Cream Soda—all flavors. CANDY KITCHEN. 57

All diseases start in the bowels. Keep them open or you will be sick. CAS-CARETS act like nature. Keep liver and bowels active without a sickening griping feeling. Six million people take and recommend CAS-CARETS. Try a 10c box. All druggists. 11-21-'01

Review of Assessment.

The Village Board of Review will be in session at the Council Rooms on Thursday and Friday, May 28th and 29th, for the purpose of reviewing the village assessment. O. K. JAMES, Assessor. Dated, May 20th, 1903.

Pingree

W. H. Ackland visited at P. Mark's Tuesday.

George Brackenbury visited at Geo. Emery's last week.

J. Willerton, from Argyle, preached in the M. E. Church Sunday afternoon.

No school this week as Miss Dean was called home on account of the serious illness of her father.

J. Fox spent last week assisting his brother-in-law, G. Emery, who is disabled from work by a sore hand.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Mark and son, Grant, of Deckerville, accompanied by Miss Arnot, called at P. Mark's Sunday.

Quite a number of people from Noko attended the quarterly meeting at the Mennonite Church Saturday and Sunday which was conducted by Elder Grabel, from Port Huron. He preached a grand sermon Sunday morning, from Phil. 4: 6-7, to a large congregation.

Geo. Collins passed away Saturday evening about a quarter to six. The sermon was preached Tuesday p. m. at the M. E. Church by Elder Kitley assisted by Elder McGregor. The remains were laid to rest in the Evergreen cemetery. Quite a number of relatives from a distance attended the funeral.

"The Model" makes its bow to the public through our advertising columns this week, by announcing a special sale of clothing and shoes. The managers are after business and intend making it well worth your while to drop in and see them.

Fairweather Bros. have a special announcement in this issue. They are moving the entire stock of goods purchased of A. H. Ale & Co. into the one large store and will be in a better position than ever to cater to the wants of the purchasing public.

Sweet tooth? Yum, yum! CANDY KITCHEN. 57

Cross?

Poor man! He can't help it. It's his liver. He needs a liver pill. Ayer's Pills.

Want your moustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Use Buckingham's Dye

50 Cts. of druggists or R. P. Hall & Co., Nashua, N.H.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT!

We have PURCHASED the large and complete stock of

Dry Goods, Cloaks, Carpets, Ready-Made Garments, Crockery, Groceries, Etc.

of A. H. ALE & CO., and the two stocks are being placed in the one big store. We will be crowded for room in consequence, and are making

Special Prices on Several Lines to Reduce the Stock

We wish to see all old customers and many new ones, as we are better equipped than ever for doing business.

FAIRWEATHER BROTHERS

MAKE YOUR WORK EASY.

The Pessimist is Not Wanted Now in the Office or Home.

BY ELLA WHEELER WILCOX. (Copyrighted, 1903, by W. R. Hearst.)

Whatever your occupation, try and make your work seem easy to yourself and your patrons.

Not long ago I took some copying to a hotel stenographer. She was idly drumming on her desk when I spoke to her and confessed that she was wholly at leisure.

When I explained my work, to her she began to look serious.

"I hope you are not in a hurry," she said.

"But I am," I replied.

"Well, you see, this is a difficult task," she explained. "You have given me a book to copy from, and to keep glancing at its pages and try and plan a way to hold the book open is very hard. I fear it will take me a long time, but I will do the best I can."

Now I had congratulated myself that I was not giving her my own awful chirography to decipher, but clear, large print. Other stenographers had done similar work for me without comment and had done it quickly and neatly.

I left this young woman, feeling I had put an inextinguishable burden upon her—and I am sure I would walk many blocks to find another stenographer before I would ask her to do anything more for me.

This young woman will never make any marked success in life. She sees the obstacles and the difficulties in her way too readily. She will always be thinking what a hard lot she has, and the man or woman who does that rarely reaches the top; or, if by accident he does, he finds himself worn and irritable and unpopular, and believes the world is unsympathetic and life a farce, while all the time he has only his own disposition to blame.

If you are a cook or a housekeeper for your own husband and children, or for others, do not tell them of the awful labor of preparing their repasts or putting the house in order.

"I hope you will enjoy your dinner—I am nearly dead from the work of getting it ready for you," I have heard more than one mother say. "I hope you will find the house comfortable—I have worked all day to make it so."

What pleasure remains to a sensitive nature after hearing such confessions as these?

I would a thousand times rather go unloved or prepare my own food or settle my own room, and see a cheerful face or hear a happy uncomplaining voice.

The doctor who exaggerates his patient's illness and is doubtful about making a cure is no longer popular.

Today the optimistic physician who moves his patient to laughter and who pooh-poohs his fears and assures him he will be well in no time is in demand.

It is so in all the other avenues of labor. The artist or the artisan, the worker in any trade, profession or business, who succeeds is the one who meets his employment half way, shakes hands with it, greets it like a friend and welcomes and speeds it like a guest.

The man who regards it as an ordeal, and shakes his head and drops the corners of his mouth while contemplating it will never attain to power or prominence, and never climb higher than his present condition.

He will go to his grave with the impression that Dame Fortune is partial in bestowing favors, and that he has been the victim of injustice and ill luck.

MORAL:—Do not give the impression to your patrons that you feel you are conferring a favor in attending to your business.

Burglary at Owendale.

Thieves entered the home of John Hinton, three miles east of Owendale, late yesterday afternoon, taking \$200 in cash, while the owner was gardening at the rear of the house.

SEED PEAS for sale at the Elevators. Also Buckwheat and Millet. 5-14-2 FRUTCHER & SONS.

"Strength and vigor come of good food, duly digested. 'Porree,' a ready-to-serve wheat and barley food, adds no burden, but sustains, nourishes, invigorates." 3-19 tf

FOUND—Three-quarters of a mile south of Cass City, a wheel. Call at O. C. Wood's, one-half mile west of town, prove property, pay charges and take same. 4-30-4* GEO. SCURPHOLM.

Review of Tax Roll.

Notice is hereby given to the tax payers of Elkland township, that the Board of Review will be in session on Tuesday, May 26th, 1903, at the Town Hall, Cass City, at which time all who so desire may review their assessment. 5-14-2 A. A. MCKENZIE, Supv.

A. D. Mead, agent for the Vaughn Seed Co. of Eaton Rapids is now ready to make contracts with the farmers for this year's seed beans. The company furnishes the seed free of charge and buys your beans in the fall. The beans are guaranteed to be first class and no farmer should lose the opportunity of this offer. 4-23-tf

Shaker Bread—good 'nuff. CANDY KITCHEN. 57

Nursery Stock.

Having had a lot of uncalled for nursery stock left on my hands will sell the same at a discount. Pears, peaches, apples, grapevines and berries. Call at residence. W. J. CAMPBELL.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Mitchell*

WANTED—YOUNG MEN to prepare for Government Positions. Fine Openings in all Departments. Good Salaries. Rapid Promotions. Examinations soon. Particulars free. 6-14-03 Inter-State Cor. Inst., Cedar Rapids, Ia.

You Can Have

your savings and earnings cared for and paid back to you at a specified time, and we will pay you

Interest at 4 Per Cent.

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bearing interest. This bank invites commercial accounts as well.

E. H. PINNEY, Proprietor.

H. L. PINNEY, Cashier.

LINER COLUMN.

Advertisements will be inserted under this heading at the rate of one-half cent per word for each insertion; no charge less than 10c.

120 lb. horse for sale or exchange for lighter horse. 5-7-2* D. M. HOUGHTON.

20 acres, 2 miles from Cass City, half cleared, for sale or to exchange for light team. 5-7-2* D. M. HOUGHTON.

FOR SALE—One Concord buggy, wagon, plow, harrow, large safe, Dayton computing scale, 2 show cases, peanut machine, clear set. 5-7-4* H. B. FAIRWEATHER.

MONEY TO LOAN—At six per cent straight without any bonus. Will receive partial payment at the end of any year. E. B. LANDROW. 1-2

PASTURE to let! W. J. M. JONES. 4-9-*

SECOND-hand bed springs for sale at \$1.00. Enquire at this office.

A Pretty Foot



Is largely due to the kind of shoe there is on that foot. No matter how shapely the feet themselves are, if the shoes are not the proper shape, size and style, the effect will be disappointing.

This much is certain—whether a lady's foot is pretty or otherwise, it will at least LOOK pretty

IN OUR SHOES

Prices: \$1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50.

S. OSTRANDER

The Up-to-Date Shoe Store.

We have just received a Car Load of

Oliver Plows

...and Repairs...

If you want the best get the OLIVER. We have other plows—good ones—from \$10 to \$14.

Our American Cultivators

are here. They have an arched axle this year, which makes them by far the most convenient and best cultivator on the market. We want you to look at them.

Remember we have a full line of...

Disc Harrows, Land Rollers, Spring and Spike Tooth Harrows

and every implement the farmer needs.

SPECIAL BARGAINS IN BUGGIES

to offer you.

Striffler & McDermott

A DAILY DELIGHT

Our daily delight is to satisfy our customers with the

CHOICEST CUTS OBTAINABLE

In Fresh and Cured Meats. Fresh-laid Eggs and No. 1 Butter always on hand.

Young & Benkelman

JUNE FASHION BOOKS

and the

LATEST MAGAZINES on sale at this office.

Local Happenings.

Miss Bessie Tanner is again assisting at J. S. McArthur's.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Moshier, of Nevada, are in town to-day.

N. W. Bradley, of Hay Creek, did business in town yesterday.

John Proctor, of Shabbona, did business in town yesterday.

Theo. Burden, of Gageton, made a friendly visit in town yesterday.

H. L. McDermott made a business trip to Gageton this forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Parr, Jr., of Beaulieu, were in town this forenoon.

Little Edith Champion, who has been on the sick list the past week, is better.

Mrs. W. W. Bender, of Gageton, spent a part of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Traver.

T. H. Fritz will lead the Epworth League next Sunday evening. Topic: "Attendance on the Means of Grace."

Mrs. Chas. McCue and Mrs. Wm. McKenzie attended the W. C. T. U. county convention at Akron on Tuesday.

Quite a number of our citizens availed themselves of the opportunity to go to Detroit by the excursion to-day.

Mrs. Chas. F. McGeorge and son, of Brown City, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McGeorge the first of the week.

A Mr. Johnson, a student from Alma College, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian Church on Sunday, both morning and evening.

At a special meeting of the council Tuesday evening, W. J. Campbell and P. S. McGregory were appointed members of the Board of Review.

On May 13th, William Day and Miss Carrie May Russell, both of Grant township, were united in marriage by Rev. Jas. W. Fenn, of this place.

All ladies interested in the L. O. L. are requested to meet at Mrs. G. Goff's store on Saturday afternoon at three o'clock. Mrs. Jas. Ferguson.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Mitchell*

WANTED—FAITHFUL PERSON TO TRAVEL for well established house in a few counties, calling on retail merchants and agents. Local territory. Salary \$1024 a year and expenses, payable \$10.70 a week in cash and expenses advanced. Position permanent. Business successful and rushing. Standard House, 334 Dearborn St., Chicago. 12-23-26

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