

A TRULY IDEAL WIFE

HER HUSBAND'S BEST HELPER

Vigorous Health Is the Great Source of Power to Inspire and Encourage—All Women Should Seek It.

One of the most noted, successful and richest men of this century, in a recent article, has said, "Whatever I am and whatever success I have attained in this world I owe all to my wife. From the day I first knew her she has been an inspiration, and the greatest helpmate of my life."



Mrs. Bessie Ainsley

To be such a successful wife, to retain the love and admiration of her husband, to inspire him to make the most of himself, should be a woman's constant study.

If a woman finds that her energies are flagging, that she gets easily tired, dark shadows appear under her eyes, she has backache, headaches, bearing-down pains, nervousness, irregularities or the blues, she should start at once to build up her system by a tonic with specific powers, such as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Following we publish by request a letter from a young wife:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:

"Ever since my child was born I have suffered, as I hope few women ever have, with inflammation, female weakness, bearing-down pains, backache and wretched headaches. It affected my stomach so I could not enjoy my meals, and half my time was spent in bed."

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made me a well woman, and I feel so grateful that I am glad to write and tell you of my marvelous recovery. It brought me health, new life and vitality."—Mrs. Bessie Ainsley, 611 South 10th Street, Tacoma, Wash.

What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for Mrs. Ainsley it will do for every sick and ailing woman.

If you have symptoms you don't understand write to Mrs. Pinkham, daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free and always helpful.

Shake Into Your Shoes

Allen's Foot-Paste, a powder, cures painful, smarting, itching feet and ingrowing nails. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Makes new shoes easy. A certain cure for sweating feet. Sold by all Druggists, 25c. Trial package FREE. Address A. S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

American Chameleon.

The American chameleon, a small lizard, inhabits various parts of the southern United States. The little animal has the remarkable habit of quickly and completely changing its colors, varying from brown to yellow and pale green. Its food consists of insects. The little animal is perfectly harmless to higher forms of life, is often kept as a pet, and has been worn attached to a chain as an ornament. The toes are provided with adhesive pads, which enable the lizard to run upon smooth, vertical surfaces.—St. Nicholas.

WINTER WEAKNESS

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills the Tonic That Most People Need for Blood and Nerves.

In winter the air of the close rooms in which we spend so much of the time does not furnish enough oxygen to the lungs to burn out the foul matter in the blood. In the cold season we do not, exercise as much and the skin and kidneys do not throw off the waste matter as freely as usual. The system becomes overloaded with poisons matter, and too feeble to throw it off. Relief can be had only through the use of a remedy that will promptly and thoroughly purify and strengthen the blood, and the one best adapted for this purpose is the great blood tonic known as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

"They acted like magic in my case," said Mrs. Clara L. Wilde, of No. 377 Farnsworth avenue, Detroit, Mich. "I was weak and thin and could not sleep. My stomach and nerves were out of order. I can't describe how miserable I really was. I dragged through six months of feebleness, growing weaker all the time until I finally had strength enough to leave my bed."

"Then a glad day came, the day when I began to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They made me feel strong right away. My appetite came back, I took on flesh and the color returned to my cheeks. People wondered that these pills did for me what the doctors couldn't do. I took only six boxes and then I was perfectly well. If I had not found this wonderful remedy I surely think that I must have wasted to death. Believing firmly that these pills saved my life by the strength which they gave me at a critical moment, I unhesitatingly recommend them to others."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain no stimulant but give strength that lasts. They may be obtained at any drug store.

THE BEST COUGH CURE

A well-known Rochester lady says: "I stayed in the Adirondacks, away from friends and home, two winters before I found that by taking

Kemp's Balsam

I could subdue the cough that drove me away from home and seemed likely to never allow me to live there in winter."

Kemp's Balsam will cure any cough that can be cured by any medicine.

Sold by all dealers at 25c. and 50c.

LINCOLN AND WASHINGTON

Comparison Between Two Men of Such Greatness Is Impossible to Make

At a banquet in Brooklyn, Rabbi Taubenhau delivered the following eulogy on President Lincoln:

"Taking Abraham Lincoln for my subject to-night, I beg your permission to say that the theme is too vast for a limited discourse. Abraham Lincoln comprises constellations, the powers of his mind, the charms of his character, the effects of his achievements are groups of shining lights, his whole life is a path of the heroic and sublime. Alas! not even the most awful is excluded therefrom. To Abraham Lincoln, as the wonderful composite of overwhelming qualities due honor is to be done by men with acuteness of sound judgment, with mastery of classic diction, with competence to portray the genuineness of true greatness. At best I can only offer in my humble way a few observations about Abraham Lincoln as the hero in the preservation of the Union.

"No fact in American history is plainer, clearer and more exhilarating, no fact is more exuberant with comprehensive meaning and happy results as the fact that Abraham Lincoln saved the Union. It means that he rescued the priceless gem of American liberty, that he gave a new impulse to the development and constructive-ness of the American genius which is the delight at home and the wonder among the nations.

"The question has been asked, Who was the greater man, Washington or Lincoln? The answer to that question is that there is no answer. The calculus is of no avail if it is to be applied to men of true greatness. We may ascertain the difference in the height of the most gigantic rocky

effects of national breach and dismemberment. No greater national misfortune could have befallen ancient Israel than division proved to be. King Solomon, at the head of a united people, had favorable chances to become the master and ruler of the then known world, had it not been against his principle to appropriate glory by what is wrongfully termed 'the right of conquest.' But when the split into the kingdom of Judah and the kingdom of Palestine's strength of defense against the common foe was broken.

"The cities of Greece, too, were at the mercy of any conqueror, in spite of intellectual superiority, because they lacked mutual sympathy and a strong tie of unification.

"More disastrous would the dismemberment of the states have been in this country with the more fatal weapons of modern times and with the wealth and inexhaustibility of the natural resources of great America.

"Abraham Lincoln averted the danger which threatened the states with a dualistic government of being involved in frequent encounters of demoralization at home. Torn asunder by governmental authority and local interest the states would have viewed and opposed each other as aliens and competitors. Any disagreement and protraction would have been taken up as a just cause to fire the cannon and to transform into doleful scenes of horrible devastation the garden that is tinged with beauty, the field that breathes benediction, the workshop that issues comfort, the peaceful hearth that glows with happiness.

"Moreover, in removing the causes of antagonism and confusion at home,

a day of patriotic inspiration. Mere feasting is no testimonial of honor. Shining like a bright orb in the firmament of national thought and consciousness Abraham Lincoln should to-day be allowed all the sway and influence that tend to make us better and sincere Americans. This should be a day of renewed devotion and consecration to the traditions and precepts of our Republic. Let us give thanks that the Union is firm and safe. But we need unity, we need freedom in spite of having freedom, we need peace in spite of having peace; let us rise above party interest.

"Least of all does extreme selfishness become a free people. Let the tribute we pay the hero of the Union be worthy of him. Let us see where we can improve and where we can glorify our country in the spirit of Abraham Lincoln. May this festive day inspire the nation with that pure Americanism which has made this country great and prosperous and which is to work out the triumphant destiny of our Republic and perhaps of the world. May this day be a national blessing."

LINCOLN AND THE "SWEATBOX"

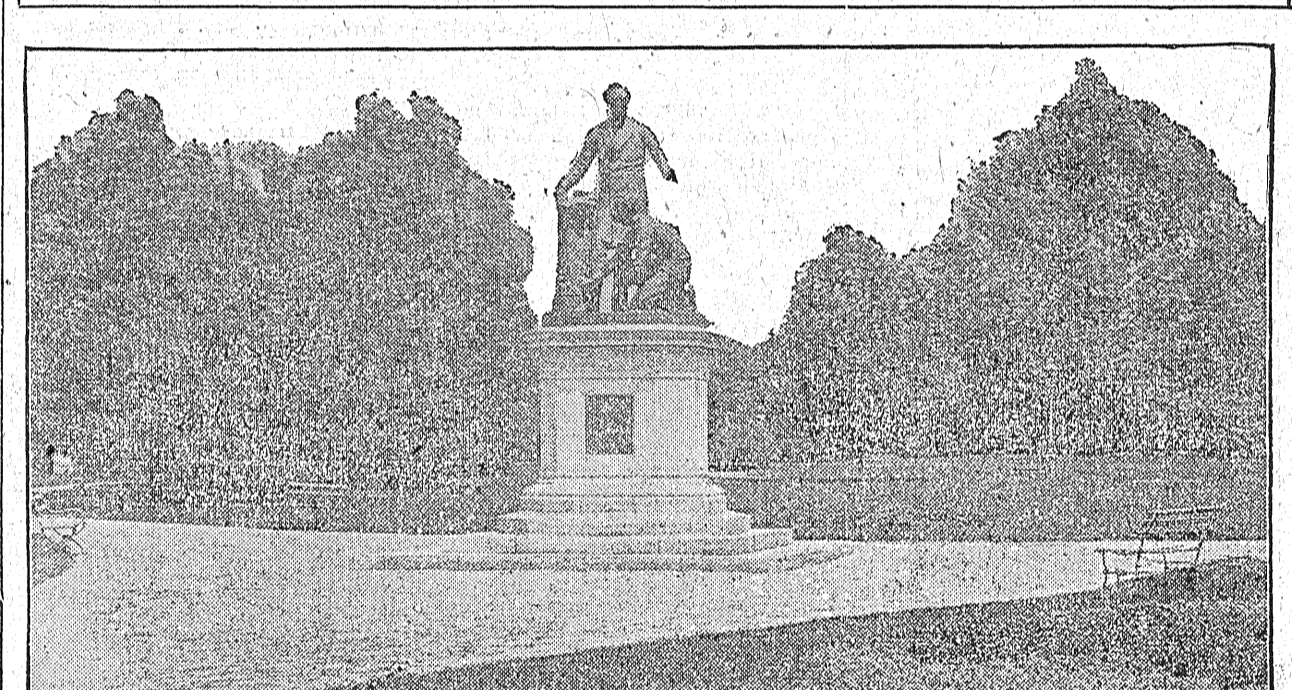
Why Instrument of Torture Was Abolished in the Navy.

When Lincoln visited Fortress Monroe, in 1863, his attention was called to a narrow door, bound with iron, the use of which he was anxious to learn.

"What is this?"

"Oh, that is the sweatbox," was the reply. "It is used for refractory sailors. A man in there is treated to a big dose of steam heat and has very

STATUE AT WASHINGTON OF THE GREAT EMANCIPATOR



formations. But by no contrivance can great minds be subjected to exact measurement. Men of such magnitude as Washington and Lincoln are looked up to in solemn bewilderment. The difference that possibly may be in some respects between them is difficult to point out and would be a matter of no consequence if pointed out. No man can do more than redeem his age, and to do that is to benefit successive generations. That is precisely the inestimable merit of either of these two haloed Americans. They are in the close relation of mutual dependence. Washington founded the Republic and Lincoln saved it.

"In an address on the 'The Union of the States,' he remarked for ardor of patriotism and for force of piercing argument, the great Daniel Webster said: 'Washington could regard and did regard nothing as of paramount political interests but the integrity of the Union itself. With a united government well administered, he said we had nothing to fear, and without it nothing to hope. The sentiment is just, and its momentous truth should solemnly impress the whole country.'

"So it has impressed the whole country by the agency of the apostles of the Union, especially by the agency of Abraham Lincoln, who shines out as the resplendent incarnation of that sentiment. Where is the American to-day who does not feel that the Union has made America what it is, a blessing at home and a power abroad, the firm throne of liberty, the fertile field of industry, the shelter of the oppressed, the great center of the world, where all classes meet on the common ground of personal merit and desert? Where is the intelligent American to-day who does not feel that those advantages for which the country is so much endeared are developments within the Union, as are the fragrant blossoms in the garden as are the pleasant lights in the blue expanse above?"

"Vast as is our territory, it has room only for one united government for one united people, for the flag which is supreme in the esteem of the state, and emblematically teaches the ever-needed lesson that the states, contributing, like the stars, their illuminating effort to the general prosperity of the republic, have all the stripes necessary to keep any of the powers at harmless distance.

"History affords no few instances which frightfully illustrate the calam-

ities which threatened American liberty. The states disunited, abusing and weakening each other would have made it an easy task for some greedy foreign power to enter under the protest of a peace-maker and put an end to our free government for which the brave sons of the Revolution made such a desperate and commendable fight.

"Abraham Lincoln made the history of this country the stupendous realization of the lofty ideals of its inspirer and founder, the history of a free people on a blessed soil and under a propitious sky, at peace among themselves and at peace with the world, enjoying the prosperity of a great present and the hope of a still greater future.

"What a debt we owe him, all of us who appreciate the privileges of free citizenship. And if we consider at what cost of his own interest, at what personal sacrifices he saved the country, must not the consciousness of our indebtedness to him be the more solemn?"

"Though gratitude for a benefaction is under all circumstances, an unshrinking duty, regardless of the ease or difficulty with which it is discharged, for would it not be unjust and ungrateful on our part, for instance a very rich man helped us financially and we depreciated the charity by saying: 'He could easily spare that much?' The question is not whether he could spare or not, but whether we are benefited? Is the dollar worth less if it comes from a millionaire who can spare it easily than when it comes from a man of moderate means?"

"Yet there is such a thing as appreciating a gift for the sacrifice that is connected with it. If by benefiting others a man actually deprives himself, so to say, all he has, it is quite natural that our sense of obligation should then be deeper.

"Abraham Lincoln gave us all he had, his energy, his thought, his wisdom, his heart. For our sake he deprived himself of rest, of enjoyment, of happiness. For our sake he bore the wounding lashes of reproach and threat which in the storm and tempest of his exasperated age have been heaped upon him. For our sake he sacrificed himself upon the altar of the Union. How can we repay him?"

"He has been canonized by grateful posterity. His birthday is jeweled with national celebration. Let it be

little ventilation. It brings him around quickly."

Lincoln, ever merciful, demanded that he be allowed to try the treatment to which thousands of American sailors were subjected yearly.

Taking off his hat—for he was several inches over 6 feet in height—he entered the enclosure, which he found to be little more than 3 feet in length or width. At a signal from him the door was to be opened. It was then closed and the steam turned on. He had been inside hardly three minutes before the signal was given. President Lincoln had experienced something he had never known had existed before. Turning to Secretary Welles of the navy department, he ordered that no such inclosure as the sweatbox should ever after be allowed on any vessel flying the American flag.

Lincoln's abolitionist of this means of torture was followed by the navies of other countries. Great Britain, France, Germany and other Europeans heard that the sweatbox had been abolished as inhuman. One and all of these nations fell into line and to-day the sweatbox is not to be found on any vessel flying the flag of a civilized nation throughout the world.

Lincoln's Soldier Substitute.

Unique tribute to the memory of Lincoln was paid on Decoration day at Stroudsburg, Pa. Wadsworth post, Grand Army of the Republic, had charge of the services over the grave of J. Sumnerfield Staples, who was the soldier substitute and representative for Abraham Lincoln during the war of the rebellion. Mr. Staples died on Jan. 11, 1888, aged 43 years, 1 month and 22 days. The files in the pension office at Washington show that Lincoln, although he was not subject to draft, voluntarily put a young recruit in the army to represent him at the front, and that man was J. Sumnerfield Staples, son of Rev. John L. Staples of Stroudsburg.

Lincoln's Kindness to Child.

Speaking of President Lincoln, very few men now in the land had as familiar and happy an experience with him as Frederick Stanton Flower, nephew of the late Roswell P. Flower. As a child Mr. Flower was dandied on President Lincoln's knee. Mr. Lincoln whimsically saying to him: "My young friend, I hope you will grow up to be President."

SIMPLE CURE FOR SNAKE-BITE.

Life of Coolie Asserted to Have Been Saved by Mesmerism.

When I was stationed at Nowshera news was brought to me one morning that one of my coolies had been bitten by a snake and was dying, says the Madras Times. I hurried to his hut and found the man unconscious and bleeding from his mouth and nose. A few passes from the head downward stopped the bleeding. I continued the passes, and in ten minutes he was able to open his eyes, but unable to speak or move his hands or limbs.

I continued the passes, and after the lapse of another five minutes he was able to speak feebly and indicate the seat of pain. Each pass gradually worked the position downward and the man's speech grew stronger by degrees, and in half an hour's time from the beginning of the operation the man was able to sit up. Having worked the poison down below the knees, I tied a ligature below the knee and sent him to a hospital, where he eventually recovered. He was bitten in the right foot. I should very much have liked to have carried the experiment out to the end and have bled him, but not being a medical man, and as there was a hospital only a few miles distant, I had to submit to circumstances.

EGGS ALL CONTAIN A POISON

Action of Gastric Juices and Bile Prevents Bad Effects.

Paragraphs have been extensively published in the daily papers dealing with the researches of M. Loisel of Paris on the recurrence of poisonous principles in eggs. It seems that the yolk of the eggs of hens, ducks and tortoises contain a poison which, if injected into the veins or otherwise inoculated into the animal body, causes death from its effects on the nervous system. The white of the tortoise's egg also contains a toxic substance.

Why eggs are not poisonous as ordinarily used or even when eaten raw may be explained on the ground that the action of digestion alters the composition of the egg or at least modifies it so that ill effects are avoided. Indeed, it is easy to show that certain foods at a particular stage of digestion are "poisons." It is the action of the liver on such foods which robs them of their power to do harm.

Origin of Ancient Saying.

A popular explanation of the origin of the expression "Everything is lovely and the goose hangs high" is this: That it comes from the southern country amusement known as "goose pulling." A goose, its neck carefully plucked, and well greased, was hung by its feet to a branch of a tree. The men would ride past at a gallop, trying to catch it by the neck and pull its head off. The better the goose was in dodging, the greater the fun. When the goose hung high, so that the competitors had to stand in their stirrups to grasp it, the joy was greatest. Another suggested origin is that it refers to the fact that wild geese fly high in clear weather; this explanation would change "hangs" to "honks."

An Accident to the Editor.

Some miscreant effected an entrance to the sanctum sanctorum of the Boozetown Budget and placed a pot of paste over the door, where it fell down and pasted my editor on his affecting his entrance into the sanctum sanctorum. Without going into the details of the injuries sustained by my scribe, suffice it to say the heavy paste put swatted my editor on his carol topknot and jarred the daylight out of him, so that he lay in an incubent position on the floor for some time. If the miscreant who perpetrated this dastardly deed is apprehended he may rest assured he will get his good and plenty.—Boozetown Budget.

Work Not Chief End of Life.

Someone has said that no man, day after day and year after year, lives up to the full measure of his capacities, no matter where he works. Manifestly this is true, and it is necessarily so. Work is not the chief end of life, and where some mistaken individual has tried to make it so he has marred his existence. Insanity, chronic invalidism and early dissolution have marked the careers of many of the type. Still others, living a ghastly, mercenary existence, are stalking specters of a diseased idea of existence.

Danger in Pure Water.

It is not often that complaint is made of water being too pure. But the Birmingham (Eng.) correspondent of the Medical Record says: "I hear that the water brought at vast expense from the Welsh hills is so soft that it has a serious effect on galvanized cooking vessels, in consequence of which the health committee has decided to ask manufacturers to recall any such utensils which they have sent out for sale in that city."

An Awful Possibility.

"When I was a boy," said an old gentleman, "I attended the old Graham Academy in Maine. One time the Rev. Caleb Bradley of Scarborough, Mass., came to talk to us. It was during the presidency of Mr. Polk, and his remarks showed how much higher political feeling ran in those days than now. He said, 'If you make good boys you will make good men. Some of you might make a Washington, some of you a Jefferson, and the Lord knows most of you might make a Polk.'"

Making Garments Non-Inflammable.

Alum is useful to have in the cupboard. Its principal use is to render muslins, cambric, lace curtains, thin aprons, dresses and all light fabrics, if not practically non-inflammable, at any rate, much less susceptible to take fire.

It is certainly a wise precaution to rinse children's white garments with alum water. Put two ounces of alum to one gallon of water. The alum must first be dissolved in boiling water.

In Aqua Appendicitis.

Appendicitis is, by statistics, shown to be far more prevalent among teetotalers than among moderate users of alcohol, probably on account of the weakening of the appendix by excessive mineralization. We of the 'old school' drink our bottle of Medoc when dining with the result that we are gay and well, free from appendicitis.—Chicago American.

BABY COVERED WITH SORES.

Would Scratch and Tear the Flesh Unless Hands Were Tied—"Would Have Died But for Cuticura."

"My little son, when about a year and a half old, began to have sores come out on his face. I had a physician treat him, but the sores grew worse. Then they began to come on his arms, then on other parts of his body, and then came on his chest, worse than the others. Then I called another physician. Still he grew worse. At the end of about a year and a half of suffering he grew so bad I had to tie his hands in cloths at night to keep him from scratching the sores and tearing the flesh. He got to be a mere skeleton, and was hardly able to walk. My aunt advised me to try Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I sent to the drug store and got a cake of the Soap and a box of the Ointment, and at the end of about two months the sores were all well. He has never had any sores of any kind since. He is now strong and healthy, and I can sincerely say that only for your most wonderful remedies my precious child would have died from those terrible sores. Mrs. Egbert Sheldon, R. F. D. No. 1, Woodville, Conn., April 22, 1905."

ESKIMO'S LOVE FOR TOBACCO.

Smokes Hard and Fast So There Shall Be No Waste.

"No man is fonder of tobacco than an Eskimo," said the Arctic traveler at his club. "The Eskimo depends for his tobacco solely on the white man. For a pound of it he would sell his eldest son."

"It is odd to see an Eskimo smoke. He chomps his tobacco fine and mixes it with chopped willow twigs, so as to make it go further. Then he cleans out with a picker of bone the small stone bowl of his pipe, and then he plucks a lock of hair from his decaying suit and rams it down in the bottom of the pipe bowl, so as to prevent any of the finely chopped tobacco from escaping into the stem.

"Finally he lights the pipe and smokes it in a swift series of long, strong puffs, so that there may be no waste. Each puff is inhaled deep down into the lungs and the first puff's smoke is still streaming from the nostrils long after another puff has been started. There must be, you see, no waste. There must be none of that vain combustion of tobacco without benefit to the smoker which goes on continually among us."

"Often the most experienced Eskimo will smoke so hard and fast that tears will stream from his eyes, and he will cough violently, and sometimes vertigo and nausea will seize him."

OVER SEA HABIT

Difference on This Side the Water.

The persistent effect upon the heart of caffeine in coffee cannot but be present in the gravest conditions, in time. Each attack of the drug (and that means each cup of coffee) weakens the organ a little more, and the end is almost a matter of mathematical demonstration. A lady writes from a Western state:

"I am of German descent and it was natural that I should learn at a very early age to drink coffee. Until I was 23 years old I drank scarcely anything else at my meals.

"A few years ago I began to be affected by a steadily increasing nervousness, which eventually developed into a distressing heart trouble that made me very weak and miserable. Then, some three years ago, was added asthma in its worst form. My sufferings from these things can be better imagined than described.

"During all this time my husband realized more fully than I did that coffee was injurious to me, and made every effort to make me stop.

"Finally it was decided a few months ago, to quit the use of coffee absolutely, and to adopt Postum Food Coffee as our hot table drink. I had but little idea that it would help me, but consented to try it to please my husband. I prepared it very carefully, exactly according to directions, and was delighted with its delicious flavor and refreshing qualities.

"Just as soon as the poison from the coffee had time to get out of my system the nutritive properties of the Postum began to build me up, and I am now fully recovered from all my nervousness, heart trouble and asthma. I gladly acknowledge that now, for the first time in years, I enjoy perfect health, and that I owe it all to Postum." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

USE THE FAMOUS

Red Cross Blue. Large 2-oz. package 5 cents. The Russ Company, South Bend, Ind.

SMILE ON ALL THE WORLD; LAUGH, AND MAKE THEM LAUGH WITH YOU.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES. Itching, Bleeding, Protruding Piles. Drug stores refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 50c.

THE FACT THAT SOME ONE ELSE DOES IT, IS SOCIETY'S EXCUSE.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

If people were happier, they would be better.

DON'T FORGET A large 2-oz. package Red Cross Blue only 5 cents. The Russ Company, South Bend, Ind.

All the old blue laws should be repealed.

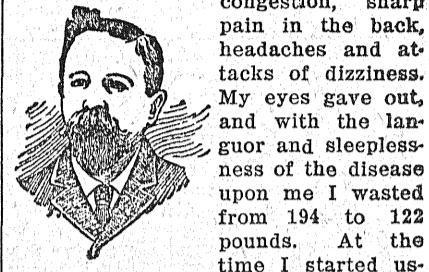
Misc's Cure for Consumption is an infallible medicine for coughs and colds.—N. W. SANBURN, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1900.

The man who boasts that he hasn't any friends does not deserve to have any.

LOST 72 POUNDS.

Was Fast Drifting Into the Fatal Stages of Kidney Sickness.

Dr. Melvin M. Page, Page Optical Co., Erie, Pa., writes: "Taking too many iced drinks in New York in 1895 sent me home with a terrible attack of kidney trouble. I had acute



congestion, sharp pain in the back, headaches and attacks of dizziness. My eyes gave out, and with the languor and sleeplessness of the disease upon me I wasted from 194 to 122 pounds. At the time I started using Doan's Kidney Pills an abscess was forming on my right kidney. The trouble was quickly checked, however, and the treatment cured me, so that I have been well since 1896 and weigh 188 pounds."

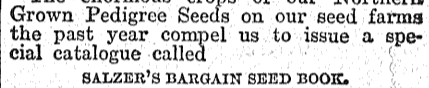
Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Effect of Flowers.

Flowers have undoubtedly a refining effect. In respect to the homes of the people, the advent of an enthusiastic lover of flowers into a neglected neighborhood has often been followed by emulation which has gradually resulted in the transformation of the garden plots of the neighbors and the corresponding improvement in the appearance of the dwellings. The direction of men's minds toward beauty in Nature must of necessity tend to wean them from tolerating ugliness in whatever form, and in some degree lift in their artistic and even ethereal upbuilding.—Register, Adelaide.

5 Tons Grass Hay Free.

Everybody loves lots and lots of fodder for hogs, cows, sheep and swine.



The enormous crops of our Northern Grown Pedigree Seeds on our need farms the past year compel us to issue a special catalogue called

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and receive free sufficient seed to grow 5 tons of grass on your lot or farm this summer and our great Bargain Seed Book with its wonderful surprises and great bargains in seeds at bargain prices. Remit 4c and we add a package of Cosmos, the most fashionable, serviceable, beautiful annual flower.

John A. Salzer Seed Co., Lock Drawer W. W. A. Crosse, Wis.

"The Man in the Street."

"The Man in the Street is my most intimate aversion. He is the man who knows nothing but the state of the odds and of the market and gossip about politics and society at fifth hand and bridge and golf and motors and the younger female members of the theatrical profession." Andrew Lang in Illustrated London News.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country

than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by such means tried to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional Cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

Sly Crack at the Librettists.

When a man gets off as his own joke he read in a paper, without being caught, he thinks he ought to write a comic opera.—New York Press.

Many Children are Sickly.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, cure Feverishness, Headaches, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders, Break up Colds and Destroy Worms. At all Druggists, 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

French Eat More Bread.

The Frenchman eats nearly twice as much bread as the Britisher.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Better is it to drive the gloom from one heart than to do it with gold.

CAUGHT BY THE GRIP-- RELEASED BY PE-RU-NA

**Pneumonia Followed La Grippe--
Pe-ru-na the Remedy That
Brought Relief.**

Mr. T. Barnecock, West Aymer, Ontario, Can., writes:
"Last winter I was ill with pneumonia after having la grippe. I took Peruna for two months, when I became quite well, and I can say that any one can be cured by it in a reasonable time and at little expense."

Systemic Catarrh, the Result of La Grippe. Pe-ru-na Receives Credit for Present Good Health.

Mrs. Jennie W. Gilmore, Box 44, White Oak, Ind. Ter., writes:
"Six years ago I had la grippe, which was followed by systemic catarrh. The only thing I used was Peruna and Manalin, and I have been in better health the last three years than for years before, giving Peruna all the credit for my good health."

Pe-ru-na--A Tonic After La Grippe.
Mrs. Chas. E. Wells, Sr., Delaware, Ohio, writes: "After a severe attack of la grippe, I took Peruna and found it a very good tonic."
"Most Effective Medicine Ever Tried for La Grippe."

Robt. L. Madison, A. M., Principal of Culowhee High School, Painter, N. C., is chairman of the Jackson County Board of Education. Mr. Madison says: "I am hardly ever without Peruna in my home. It is the most effective medicine that I have ever tried for la grippe."

Mrs. Jane Gift, Athens, O., writes: "I had la grippe very bad. My husband bought Peruna for me. In a very short time I saw improvement and was soon able to do my work."



**Suffered Twelve Years From After-
Effects of La Grippe.**

Mr. Victor Patneau, 328 Madison St., Topeka, Kas., member of Knights and Ladies of Security, writes:

"Twelve years ago I had a severe attack of la grippe and I never really recovered my health and strength--but grew weaker every year until I was unable to work."

"Two years ago I began using Peruna and it built up my strength so that in a couple of months I was able to go to work again."

"This winter I had another attack of la grippe, but Peruna soon drove it out of my system."

"My wife and I consider Peruna a household remedy."

THE GREAT K&A TRAIN ROBBERY

BY PAUL LEECESTER FORD, Author of 'The Van Peter Airline', etc.

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CHAPTER X--Continued.

"Oh, splendid!" cried Madge, clapping her hands.

"Mr. Camp will find that other people can give surprise parties as well as himself," I said cheerfully.

"You'll telegraph at once?" asked Mr. Cullen.

"Instantly," I said, rising, and added, "Don't you want to see what I say, Miss Cullen?"

"Of course I do," she cried, jumping up eagerly.

Lord Ralles scowled as he said, "Yes; let's see what Mr. Superintendent has to say."

"You needn't trouble yourself," I remarked, but he followed us into the station. I was disgusted, but at the same time it seemed to me that he had come because he was jealous; and that wasn't an unpleasant thought. Whatever his motive, he was a third party in the writing of that telegram, and had to stand by while Miss Cullen and I discussed and draughted it. I didn't try to make it any too brief, not merely asking for a guard and when I might expect it, but giving as well a pretty full history of the case, which was hardly necessary.

"You'll bankrupt yourself," laughed Madge. "You must let us pay."

"I'll let you pay, Miss Cullen, if you want," I offered. "How much is it, Welpy?" I asked, shoving the blanks into the operator.

"Nothin' for a lady," said Welpy, grinning.

"There, Miss Cullen," I asked, "does the East come up to that in gallantry?"

"Do you really mean that there is no charge?" demanded Madge, incredulously, with her purse in her hand.

"That's the size of it," said the operator.

"I'm not going to believe that!" cried Madge. "I know you are only deceiving me, and I really want to pay."

I laughed as I said, "Sometimes railroad superintendents can send messages free, Miss Cullen."

"How silly of me!" exclaimed Madge. Then she remarked, "How nice it is to be a railroad superintendent, Mr. Gordon! I should like to be one myself."

That speech really lifted me off my feet, but while I was thinking what response to make, I came down to earth with a bounce.

"Since the telegram's done," said Lord Ralles to Miss Cullen, in a cool, almost commanding tone, "suppose we take a walk."

"I don't think I care to this morning," answered Madge.

"I think you had better," insisted his lordship, with such a manner that I felt inclined to knock him down.

To my surprise Madge seemed to hesitate, and finally said, "I'll walk up and down the platform, if you wish."

Lord Ralles nodded, and they went out, leaving me in a state of mingled amazement and rage at the way he had cut me out. Try as I would, I wasn't able to hit upon any theory that supplied a solution to the conduct of either Lord Ralles or Miss Cullen, unless they were engaged and Miss Cullen displeased him by her behavior to me. But Madge seemed such an honest, frank girl that I'd have believed anything sooner than that she was only playing with me.

If I was perplexed, I wasn't going to give Lord Ralles the right of way, and as soon as I had made certain that the telegram was safely started I joined the walkers. I don't think any of us enjoyed the hour that followed, but I didn't care how miserable I was myself, so long as I was

I moped around for an hour, too unsettled mentally to do anything but smoke, and only waiting for an invitation or for some excuse to go into 218. About eleven o'clock I obtained the latter in another telegram, and went into the car at once.

"Telegram received," I read triumphantly. "A detail of two companies of the Twelfth Cavalry, under the command of Capt. Singer, is ordered to Ash Forks, and will start within an hour, arriving at 5 o'clock. C. D. Olmstead, Adjutant."

"That won't do, Gordon," cried Mr. Cullen. "The mandamus will be here before that."

"Oh, don't say there is something more wrong!" sighed Madge.

"Won't it be safer to run 'while there is still time'?" suggested Albert, anxiously.

"I was born lazy about running away," I said.

"Oh, but please, just for once," Madge begged. "We know already how brave you are."

I thought for a moment, not so much objecting, in truth, to the running away as to the running away from Madge.

"I'd do it for you," I said, looking at Miss Cullen so that she understood this what I meant, without my using any emphasis, "but I don't see any need of making myself uncomfortable, when I can make the other side so. Come along and see if my method isn't quite as good."

We went to the station, and I told the operator to call Rock Butte; then I dictated:

"Direct conductor of Phoenix No. 3 on its arrival at Rock Butte to hold it there till further orders. Richard Gordon, Superintendent."

"That will save my running and their chasing," I laughed; "though I'm afraid a long wait in Rock Butte won't improve their tempers."

The next few hours were pretty exciting ones to all of us, as we well might imagine. Most of the time was spent, I have to confess, in manoeuvres and struggles between Lord Ralles and myself as to which should monopolize Madge, without either of us succeeding. I was so engrossed with the contest that I forgot all about the passage of time, and only when the sheriff strolled up to the station did I realize that the climax was at hand. As a joke I introduced him to the Cullens, and we all stood chatting till far out on the hill to the south I saw a cloud of dust and quietly called Miss Cullen's attention to it. She and I went to 97 for my field glasses, and the moment Madge looked through them she cried:

"Yes, I can see horses, and, oh, there are the stars and stripes! I don't think I ever loved them so much before."

"I suppose we civilians will have to take a back seat now, Miss Cullen," I said; and she answered me with a demure smile worth--well, I'm not going to put a value on that smile.

"They'll be here very quickly," she almost sang.

"You forget the clearness of the air," I said, and then asked the sheriff how far away the dust cloud was.

"Very mean that cattle-drive?" he asked.

"Bout ten miles."

"You seem to think of everything," exclaimed Miss Cullen, as if by knowing that distances are deceptive in Arizona was wonderful. I sometimes think one gets the most praise in this world for what least deserves it.

I waited half an hour to be safe, and then released No. 3, just as we were called to luncheon; and this time I didn't refuse the invitation to eat mine in 218.

We didn't hurry over the meal, and towards the end I took to looking at my watch, wondering what could keep the sheriff from arriving.

"I hope there is no danger of the train arriving first, is there?" asked Madge.

"Not the slightest," I assured her. "The train won't be here for an hour, and the cavalry had only five miles to cover forty minutes ago. I must say, they seem to be taking their time."

"There they are now!" cried Albert.

Listening, we heard the clatter of horses' feet, going at a good pace, and we all rose and went to the windows, to see the arrival. Our feelings can be judged when across the tracks came only a mob of thirty or forty cowboys, riding in their usual "show-off" style.

"The dence!" I couldn't help exclaiming, in my surprise. "Are you sure you saw a flag, Miss Cullen?"

"Why--I thought--" she faltered. "I saw something red, and--I supposed of course--"

"Not waiting to let her finish, I exclaimed, "There's been a fluke somewhere, I'm afraid; but we are still in good shape, for the train can't possibly be here under an hour. I'll get my field-glasses and have another look before I decide what--"

My speech was interrupted by the entrance of the sheriff and Mr. Camp!

CHAPTER XI.

The Letters Change Hands Again.

What seemed at the moment an incomprehensible puzzle had, as we afterwards learned, a very simple explanation. One of the G. S. directors, Mr. Baldwin, who had come in on Mr. Camp's car, was the owner

of a great cattle-ranch near Rock Butte. When the train had been held at the station for a few minutes, Camp went to the conductor, demanded the cause for the delay, and was shown my telegram. Seeing through the device, the party had at once gone to this ranch, where the owner, Baldwin, mounted them, and it was their dust-cloud we had seen as they rode up to Ash Forks. To make matters more serious, Baldwin had rounded up his cowboys and brought them along with him, in order to make any resistance impossible.

I made no objection to the sheriff serving the paper, though it nearly broke my heart to see Madge's face. To cheer her I said, suggestively, "They've got me, but they haven't got the letters, Miss Cullen. And remember, it's always darkest before the dawn, and the stars in their courses are against Siera."

With the sheriff and Mr. Camp I then walked over to the saloon, where Judge Wilson was waiting to dispose of my case. Mr. Cullen and Albert tried to come too, but all outsiders were excluded by order of the "court." I was told to show cause why I should not forthwith produce the letters, and answered that I asked an adjournment of the case so that I might be heard by counsel. It was denied, as was to have been expected.

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Talmage Confident God Would Only Consider Intent.

One evening, while lecturing at the Brooklyn Tabernacle, I was dining with Dr. Talmage. Col. Ingersoll was also a guest. Turning abruptly to the host, the latter remarked:

"By the way, doctor, I attended your evening service last Sunday, and I liked it, only when your contribution-box was passed, I put in what I thought was a one and found out later that I had put in a ten."

The doctor looked at him with his expressive face full of anxious sympathy. "Meant to put in only one dollar and put in ten by mistake, did you?" he asked, and as Ingersoll nodded he continued: "Too bad, too bad! God will give you credit for only one dollar, Colonel."--The Sunday Magazine.

Mexican Coin for China.

The Pacific Mail Steamship company's China took \$2,000,000 in Mexican dollars when she sailed from San Francisco for China, recently. It is cheaper to send the coin than pay exchange.

Strange Request for Church.

A quaint request was made by a man in Staffordshire, England, who asked that the sum of twenty shillings be paid yearly to some poor man "to go through the church during the sermon to keep the people awake and the doors out of the church."

Highest Active Volcano.

There are no fewer than twenty lofty volcanic peaks clustered about the city of Quito, the capital of Ecuador. One of these, Catopaxi, is the highest active volcano in the world.

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CLEVER PLAN FAILED TO WORK.

Juror's Only Reward for Attempted Bribe Was Witty Speech.

Several years ago, while I was serving as a juror in a Suffolk county court, the following story was told: Mr. L., who was disappointed at not being made foreman of one of the several panels on which he had been drawn, concluded a favor to the court might attain the desired honor. He came into court one morning with a very large floral display, and gave the bouquet to the clerk of the court, who instructed the court officer to see that it was immediately placed upon the desk before the judge's seat.

Judge Edgar J. Sherman entered, the usual opening ceremony was gone through with, and his honor asked to whom the court might extend his thanks for so large a floral display. The clerk answered that it was one of the jurors. "Then he must be in the florist business," said the judge. "No, sir," answered the clerk, "he is an undertaker." His honor exclaimed: "That explains it. Some poor corpse was robbed."--Boston Herald.

Spread of Style in Arizona.

Every symptom points to a tendency to spread on style in Tombstone. Among other instances in this direction the boys bought a pair of beautiful barber pole suspenders and presented them to the amiable dispenser who shoves the amber extract of cheerfulness over the mahogany of the Parlor saloon. He promptly donned the innovation, but claimed that he felt like he had a fence rail on each shoulder. Then when they became overburdensome he would unbutton them and permit them to dangle in front, but he finally got them down fine enough to go to church in. Several old-timers, conspicuously court attendants from the other end of the county, have fallen into the habit of wearing boiled shirts, and it looks as if sky-blue overalls might be discarded as a full dress costume. Getting "better toned" in town nowadays.--Tombstone Prospector.

As They Met.

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Stories of Undergraduates.
A nervous freshman was dining with Thomas Herbert Warren, president of Magdalen college, Oxford. By way of starting conversation the latter glanced out of the window and remarked, "We have a little sun today," but he was astonished to receive the freshman's congratulations coupled with the hope that Mrs. Warren was doing well. Another Oxford story: During his undergraduate days a man who is now a learned professor was discovered sitting in the "quad" clothed only in an umbrella unfurled above his head. In response to anxious inquiries as to what he was doing he replied: "Hush, hush! Don't you see I'm a bally mushroom, and I'm growing!"
Arrogance and Impudence.
A well-known dowager was pushing her way out of the opera in London with the total disregard of other people's feelings (and toes) that marks the British aristocracy, when a dentist of the suburbs, annoyed at the onslaught, observed out loud: "The last bus hasn't gone yet, ma'am. No need to hurry!" If looks could kill a coroner's inquest would have followed.
Highest Active Volcano.
There are no fewer than twenty lofty volcanic peaks clustered about the city of Quito, the capital of Ecuador. One of these, Catopaxi, is the highest active volcano in the world.

Around the fireside or about the well-lighted family reading table during the winter evenings the children and grown-ups can play with their wits and see how many words can be made.
20 people making the greatest number of words will each receive a little box containing a \$10.00 gold piece.
10 people will each win one box containing a \$5.00 gold piece.
300 people will each win a box containing \$1.00 in paper money and one person who makes the highest number of words over all contestants will receive a box containing \$100.00 in gold.
It is really a most fascinating bit of fun to take up the list evening after evening and see how many words can be added.
A few rules are necessary for absolute fair play.
Any word authorized by Webster's dictionary will be counted, but no name of person. Both the singular and plural can be used, as for instance "grape" and "grapes."
The letters in "Y-I-O-Grape-Nuts" may be repeated in the same word.
Geographical names authorized by Webster will be counted.
Arrange the words in alphabetical classes, all those beginning with A to those beginning with Z, and those beginning with E to come under E, etc.
When you are writing down the words leave some spaces, in the A, E, and other columns, to fill in later as new words come to you, for they will spring into mind every evening.
It is almost certain that some contestants will tie with others. In such cases a prize identical in value and character with that offered in that class shall be awarded to each. Each one will be requested to send with the list of words a plainly written letter describing the advantages of Grape-Nuts, but the contestant is not required to purchase a pkg. These letters are not to contain poetry or fancy flourishes, but simple, truthful statements of fact. For illustration: A person may have experienced some incipient or chronic ail traceable to unwise selection of food that failed to give the body and brain the energy, health and power desired. Seeking better conditions, a change in food is made and Grape-Nuts and cream used in place of the former diet. Suppose one quits the meat, fried potatoes, starchy messes of half-cooked oats or wheat and cuts out the coffee. Try, say, for breakfast a bit of fruit, a dish of Grape-Nuts and cream, two soft-boiled eggs, a slice of hard toast and a cup of Postum Food Coffee. Some amateur says: "A man would faint away on that." But, my dear friend, we will put dollars to your pen-

There is plenty of time to get personal experience with Grape-Nuts and write a sensible, truthful letter to be sent in with the list of words, as the contest does not close until April 30th, 1906. So start in as soon as you like to building words, and start in using Grape-Nuts. Cut this statement out and keep the letters Y-I-O-Grape-Nuts before you and when you write a letter you will have some reason to write on the subject, "Why I Owe Grape-Nuts."
Remember, 331 persons will win prizes, which will be awarded in an exact and just manner as soon as the list can be counted after April 30th, 1906. Every contestant will be sent a printed list of names and addresses of winners on application, in order to have proof that the prizes are sent as agreed. The company is well known all over the world for absolute fidelity to its agreements and every single one of the 331 winners may depend on receiving the prize won.
Many persons might feel it useless to contest, but when one remembers the great number of prizes--(331)--the curiosity of seeing how many words can really be made up evening after evening and the good, natural fun and education in the competition, it seems worth the trial; there is no cost, nothing to lose and a fine opportunity to win one of the many boxes of gold or greenbacks.
We make the prediction that some who win a prize of gold or greenbacks will also win back health and strength worth more to them than a wagon full of money prizes.
There are no preliminaries, cut out this statement and go at it, and send in the list and letter before April 30th, 1906, to Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich., and let your name and address be plainly written.

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FORECLOSURE SALE, Defiant having been made in the payment of money due on and secured by a certain mortgage made and executed by Thomas Kirkpatrick and John Kirkpatrick to James C. Wilson, bearing date the 8th day of May, A. D. 1893 and recorded in the Office of Register of Deeds for the county of Tuscola, Michigan, in Liber 82 of Mortgages, on page 211, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due One Hundred and Thirty-one Dollars and Four Cents.

Now THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in the Village of Cass City, County of Tuscola and State of Michigan, (that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Tuscola is held), on the 9th day of April, A. D. 1906 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

The said mortgaged premises are described in said mortgage substantially as follows: The North-east One-quarter (1/4) of the South-east One-quarter (1/4) of Section 22, Township 35 North, Range 13 East, being in the township of Novesta, county of Tuscola and state of Michigan.

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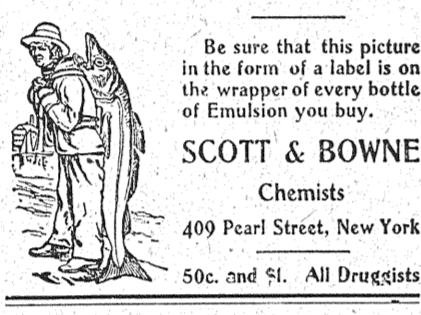
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..Correspondence..

ANOTHER PULL FROM THE SUCKING BOTTLE.

The next amusing thing we come in contact with is the report that "Capital and cringes before the enquiring eye of governmental rectitude and honor." This must seem like too much of a joke to the average reader to require a great deal of comment.

What has Capital to fear while it is in the possession of the United States Senate? Does our critic object to this suggestion? If so we would simply refer him to the fact that this dignified assembly is at present composed of 67 lawyers (representing great corporate interests), seven bankers, nine capitalists, two farmers, (each of rather large acreage), and four politicians. May be Capital does quake sometimes but by the time the vibrations reach out this far they do seem unmistakably like a good big senatorial Ha Ha.

Next we meet with a great spread made about Tolstoy with a raking up of the old Count's family affairs. Now we are not going to plead the cause of this noted gentleman, neither are we going to enter into condemnation of his tactics, but are simply going to say that Count Leo Tolstoy is not a socialist, nor never was. He is the champion of the doctrine of "Non-Resistance," advocates, we believe, the abandonment of private ownership in all worldly possessions, as the instance which our critic cites bears out. We socialists haven't anything to give away—we have something to get. We realize that an industrial game has been and is being played that has robbed us of our birthright—access to the means of producing the means of life and the full product of our toil for the laborer.

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

that for high?

We are next informed of the great campaign waged a few years ago here in Cass City for the purpose of having a sugar factory established here, and are asked to explain just why it didn't develop as desired. In the first place it was necessary that enough factories be built here and there, throughout the entire sugar belt, to enable the trust to control the entire product. It wouldn't be necessary to build one at both Cass City and Caro, and Caro by some diplomatic move, got the one that was slated for this locality. "But why is not one being built yet at Cass City?" we are asked, "and why is it that some factories once operating have been shut down?" Simply because the market is limited and absolutely controlled by the sugar trust, and only such factories will be kept going as can be operated at least expense. In Capitalistic production there is one thing that must always be taken into account first of all, and that is the market. The question is, "Is there a market?" And if we look a little further we'll see that the market is not measured by the demands of the people, but is limited to the extent of their purchasing power. Now the sugar trust, being in control of all the market there is, and being likewise sure of all the money the people can spend for sugar anyway, finds that by supplying less sugar it can do so at less cost. And that is just why there is no sugar factory at Cass City providing other conditions are favorable.

Before leaving this sugar question however we would just say that we would like to have the whole question of "Capital building a factory" unaided by Labor, for which we will exchange one equally good likeness of Labor building a factory unaided by private-owned Capital. Capital is of itself not a potent force and all it does in the present day industry is to control, dictate as to when Labor shall operate. And, be it remembered, Capital, wherever found, either in large or small quantities, represents nothing more nor less than unpaid toil, or the usurping of natural resources. There is absolutely no other way of accumulating it.

Our critic seems to wince a little at the term "wage slave." Well Mr. Workingman, we believe the best "safeguard" against being called a slave is to cease being one. As long as you are to be a slave, why not be a free man, and some idler is fattening on the product of your toil, your freedom is only an illusion, and these unregenerate Socialist fellows are just as liable to use one word as another to fool the masses. Let us mention one fact in connection with this: In 250 years Chattie Slavery never produced a millionaire, while since its abolition, and within the memory of people now living, there have been thousands upon thousands who have developed in every corner of the United States. Wonder where they got it!

Next we behold a great array of opinions from various sources as to whether it would be advisable or not for the working people to own what their labor produces and decisions made universally in the negative. What do you think of the list of names anyway Mr. Workingman? First crack out of the box comes Mr. Philadelphia, a millionaire merchant of Philadelphia, who is at present paying the salaries of the judges, the members of the legislature, and the members of the executive branch of government. He writes to us that you and your class will buy his goods and pay several prices for them. He says "Neither practical nor advisable." Good for John! Down a few steps we find the "Democratic Party" giving testimony in like manner. And then as a grand "Round up" we get the august decision from a Justice of the Supreme Court,—some old superde that a few years ago handed down the Dred-Scott decision, and that all enforcement of that infamous thing known as the Fugitive Slave Law. But say Mr. Workingman, don't you think you might just as well use your own brains a little in this matter and cease to be hypnotized and led around by the nose by these fellows? Don't you think you've had already about all that sort of thing you can stand? If so investigate Socialism, and if it appeals to you as a way out of the wilderness then help push it along.

By not then arrange some other working men's organization that will be more effectual, show us the superior strength of your position, and we'll go with you. The working people should at least pull together rather than apart. Our critic assures us that "This is a thinking age and its acts will correspond." So let us think a little and quit absorbing the opinions of others and stand out like men and women and claim our birthright. Your opinion is just as liable to be right as any one else's, no matter how imposing or superior he or any one else wishes to make out. We are all made of the same kind of clay and if anyone asserts that he actually belongs to some superior class it is nothing but just and fair that we insist upon his proving his claim. This is a thinking age and (we hope) its acts will correspond."

Next time we will treat upon the methods of acquiring national possession of the industries and natural resources. Yours J. W. STIRTON.

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Greenleaf. We are enjoying zero weather. Mike Keeneye has moved in his new house. Hugh Gillies made a trip to Detroit, Friday.

Mrs. A. Powell is visiting friends at Semlao Centre. Revival services are in progress at the Presbyterian church. Scarlet fever in a mild form is epidemic in school district No. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Heffebower visited relatives here Sunday. Mrs. Wilkinson and son, Robert, of Canada, are visiting relatives here. Wilson Simpkins, of Pontiac, is spending a short vacation with friends here.

Perry Withey and family, of Sebewaing, have moved on the Sinclair farm. A number of young men from here are working in the woods east of Cass City for Dr. A. N. Treadgold. Mrs. Geo. Hillman, who has been assisting in the nursing of Mrs. A. Livingston, returned to her home the first of the week.

Alexander Paul died at his home Wednesday morning, Jan. 31st, aged seventy years. The funeral was held at the home Friday at ten o'clock a. m. Interment in Uby cemetery. Deceased is survived by two children, Mary and John, who have the sympathy of all in their bereavement.

Frightfully Burned. Chas. W. Moore, a machinist of Ford City, Pa., had his hand frightfully burned in an electrical furnace. He applied Brooker's Arnica Salve with the usual result: "a quick and perfect cure." (Greatest healer on earth for Burns, Wounds, Sores, Kezema and Piles. 25c of E. Ryan, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.)

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Village Council.

COUNCIL ROOMS, Feb. 5, 1906.

Regular meeting of the Council was called to order by the President.

The following trustees were present: Striffler, McKenzie, Campbell and Clarke.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

The following bills were read and referred to committee on Claims and accounts:

Elas Killins, salary.....	\$ 40.00
J. C. Epplett, salary.....	35.00
A. A. Brian, hauling coal.....	22.11
Angus McMillan, salary.....	31.25
Cass City Roller Mills, coal.....	9.70
Klump-Lenzner Co., printing.....	1.70
B. F. Benkelman, sundries.....	5.28
Rt. Wayne Electric Works, inv. 12-23.....	11.50
Sterling Elec. Manf. Co., inv. 12-23.....	11.50
Frank C. Teal Co., inv. 1-31.....	35.59
Garden City Chandler Co., inv. 1-4.....	4.25
Saginaw Coal Co., inv. 1-29, 370.59; 1-13, 85.50; 1-29, 89.85.....	232.24
John Wooley, nightwatch 9-30-05.....	1.00

The committee reported favorably on all bills as read.

Moved by Clarke, supported by McKenzie, that the report be accepted and orders drawn for the several amounts. Carried.

Bond of Hugh W. Seet and James E. Seet, principals, and Notion Bigelow, surety, in the sum of \$250, to secure fire-proofing of building on lot 3, block 2, of Seet's Addition to Village of Cass City, by July 1, 1906, was read. Moved by Striffler, supported by Clarke, that the bond be approved. Carried.

John B. McFaul asked damages for injuries claimed to be due to defective sidewalk. Moved by McKenzie, supported by Striffler, that the matter be referred to the village attorney for investigation, to report at next meeting. Carried.

Moved by Striffler, supported by McKenzie, that the President appoint a committee of two to settle with village treasurer. Carried.

The President appointed Trustees Striffler and Campbell.

Moved by McKenzie, supported by Clarke, that the appointments be confirmed. Carried.

Moved by Campbell, supported by Striffler, that President appoint Board of Registration. Carried.

The President appointed Trustees Striffler and Clark.

Moved by McKenzie, supported by Campbell, that the appointments be confirmed. Carried.

Moved by Striffler, supported by McKenzie, that the President appoint a Board of Election Commissioners. Carried.

The President appointed Messrs. A. A. McKenzie, A. A. P. McDowell and J. D. Crosby.

Moved by Clark, supported by McKenzie, that the appointments be confirmed. Carried.

On motion of Striffler, supported by McKenzie, council adjourned.

C. G. MATZEN, Clerk.

Canboro.

Rev. E. Sutphen preached in the Canboro Church last Sunday morning.

Miss Grace McTaggart visited her parental home in Sheridan over Sunday.

Henry and Joseph Mellendorf were business callers in Elkton Friday evening.

Fred Mellendorf was a business transactor in Sebawing Tuesday, after a load of brick for his father.

The Misses Myrtle Libkumman and Martha Pierre, of Cass City, visited the former's parental home Saturday evening and Sunday.

Hives, eczema, itch or salt rheum sets you crazy. Can't bear the touch of your clothing. Don't's Ointment cures the most obstinate cases. Why suffer. All druggists sell it.

West Greenleaf

Miss Meda Watson is on the sick list.

Harry Lee Pla called on A. B. Wright Friday.

Grover Blade visited friends in Cass City Sunday.

Phillip Wright, Sr., called on Thos. Budd Friday evening.

Mrs. Bardwell is visiting friends and relatives in Cass City.

Misses Clara Lee Pla and Gertrude Wright spent Sunday at their parental homes.

Early Wednesday morning, Jan. 31st, the house on O. Klinkman's farm, three and one half miles east and one fourth mile north of Cass City, was burned down. It was occupied by J. Wringleworth.

The Yellow Fever Germ has recently been discovered. It bears a close resemblance to the malaria germ. To free the system from disease germs, the most effective remedy is Dr. King's New Life Pills. Guaranteed to cure all diseases due to malaria poison and constipation. 25c at E. Ryan, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Northeast Kingston.

February has brought cold days.

A Sunday school convention will be held at Kingston, Feb. 22nd.

The Ladies' aid meets Thursday of this week at the home of Mrs. D. Rule.

The little child of M. Cooper is very ill with pneumonia. Dr. Hays, of Cass City, is attending her.

Revival meetings are being held at the Leek school house. Come and bring your friends. The doors are open to all.

A number from this vicinity attended the entertainment given at Novesta on Friday evening. All report a good time.

The annual meeting of the Farmers' Club which met at C. Wells' was not as well attended as usual on account of the sudden cold weather.

Detord.

H. Lester is gathering material for a new barn.

Dewitt Lowe has moved his family to Jackson.

Jake Hilderbrand is on the sick list for the past week.

Jesse Sole is able to labor again after a three weeks' lay off.

Vern Kyle is hulling the clover seed on the townline, southeast of here.

The acreage of sugar beets will be legions in this vicinity this season.

Mrs. John Retherford is home after a two weeks' visit in Oakland County.

Ten dollars was the result of the entertainment at Novesta F. W. B. Church, Feb. 2nd.

William Sadler has bought John McCracken's Gray Eagle equine. Price, a double jeweled stop watch.

The Kingston Farmers' Club met at the residence of Cyrus Wells, Section 2, Kingston, Feb. 2nd. A fair attendance and a good time reported.

Good for you! Now old boys, you are doing business—both giving hard knocks—Socialism and Anti-Socialism is brought to the front. We like your ways, in the language of one of old.

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Hay Creek

Mrs. Fisher is improving slowly.

Will Marshall is numbered with the sick.

Gould Bradley is home from Montana.

Mrs. Will Marshall is visiting friends in Canada.

J. T. Wilson has sold his place to Dan McNaughton.

Miss Winnie McTavish visited at Fern Loney's, Sunday.

Jas. Watson had a wood bee and about twenty attended.

Mrs. Loney left for Owosso, accompanied by G. Burt, Monday.

The party at J. Brown's was well attended. All report a good time.

Albert Kitchen filled the pulpit at the F. M. church, Sunday evening.

The Misses Gillis, from Cadillac, have gone to Canada to visit relatives.

Ralph Loney who is attending Owosso Business college is very low with appendicitis.

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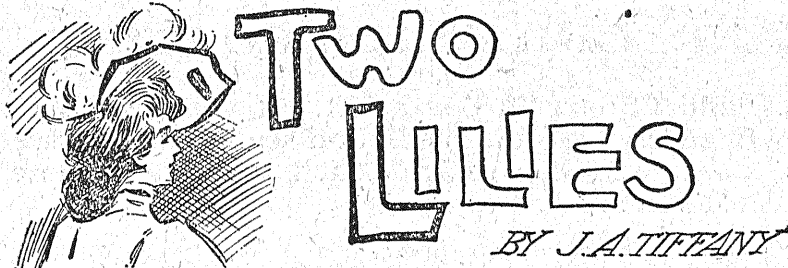
The Garden

The sky of her eyes is passing deep,
The snow of her smile is fair;
But the red of her inmost heart-of-hearts
Is the color my love there.

And that glance of bonding blue,
And that even smile of white,
Give to that red, red heart-of-hearts
The odor of love's delight.

The white is the hue of innocence,
The blue is the tint of truth;
But the red, red stain of her heart-of-
hearts
Is the blood of passionate youth.

And the blue of her azure eyes,
And the white of her smile outspread,
Are the flowers bloom in her heart-of-
hearts
To garnish that garden of red!
—Post Wheeler, in New York Press.



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After I had been admitted to the bar, my father considering it best that I should have the opportunity of gaining experience in a large city before entering his own office, I went west, where I became associated with a law firm, the head of which was an old college friend of my father's. Though they had lost sight of each other for some years, they had all kindly recollections of each other. It was drawing on toward evening when I arrived at Dr. Marsden's house on Madison avenue, in the city where I located.

Mr. Marsden impressed me at first as my beau ideal of a man; while Mrs. Marsden was one of those matronly ladies, with a certain old-world courtliness of manner, sweet and endearing. There was a son, named Fred, about two years older than I, who appeared to be a jolly good fellow.

"Lillian," said Mrs. Marsden, as a young lady entered the room, "this is Mr. Donald Fairchild. My daughter, Donald."

Miss Marsden and I shook hands. I am not a lady's man, but up to this time I had never met a girl who caused me to be other than self-possessed and natural in my manner. Now I was at a loss for something to say.

There was nothing haughty, or even stately about Lillian Marsden—just a bright, fresh, plump girl, a year or two younger than I, as I judged, but with something about her that immediately convinced me of my own inferiority.

She moved with ease, grace and distinction. Without boldness or any suggestion of coquetry, she had a way of looking direct into a fellow's eyes; and, in a musical voice she spoke with a frankness and directness—free from self-consciousness or affectation—that took the starch out of a fellow, making him feel limp and fatuous.

"This is Lillian's twentieth birthday," Mrs. Marsden observed, evidently for the purpose of relieving my embarrassment. "She is our only daughter, Mr. Fairchild."

"I am sure, Miss Marsden," I said, finding my tongue at last, "I wish you many very happy returns of your birthday."

It would be impossible to convey any adequate idea of the unalloyed delight of my first few days in the city. At the end of a week I had accomplished three things: I had secured nice room for my private quarters; been assigned a place in the offices of the firm, to which I was admitted as a junior partner, and fallen head over ears in love with the head of that firm.

Mr. and Mrs. Marsden must have known how things were going, but the knowledge appeared to cause them no uneasiness. Indeed, there was nothing that Mrs. Marsden better liked than to talk about her daughter.

"Lillian is so different from most girls of her age," she remarked one day. "She is light-hearted and full



of fun, but there is no giddiness about her."

I had been here about six months, when I was entrusted with a commission that took me to Massachusetts—which, by the way, was the place where Mr. Marsden first became acquainted with his wife. It was there that they were married.

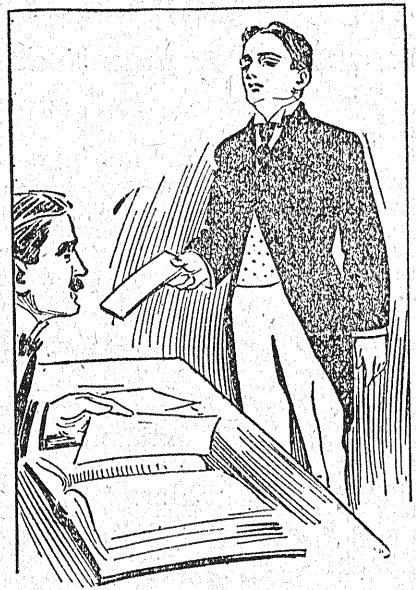
My business was to look up the title to certain real estate in Boston, and to obtain authenticated records proving the validity of a client's claim thereto; which work, in addition to details to transfer, involved a search of vital statistics.

Before starting on my journey, I declared my passion to Lillian, and became her accepted suitor, with the approval of her parents.

At the end of three days I had finished my search in Boston and armed myself with certified copies of the entries discovered.

But—alas, for my success! I had found something else—something for which I was not looking—something that took all the interest out of my mission and made life seem a hideous mockery and burden.

Standing out, as if written in let-



I flung at him a copy of Lillian's certificate of birth.

ters of fire borrowed from the nether regions, I found this entry in the record of births in Boston.

"December 14, 1860—Lillian Agnes, daughter of John and Katherine Marsden."

And this was January, 1896!

My affianced, who had been introduced to me on her twentieth birthday, six months ago, was a charming damsel of thirty-six!

She was old enough to judge for herself; had been her father's naive concession, when first I spoke to him of my love for his daughter.

"Lillian is so sensible—no giddiness about her!" Oh, yes! Very sensible, my dear madame. Sensible enough to enquire the virgin affections of a young blockhead like me!

"So different from other girls of her age!" Very, very different, I grant you—you fond, foolish mother.

"Lily!" Oh, grossest satire of all! "Evergreen," "Aloe," "Hardy Annual"—anything but "Lily."

Had this sweet maiden discovered the Elixir Vitæ?—or what was the secret of her perpetual youth?

When I reached the office on my return to the west, I found Fred busy poring over a pile of nasty documents.

"Glad to see you back, Don," he said, "I'm just looking over some interesting family papers. Father is at work on our genealogical history. I suppose you know we came over in the Mayflower?"

"I wasn't aware of it," I replied; "but you wouldn't surprise me if you told me you came over in the ark. How did your sister stand the voyage?"

"What the deuce is the matter with you, Fairchild?" Marsden asked, coloring.

"Nothing," I answered.

"Are you trying to be funny or offensive?"

"It all depends how you like to take it," I replied.

"Oh, that's it, eh?"

"Yes. Tell me, Marsden, how old is your sister?"

"Don't you!" shouted Marsden, "don't you know that a gentleman doesn't talk with other men about his sister?"

"I know more about the habits of gentlemen than you can tell me, Mr. Fred Marsden," I answered. "Perhaps, you would like to add this to your collection of family documents. It's very interesting, I assure you, and I flung at him a copy of Lillian's certificate of birth."

"Well, what of it?" Marsden asked, with a puzzled look, as he glanced from the paper to me.

"What of it?" I almost screamed. "Do you remember the day I came here."

"I do."

"And that your mother told me Lillian was twenty years old that day?"

"Well—don't you see—this paper proves she is thirty-six?"

Marsden whistled, and then he laughed.

"Look here, Don," he said; "I think

ought to break your neck, instead of laughing at you;—but it's too absurd. My parents' first child was a girl, who was christened Lillian Agnes. I was born nine years later; and five years after that came another girl. Lillian was a favorite name with my father; and the first child having died in infancy, they decided to revive the name. Accordingly, the second daughter was christened Lillian Agnes. Now—what are you going to do about it, before I punch your head?"

"Punch my head first, please," I pleaded.

"No; I won't do it," Fred replied. "It's a pretty dangerous thing to talk to a fellow about his sister, you know, the way you talked to me, just now. But I'm glad you saw me, before any of the folks; and I'll keep mum about the whole business, for everybody's sake."

"And you won't punch my head?"

"No—I'll see you hanged first."

"Then, I'll do it myself!"

And I gave my head two or three good whacks against the wall. After which, I felt better.

SHREWD SON OF NEW ENGLAND

Peddler Used Hypnotism to Victimize His Customers.

Twenty years ago there were few people in Worcester county who had not made the acquaintance of Ebenezer Handy of Millbury, a vender of fish, fruits and vegetables, and occasionally displaying the red flag of an auctioneer. He was a poet in a small but original way, and must have had some knowledge of hypnotism, which was little heard of in those days. While in the act of selling his wares he would keep up such a running fire of words that many of his patrons lost their heads, and in some cases paid him more money than was their intention. This is one example of his methods:

In Millbury one day he sold a woman six pounds of fish at 6 cents a pound, and a bunch of radishes for 5 cents. The woman stood with her purse in hand ready to foot the bill, and as the goods were passed over Handy rattled off this: "Six times six is 36, and five is 101. Live and let live is my motto; call it a dollar."

The woman was educated, and knew the value of money, but she did not know the mysterious ways of Ebenezer Handy, and she paid \$1, thinking he had kindly thrown off the odd cent.

—Boston Herald.

Color Definitions.

Colors have each an individual meaning. White, for instance, which is reunion of the seven primitive colors, is the symbol of power, divine wisdom, purity, candor, innocence and chastity. Red represents fire. It is, therefore, symbolic of passion, power and riches; hence kings and the powerful rulers of the earth wore red mantles. It is also emblematic of hardness and cruelty, being the color worn by executioners of old and by the members of the inquisition.

Blue denotes fidelity, sweetness, tenderness and loyalty. With the ancients, yellow denotes glory and fortune. Now it is called the color of infidelity and shame. How is it that yellow has become the emblem of infidelity, perjury and misfortune? Because Jews were forced to wear yellow during the middle ages, and the house doors of traitors were smeared with the yolk of eggs.

Green is the color of hope and joy and the emblem of youth. Black denotes sadness. Pink denotes health, youth, pleasure, love. Violet is the color allowed to faith. Orange means divine inspiration and poetry. The muses are all represented clad in orange colored draperies. Orange was also the color of Hymen. Brides once wore orange-colored veils called flammeum, and they could not pronounce their vows unless covered with the flammeum.

Hunter Had to Walk Home.

Bill Jenks, a guide up in Aroostook county, Me., tells this story: An amateur sportsman spending his vacation in Maine, hired a horse and started out with a determination to bring back any deer so unfortunate as to cross his path. On arriving at a likely piece of ground, he alighted and hitched his horse securely.

He scoured the woods thereabouts for some time, but the deer seemed afraid to give him a chance for a shot. Suddenly he perceived a movement in the bushes some distance away. Trembling all over, he crept a little nearer.

Yes, there could be no doubt; it was a deer. He could see the ears move. With a shaky hand, he drew a bead on the deer; and then pulled the trigger. The head disappeared, and with a loud whoop he dashed toward the game. He jumped through the bushes separating him from his victim, and there before him, instead of the beautiful prize he expected to gloat over, was the horse that had brought him to the hunting ground.

Great Intellect Not Bequeathed.

Paul Meurice, who was buried the other day at Paris, was Victor Hugo's executor and the guardian of his only surviving daughter, Adele Hugo. She is an old lady of 75, weak in her mind, who lives in a small country house not far from Paris under the care of two nurses. She has no notion of her wealth—thanks to the royalties on her father's works she is immensely wealthy—and works hard writing plays which she imagines are produced in Paris and in the provinces. Now and again she is brought into Paris and taken to a matinee at one of the theaters. There she sits in a corner of the stage box, believing that the play she is watching is one of her own and bowing when the audience applauds.

Alice Roosevelt's Wedding Trousseau All of American Manufacture

Miss Roosevelt's wedding gown—in fact, the entire trousseau—is of American manufacture. The material, of heavy pearl white satin and brocade, was designed especially for the White House bride by a firm in Paterson, N. J. This same firm designed and manufactured Mrs. Roosevelt's famous inauguration gown brocade.

Nearly all of Miss Roosevelt's trousseau is in the hands of a Baltimore modiste firm that has gowned three generations of the Washington and Baltimore set.

Miss Roosevelt will become Mrs. Nicholas Longworth Jr., in a princess robe, built on severely plain lines. Her robe will be fashioned according to court regulations, for it is to do dual service, first at the wedding and then at the court of King Edward VII. The train will measure three yards and will come from the back widths and swell into billowing folds, with a soft ruffle of chiffon peeping beneath.

Miss Roosevelt, who has gained the reputation of being one of the best gowned women in America, has spent much thought on the details of her bridal robe. The bodice will be embroidered in seed pearls and a wide leaf design of soft silk. Some rare old lace which has adorned the wedding finery of several generations of the Lees, the maternal ancestors of the bride, will be draped on the sleeves and form a berth effect. A veil of tulle and orange blossoms will complete the toilet, and Miss Roosevelt will carry an ivory prayer book, which her mother used when she became the bride of Theodore Roosevelt.

Some of the evening gowns which Miss Roosevelt is having built may give Londoners and Parisians a new idea of American fabrics and American dressmakers. One gown is pale green tissue built over deep yellow moire with drapery of frosted leaves and exquisitely embroidered bodice. Another evening gown is a fetching combination of fine silk lace, tulle and satin in deep cream, with drapery and combinations of the most effective style.

A broadcloth gown of old rose trimmed with sable and Persian embroidery is another of the handsome toilets being prepared by a Washington tailor for the trousseau. In the matter of lingerie, Miss Roosevelt has been equally patriotic. All the dainty embroidery and stitching has been given to a girls' industrial home in Washington.



MISS ROOSEVELT'S WEDDING GOWN

isters and ladies of the diplomatic corps, showing that Miss Alice's will have prevailed; that is, she will have an official wedding, gold lace and all, and not a private wedding, as her father had planned.

ROYALTY SENDS COSTLY GIFTS.

Presented from European Monarchs to Happy Bride.

Rescued from the dust heap of banned phrases, "the wedding's gifts were numerous and costly" may rear its horrid head in the accounts of Miss Alice Roosevelt's bridal, though the yarns about wonderful jewels coming

in by the peck are—well, they are yarns. Still, it is certain the presents to her will represent a lot of money in the aggregate.

The President has decided to make public a list of the more costly gifts and those from organizations and foreign rulers. Only three European monarchs thus far have given a suggestion of their gifts. The Emperor and Empress of Germany will send a set of gold embossed china and ornaments for a dining room. The Czar and Czarina will send bronze ornaments and the President of France some Gobelin tapestries.

PRESENTS TO BE MAGNIFICENT.

Tiffany's Most Skillful Workmen Are Preparing Gifts.

At the New York shop of Tiffany, as well as at their Forest Hill plant, skilled workmen are engaged night and day, under the direction of Superintendent Von Posal, on a bewildering array of jewels which friends of Miss Alice Roosevelt are having set in special designs as wedding gifts for the daughter of the President.

One of the handsomest is a pearl collar of ten strands, the largest ever made by Tiffany, and worth \$31,000. A diamond tiara, containing 500 stones, is another, and there are also two dia-

	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.
1898	3,077,580	1,057,077	17,092
1899	3,635,523	1,543,938	14,276
1900	4,122,864	1,754,439	17,044
1901	5,046,697	2,293,439	24,702
1902	6,257,758	3,103,367	36,445
1903	8,372,234	4,406,662	68,947
1904	9,655,549	5,233,634	98,154

The yield has been uniformly good every year except 1900, when there appears to have been a slump all along the line. This, however, was more than compensated for in the following year, when the bumper crop in wheat, oats and barley put the returns of all previous years completely in the shade and gave an impetus to settlement in the west which has prevailed to the present, as the following table by bushels will show:

	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.
1898	5,542,478	3,040,307	449,512
1899	6,915,623	4,686,036	337,521
1900	4,028,294	4,226,152	353,216
1901	12,808,447	11,113,066	795,100
1902	13,956,850	10,661,295	970,417
1903	16,029,149	14,179,705	1,842,824
1904	16,875,537	16,332,551	2,205,434

It will be seen that the number of acres sown to wheat, oats and barley in 1898 was 429,749, and that this had increased in 1904 to 1,537,337. The total crop in the cereals mentioned was 9,033,297 bushels in 1898, and in 1904 it had grown to the magnificent total of 35,413,522. In the year just closed the "forward movement" in the agriculture of the west has been the wonder and envy of the world. New sections of the country have been placed under tribute to the plow and harrow, and the grain area has been largely increased. This is particularly the case where it has been demonstrated that "Alberta Red" winter wheat may be successfully grown, and along the lines of the new railroads towards the centre of the country, where mixed farming prevails.

The future of the Canadian West is assured, and for years to come it is bound to be the land of promise to the agriculturist of every nation and of every clime, and the land of opportunity to every settler within its bounds.

Fulllest information can be secured from any Canadian Government Agent.

GREATEST AMERICAN RAILROAD SYSTEM.

With due respect to other good roads east of Chicago, the New York Central lines were unconsciously laid out by Commodore Vanderbilt so that as a finished product they represent a water course rather than a railway system. They were built on lines of least resistance and flow from the Mississippi to the Atlantic. Like a number of streams tributary to one big one, the peculiar feature of the New York Central system is that the different lines feed naturally on a water level grade from the middle west to the Atlantic ocean, while not another road escapes the high grades and mountains. Illustrating the New York Central as a water course: The main river is represented by the four track parent system from Buffalo to New York. Into this river at Buffalo flows two smaller, but equally important rivers from Chicago, represented by the Lake Shore and Michigan Central lines. Into the Michigan Central at Detroit, comes a tributary stream from Mackinac. Into the Lake Shore at Cleveland flows another big feeding stream, the Big Four, and at Sandusky another tributary, the Lake Erie and Western. In this way it will be noted that the entire middle west, the garden spot of the country, is beautifully and economically drained into the metropolis through one great main channel at Buffalo. Like the wrist of the human arm the New York Central with four tracks extends from New York to Buffalo and from there like the five fingers of the hand spread the Lake Shore, Michigan Central, Big Four and Lake Erie and Western roads, gripping the terminal cities of Cleveland, Toledo, Detroit, Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Cairo, St. Louis, Peoria, Chicago and the upper lake region at Mackinac.

Notwithstanding its commanding position the system is managed on the broadest lines, its dealings with the public and press always being characterized by liberality, due to the policy of that railroad diplomat, W. H. Newman, president of the system, in striking contrast to the recent policies adopted by some competing roads.

Senator's Wife Skillful Painter.

Mrs. Heyburn, wife of Senator Weldon Brinton Heyburn of Idaho, as Miss Geraldine Yeatman of Philadelphia, was a famous portrait painter. One of the works of her skillful brush is the portrait of Thomas F. Bayard, which adorns the stateroom in Wilmington, Del. Mrs. Heyburn has recently completed one of the daintiest of miniature plates, which shows the daughter of a friend in various ages from 8 months to 18 years. The heads are miniatures in oil on a Limoges plate, arranged in soft azure clouds all around the edge. There are twelve heads, all finished in exquisite detail.

On Stage for Fifty Years.

Mrs. Samuel Charles, the oldest actress on the stage in point of actual length of service, gave a reception in New York recently in celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of her professional debut. Mrs. Charles was born on a Mississippi steamboat, made her first appearance on the stage at the age of four in a pantomime with the elder Holland. A six months' journey from St. Paul to California in a prairie schooner drawn by oxen and a stop-over in Salt Lake City to fight a lawsuit with Brigham Young are among her early recollections.

First Signs of Age.

If one be watchful there comes a time in the life of every man and woman when one or more discoveries are made. The walk is not so brisk, the shoulders have got into a way of slumping forward and the back is not so erect as formerly. Now is the time to cry "Halt!" It is the time to drill the body, the time to revise sleep, diet, exercise, occupation, relaxation and all habits. Every son and daughter of humanity should refuse this gradual yielding to decay.

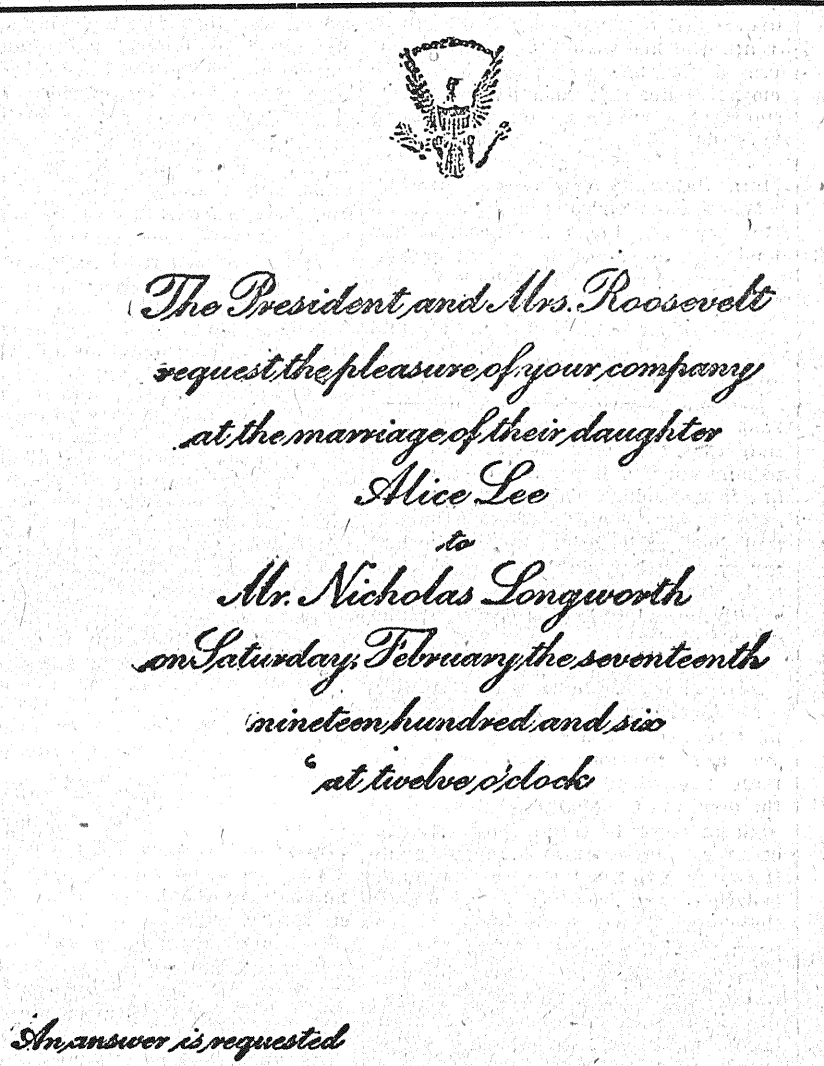
Arrest Pat Crowe's Protege.

Marion, Ind., dispatch: Charles Byrd, protege of Pat Crowe, was arrested here by a decoy letter. He is charged with attempting to blackmail three women of Marion.

Senator Has Whooping Cough.

Washington dispatch: Senator Martin of Virginia has the whooping cough, along with some of the younger members of his family. He is 60 years old.

INVITATION CARD TO WEDDING



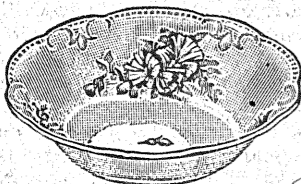
Spend Money for Golf.

Never has so much money been applied to the propagation of any game in one year as there has been applied to golf in the year which has just drawn to a close. Twenty thousand pounds spent by the Tooting Bee club, £12,000 by the Bourneouth corporation, scores of cases where sums of from £2,000 to £5,000 have been expended, and now £6,000 by the people of North Berwick—these are but a few items in the golf expenditure of the season.—Golf Illustrated.

Training of Jap Soldiers.

The Japanese official organ, the Kokumin, comparing the Japanese with foreign soldiers, says: "They are brought up in the idea that it is their common duty to serve with the colors and die in the defense of their country in case of emergency, so that they can rise in their valor and fidelity above those of other countries, who either make fighting the occupation of their caste or follow it as mercenaries. England is not quite up to the mark in the matter of this principle."

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PROBATE OF WILL.

The Probate Court for the county of Tuscola. At a session of the Probate Court for said county, held at the Probate office in the village of Caro on the 31st day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

Present, John M. Smith, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Theodore H. Fritz, Deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of J. A. Fritz, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Grant L. Fritz, or to some other suitable person. It is ordered that Tuesday, the 27th day of February next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Probate office, be assigned for said hearing.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published in the Cass City Enterprise, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

JOHN M. SMITH, Judge of Probate. A true copy 2-14

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Deford R.F.D. No. 3

E. J. Reid visited friends in Novesta last Sunday.

It is reported that A. C. Russell has sold his farm.

Two children of A. C. Russell are under the doctor's care.

John M. Reid has men cutting off ten acres of brush on his farm.

A man from Bay City is leasing coal lands in the south part of Ellington.

A large crowd attended the party at Silas Brumley's last Wednesday evening.

Claude Callen took in the entertainment at Novesta Corners last Friday evening.

The correspondent made a mistake in an item last week. It should have read Gordon Arbor instead of Diamond.

A birthday party was held at Stephen Dodge's Monday evening. It being Mrs. Dodge's eighteenth birthday. A good time is reported.

About six o'clock Tuesday morning the house of Wm. Houghton, in Ellington, caught fire and was totally destroyed. The neighbors saved most of the contents.

They never gripe or sicken, but cleanse and strengthen the stomach, liver and bowels. This is the universal verdict of the many thousands who use DeWitt's Little Early Risers. These famous little pills relieve headache, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, torpid liver, sallow complexion, etc. Try Little Early Risers. L. I. Wood & Co., Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Elmwood.

Farmers are now hoping to get ice.

S. F. Dean sold a colt to Albert Perry Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pattison are visiting relatives at Big Rapids.

Mrs. M. Van Wagoner has returned to her home at Battle Creek.

Isaiah Waidly is building a new tenant house near his farm residence.

John Leishman will move back to his Elmwood farm, some time this month.

Geo. Compton and wife spent Sunday with their daughter at Brookfield.

Mrs. Leander Morse is in very poor health, and has the sincere sympathy of a large circle of friends.

Bert Perry, who has had a severe time with his hand, crushed in a corn husker, is now able to be out.

Glad to know brother John, of Deford, has the time of day in his pocket, and has got rid of that Arabian pup.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fournier, nee Miss Ida Compton, of Brookfield, are parents of a daughter since Feb. 1st.

O. S. Pursell, of Unionville, is selling phonographs and organs in this vicinity. Dell Ward is one of the purchasers of an Edison Phonograph.

Protracted meetings are held at the Elmwood M. P. Church, with a large attendance. Rev. J. E. Harris the local pastor, assisted by Rev. J. W. Mulholland, are conducting the meetings.

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The farmer is as good as any one. Agriculture is coming to the forefront of the world's attention. Young people should get an education along this line.

The demand for the McKinley Sheet Music is steadily increasing, because people are finding out its value and the advantage of getting high-class music at so low a price—10c. On sale at the ENTERPRISE Office.

COLUMBIA'S COURT.

The President's New Year Reception at the White House.

Washington is never more spectacularly interesting than on the one day in the year that Columbia holds her court.

Every New Year's morning, bright and early, men and women belonging to the class that Lincoln used to call "the dear common people" swarm in hundreds before the White House gates. They are there to catch a glimpse of the envoys of the world's nations on their way to pay their respects to the president of the United States, or, as the crowd itself would put it, to see the diplomats go by. It is invariably a good natured crowd, all elbows, nudges and exclamations.

When the various military escorts come to a halt on the street before the gates, it applauds. If a band strikes up, it cheers. The mounted police come in for a fire of audible comment, and the always present wit who breaks out in a spontaneous gush of infectious laughter that only a jolly crowd can achieve.

Finally a carriage whirrs up and causes a rustle of expectancy. The diplomats have begun to arrive. It takes only an instant for each equipage to flash through the gateway, but the crowd will have caught a burst of bright colors, gold embroideries and gay plumes, and after this fleeting show of miscellaneous gorgeousness is over will resolve itself into "the public" and join the square low procession of citizens in the often disappointed hope of shaking hands with the president later in the day.

Before 2 o'clock thousands of men in every station in life will have had a handshake with the president. The tramp, tramp of soldiery will have died in the distance, the White House grounds will be deserted, and Columbia's court will be ended.—New York Tribune.

THE KILTIES' NEW YEAR.

A Picturesque Custom of King Edward's Highlanders.

A curious New Year's custom is that observed by the highland regiments in the British army.

At five minutes before 12 on New Year's eve, the regimental band, preceded by Father Time, the oldest soldier in the ranks, in costume, with hourglass and scythe, plays on the square and out of the barracks gates the strains of "Auld Lang Syne," thus bidding farewell to the old year.

At the hour of midnight a knock is heard at the barracks gates, and "who comes there?" is the challenge, to be followed by answer, "The glad New Year."

"Advance, New Year. All is well," is the reply. The gates are then thrown open, and the New Year, represented by the youngest drummer boy in the regiment dressed in highland costume and preceded by the piper of the band, makes a tour of the quarters, ending with the officers' barracks, where a great feast is spread.—London Globe.

At Frankfurt-on-the-Main.

An old German custom is always observed on New Year's eve at Frankfurt-on-the-Main. It is a very pretty way of celebrating and means a large family gathering. All the members of a household join together and make merry. Punch, champagne, cakes and candies are served during the evening. Every one contributes all he can to the fun, and so the entertainment is most delightful.

When the clocks of the town begin to strike 12 all the windows of the whole city are thrown open and the people drink each other's good health and wish one another and everybody a very happy new year.

When the last stroke of the hour has ceased ringing the windows are all closed again, and soon all the inhabitants are soundly sleeping.—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Philadelphia's New Year's Parade.

While New Orleans has her Mardi Gras and St. Louis the Feast of the Prophet, which are held at other seasons of the year, Philadelphia, in the heart of winter, midst snow and ice, has its indoor entertainments well seen, more in keeping, defies the cold and welcomes the new year with a glittering, gorgeous street pageant of fantastically garbed mummers—a parade that from end to end, and it is usually four or five miles long, is full of life and color.

This New Year's parade is entirely a Philadelphia institution and had its origin in the dim and misty past; but, unlike many old customs, instead of dying out it is constantly growing in popularity.—Philadelphia Press.

New Year's Calls in Olden Days.

An American New Year's celebration fifty years or even a few decades ago was a much more enthusiastic affair than it is today. The great feature of the day was the "calling," then a well nigh universal feature in both city and country. Neighbors and friends made it a custom to break the ice of a year's isolation by crossing each other's threshold. Every one's sideboard was prepared with wine and the lighter edibles, and these who did consistable calling usually felt like rising late on the following day. Nowadays the calling is principally left to the young people and is not made a feature at all of the higher grades of social life in the larger cities.—New York Post.

When He Swore Off.

He swore that he would smoke his last cigar on New Year's day. No circumstance should tempt him from his stern resolve to stray.

His fellows, straightway they began. That earnest man to jest. They knew from long experience That swearing off is bosh.

He kept his word. Those knowing men They simply lost their bets. Since New Year's day he has not smoked a cigarette.—Washington Post.

GIRDLING THE GLOBE.

How Uncle Sam Wishes All the World Happy New Year.

At midnight Dec. 31, from the white-towered time factory on Georgetown heights, Admiral Chester, superintendent of the National observatory, will have sounded completely around the earth by the cables which now span our great spinning top and to the continental and insular nations to the north and south by vast networks of wire ramifying in all directions from this great globe a signal announcing the birth of the year 1906 at the capital of our republic.

At one push of the official button the electric greeting will permeate our continent and leap across the Pacific from San Francisco to Honolulu, to Midway, to Guam, to Manila and to Hongkong. Flashing up and down the entire eastern coast of Asia, from Alexandrovsk to the Malay peninsula, it will cross Sumatra and the home of the wild man of Borneo; will speed over the coffee plantations of Java to Australia and New Zealand.

Hurrying over the snowdrifts of Siberia and Russia, it will be felt in Moscow and St. Petersburg and there be taken up by the thick mesh of wires covering northern and central Europe, going to London and at the same time spanning the coast of the black continent of Africa. From Alexandria it will be shot 750 miles up the Nile into the very heart of Africa. Leaping out into the sea, it will register itself in the isles of Madagascar and Mauritius. From Lisbon to the Madeiras and over the Cape Verde islands it will jump to Pernambuco, Brazil; thence down to the wilds of central Argentina and up into Bolivia, across the Windward Isles, the Lesser Antilles and the West Indies and then home again to the capital of the nation.

It is almost inconceivable that such a circuit of the earth can be made in scarcely more time than you would expend in wishing a neighbor "a happy new year!"—Washington Star.

New Year's on the Nile.

In all ages and all lands much importance has attached to New Year's day. In Egypt the new year fell between the 17th and the 20th of June and was called the "night of the drop."

The sacred Nile was thought to flow down from heaven, and at its lowest ebb—about the middle of June—a tear from Isis fell into the stream and caused it to rise. Consequently at this season the priests and people kept a sleepless vigil at the river's shore, watching for the miraculous rise which should bring such riches to the whole land.

When the "night of the drop" came the priests cleared the altars of old ashes and lighted the sacred fires for the new year. Every one of the faithful carried a coal from the altar to light the fire at his own hearth, and from end to end the land was ablaze with light.

The people put off their old garments and arrayed themselves in white, anointing their heads with sacred oil, crowning themselves with flowers and bearing palms in their hands, while chants and songs and feasting and processions filled the homes.

An Invocation to the New Year.

Aureole our angel cake generously with imported jam; teach us to forgive our creditors; see to it that the straight and narrow path is sprinkled with ashes always and with banana skins never; put plenty of silver into our wallets and not any into our whiskers; cement our ties of love and friendship more closely together and fill the hearts of our wives to overflowing with the friskiness and enthusiasm that were theirs at that divine moment when we measured their lily fingers for solitary diamond rings and prepared to camp out on their fathers' in-laws; clip the wings of riches and of love that they may not fly out of our window, but remain with us forever, and if possible clip the cook in the same way and for a similar result.—R. K. Munkittrick in New York World.

Luckiest Man in Arkansas.

"I'm the luckiest man in Arkansas," writes H. L. Stanley, of Bruno, "since the restoration of my wife's health after five years of continuous coughing and bleeding from the lungs; and I owe my good fortune to the world's greatest medicine, Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which I know from experience will cure consumption if taken in time. My wife improved with first bottle and twelve bottles completed the cure. Cures the worst coughs and colds or money refunded. At E. Ryan, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston; druggist. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Foley's Honey and Tar heals lungs and stops the cough.

Peter Stuyvesant's New Year's. The custom of celebrating New Year's day in our own country is largely due to the Dutch. Old Peter Stuyvesant made much of the day, and cheery assemblages were held at the governor's home in New Amsterdam.

The Dutch method of kissing the woman for "a happy new year" was observed and toll taken of all who were young and handsome. In fact, during the reign of Peter Stuyvesant New Amsterdam was the most thoroughly bekkissed country in all Christendom and formed a marked contrast to the staid Puritans, who thought the observance of this day savored strongly of reverence for the god Janus and who made no note of their first New Year's day in the new world save to record, "We went to work betimes."—New York Evening Post.

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A DARK CORNER.

How to Brighten This Dreary Part of a Room.

A dreary corner and one which is difficult to handle from an artistic point of view is a dark angle of the wall in any room. The best remedy for it is a twofold screen made out of an ordinary clotheshorse, which costs but little. The framework should be stained walnut, and a length of bamboo should be fitted into each "fold" just under the top bar and quite down at the bottom, close to the ground. Before gluing and nailing these bamboos in position slip a dozen small brass curtain rings over each, making four dozen rings in all. Then take a handsome piece of brocade, satin or tapestry, half as wide again as the screen, and gather it up top and bottom with a two inch heading, sewing an equal number of hooks on it to match the rings.

If this screen is made in daffodil yellow brocade, for instance, it is evident what a bright patch of color it will make. On the floor before it put a jardiniere in pale green or deep yellow china and let it hold a very tall fern or palm.

New Year's Rites in Finland. Many of the New Year's eve rites and ceremonies are similar to those practiced on Halloween. In Finland, for instance, the girls and boys go out backward to the wood pile and from the size and shape of the piece of wood they pick up determine the stature of their sweethearts.

His New Year Alternative. "Is Gussler going to swear off on New Year's?" "No. He's going to marry a snake charmer instead."

Rough Hands Made Smooth. A man who once had rough horny hands made them soft and smooth with Witch Hazel Salve, but he used the genuine—that bearing the name "E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago." For sores, boils, cuts, burns, bruises, etc., it has no equal and affords almost immediate relief from blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. Sold by L. I. Wood & Co., Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

New Year's in Caesar's Time.

At the Roman festivals of the god Janus, held on the calendars of January, gifts and good wishes were exchanged, friends met together, and feasting and dancing, masking and mumming were the order of the day. January derives its name from the god Janus, who was represented with two faces looking in opposite directions, as the month was considered both to look back upon the past year and forward to that which was coming.

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