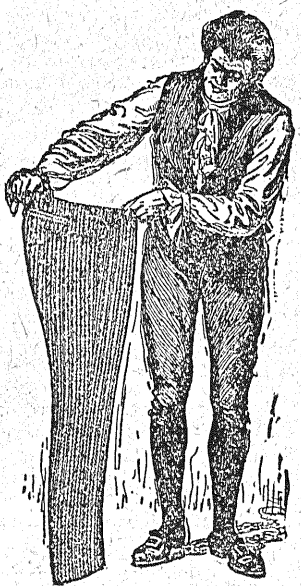


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for you to think of SUMMER; we had to six months ago, that's why our stock of

Shoes, Clothing, Hats, Caps and Gents' Furnishings Goods

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J. D. Crosby & Son,

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FOURTH—Porch and Veranda Material turned and scroll work.

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A complete stock of everything in the building line at bottom prices. Shingles 90¢ to \$2.50 per thousand, Veranda Columns 50¢, Balusters 3¢, Spindlers 2¢. Call on us for estimates and prices on your bills. At the Old Reliable Planing Mill, Cass City.

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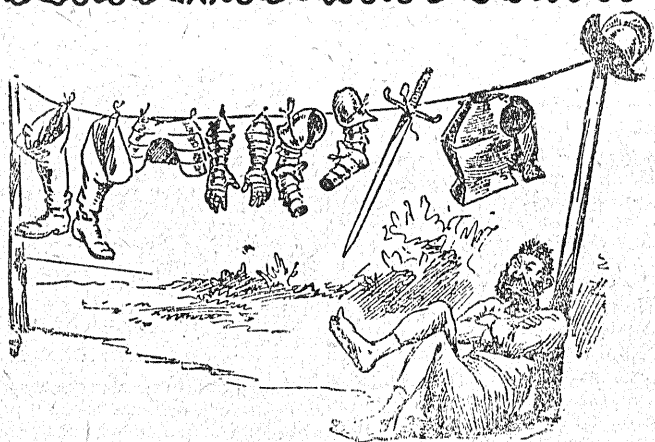
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DRY GOODS, SHOES AND GROCERIES

to consult us before purchasing and call **ESPECIAL ATTENTION** to our new stock of

Ladies' Gent's and Children's Shoes just received.

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A FULL LINE

of everything best in Lumber and Building Material can be found at our yard. We carry complete assortments of everything, and you all know how much easier it is to get what you want from a well balanced stock, than from one composed of odds and ends. Our prices are as low as anybody's too. If you want complete satisfaction next time you buy building material or coal get it here.

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.....LIMITED.....

Local Happenings.

Miss Ethel Ford is quite ill.
Mrs. Jas. Dilman is on the sick list.
H. L. Pinney spent Sunday at Lansing.

John Etherinton is able to be about again.

H. L. McDermott spent Sunday in Detroit.

Mrs. C. Ale is spending a few days in Detroit.

Gillies & Patterson have a change of adv. this week.

A big lace curtain sale at Geo. Matzen's. See adv.

Frank Scripture is assisting at J. L. Hitchcock & Sons'.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. N. Dorman spent Sunday at Marlette.

Elmer E. Yakes did business in Kingston yesterday.

John J. Klien has leased the Alvers house on Third Street.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Auten are spending a few days at Detroit.

Sale prices on everything in Geo. Matzen's stock. See adv.

E. H. Pinney has just received a fine full-top two-seated surrey.

E. McKim left on Monday morning for Saginaw and St. Johns.

Thos. Henderson returned the first of the week from Montana.

Mrs. Lon Perkins, of Bad Axe, spent Sunday with friends here.

John Lenzner, of Gagetown, called on friends here yesterday.

C. W. Heller made a business trip to Lansing the first of the week.

J. D. Crosby & Son think its "pretty near time" to see their new adv.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wickware spent Sunday with friends at Ellington.

J. B. Cootes desires your attention to his gasoline range. See new adv.

Miss Lottie Randall, of Pontiac, returned to her home here last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Dorman, of Marlette, are the guests of their son, Jas. N.

Miss Ethel Karr is learning the art of dressmaking with Mrs. C. M. Seeley.

The bus arrangements have changed again and three buses meet all trains.

Miss Mary Walker was called to Bay City last week, owing to the illness of a sister.

Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock left for Saginaw yesterday morning, to remain a few days.

Ed. Pinney, of the Michigan State University, is visiting his home here this week.

The Ladies' Literary Club will meet with Mrs. G. A. Striffler on Saturday afternoon.

Wm. McCallum was looking after business in the vicinity of Cumber yesterday.

J. S. Dunham has bought a dray line at Caro and will remove to the Hub of the county.

Frank Fairweather, of Imlay City, is visiting his brothers, W. A. and H. B., of this place.

Herb. F. Lenzner and Miss Anna Klump attended a wedding at Sebewaing yesterday.

Jas. Lazenby has a badly bruised face, through a fall from a bicycle on Sunday evening.

Miss Isabelle McArthur attended the Schwalm-Mast wedding at Sebewaing yesterday.

Mrs. G. G. Beebe and daughter, Bernice, left yesterday morning to visit relatives at Lansing.

The Caro Journal says that Mr. and Mrs. G. Avery have moved to their farm near this place.

Supervisor McKenzie and Assessor Perkins are making their rounds for township and village.

John W. Ball has moved to the Robt. Wilson house on West Street, lately occupied by Elias Annis.

Wm. Jans has leased the Isaac Austin farm and Mr. Austin will go either to Pontiac or Port Huron.

R. J. Brumm, a student at the State University at Ann Arbor, is visiting his parents and friends here.

Perry E. Wood has moved to town and occupies the S. Ostrander residence on south Seegar Street.

A boy with a fair education, who is not afraid of work, may find an opening as apprentice at this office.

J. F. Hendrick, who has been having a serious time with la grippe for the past week, is able to be out again.

We understand that Chicago parties contemplate erecting elevators here if some local capital can be interested.

A rural mail route will be established at Millington July 1st, when the Markell postoffice will be discontinued.

Scott Brotherton secured a fine pair of four-year-old Clydesdale horses for his dray, from M. McIntyre, of Sheridan.

We understand that Dr. R. L. King has commenced the practice of medicine at Caro. He spent Sunday at Cass City.

Miss Alice Cooper and Miss Grace Wood, from Novesta, were the guests of the former's sister, Miss May Cooper, on Sunday.

Geo. Freeman has commenced the brick work of the residence of Geo. L. Hitchcock, corner of West and Houghton Streets.

Rev. A. Torbet and Andrew Campbell, Sr., are in attendance at the sessions of the Flint Presbytery at Vassar this week.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Elmwood church will meet with Mrs. Wm. Ware next Wednesday and invite all friends to come for tea.

The Presbytery at Vassar elected Rev. Albert Torbet a commissioner to the General Assembly, which meets May 15th, in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fleenor are expected to return in a few days from Lucas, Iowa, and will occupy the John Scriber house on West Street.

Florence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Seegar, entertained a company of young friends on Monday evening, in honor of her fifteenth birthday.

W. A. Fairweather has his new residence, west Main Street well under way already. John J. Klein is doing the stone work, with Spencer Gale as assistant.

Landon, Eno & Keating have the contract for the carpenter work of A. B. Parmerlee's new house, east of town. John Hodgson, of Wickware, will do the stone work.

The subject at the M. E. Church next Sunday morning will be "The One Baptism." Evening—"The Law of Supply or Christ Alone meets the wants of the human race."

New sheds are in course of construction for the machinery at the yards of the Cass City Brick and Tile Company. W. T. Schenk superintends the carpenter work.

Wm. N. Straube has purchased a lot on the north side of Main Street, just west of J. F. Hendrick's residence property, and contemplates building a residence this season.

Rev. L. Brumm has been returned to the pastorate of the Evangelical Church here another year. We learn that Mr. Klump has accepted the pastorate of the Pigeon church.

Fifteen new members were received into fellowship at the Baptist Church on Sunday morning last, and the believers baptism was again administered at the Sunday evening service.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. E. McKim on Friday afternoon, April 25. The mite-box offering will be taken. All members are requested to be present.

A company of young people had a most enjoyable time at the home of Miss Kate Zinnecker on Monday evening, the guest of honor being Thos. La Fond, of Bad Axe, who has just started for Montana.

We are in touch with four of the very best fancy stationery houses in the land and have their samples of commencement programs, invitations, etc., which we will be pleased to show to those interested.

Champion & Ball are remodeling their tansorial parlors. They will be enlarged by the removal of a partition, repainted, re-papered and otherwise improved, to enable the boys to care for the increasing patronage.

D. Law, the local manager for the Sioux City Seed and Nursery Company, has issued contracts here for the growing of one thousand acres of beans for this season. With a good crop that means the handling of a lot of beans.

Thos. LaFond, of Bad Axe, spent Sunday in town, and started on Tuesday for Big Timber, Montana, where he has secured a position in a newspaper office. His friends here hope the change of air may improve his health.

Miss Louise A. Smith, who is endeavoring to organize a class in music here, coming highly recommended by Prof. O. Sand, of Albion College, is meeting with encouragement and expects to have a good sized class. Inquire at this office.

Rev. R. Weaver will deliver the final lecture of his course on Monday evening next at 8:30 o'clock sharp. Subject, "Garfield, the Uncrowned King." This lecture is essentially one for boys and young men, and every boy and young man in Cass City is urged to attend. To give all an opportunity they will be admitted for ten cents, payable at the door. Let there be a good turnout of boys and young men.

BUSY DOUBLE STORE!

BIG SALE!

Our Lace Curtain Sale

is now in full swing. Call and see them and get prices.

A General Sale Price on everything in stock. Remember this means low prices,—prices that make you buy.

...We Save You Money...

GEO. MATZEN

House Cleaning Time Calls for Chamber Sets

We have them in 6, 10 and 12 piece sets.

See our New Open Stock Pattern of Flown Blue Dishes....

We have 5 open stock patterns in Porcelain to select your set of dishes from. Let us start you with a set or finish out what you have started.

Wool Twine 5c a pound

H. L. HUNT

A fine art picture with every dollar purchase at 2 Macks—Saturday.

The schoolmates and friends of Roy Martin will be pleased to hear of his success. Last month he passed a successful examination for a second grade certificate. He has been teaching in Isadore, Leelanau County, for the past five months.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church will meet at the Manse, with Mrs. Torbet, on Wednesday, April 23rd. Tea will be served at the usual time and Rev. and Mrs. Torbet join in extending a very cordial invitation to all.

The marriage ceremony of Jas. E. Palmer and Miss Clara White, of Evergreen, was celebrated last evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. White. Rev. Dr. Gifford performed the ceremony in the presence of about sixty guests.

The Cass City Brick and Tile Company have secured a contract from the Sebewaing Sugar Company to furnish them a million brick. This means that the plant will be pushed to its full capacity and started just as soon as the new machinery can be put in readiness.

Our band boys expect a high grade entertainment to-morrow evening from the Wilson-Frye combination and hope to have a liberal patronage from the public. The advertising matter has been delayed in some way, but the boys should not suffer from it. Help make it known and "all turn out."

We understand that C. W. Hulbert and M. L. Bilderbeck, who have been employed in the roller mills here, have gone to Clifford, to assist F. A. Hulbert in the operation of the mills there. M. Matzen, a miller of many years experience, is assisting in the mills here for the present.

Dr. Morrison is so well known in the "Thumb," that the simple announcement that he will visit a town brings him scores of patients. This was demonstrated last month when he visited Kingston, for one day. He will make his second visit there on Thursday, April 24.

Rev. R. Weaver will preach on the following subjects next Lord's Day, Morning—"The Unities of Christianity." The truth in regard to believers' baptism will be stated at that service and all interested are invited to attend. Evening at 7:30, subject—"Three Voices of God." Non-church-goers especially invited to this service.

On Friday evening a meeting was held at the M. E. parsonage, for the purpose of organizing a young ladies' home missionary society. The following officers were elected:—President, Mary Zinnecker; 1st vice-president, Nellie Bigelow; 2nd vice-president, Lottie Usher; recording secretary, Rena Meiser; corresponding secretary, May Landon; treasurer, Ida Gifford; lady manager, Mrs. Gifford.

Man Wanted

The undersigned desires a man to work on his farm by the month.

A. A. LIVINGSTON

Tenders Wanted

For repairing the school house, school district No. 1, flr., Elkland and Elmwood. Plans and specifications may be seen at the residence of James Dilman. Tenders will be received up to April 19th. The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids. By order of building committee.

N. A. PERRY, JAMES DILLMAN, ALFRED RANDALL.

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Wall Paper

Everyone can afford to paper at the price we are selling Wall Paper this season. It will surprise you to see what pretty patterns you can buy for a very small sum.

Don't forget us in your **Window Shade Deal** as we have a large assortment, including extra large sizes, at close prices. We can supply your wants in Alabastine, Gypsine Glue, Shelf Paper and many other things needed in housecleaning, at right prices.

BOND'S DRUG STORE

EGGS TAKEN.

CALL AND EXAMINE OUR NEW

1902 Reliable Gasoline Steel Range.....

If you are going to Build, get our prices on NAILS, ETC.

If you are going to Paint, use **BOYDELLS' Best Paints.**

J. B. COOTES

The GLOOMIEST ROOM INTHE HOUSE....

can be made bright and cheerful if the right kind of Wall Paper is used. The proper colors must be chosen. We will assist you in picking harmonious shades from the best lines of wall paper made.

FRITZ'S DRUG STORE.

Dr. Morrison's Next Visit.

Dr. Morrison will be at Hotel Gordon, Cass City, on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, April 25, 26 and 27. Hundreds of our best citizens have been cured, and the Doctor can cure you if your case is curable. Consult him free.

Wool Wanted

The undersigned is now prepared to pay the highest market price for wool. Headquarters at the old pea harvester factory. 4-17—G. S. RIKER.

BEWARE OF FAKES

I desire to call the attention of the farmers to the fact that the so-called horse dentistry as practiced in this community at the present time is a fake. Anyone desiring their horse's teeth fixed can have the work done by calling on me. Night and day calls answered promptly.

DR. W. M. MORRIS,
Veterinary Surgeon.
Cass City, Michigan.

NO TIME LIKE NOW!

COME IN and see our new line of

Bicycle Sundries and Repairs.

Our prices makes our business. People will buy their supplies where they can buy the cheapest—that is one reason why we do business. Another is that we keep an immense stock and can satisfy the wants of the people promptly.

Repairing, Brazing and Enameling a Specialty.

All work guaranteed.

Gillies & Patterson

Cass City's Bicyclemen.

CASS CITY ENTERPRISE.

A. A. P. McDOWELL, Publisher,
CASS CITY, MICHIGAN

Kenosha's Jack the Kisser hugs 'em till they scream. Sometimes the man is completely exhausted.

Kansas City's big pigeon shoot must have been nearly as exciting as killing grasshoppers with a club.

Before the advent of another Easter celebration the paragraphs ought to devise some new jokes about Easter millinery.

Fifty women have just got law diplomas in New York. The jury of the future has evidently got to steel its heart.

A vessel loaded with Cuban sugar was beached a few days ago on Molasses Island. This is a case of sweets to the sweet.

John L. Sullivan is having an arena built around him and will endeavor to revive the waning interest in Olympian sports.

The Havemeyers have invested heavily in the copper business and are supposed to be after the red scalp of Senator Clark.

The New York miner who fell 500 feet down a shaft without serious injury would make good ballast for one of the airships.

The New York publisher who is to establish a suburban line of balloons will not be the first editor who has gone up in the air.

The mountain lion sent to the White House from Colorado as a gift to President Roosevelt will be kept there because it is stuffed.

A Chicago city official has resigned because he couldn't live on the salary he got. He must have regarded public office as a public trust.

J. Pierpont Morgan says he will attend the coronation of King Edward. If he likes it real well he may hire the king to do it over two or three times.

By the time Spain shall have emerged from the many perils now confronting the dynasty the Carlists will begin to emerge again from the mountains.

The successful method of bringing the insurgent Cherokees to order by threatening them with the barber's shears might be tried with Paderewski and Kubelik.

A Chicago hunter was arrested with his game bag full of songbirds that he had shot. Doubtless he is too mean to live, but he will have to be permitted to do so.

The news that a college football player was employed to watch the polls in the first ward of Chicago shows that higher education can be put to practical uses.

A Detroit woman had a man arrested on a charge of robbing her. Then she married him. Perhaps she figures on getting even by going through his pockets while he slumbers.

Paris is about to impose a municipal tax of four cents a volume on novels. Such a move on the part of the United States might curtail the production of colonial romances.

The fact that the young king of Spain, who is to be crowned May 17, will be known to history as Alfonso XIII, may explain the dark predictions concerning his accession.

Scientists believe that there is a city at the north pole, and that the inhabitants are just like other people. If so, we may be sure that they are kicking on the smoke nuisance.

Foxhall Keene has been nearly killed riding to hounds again. If Foxhall didn't get nearly killed in this way every few months his life would be wholly devoid of excitement.

A Binghamton, N. Y., couple were arrested for getting married by mistake. Suppose all the couples that have made a mistake in getting married should be arrested. But let's don't.

There is a chance for a rich American woman to see the coronation of England's king by marrying a peer of the realm. And there are women who are perfectly willing to take the chance.

France expects a number of cabinet changes in the near future. No doubt dozens of obscure statesmen are taking advantage of the opportunity to have themselves mentioned for cabinet positions.

That Paris woman who retained her china intact until a servant who had been discharged returned and broke it is in luck. In this country the smashing of the ware would have been attended to during the period of amicable relations.

Officials of the Merchants' National Bank of Chicago, which is to be consolidated with the Corn Exchange Bank, distributed \$80,000 in gifts to faithful employees. This particular feature of the merger business wins popular approval.

THE TWO DETROIT HORRORS

The Dastardly Murderer of Carrie Jennett.

IS NOW IN JACKSON FOR LIFE.

The Trial Was Brief, all the Legal Formalities Being Observed. Sentence Imposed and the Cowardly Slayer Immediately Taken to the Penitentiary.

Now He Is No. 7637.

In a little more than 7637 after Prof. Joseph M. Miller had lured Carrie Jennett to the Thirteenth street common and committed one of the most ghastly and bloody crimes known to the Detroit police, the murderer faced Judge Murphy in the Recorder's Court and heard imposed the sentence of life imprisonment at hard labor in the state prison in Jackson. A few hours later a train was whirling him away from the scene of his terrible deed to begin his silent, solitary life.

The wheels of justice revolved rapidly, but there was no formality omitted, no stone unturned to grant to the criminal the prisoner's box every right accorded him by the laws of the state. Judge Murphy demanded that the examination and trial proceed with every sign of fairness and regard for decency. He insisted upon every possible precaution being taken to spare, if possible, in some slight way, the invalid wife and the innocent children.

The formalities of the law were all observed and soon after 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon a life sentence at hard labor in the Jackson penitentiary was imposed. The sheriff wasted no time and at 8:30 o'clock that night the murderer was on his way to prison in charge of Deputy Sheriff Wm. Gorman. The prison was reached and before midnight Miller's identity was hidden under "Number 7637."

The Heywood Murder.

William Jones, who is held by the police for the murder of George H. Heywood, the Detroit bookkeeper, on the night of the 9th inst., is maintaining a cool appearance as the tolls are tightening around him. Mrs. Heywood is ill, her prostration followed a confession made Friday afternoon, when she admitted that improper relations had existed between herself and Jones for some time and laid bare the story of Jones' infatuation for her. For the first time she admitted that she thought Jones was the man who killed her husband, and declared that she was now prepared to do everything to make the one she believed to be the felon. The dispatches from Nebraska, in which Rymer, Jones' former pal, now on his way to Detroit, told of the latter's avowed love for her and his threat to put Heywood out of the way, Gal S. WEST, UNION. Becker worked her mind till she could conceal the facts no longer.

"Yes," she said falteringly amid her tears, "I did go to a hotel with Jones. I don't know what made me do it. I am sure that he had me hypnotized." While Jones' mother was almost overcome as her daughter pronounced her own guilt, "Oh, Minnie," she cried, "how could you do it?" Mrs. Wood, the dead man's sister, fell into hysterics. "Why did my brother marry a woman like that?" she sobbed. The whole weight of her shame and sorrow was borne in upon the woman. "My God, why cannot I die, too," she cried in her agony. "Even my own people forsake me."

Man's Body Becomes Rubber.

The body of old John Leek, the colored man connected with the Arnold murder case, who died six months ago at Battle Creek, was dug up last week and it was found that it had proved superior to the forces which ordinarily effect complete or partial dissolution within such a period. The secret of the preservation of the body is that a newly invented embalming fluid was used for the purpose of a test and the test appears to have been successful. What Leek might as well be an image of black marble as of flesh. No decomposition has set in and it is claimed that John will be in as perfect a state of preservation hundreds of years from now as he is to-day. The body has the consistency of hard rubber.

Michigan Pensioners.

Michigan pensioners: Increase, restoration, reissue, etc.—Andrew Nickerson, Soldiers' Home, Kent, \$12; Joel Kennedy, Ann Arbor, \$20; George F. Niles, Buchanan, \$10; Simon Newhouse, Moultrie, \$17; Laura H. Dillon, Jefferson, \$12; John Henry Otsego, \$12; George F. Palmer, Grand Rapids, \$10; Edwin R. Berry, Belding, \$10; Jas. Crandall, Meade, \$10; John E. Spalding, Grand Rapids, \$10; John L. Fisher, Jackson, \$12; Jared S. Thomas, Brookfield, \$8; Original, widows, etc.—Hannah E. Whitcomb, Byron Center, \$8; Anna M. Campbell, Chelsea, \$12; Elizabeth Shaw, Detroit, \$8; Margaret Assenheimer, Tekonsha, \$8; Charlotte E. McDaniel, Hillsdale, \$8; Rosevelt, widows, etc.—Hannah A. Gray, Benton Harbor, \$12; Angeline Ham, Charlotte, \$12.

Four Burned to Death.

The frame dwelling of Dr. Boyce, of Boyne City, occupied by two families, was totally destroyed and four persons were burned to death. The dead: Mrs. James Thompson, Mrs. Frank Littlefield and her two-year-old boy. Mrs. Littlefield and her two children were visiting from Spokane, Wash., at the time the fire broke out, all the persons in the house were upstairs asleep. The cracking of the fire awakened the sleepers and only Mr. Thompson escaped. How the fire caught is not known.

The complete force around the Grand Trunk depot and freight house at Ovid has resigned.

Three Rivers was selected as the place for holding the autumn convention, Sept. 9 and 10, of the Southwestern Dental Association.

Winnetka is to have a pickle factory, the farmers of the vicinity having contracted to raise more of the required acreage of cucumbers.

The Spring Elections.

In contradistinction to the spring election of two years ago, the elections throughout Michigan Monday were mainly fought out on local issues. After a warm fight at Grand Rapids, Mayor Perry was defeated by W. Millard Palmer by a majority of 3,000. The entire Democratic ticket went down with him. The election was a landslide of even greater proportions than that which resulted in Perry's election two years ago by a majority of 1,800. The following is a list of the mayors elected:

Adrian—James Seeger, Dem.
Albion—James Seeger, Dem.
Alpena—Michael O'Brien, Dem.
Belding—E. B. Lapham, Rep.
Battle Creek—Fred H. Webb, Rep.
Benton Harbor—Irving W. Conkey, Dem.
Big Rapids—Edward C. Newcomb, Rep.
Charlotte—E. B. Miller, Dem.
Charlton—Milo D. Campbell, Dem.
Cheboygan—Henry J. A. Todd, Dem.
Clio—W. D. Gallagher, Citizens.
Dowagiac—W. D. Gallagher, Citizens.
Eastland—George Gallup, Rep.
Flint—A. D. Alvord, Citizens.
Grand Ledge—Frank A. Taber, People's.
Hastings—C. V. R. Townsend, Rep.
Greenville—C. T. Ranney, Rep.
Gladwin—Eugene Foster, Rep.
Grand Rapids—W. Millard Palmer, Rep.
Hastings—A. Anderson, Rep.
Hillsdale—H. C. Pierce, Dem.
Hudson—O. J. Derooy, Dem.
Ionia—John P. B. Carter, Rep.
Jackson—Samuel Pickles, Rep.
Kalamazoo—Edmond S. Rankin, Rep.
Lansing—C. H. Grandall, Dem.
Ludington—B. J. Goodsell, People's.
Manistee—Michael Fay, Dem.
Marquette—James J. Russell, Rep.
Mason—C. W. Whitman, Dem.
Muskegon—T. D. Morgan, Rep., probably.
Mt. Clemens—Martin Crocker, Dem.
Milledge—Geo. Rockwell, Union.
Monroe—Jacob Martin, Dem.
Marine City—M. Craig, Dem.
Mt. Pleasant—C. H. Grandall, Dem.
Negaunee—Cyrille Houle, People's.
Niles—Z. L. Baldwin, Dem.
Ontonagon—C. H. Grandall, Dem.
Potosi—E. L. Rose, Dem.
Pontiac—H. C. Pierce, Dem.
Reed City—Amos Rosenburg, Dem.
St. Joseph—Nelson C. Rice, Rep.
St. Louis—C. H. Grandall, Dem.
St. Clair—J. W. Inches, Dem.
South Haven—E. S. Dickinson, Citizens.
Sturgis—J. S. Flanders, Dem.
Three Rivers—Foster, Dem.
Traverse City—C. H. Grandall, Dem.
West Bay City—Walsh, Rep.
Ypsilanti—Martin Dawson, Dem.

Spring Election Aftermath.

Flint township introduced an innovation by voting \$125 for posts and signs for the coming year. Complete returns show that the proposition to build a \$100,000 courthouse in Oakland county was defeated by 470 votes. The townships which went heavily against it were Avon, Holly, Milford, Oxford, and Union. The result of the vote of the labor unions at Owosso will be a wide open town. The new mayor, Vernon M. White, is a carpenter, poor and comparatively uneducated, but a smooth politician.

Mayor Perry, of Grand Rapids, attributes his defeat to the "sympathetic" vote due to the death of A. R. Root. He also says his friends were overconfident, and that he was the victim of "vicious misrepresentations, miserable allegations, and malicious insinuations."

Muskegon Democrats will contest the election of T. D. Morgan for mayor on the ground that the Republicans got all the paupers in the poorhouse and took them to the county roads. Morgan has a majority of nine, and if the disputed precinct is thrown out the election will be a tie.

John Burger, a Lapeer candidate for alderman, who was defeated by a majority, will enter a protest, claiming that state employees voted without a right to do so. If the ward is thrown out, G. N. Lawrence, Democrat, will be elected justice, and G. W. Carpenter, Democrat, supervisor by small majorities.

The voting machine and the tally sheets in the first precinct of the fifth ward at Jackson did not tally, and the control of the council hinges on the decision in the matter. This precinct is noted for sharp practices, but Mr. Abbott, of the voting machine company, says he can demonstrate that the machine made no mistake. On the face of the returns, the Republican candidate is the winner, thus giving the council to that party.

The entire Michigan ticket was elected in Grayling by an average majority of nearly 50. Same result in Maple Forest, with an increased majority. South Branch, the Republicans elected the entire Republican ticket for the first time in its history. Beaver Creek elected a "citizens' ticket" by a small majority.

AROUND THE STATE.

Ground has been broken for the erection of Manistee's new \$30,000 theater.

Frankfort is to have a canning factory, a company with \$20,000 capital having been organized to establish it.

The \$8,000 plant of the Morris Canning company will soon be a reality, the construction work being nearly completed.

Wife's affections are not valued very highly in Cass county. A Newberg man sued a neighbor for alienation of his spouse's love, and the jury gave him only \$250.

Eliza Bradshaw, of Oregon township, was burned to death in attempting to light a fire with kerosene oil. The accident occurred Tuesday night. Mrs. Bradshaw died next morning.

The Michigan Suburban Co., which is operating a line between Lansing and St. Johns, and the Pere Marquette Co. have reached an agreement relative to the overhead crossing at Lansing.

J. W. Martin has been granted a 25-year franchise for a \$1 gas company at Pontiac. The city reserves the right to purchase at any time. The new company will compete with the old one.

The fishermen along the Michigan shore are busy making great preparations for a large and profitable catch this spring. The price which they get, \$2.50 per package, is the highest for many years, and more nets, stakes, etc., will be put into the water than for many seasons.

The Nichols & Shepard Co., the big Battle Creek threshing machine manufacturers, will raise all their employees' wages 10 per cent. Five hundred men will be benefited, from day laborers up to the most skilled mechanics. This increase is uncollected. The employees have always been treated in a most liberal manner.

Jerome Moore, jeweler, of Shelby, was sentenced in the Circuit Court to 90 days in jail for an attempted assault upon the 12-year-old daughter of U. D. Trim, of Shelby, last winter.

The safe in D. P. Lapham's private bank was burglarized some time Saturday morning, and the burglars succeeded in getting away with about \$1,000 in money and \$350 in checks.

Emily Rhea, aged 21, of Menominee, who took carbolic acid and died at the Merchants' hotel in Chicago, may not be brought to her home for burial as her parents are too poor to pay the expense.

An Imlay City man being unable to find a building in the village in which to conduct his business, went over to Capac, bought a vacant building, loaded it on wheels and moved it over to Imlay City.

Hastings school children will get a longer vacation than they figured on. The public schools will not be reopened, as was intended, owing to the extremely large number of cases of measles in the city.

The 6 o'clock closing movement inaugurated last week at Negaunee, between merchants and Retail Clerks' Association, has failed. All stores but one kept the agreement. The movement was not popular.

Fred Youngs was arrested in Battle Creek Saturday, charged with polygamy. The warrant was sworn out by Mrs. Rose Youngs. He waived examination and was taken to the Marshall jail in default of bonds.

The plan of bonding the village for the establishment of a municipal light and water plant at Zeeland has been abandoned for the time being, and the contract with the firm which has been supplying light and water for some time past has been renewed.

Nearly one hundred clergymen and laymen from the cities and villages of western Michigan attended the annual meeting of the Grand Rapids presbytery, which convened at Westminster Presbyterian church in Grand Rapids. Moderator Jewell, of Ionia, presides.

Thomas Coombs, employed at the Osceola mines, was killed by the premature discharge of a blast in No. 5 shaft. Coombs became impatient as the dynamite stuck in the hole, and seizing a stick started a ram in the charge, which exploded. He was 30 years old.

On the deposition of Sarah J. Smith, of Saginaw, who alleges that she was married to Dr. Norton Smith, of LaPorte, Ind., at Wayavaw, Ont., in 1874, the Earl of Kimberley has with whom he is living at LaPorte, have been arrested and given a short jail sentence.

Work has been commenced on the Hackley school grounds to prepare the foundation for the pedestal for the William McKinley statue. The foundation, which is to be 18 feet square, will be rushing from now on, and everything will be completed by Memorial Day.

Miss Nancy Lacey and Mrs. O. P. Horn, of Niles, who were at the head of the movement which aimed to organize the state for the purpose of applying to the legislature for redress in "heavy taxation without representation," have decided to give up the movement.

A westbound freight train on the Air Line division of the Michigan Central was two miles from the city of Grand Rapids, loaded with engine iron, collapsed, and seven cars loaded with merchandise and grain were hurled into a ditch. The train was captured by Postmaster Elkins at the time of the attempted robbery, is now serving a sentence in the county jail for larceny.

A Kent county man was subpoenaed as a witness on a trial for assault. When asked by the lawyer what assistance he was from the parties when the assault happened, he replied: "Just thirteen feet eleven inches and a half." "How came you to be so exact?" inquired the lawyer. "Because I expected some fool to ask me and I measured it."

Osago folks do not seem to take much interest in the public schools, and what little they do take is pointed in the wrong direction. Two meetings have been held to vote money to rebuild the school which was destroyed by fire some time ago, and both times the proposition has been turned down by the small number of voters who turned out to vote.

The Battle Creek school board has donated a good site for the public school library for the erection of which the late Charles Willard bequeathed \$10,000, and as a result the school board has been authorized to construct of the building, which will begin at once. Mr. Willard also bequeathed \$40,000 for a Y. M. C. A. building, which is nearing completion.

The National Salt Co. operated at a great loss in Michigan last year, while making good profit in other sections of the country. This was caused by the independent concerns of this state, who refused to sell their output to the trust at 75 cents per barrel, while the trust was selling for 90 cents. They found a good market for all they could produce at or near the water front, and disposed of their entire output. When the trust cut prices below cost of production, the independents ceased production. The trust price is now 45 cents per barrel.

More sales of farm property in Oakland county have occurred this spring than for many years past, and the prices paid are high. A large portion of the sales are to persons who are not farmers, but who have made the purchases as an investment, believing this a more profitable way of using their money than to invest it at the present low rates of interest.

George A. Soule, one of the old residents of Grand Rapids, is dead at the age of 65. He had lived in the city for more than 40 years and at one time was one of its prominent business men. He is survived by a son and a daughter, both residents of Montana.

THE NATION AND THE WORLD

King Leopold Mobbed by "Reds" at Brussels.

REV. T. DeWITT TALMAGE DEAD

The Russo-Chinese Treaty—Hiddeon-Barbarity in Luzon—The Earl of Kimberley Dead—Venezuelan Rebels Putting Up a Strong Fight—Other Happenings.

King Leopold Mobbed.

King Leopold was mobbed by Socialists at Brussels on his arrival from Biarritz. The meeting between the Socialists and the king was quite accidental, but it was none the less unpleasant for his majesty whose automobile was surrounded by excited Socialists, who shouted: "Long live the republic." "Long live universal suffrage," and waved red flags in the king's face. The Socialists had collected at the railroad station to bid farewell to the members of a delegation of Spanish Republican deputies who had attended the Socialist gatherings at Brussels, and who had participated in the riotous demonstration.

The police informed the Spaniards that they must leave Brussels forthwith and the delegates were escorted to the station by a large gathering of Socialists, carrying red flags.

The king happened to arrive at the same time and had difficulty in getting his automobile out of the crowd, but he finally found an opening and outdistanced his pursuers.

Talmage Is Dead.

Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage, the noted Presbyterian divine, died at 9 o'clock Saturday night at his residence in Washington. It had been evident for some days that there was no hope of recovery and the attending physicians so informed the family. The patient gradually grew weaker until life passed away so quietly that even the members of the family, all of whom were watching at the bedside, hardly knew that he had gone. The immediate cause of death was inflammation of the brain.

Russo-Chinese Treaty.

The Manchurian convention was signed at Peking. The ratification will take place three months from date. The Russians undertake to restore the Niu-Chwang & Shan-Hai-Kwan railroad to the Chinese when the British relinquish control of the railway in Chi-Li province. Sir Ernest Satow, the British minister at Peking, is negotiating to secure large preponderance of British administrative control in the latter railway after it is handed over to the Chinese.

Famous British Statesman Dead.

The Earl of Kimberley, the Liberal leader in the house of lords, who has been seriously ill for some time, is dead. He suffered a serious relapse and gradually sank until the end came. The Earl of Kimberley has throughout his career been an ardent Liberal, and next to Gladstone and Rosebery has stood highest in the ranks of that party. He was married to the daughter of the third earl of Clare. His wife died in 1895.

Rebels Score Four Times.

The Venezuelan rebels have captured Tucacas and Barquisimeto, in the state of Lara, the latter being the capital. Gen. Escalante and two of President Castro's brothers and their forces were defeated by rebels at San Acosin, state of Bermudez. The government losses were 500 killed, wounded and desertions. The government troops were also defeated in an engagement near El Pilar.

Four Regiments.

The imperial war office has asked Hon. Borden, minister of militia, at Ottawa, to order four regiments of mounted infantry for service in South Africa, to enter for 12 months, or until the termination of the war. Recruits must be able to ride and shoot. Those who have seen previous service in South Africa will be given preference.

Hiddeon, Barbarity.

Fifty Indian, armed with rifles and bolos, recently attacked five members of the constabulary of Saragson, southeast Luzon, captured three of them and treated the captives with hideous barbarity, eventually cutting them down on small pieces. A large force of constabulary went in pursuit of the Indians.

Congratulations von Waldersee.

Emperor William sent an aide-de-camp to congratulate Field Marshal Count von Waldersee on his seventieth birthday and to present him with a handsome centerpiece. Later his majesty and Emperor Francis Joseph telegraphed their cordial felicitations to the field marshal.

New York Salaries To Be Cut.

It was announced that at an executive session of the board of estimates of Greater New York, a resolution was adopted to cut the city salary list 10 per cent. This is exclusive of the uniformed men of the police and fire departments and the school teachers.

Pilgrimage to Rome.

Headed by the Rt. Rev. Chas. E. McDonnell, Roman Catholic bishop of Brooklyn, 49 clergymen and missionaries left New York on a pilgrimage to Rome on the steamship Liguria.

There has been a total of 166 cases and 119 deaths from cholera in Manila since the disease first broke out.

A company backed by New York capital, has obtained options on 30,000 acres of the finest grazing land in Cuba, and, according to the Herald, will at once embark in the extensive raising of cattle for export to the Atlantic ports of the United States in competition with the cattle interests of the west.

Charles L. Bundy, of Marion, Ind., while in Havana, called on Neely and Rathbone. Bundy says Neely expects a pardon as soon as President Palma shall take charge. His expectation is based on a belief that Palma will desire to rid Cuba of all American prisoners. Rathbone is much depressed, Bundy says.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Howell is offered a \$15,000 Carnegie library with the usual 10 per cent stipulation for the maintenance.

Forty vessels have been reported missing at Yokohama since a fierce gale on April 3, and many are undoubtedly lost.

Gen. B. F. Tracy, ex-secretary of the navy, who was suddenly overcome by illness in court Saturday, is reported to be steadily improving.

Organized labor won a victory at the municipal election in Hartford, Conn., electing Ignatius A. Sullivan, clerk in a clothing store, mayor.

The deepest storm of the year has covered the Pennsylvania coal region to a depth of 16 inches, and business of all kinds is nearly stagnated. Street railways are paralyzed.

A terrific April blizzard prevails furiously over central Wisconsin. Snow has been falling and a high wind prevailing, and it is very cold. It is the worst storm of the winter.

In the elections in Ohio the Democrats carried the day in Cleveland, electing a majority of the aldermen. The Republicans won out in Toledo, Columbus and Cincinnati.

Owing to vigorous opposition from various quarters, plans of a prominent theatrical manager to produce a translation of "Faust" in New York have been abandoned.

John Morely, a painter, fell 70 feet from a scaffold at Morristown, N. J., into a pond. The water was only 10 feet deep, but it broke Morely's fall, and it is believed he will recover.

Gen. Jacob H. Smith says he considers Guivera, the rebel leader in Samar, who is to surrender April 15, a man of energy and intrepidity, and that the armistice in Samar was being faithfully kept.

Wm. Sibley, a cowboy, who made the trip overland on a broncho from Wyoming to Massachusetts, is now on his way home. He is in New Hampshire, and expects his broncho to carry him back to Wyoming.

Vice Admiral Sir Harry Holesworth Rawson, formerly in command of the channel squadron, and Lady Rawson, and Sir Richard Musgrave and Lady Musgrave will sail from Liverpool April 9 for New York.

A man named Sejourne, carrying a revolver, approached President Loubet while the latter was driving in Paris Sunday, and exclaimed: "I demand justice." He was arrested. He is said to be weak-minded.

Oscar DeCamp Taylor, a G. A. R. veteran, committed suicide at New York. A personal letter from President Hayes, praising his valiant services, was found in his pocket. Poverty evidently caused the suicide.

A secret meeting of the executive committee of the Central Liquor Dealers' Association in New York is said to have resulted, after four hours' discussion, in an agreement to pay out no money for protection to any person or agent.

A special from Lawton, Okla., says the story of negroes being run out of Lawton is a canard. Several small typewritten slips ordering the colored people to leave Lawton were posted about town, but no one seemed to know who posted them.

Gen. Chaffee has recommended that Lieut. Streiber, of the Philippine scouts, who captured the rebel leader Lukban, be given a commission as first lieutenant in the regulars, and that Sergt. Lora be made a second lieutenant of the native scouts.

A remarkable and difficult surgical operation has been performed on Mrs. Frank C. Mehan, of New York city. Eight inches of her backbone was taken out to permit the removal of a tumor that pressed upon the spinal cord. It is expected she will recover.

Jacob Pessendorfer, of Philadelphia, twice sentenced to be hanged for the murder of his father-in-law, Henri Gutheil, has again been respited and will undoubtedly have his sentence commuted to life imprisonment. Brooding over his crime has driven him insane.

One of the richest gold strikes in Montana has been made in the Keasarge mine at Summit. The vein is more than a foot in width and is reported to be almost pure gold. The property is owned by Charles Millard, son of the United States Senator Millard, of Nebraska.

The skeletons of a man and a woman were found in a box at the railroad station at Gilroy, Cal. The box had laid in the station for a number of years. There is no clue to the identity of the couple. A ranchman named Jamison left the box at the station. He has since disappeared.

With a large number of green goods circulars in his possession, a man whose name is said to be Bryan, has been arrested in New York. The capture was made after a sensational chase on the Brooklyn elevated railroad. At the police station the man said his name was Jason Brownlow.

A certified check for \$5,000, drawn to the order of President Roosevelt, was forwarded to the president on March 28 by the committee of citizens which Gov. Yates, of Illinois, appointed in December last to raise funds for the relief of Boer women and children sufferers in the concentration camps of South Africa.

Figures given out by the New York state controller show that collections for the last fiscal year under the inheritance tax law were \$4,085,000. Of this amount Greater New York furnished \$3,394,000. Among the largest payments were those from the estates of William Marsh Rice and Jacob Rogers, the locomotive builder.

An American Nabob.

A Remarkable Story of Love, Gold and Adventure.

By ST. GEORGE RATHBORNE

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CHAPTER XXII.—(Continued.)

"That is cheering news, marquise. If true it relieves our minds of one dreadful fear—the boat survived the storm, at least. Please heaven, she is safe on board, and that we may succeed in rescuing her! When shall we go?"

"Let us have a council of war," the marquise said with energy, "and take the opinions of our detective and the captain as to the advisability of making an immediate advance on the enemy's works."

A plan of action was decided upon. Steam should be kept up by the commander, so that an immediate departure from the harbor could be made in case it was deemed necessary.

The three others entered a boat, which was manned by several of the stoutest and most expert sailors on board—men whose muscles were capable of enormous work should there be need of haste.

If an indifferent watch were kept aboard the craft there would be little or no difficulty in accomplishing the first part of their scheme, at least.

This was to temporarily disable the screw of the steamer, so that such a thing as pursuit would be out of the question.

Nearer they drew, and those who were so deeply interested held their very breath, for fear lest a sudden hail from on board might bring about discovery and possibly ruin for their plans.

CHAPTER XXIII.

The Search for a Wife.

It was already arranged that in case such a contretemps occurred they were to advance to the side of the steamer, addressing the man on guard in Spanish, which the marquise was easily capable of doing, announcing themselves officers of the port, bent upon their duties, who wished to come aboard.

Once alongside, they would speedily clamber over the low waist of the little steamer, whether invited or not. As to the rest, they were armed, and meant to carry out their object though the heavens fell.

The sailors were to manage the task of using the chain which they had carried, so that it would be wound about the propeller with the first few revolutions made.

It was well done.

Not a single clanking sound betrayed them.

Their next task required an abundance of nerve, which, fortunately, was not lacking.

The marquise had been using his eyes as well as the darkness allowed, and he saw that the steamer was built in a manner that made the task of boarding her more difficult than he had anticipated.

They might be compelled to rely upon some chance rope dangling over the side.

The sailors knew what to expect, and foot by foot the boat was worked along close to the hull of the steamer until the groping hand of the man who searched came in contact with what they sought, a rope, by means of which any sailor ashore could, upon arrival at the vessel, clamber aboard.

The marquise was the first to take hold of it after the sailor had fastened one end to a thwart, and he passed over the rail of the steamer in a jiffy. Then came the man from Scotland Yard, who also made the passage easily enough.

With Livermore it was a serious business, for he had accumulated much avoirdupois since his last equatorial tramp through the African wilderness. However, the same game spirit as of yore resided in his body, and while he puffed considerably, making sounds that Jack feared would draw attention from the watch, the discovery did not come, and he was given the privilege of assisting his friend aboard.

Fortune favored them in that they were able to reach the cabin without meeting any one.

Once at the saloon door, they looked its length without discovering a living soul.

Evidently those whom they sought must be in their staterooms opening off the cabin, and there was nothing left to them but to open these, one at a time, to discover the truth.

This was the crucial time.

The marquise, bold enough to take advantage of the slender opportunity fortune had granted them, stepped to the first door and opened it.

The light from the cabin entering disclosed Fedora seated on a chair, having refused to retire to the berth after the terror of the last two nights. She was awake, and the astonishment felt at seeing the marquise almost caused her to faint.

He advanced to her side and said in a low but earnest tone:

"Do not cry out, or all is lost! We have come across the water to save you. He is close at hand—your husband. Come to him now, and please utter no sound above a whisper."

Then she suffered him to lead her out, not sure that it was a dream or some delusion.

There stood the captain awaiting his own, and with a cry she could not repress she threw herself into his extended arms.

The marquise rightly feared that discovery was now sure to come, and

realizing that not a second must be lost he begged Fedora to tell him if she had a companion in her captivity.

Unable to speak, she pointed to a door opposite to the stateroom she had occupied, and as Jack turned to it he saw Mazette standing there, with pale face and disheveled hair—but Mazette, alive, thank Heaven!

Another instant and he had clasped her to his heart—it was one of those moments when words are useless to convey the sentiments of the soul, for Mazette knew he loved her, even as she had for years adored her former comrade and instructor in Bohemia.

Just as the marquise, overwhelmed by his sentiments, threw the mask aside and betrayed his love for Mazette by straining the miniature painter to his heart another door flew open and there issued forth a figure that in its warlike demeanor might have stood for a modern Joan of Arc—a figure that, at sight of the marquise and Livermore, uttered savage little cries in Spanish, and with blazing eyes and heaving bosom rushed toward the former, waving desperately in her hand a revolver, which he knew full well she had learned how to use under the palms of Gautaria, since he himself, as wretched luck would have it, had taught her the first principles of marksmanship.

CHAPTER XXIV.

Where Gold Proved Tramps.

Luckily the detective was prepared for just such a move as this, and as she came within reach, not noticing his presence, he caught her and with a quick movement wrested the revolver from her grasp.

The movement was successful, but it cost him dear, for the frenzied woman, baffled in her design, scratched his face after the manner of a tiger cat, all the while screaming as might an escaped maniac—doubtless, for the time being, she was out of her senses. So fearful a hold upon her mind had this idea of Corsican revenge taken, that the prospect of losing her prey rendered her mad.

He threw her from him with a curse, for she would very likely have dug his eyes out.

It was now high time they departed.

Already the alarm was given and they could hear the shouts of Spanish sailors as they ran to and fro, or came stumbling up from their quarters forward.

Already the captain was leading his wife to the deck; the old warrior's fighting blood was up, and was to the man who dared bar his path.

The marquise followed with Mazette. As for the detective, finding a key in the cabin door he whipped this latter shut and, having secured it, placed the key in his pocket, hoping that by thus separating Juanita from the unscrupulous captain and crew he might lessen the danger.

It was a politic move and did him credit.

They could hear her pounding at the door while her shrieks arose; then came several shots from her recovered revolver, whether as signals or fired in the hope of demolishing the lock that held her prisoner none could say.

No sooner had Livermore issued forth upon the deck than he was set upon by a couple of men, one of them possibly the captain of the steamer, who recognized in him a stranger.

At least here was an opportunity for Livermore to prove that he had not become rusty in his five years' retirement from the field of adventure and travel, and right royally he emphasized this point under the eyes of his wife.

He threw out his right hand and sent the fellow on that side headlong into the scuppers. At this his other antagonist drew a shining knife, with which every Spaniard loves to go armed at all times, and uttering fearful imprecations he made a wicked pass at the stout captain.

Fedora's scream was deafened by the report of the captain's weapon, and then the sailor man's tune changed, for, dropping his blade, he ran down the deck with a bullet in his shoulder, shrieking pain in a manner that ill became a warrior of Castile.

This was a beginning.

As the others joined the captain on deck they found themselves confronted by a rabble of wild-eyed barefooted Spanish sailors.

The marquise addressed them in quick sentences, straight to the point; his Spanish was good, and he knew how to best handle such men—might little time did he spend in explaining by what right they came there, for such rovers care not a snap for the affection existing between husband and wife—with them right is but as might allows, and their god the brazen image that will buy liquor and tobacco.

Thus the marquise had a card up his sleeve, and he played it now at a time when it was of the greatest value.

When he drew out his hand from his pocket it contained a score of gold pieces.

These he sent along the deck with a toss that is only gained through experience.

It was a clever trick.

In vain some fellow in command shouted and swore at the sailor men to mass themselves in front of the in-

vaders and prevent them from leaving the vessel; he addressed but empty air, for the spot that had just held the Spanish crew knew them no longer.

The gleam of golden coins rolling about the deck was enough to make them even forget their allegiance to the young King, and, heedless alike of entreaties and hard imprecations, they set about scrambling for the coins.

There were fierce fights over some of the gold boys, where two men set about securing a single coin; and at another time and under different conditions the mad scramble might have presented certain elements of humor in the eyes of Livermore and the artist.

Just now their one desire was to shake off the society of these sad seadogs, and leave them to fight it out among themselves.

Accordingly, a forward movement was begun without delay, and they managed to reach the side of the vessel where hung the rope that had been of such signal assistance in helping them aboard, about the time the sailors again gathered in a threatening crowd.

The marquise lowered Mazette into the arms of the stout lads waiting below. Then came Fedora, assisted on both sides, and such trust did the ladies feel in those brave hearts that had risked all these dangers in their behalf that they forgot to exercise the first privilege of the feminine mind and scream as they were lowered over the rail into the darkness below.

As the Spaniards, urged on by their valorous officers, who took good care to keep in the rear, showed signs of making a rush, the nabob again with eager fingers chased all the fugitive coins he had in his pockets, and, having corralled them, opened another fusillade.

And again it was a grand success—nothing could withstand the power of gold.

Taking advantage of this digression, while the men chased the rolling discs, the captain was assisted down the rope and the marquise followed.

As the man from Scotland Yard started to follow, one of the steamer's officers made a slash at the rope with his cuchillo and severed it.

Luckily the detective was kept from going overboard, and the fragment of rope, found later on, was seized by Overton as a memento of this remarkable adventure.

Nothing now remained to hold them, so the boat was pushed off and oars unshipped.

In their course toward the other steamer they had occasion to pass around the stern of the one which had been the theater of such recent tragic events.

From a porthole, evidently opening from the cabin, came several shots; but, owing to the darkness covering the water, the bullets went wide of their intended mark.

Evidently the enraged senorita realized she had played her last card and lost the stakes, for they could hear her wild shrieks ringing over the calm bay long after they regained the deck of their own steamer and were on the way out to sea—perhaps the wretched Juanita, who had wagered so much and lost all in the game of love, had, in truth, become insane over her troubles; at least they hoped and believed they would never see her more.

And the Marquis of Montezuma, as he stood with Mazette's little hand in his own, looking back at the foamy wake they left behind, found that the last atom of bitterness had left his heart, and then and there he took upon himself a new vow, which the angels doubtless joyfully recorded, that from this hour, in the future, to the father and mother of little "Jack," his namesake, he would be a brother in spirit and in deed; and it need hardly be said that any one who occupied such a close position to the heart of the American Nabob would never again know want in this world.

THE END.

CHARITY WORKERS ON NEW BASIS.

Salaries Now Paid for Visiting the Sick and Helping the Poor.

"The newest profession for women is that of a charity worker," remarked a prominent club woman yesterday. "You needn't laugh. There really is such a profession, and it is new, and if I were a young woman I would enter into training for it. There is not much competition as yet, and the opportunities for studying charity work are limited, but still it is now possible."

"New York has established a training school for charity workers, and it is meeting with success. The women who enter are put into active service at visiting under proper lectures upon the different phases of the leadership, and then there are courses of subjects. It is quite worth entering from a financial standpoint, also. Philadelphia is proverbially conservative, and yet we pay the young woman at the head of our organizing charities the salary of \$5,000, and she can greatly supplement it by lecturing and literary work upon the subject of her profession."

"Other cities do better than this, and the time is not far distant when all charitable work will be conducted in a methodical manner by an expert, who will be well paid for her services."—Philadelphia Record.

He gives not best who gives most; but he gives most who gives best. If I cannot give bountifully, yet I will give freely, and what I want in my hand, I will supply in my heart.—Warwick.

To refuse a right responsibility may be to reject a great reward.

WOULD WIPE OUT PROCESS BUTTER

Oleo Bill Places Big Tax on Renovated or Adulterated Product.

WOULD KILL IT COMMERCIALLY

Under the Senate Amendment the Renovated Article Would Come Into Competition with Butterine, Ruining Many Small Makers and Jobbers.

Washington, April 12.—An agreement was reached by the house committee on agriculture to adopt all the senate amendments to the oleomargarine bill with some slight modifications. This means that the house accepts the senate amendments concerning renovated and process butter. These the house committee has changed slightly, but not enough to alter materially the purpose of the senate. If the bill as amended becomes a law it will bear much harder on those who mix butter in any way than it will upon the oleomargarine people. For this reason it is quite likely that the house may reject the bill entirely, as was predicted when it passed the senate.

Under this senate amendment what is known as "adulterated butter" is defined to be a grade of butter produced by mixing, reworking, rechurning in milk or cream, refining or in any way producing a uniform purified or improved product from different lots or parcels of melted or unmelted butter, in which any acid, alkali, chemical, or any substance whatever, is introduced or used for the purpose or with the effect of deodorizing or removing therefrom rancidity, or any butter with which there is mixed any substance foreign to butter with the intent or effect of cheapening in cost of product in any way. What is known as process or renovated butter is declared to be "a grade of butter produced by mixing, reworking, rechurning in milk or cream, refining, or in any way producing a uniform, purified or improved product from different lots or parcels of melted or unmelted butter and in which no acid, alkali or chemical nor any substance whatever has been used for the purpose or intent of deodorizing or removing rancidity therefrom and to which no substance nor substances foreign to pure butter has been added with the intent or effect of cheapening the cost or increasing the weight of same."

It is said by dairymen and others that those two definitions will include a large percentage of the butter of the country, much of which has to be reworked and touched up in various ways known to the trade. The result is that renovated butter, process butter, dairy butter and creamery butter are all quoted in open market at different prices.

If the senate amendments as now agreed to by the house committee, without sending the bill to conference, become law, the manufacturers of every kind of butter except those who confine their product to the purest kind of creamery butter will be in an extremely awkward position. Manufacturers of process or renovated butter or of adulterated butter are required to pay a special tax of \$600 per year. This is a terrific imposition on many small butter factories which remake butter in one way and another, and it is said it will have the effect of driving them all out of business and causing the people, as a natural result, to turn to butterine and oleomargarine and similar products, which can be sold still at an extremely small price if not artificially colored. Even the wholesale dealers in adulterated butter are subjected to pay a tax of \$350 a year, or \$40 a month, and this will probably take in every one of the jobbers in Elgin and similar places who handle "adulterated" butter under the sweeping definition given above.

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the finance committee; David Overmeyer, Kansas; Thomas Taggart, Indiana; Richard Olney, Massachusetts; Daniel Lamont, New York.

President Is Impartial.

Washington, April 12.—Senator Mason was among the President's callers and during the conference the President authorized the statement that he was taking no part whatever in the Illinois senatorial contest. His relations with Senator Mason, Representative Hopkins and Mr. Dawes were alike most friendly, and he had done and would do nothing that could possibly be construed into an evidence of partiality for either of the candidates.

"My time is altogether too much occupied with being President," said Mr. Roosevelt, "to admit of my taking any part in the senatorial contest in Illinois."

Favors International Control.

Washington, April 12.—Secretary Hay will notify Germany in a few days that the United States looks with favor on its proposal for international control of wireless telegraphy. This is the result of reports received by the secretary from Rear Admiral, R. B. Bradford, chief of the naval bureau of equipment, and Brigadier General A. W. Greely, chief signal officer of the army.

Garfield's Nomination in Senate.

Washington, April 12.—The President sent the following nominations to the senate: James R. Garfield, Ohio, United States civil-service commissioner; William Williams, New York, commissioner of immigration, port of New York.

Washington Notes.

Washington, April 12.—President-elect Estrada Palma of Cuba called at the white house and remained with the president for about an hour. The call was entirely a social one.

General and Mrs. Corbin returned to Washington from Pennsylvania, where they were the guests of Governor and Mrs. Stone, who gave them a dinner in the executive mansion.

The condition of Major Pruden, assistant secretary to the president, who is suffering from heart disease, showed a marked improvement, and hopes were held out that he would be able to resume his official duties before long.

The senate committee on interstate commerce gave a hearing on the Ekins and Nelson bills to amend the interstate commerce law. B. A. Eckhart of Chicago, president of the Millers Association, favored the Nelson bill and complained of the discrimination by railroads against flour as compared with wheat.

President Roosevelt returned to the white house from his southern tour and at once plunged into official work. It is agreed that the southern tour was a great success and the president was so well pleased with it that he said he should improve some good opportunity to make a much longer journey through the South.

E. F. WARE SUCCEEDS EVANS

Kansas Man Will Be Appointed Commissioner of Pensions.

Washington, April 12.—Eugene F. Ware of Kansas has been selected by the President to succeed H. Clay Evans as commissioner of pensions.

Mr. Ware is from Topeka, and is a member of the law firm of Glead, Ware & Glead.

Death of Perry A. Hull.

Beaumont, Texas, April 12.—Perry A. Hull of Chicago died here at 12:45 o'clock Saturday morning from pneumonia. For the last twenty-four hours his condition had been deemed extremely critical. His physicians gave a little hope that the approaching crisis in the disease might result in a turn for the better, but their hope was not to be realized. Oxygen was constantly administered after the marked change for the worse and every expedient resorted to to save the patient's life, but all in vain.

Youth Charged with Train Robbery.

Lincoln, Neb., April 12.—John Gates, who gives his age as 17, although he is probably several years older, was arrested by a city detective on suspicion of being implicated in the recent Burlington train robbery near St. Joseph, Mo. When arrested he had in his possession a revolver and a black mask.

Americans Honored at Edinburgh.

Edinburgh, April 12.—At the graduation ceremony at the university the honorary degree of doctor of laws was conferred on Prof. William James of Harvard and President Jacob Gould Schurman of Cornell University.

Drinks Poison to Split Wife.

Terre Haute, Ind., April 12.—Peter Brockway, a clerk, swallowed poison in the presence of his wife when she refused to borrow money for him with which to visit his mother in Logansport. He died a few minutes later.

Train Kills Indiana Musician.

Valparaiso, Ind., April 12.—Professor George Kitchner of this city, a prominent musical director, while on a business trip to Porter, was struck by a train and instantly killed. He was 40 years old and unmarried.

Dispute Settled by Arbitration.

Caracas, April 12.—The Venezuelan Parliament has ratified the protocol re-establishing diplomatic relations between France and Venezuela. The protocol provides for the settlement of the French claims by arbitration.

Brings Prisoner from Mexico.

Menominee, Mich., April 12.—Sheriff Stiles has arrived from Mexico with Archie V. Freeman, wanted for forgery, embezzlement and bail jumping. The prisoner has been in jail at Vera Cruz awaiting extradition.

TRADE CONDITIONS CONTINUE ACTIVE

Weather and Strikes Fail to Affect the Movement of Merchandise.

REVIEW OF WEEK'S BUSINESS

Manufacturing Reported Exceptionally Vigorous in Lines Not Affected by Labor Troubles—Corn and Wheat Movements Compared with a Year Ago.

New York, April 12.—"Good news predominates in the business world, notwithstanding two somewhat serious drawbacks. Weather conditions have been unsatisfactory at many points, retarding retail distribution and delaying outdoor work, while excessive rain has put many southern planters behind with work in the cotton fields. Still more of a handicap is the strife between wage earner and employer. Manufacturing is exceptionally active in lines not disturbed by strikes and there is a vigorous movement of goods through regular channels." R. G. Dunn & Co.'s weekly review thus sums up trade conditions. The review continues:

"At the close of last week negotiations were concluded for a large sale of pig iron at \$16.50 furnace, deliveries beginning in October and covering six months. This price is in line with the avowed conservative intentions of the leading interests."

"Firmness in cotton goods naturally follows the combination of light stocks and the interruption of work at some mills, with threatened disturbance at others, together with the higher price of raw material. Large transactions have been effected for export, mainly of sheetings for China. Clothing buyers are seeking to secure woolen goods to substitute for deliveries retarded by the strike, but find the market heavily overbought and many lines withdrawn or advanced in prices. Worst manufacturers are busy and there is a noticeable inquiry for yarns. Footwear manufacturers have secured a little more business and shops have been able to avoid the reduced time that was feared. Jobbers have placed orders for fall supplies earlier than usual, which had a beneficial effect. Dry hides have advanced.

"More animals have appeared in the speculative markets for staples. Fluctuations have been more irregular in corn, which broke sharply here and at the West, but made a partial recovery, although still remaining below the best price last month. Wheat moved within narrow limits. Western receipts for the week were 1,722,542 bushels, against 2,968,942 a year ago, and the total for the crop year is gradually falling back to last year's figures. Lower prices stimulated exports for a time, but shipments of wheat and flour from all ports of the United States during the week were only 3,849,970 bushels, against 4,976,810 last year, and Atlantic exports of corn were only 159,213 bushels, against 2,020,349 a year ago.

"Failures for the week numbered 198 in the United States, against 203 last year, and 19 in Canada, against 24 last year."

SHOT BY NON-UNION WORKER

Labor Troubles at Racine Culminate in Fatal Shooting Affray.

Racine, Wis., April 12.—Bloodshed and rioting were the result of labor troubles at the J. I. Case plow works, and the jail is surrounded by a body of special deputies, fully armed and prepared, lest the union men attempt to lynche Howard Fristo. Fristo, in an altercation with August Reiman, a union molder, shot him, and it is thought the wounded man will die.

Reiman fell to the ground and there was a panic among the people. Fristo started to run away and the people gave chase after him, throwing stones. Fristo then threw the shells from the revolver and, reloading it, turned upon his pursuers and threatened to kill them. Finding a crowd gathering on either side of him he charged, with a revolver in each hand, and the people gave way before him. They closed in, however, and followed him to his boarding place, where the police were called. With much trouble they took Fristo from the house through the angry mob and to the jail.

C. Charged with Killing His Father.

House Cleaning

Painting is part of it—just as much as soap-
ing and scrubbing. There are spots that water
cannot remove, and discolorations that scouring
will not take away. Use the paint brush in such cases.

THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS FAMILY PAINT



In small cans, is made to meet the thousand and
one demands for a little paint about the house. It
is ready to use. Dries quickly with a good gloss.
Can be washed.

Other paints for special purposes that will
come in handy during house cleaning
time. Tell us what you want to paint.
We'll tell you the paint to use.

SOLD BY
N. Bigelow & Sons

We take the Lead in PLOWS, HARROWS, LAND ROLLERS

In Plows we handle the Oliver Chilled and
Syracuse, known as the very best.

In Harrows and Land Rollers we are cer-
tain that we can please you.

Remember that we can supply anything
in Implements needed on your farm.

Striffler & McDermott.

No One But the Housewife

realizes what a great difference there is in
Flours. We have thoroughly inves-
tigated the Flour subject and
feel that in

White Lily Flour

we have about the
best Flour stock you'll find anywhere.

J. W. Beller & Son,
Cass City Roller Mills

PRICE REDUCED

on the following Cast Cook Stoves and Steel Ranges with cast top
from March 31st to April 12: Two new Steel Ranges regular \$40
now \$35, two second-hand Steel Ranges regular 40 now 30, two sec-
ond-hand Steel Ranges regular 40 now 25, two new Steel Ranges 20,
six second-hand Cast Cook Stoves regular 10 now 5 to 8.

Large stock of the following Hardware just received:
Washing Machines, Ball Bearing Wringers, Dairy Pans
Cream Separators, Churns, Well Pumps, pipe, points, etc

In our Grocery Department we are selling a 1-lb can of Baking Powder
and a \$2 framed picture for only 50c.

Special reduced sale in Dry Goods dept., Carpets, Prints and Cotton.
We have a complete stock of Boots and Shoes. Call and see them.

We have a new stock of Benjamin Moore's prepared Paints,
Lead, Oil and Wall Finish, etc.

Bicycles and Bicycle Sundries---

Have a full line of both; will make a few special prices: A
No. 1 Wheel, season guaranteed, for \$20. Another good value
for \$15—a bicycle known as the Wasp sold last year for \$25.
Remember the price only \$15. Come and see them.

BUTTER AND EGGS WANTED.

J. L. Hitchcock & Sons,
Opera House Block.

Novesta

Roy Mills has the mumps.

Baby Wentworth is suffering from
stomach trouble.

The youngest daughter of Jesse
Cooper is on the sick list.

Alex Slack wears a happy face be-
cause he is the father of another boy.

M. D. Mills and family expect to
leave in a few days for their new home
in Turner.

I. Mudge has moved to his new farm
opposite the Agar home, north of the
Cass River.

Dick Wilkinson, the enterprising fish
peddler, is around again selling fish,
the first this season.

Albert Mills took possession of his
brother's store on Monday morning.
We wish him success.

Good for Rheumatism

Last fall I was taken with a very severe
attack of muscular rheumatism which
caused me great pain and annoyance.
After trying several prescriptions and
rheumatic cures, I decided to use Cham-
berlain's Pain Balm, which I had seen
advertised in the South Jerseyman.
After two applications of this Remedy
I was much better, and after using one
bottle was completely cured.—Sallie
Harris, Salem, N. J. For sale at Amos
Bond's, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

West Greenleaf

The roads are good again.

Beautiful weather at present.

House cleaning is the order of the
day.

Frank Hill wheeled to Cass City
Monday evening.

Charles O'Brien made a hurried call
on friends here Sunday.

Wallace Gilbert made a business
trip to Cass City last Monday.

The town board met and transacted
legal business at the town hall last
Saturday afternoon.

Geo. Byers and Barney Morris left
last Monday morning for Grand Marais
where they will spend the summer.

The Ladies' Aid Society of this place
met at the home of Mrs. J. Soudan last
Thursday afternoon, it being their
regular monthly meeting. Tea was
served at the usual hour.

A maple sugar party and dance was
held at the residence of Andrew Seegar
on Wednesday evening of last week. A
large number partook of maple sugar
and did not disperse until an early
hour the next morning.

The Great Dismal Swamp

Of Virginia is a breeding ground of Ma-
laria germs. So is low wet or marshy
ground everywhere. These germs cause
weakness, chills and fever, aches in the
bones and muscles, and may induce dan-
gerous maladies. But Electric Bitters
never fail to destroy them and cure un-
labeled troubles. They will surely prevent
typhoid. "We tried many remedies for
Malaria and Stomach and Liver troubles,"
writes John Charleston, of Byesville, O.,
"but never found anything as good as
Electric Bitters." Try them. Only 50c.
T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis,
Kingston, guarantee satisfaction.

Karr's Corners.

Aggie Quinn was the guest of Maggie
Tanner Monday.

The Farmer's Club will meet at Fred
Harrison's Thursday evening.

Thomas Quinn has returned to Flint,
after a short visit with his parents.

Jas. B. Tindale, of Cass City, is re-
modeling the interior of Jno. Karr's
house.

Baranaby Walsh and the Misses
Marge Hennessey and Nina Kerr, of
Gagetown were callers at Geo. Char-
ter's Sunday.

(The following items were inadvertently omit-
ted from our last issue.)

An interesting League meeting was
held at the church Sunday evening, led
by Miss Dollie Knight.

Quite a crowd gathered at Bethel
Church to hear the temperance sermon
by Rev. G. P. Smith. It was full of
spirit and to the point. A lively class
meeting followed. The Sabbath
School is growing more and more in-
teresting as the numbers increase.

A merry party of little folk gathered
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Niles
on Saturday last, the occasion being
the tenth birthday of little Harry.
A luncheon of hot coffee, cakes and
fruit was served. All played till they
were tired and then went home to
dream of a happy time. The presents
were useful as well as ornamental.

The surest cure for kidney and bladder
diseases is Foley's Kidney Cure. Sold by
T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis,
Kingston.

While crossing Cat Lake, in Dayton
township, Tuscola county, in a boat
recently, Frank Osborn and Ed. Tully
saw a large otter. This species of fur-
bearing animal is very rare in that lo-
cation, none having been seen for a de-
cade past.



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

One Minute Cough Cure
For Coughs, Colds and Croup.

Canboro.

A very sad funeral was held in the
Canboro church Tuesday, April 15, that
of Roy Bliss, who died Saturday, April
12th, at the home of his brother at Gil-
ford, at the age of eighteen years. The
remains were brought to Elkton Tues-
day forenoon on the eleven o'clock
train. The funeral procession came
from Elkton to the church, the Elkton
undertaker officiating. The funeral
sermon was preached by Rev. Smith, of
Beauley. A large crowd was present,
people coming from every direction as
he was always a kind friend to every
one. He was a bright and intelligent
youth and will be greatly missed
among his young associates of this
place. He had no father or mother
living, having lost them while he was
quite young and has made his home
with his sister. He leaves to mourn
his loss, two brothers, Vernon and
Frank, of Gilford, and one sister, Mrs.
John Porchee, of this place, and many
other young friends and acquaintances.
The remains were taken to the Grant
cemetery and buried there beside his
mother. The bereaved friends have
the sympathy of the whole community.

Saved Many a Time.

Don't neglect coughs and colds even if
it is spring. Such cases often result se-
riously at this season just because people
are careless. A dose of One Minute
Cough Cure will remove all danger.
Absolutely safe. Acts at once. Sure
cure for coughs, colds, croup, grip, bron-
chitis, and other throat and lung troubles.
"I have used One Minute Cough Cure
several years," says Postmaster C. O.
Dawson, Barr, Ill. "It is the best cough
medicine on the market. It has saved
me many a severe spell of sickness and I
warmly recommend it." The children's
favorite. Amos Bond, Cass City; F. A.
Francis, Kingston.

Argyle.

Wilson King was in Cass City Satur-
day.

Charles Patterson was in Cass City
Friday.

A. Herdell and wife visited at Lang
on Sunday.

F. Nettleton, of Cass City, was in
town Monday.

Mrs. J. McPhail was a Cass City call-
er last Saturday.

Mrs. Marshall, of Evergreen, was in
town last Thursday.

Mrs. J. W. Umphrey visited in Pontiac
a few days this week.

W. Brown and A. Pierce, of Ubyly,
were in town Thursday.

Mrs. King was the guest of Mrs. Mc-
Naughton last Sunday.

George Kitchen came home from the
north woods last Tuesday.

Wm. Ehlers and J. Nichols, of Shab-
bona, were in town Monday.

M. Welsh and wife, of Austin, visit-
ed at Fred Vatter's Thursday.

A. Herdell is putting a new iron
fence in front of his residence.

The dance in K. O. T. M. Hall was
well attended last Friday night.

F. Dare and wife spent Sunday at
the home of Win Squires, of Wheat-
land.

Hector McIntyre, deputy sheriff, of
Sanilac Centre, was in town last Wed-
nesday.

Dick Lowe and Will Robinson did
business in Sanilac Centre last Wed-
nesday.

Luther Mills, teacher of the Stone
school, took supper with Miss Evans
on Monday.

J. D. Brooker, of Cass City, passed
through town on Sunday enroute for
Sanilac Centre.

Ambrose Avery, of Deckerville, has
bought the Bousier place and is moving
thereon this week.

Married, last week Wednesday, in
Ubyly by Rev. D. E. Birtch, Viola Hawks-
worth and J. Pratt.

The Misses Herdell have opened
dress making parlors in the building
east of A. McLachlan.

Christina Henry, of this place, and
Oliver Atkins, of Evergreen, were mar-
ried at the home of the bride's parents
on Wednesday of last week by Rev.
Gifford, of Cass City.

Wants to Help Others.

"I had stomach trouble all my life,"
says Edw. M. Scher, proprietor of the Union
Bathing Works, Erie, Pa., "and tried all
kinds of remedies, went to several doctors
and spent considerable money in trying
to get a moment's rest. Finally I read of
Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and have been
taking it to my great satisfaction. I
never found its equal for stomach trouble
and gladly recommend it in hope that I
may help other sufferers." Kodol Dyspep-
sia Cure cures all stomach troubles. You
don't have to diet. Kodol Dyspepsia
Cure digests what you eat. Amos Bond,
Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Many women struggle against a flood
of difficulties under which a man would
yield and go down. It is not the so-
called stronger sex that fights hardest
with privation, sorrow, the tempter's
lures, and its own overpowering affec-
tions for the bare reward of an approv-
ing conscience.

Pneumonia is Robbed of its
Terrors

By Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops
the racking cough and heeds and
strengthens the lungs. If taken in time
it will prevent an attack of pneumonia.
Refuse substitutes. Sold by T. H.
Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, King-
ston.

Greenleaf.

May Sinclair is ill with mumps.

A. Roblin left for his home this
week.

Mrs. D. McCall was a caller in Ubyly
Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Duffield visited Ubyly
this week.

Becky Chisholm is some better at
this writing.

Nelson Simpkins visited his home at
Holbrook Sunday.

Mr. Thompson is looking after his in-
terests here at present.

Mr. Snyder is building a house on
his farm, south of town.

A. Roblin, who was reported ill last
week, is slowly improving.

Dan Livingston is on the sick list.
Dr. Livingston attends him.

Peter McDonald and sister, Katie,
visited friends here this week.

A. Price passed through town on
business the first of the week.

Mrs. McCall and Mrs. Duffield were
visitors at E. Duffield's Monday.

Mrs. McCall and Mrs. Duffield were
visitors at J. Robertson's Friday.

A. Patrick and son, John, did busi-
ness in Sanilac Centre Thursday.

Andrew Patrick made a business trip
to Sanilac Centre the first of the week.

Mrs. A. Patrick visited friends in
Deckerville Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Lizzie McGregor returned to
her home in Deckerville Thursday af-
ter an extended visit with friends here.

Farmers generally are very much
discouraged over the backward spring
weather. Not much seeding done yet.

Jackey Hampton was very agreeably
surprised by his teacher and a number
of his school-mates one day this week,
the occasion being his twelfth birth-
day. All report a good time.

Last week's correspondence.

Kate Sinclair is on the sick list.

F. Ross, Jr., is ill with the mumps.

Mr. McCall is plastering his house.

C. Haight was in Cass City Satur-
day.

A. Roblin is quite ill with heart
trouble.

E. Webster and son were in Cass
City Saturday.

D. Livingston was a visitor at C. Mc-
Rae's Sunday.

It is reported that Peter Decker is
ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. McKenzie returned to her home
in Canada Saturday.

Albert Roblin was a caller at Mr.
Boonhower's Friday.

Allan McClellan was a caller in Cass
City the last of the week.

Mrs. F. Geisel was a visitor at A.
Livingston's Wednesday.

Miss Jennie Patrick was the guest of
the Misses Gillies Sunday.

Alfred Roblin, a son of A. Roblin, is
visiting his parental home.

Chas. Briggs, of Ubyly, passed through
town this week on business.

Dan Livingston was smiling on
friends in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gillies transacted
business in Cass City this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Patrick did
business in Ubyly one day this week.

Mrs. Livingston and Mrs. T. Geisel
were visitors at Mr. Gilbert's Thursday.

Miss Cowling has returned from
Minden and resumed her school duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones, of Oakland coun-
ty, are visiting friends here at present.

Messrs. McRae and McLennen were
soliciting subscriptions for Rev. Smith
Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Duffield and Miss
McGregor were guests of Mrs. Dew
Sunday.

Misses Dolly Cowling and Louie Dew
were pleasant callers in Cass City
the last of the week.

Mrs. F. Geisel and son, of Saginaw,
visited her brother, D. McCall, the
first of the week.

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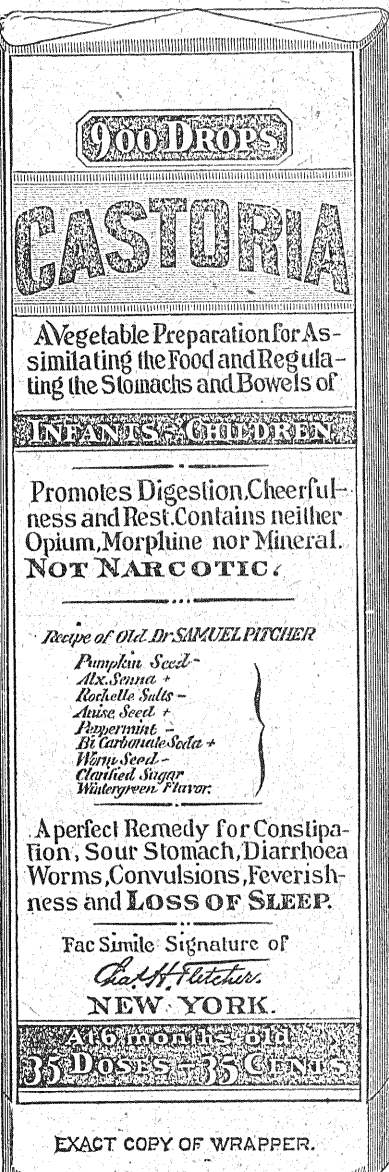
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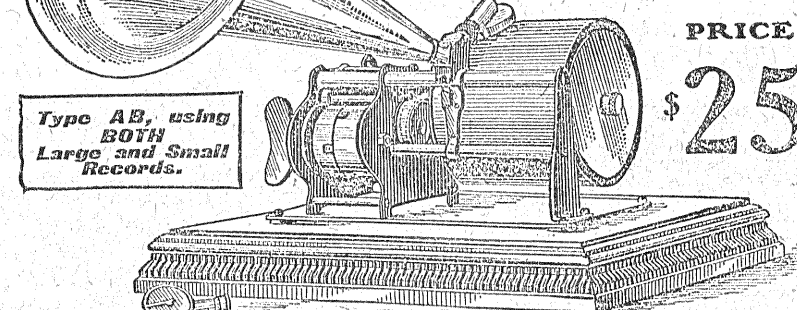
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A Voice From Beyond.

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"Oh, Tom—you—y-o-u!"

With shrill distinctness the cry arose above the never-ceasing din of the great railway station. Years of detective work had made me callous to the horrors of human suffering and crime, but that weird cry, so full of anguish and reproach, jostled me sharply out of my usual indifference. It caused me to forget entirely for the moment the haggard face of a young man that I had been watching with some interest as I sat over in a corner out of the crowd awaiting a delayed train. It was not the face of a criminal, but it had the hunted look of one, and fear and remorse were plainly stamped upon it. The young man had been pacing nervously up and down the pavement in front of the door, and I remembered afterward that he had stepped inside just a moment before I had been startled by the unusual cry behind me. Before I could turn it was repeated:

"Oh, Tom—you—y-o-u!"

"Oh, Tom—you—y-o-u!"

"My nerves must be getting bad," I thought, as with a creepy feeling almost of dread I turned to see what it was.

Instead of a tragedy, a comedy, for what I saw was two maiden ladies, very prim as to aspect and uncertain as to ages, in a great state of excitement, trying to pacify a parrot, which was struggling to get away and shrieking:

"Oh, Tom—you—y-o-u!"

"Oh, my! Oh, my!" exclaimed one of the ladies, "whatever can be the matter with the bird? He was never acted like this before—isn't it horrible?"

As I arose to go to her assistance, for the parrot seemed to be more than she could manage, I noticed that the young man had begun his restless tramp again and was coming in our direction, his eyes bent on the floor.

"Oh, Tom—you—y-o-u!" shrieked the parrot, seemingly beside himself with fear and rage. There was something in the actions of the parrot that drew my attention again to the young man and held it.

Suddenly he seemed to hear the cry. He stopped, clutched at his collar as if choking, and the look of horror and fear on his ashen face was pitiable. Whether he saw the parrot or not I never knew, but with a groan he slipped a pistol from his pocket and put a bullet in his brain.

The suicide of Tom Galgwyn, wealthy young man about town, was the sensation of the day, and all sorts of theories were advanced as to the cause of it. His friends declared that he must have had some hidden romance, presumably a disappointment in love, and some impressionable young ladies bedewed his memory with tears. Those who knew him better attributed his act to temporary insanity following a long debauch, which was true enough as far as it went. Many remarked the coincidence that young Galgwyn and the uncle that had raised him and whose heir he was, had died violent deaths, about each of which a mystery clung. For this uncle had been murdered in his room one night about a year before and his murderer had never been discovered. But I alone knew that there was any direct connection between the deaths of the two men, the murder of old Joe Branch and the suicide of his nephew, Tom Galgwyn, whom the old man had loved as his own soul.

The curious incident in connection with the suicide had aroused my curiosity and I took pains to trace the antecedents of the man and of the bird. Galgwyn, left an orphan when a mere child, had been adopted by his uncle, who was wealthy and unmarried, and whose only near relative the boy was. His somewhat isolated but beautiful suburban home had been found too dull by Tom when, after a moment's savory career at college, he had returned to it, and careless of his uncle's feelings and wishes, he spent practically all his time in the city. He had lived, I was told, at a fast pace, and in spite of the liberal allowance his uncle made him he had gotten deeper and deeper in debt, until he

with nothing broken. Nor was there any evidence of a fight in the old man's room, although he was neither weak nor cowardly. These facts threw some suspicion on the servants, but they proved their innocence conclusively. For some reason nobody seemed to suspect the man who was to profit by the death of the murdered man, and so the crime took its place among those whose perpetrators are never found.

The parrot? He had been a favorite pet of Mr. Branch's for years, and had been in the room when he was murdered. The parrot must have seen the murder committed and heard the dying words of the old man. He had been sold by the executors to a dealer and by him to the old maids, from

whom I bought him. He has never had any more such paroxysms as that in the state on.

When I thought of a parrot's proneness to mimic strong exclamations of all kinds, and remembered the note of anguish and reproach in that cry in the station, the mystery of Joe Branch's death was no mystery to me. Often I have pictured to myself that death scene, and thought that no matter how secure from detection the doer of such a dastard deed may seem, he can never know at what moment vengeance may strike, nor what strange weapon she may choose to serve her purpose.

METHODS OF TRADE IN ABYSSINIA.

Commerce Carried on in a Very Primitive Manner.

The market for the gold-producing region of Abyssinia is at Nadjio. Gold washers bring the metal in dust and nuggets from all corners of the country, pressed into large quills closed with a morsel of wood. The holders are so transparent that the precious powder is as easily visible as though it were a tube of glass. The washer sells the produce to a broker, who works it into circles of pure gold of about the thickness of a heavy finger ring. These circles are not closed, so that the buyer may twist them before weighing, thus assuring himself, upon finding them malleable, that no copper has been mixed with the pure metal. The brokers sit bent over, in long files, with their small scales in their hands.

A kind of cotton goods manufactured in the United States, which is called "aboudjedide" and bears the mark of a camel, serves in country districts of Abyssinia as money, being used for clothing, tents and many other purposes. A piece of this material thirty yards long, the average price of which is \$2, generally sold to retail dealers in lots of twenty pieces, is a token by which Abyssinian coffee is purchased in the regions of production. The change in the price of American cottons has obliged the wholesale merchants to increase in Abyssinia, as elsewhere, the price of a bale of this material serving as money. Immediately the price of coffee rose at the five centers of production, but when the native farmers reached Harrar, the commercial center of the country, expecting to sell their coffees at the higher price imposed by the increased value of American cottons, they found themselves face to face with the falling prices which beset all the coffee markets in the world. This caused much hardship.

Brief Book Review.

The following brief paragraphs are copied from "Encounters Between Famous Men," the forthcoming book by J. Billington Billdard. They simply show whether the historical novel is drifting:

"As George Washington came within sight of Rome he observed that the city was in flames, and having drunk all of the fire extinguisher from his bottle at the previous stop, he turned his horse's head and was about to gallop away, when his quick ear caught the strain of music. George paused and looking upward beheld Nero perched on the city wall playing a violin solo. Waving his hand in adieu to the cruel tyrant, George Washington rode away, leaving the crackling flames behind him, because the Father of his Country had no use for crackling flames where he was going.

"This is the only instance on record of a meeting between George Washington and Nero. Its authenticity can not be doubted, inasmuch as the writer's grandfather was present when it happened."—Ohio State Journal.

If we prayed as long as God would listen we would never cease.

TALMAGE'S SERMON.

PLEA TO ALL TO ACCEPT THE GOSPEL INVITATION.

Text from the Fourteenth Chapter of Luke: "And They All With One Consent Began to Make Excuse"—The Necessity for Religion.

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Washington, April 13.—In the following discourse, prepared by Dr. Talmage before his illness, the folly and danger of postponing the acceptance of the gospel of invitation are exposed on the text, Luke, xiv, 18, "And they all with one consent began to make excuse."

After the invitations to a levee are sent out the regrets come in. One man apologizes for nonattendance on one ground, another on another ground. The most of the regrets are founded on prior engagements. So in my text a great banquet was spread, the invitations were circulated, and now the regrets come in. The one gives an agricultural reason, the other a stock dealer's reason, the other a domestic reason. All poor reasons. The fact was, they did not want to go. "And they all with one consent began to make excuse."

So now God spreads a great banquet. It is the gospel feast, and the table reaches across the hemispheres, and the invitations go out, and multitudes come and sit down and drink out of the chalice of God's love, while other multitudes decline coming, the one giving this apology and the other giving that apology, "and they all with one consent begin to make excuse." I propose, so far as God may help me, to examine the apologies which men make for not entering the Christian life.

Apology the first: I am not sure there is anything valuable in the Christian religion. There is so much quackery in physics, in ethics, in politics, that men come to the habit of incredulity, and after awhile they allow that incredulity to collide with our holy religion. But, my friends, I think religion has made a pretty good record in the world. How many wounds it has saved! What promises it hath sent out like holy watchers to keep the lamps burning around deathbeds, through the darkness that lowers into the sepulcher! What flashes of resurrection morn!

Besides that, this religion has made so many heroes. To give new wings to the imagination and better balance to the judgment and more determination to the will and greater usefulness to the life and grander nobility to the soul there is nothing in all the earth like our Christian religion. Nothing like our religion? Why, then, all those Christians were deceived when in their dying moment they thought they saw the castles of the blessed, and your child, that with unutterable agony you put away into the grave, you will never see him again nor hear his sweet voice nor feel the throb of his young heart.

There is nothing in religion? Sick-ness will come upon you. Roll and turn on your pillow; no relief. The medicine may be bitter, the night may be dark, the pain may be sharp, no relief. Christ never comes to the sick-room. Let the pain stab; let the fever burn; curse it and die.

There is nothing in religion? After awhile death will come. You will hear the pawing of the pale horse on the threshold. The spirit will be breaking away from the body, and it will take flight—whither, whither? There is no God, no ministering angels to conduct, no Christ, no heaven, no home. Nothing in religion? Oh, you are not willing to adopt such a dismal theory.

And yet the world is full of skeptics. And let me say there is no class of people for whom I have a warmer sympathy than for skeptics. We do not know how to treat them. We deride them, we caricature them. We, instead of taking them by the soft hand of Christian love, clutch them with the iron pinches of ecclesiasticism. Oh, if you knew how those men had fallen away from Christianity and become skeptics you would not be so rough on them!

There is a man who says, "My partner in business was conspicuous in prayer meeting, and he was official in all religious circles, but he cheated me out of \$3,000, and I don't want any of that religion." Then there are others who go into skepticism by a natural persistence in asking questions, why or how? How can God be one being in three persons? They cannot understand it. Neither can I. How can God be a complete sovereign and yet man a free agent? They cannot understand it. Neither can I. They can not understand why a holy God lets sin come into the world. Neither can I. They say: "Here is a great mystery; here is a disciple of fashion, frivolous and godless all her days; she lives on to be an octogenarian. Here is a Christian mother, training her children for God and for heaven, self-sacrificing, Christ-like, indispensable seemingly to that household; she gets a cancer and dies." The skeptic says, "I can't explain that." Neither can I.

I can see how men reason themselves into skepticism. With burning feet I have trodden that blistering way. I know what it is to have a hundred nights poured into one hour. There are men in the arid desert of doubt who would give their thousands of dollars if they could get back the old religion of their fathers. Such men are not to be caricatured, but helped, and not through their heads, but through their hearts. When these men really do come into the kingdom of God, they will be worth far more to the cause of Christ than those who

never examined the evidences of Christianity.

Thomas Chalmers, once a skeptic, Robert Hall once a skeptic, Christmas Evans once a skeptic; but when they did lay hold of the gospel chariot how they made it speed ahead! If, therefore, I address men and women who have drifted away into skepticism, I throw out no scoff; I rather implore you by the memory of those good old times when you knelt at your mother's knee and said your evening prayer, and those other days of sickness when she watched all night and gave you the medicines at just the right time and turned the pillow when it was hot, and with hand long ago turned to dust soothed your pains and with that voice you will never hear again unless you join her in the better country, told you never mind, you would be better by and by, and by that dying couch where she talked so slowly, catching her breath between the words—by all those memories I ask you to come and take the same religion. It was good enough for her; it is good enough for you.

Aye, I make a better plea. By the wounds and the death throes of the Son of God, who approaches you in infinite love with torn brow and lacerated hands and whipped back, crying, "Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest!"

Other persons apologize for not entering the Christian life because of the incorrigibility of their temperaments. Now, we admit it is harder for some people to become Christians than for others, but the grace of God never came to a mountain that it could not climb or to an abyss that it could not fathom or to a bondage that it could not break. And the wildest, the haughtiest, the most ungovernable man ever created by the grace of God may be subdued and sent out on ministry of kindness, as God sends an August thunderstorm to water the wild flowers down in the grass.

Rich harvests of grace may grow on the summit of the jagged steep, and flocks of Christian graces may find pasture in fields of bramble and rock. Though your disposition may be all a-bristle with fretfulness, though you have a temper a-gleam with quick lightnings, though your aversion be like that of the horse leech, crying, "Give!" though damnable impurities have wrapped you in all consuming fire, God can drive that devil out of your soul, and over the chaos and the darkness he can say, "Let there be light."

Converting grace has lifted the drunkard from the ditch and snatched the knife from the hand of the assassin and the false keys from the burglar, and in the pestiferous lanes of the city met the daughter of sin under the dim lamplight and scattered her sorrow and her guilt with the words, "Thy sins are forgiven; go, and sin no more." For scarlet sin a scarlet atonement.

Other persons apologize for not entering the Christian life because of the inconsistencies of those who profess religion. Now, I say it is illogical. Poor lawyers are nothing against jurisprudence, poor physicians are nothing against medicine, poor farmers are nothing against agriculture, and mean, contemptible professors of religion are nothing against our glorious Christianity.

Sometimes you have been riding along on a summer night by a swamp and you have seen lights that kindled over decayed vegetation—lights which are called jack-o'-lantern or will-o'-the-wisp. These lights are merely poisonous miasmas. My friends, on your way to heaven you will want a better light than the will-o'-the-wisp which dances on the rotten character of moribund Christians. Exhortations from poisonous trees in our neighbor's garden will make a very poor balm for our wounds.

Sickness will come, and we will be pushed out toward the Red sea which divides this world from the next, and not the inconsistency of Christians, but the rod of faith, will wave back the waters as a commander wheels his host. The judgment will come, with its thunder shod solemnities. Oh, then we will not stop and say, "There was a mean Christian; there was a cowardly Christian; there was an impure Christian." In that day as now, "If thou be wise, thou shalt be wise for thyself, but if thou scornest thou alone shalt bear it."

Why, my brother, the inconsistency of Christians, so far from being an argument to keep you away from God, ought to be an argument to drive you to Him. The best place for a skillful doctor is in a neighborhood where there are all poor doctors, the best place for an enterprising merchant to open his store is in a place where the bargain makers do not understand their business and the best place for you who want to become the illustrious and complete Christian, the best place for you is to come right down among us who are so incompetent and so inconsistent sometimes. Show us how. Give us an example.

Other persons apologize for not becoming Christians because they lack time, as though religion muddled the brain of the accountant or tripped the pen of the author or thickened the tongue of the orator or weakened the arm of the mechanic or scattered the sales of the merchant. They bolt their store doors against it and fight it back with trowels and with yardsticks and cry, "Away with your religion from our store, our office, our factory!" They do not understand that religion in this workaday world will help you to do anything you ought to do. It can lay a keel; it can sail a ship; it can buy a cargo; it can work a pulley; it can pave a street; it can fit a wristband; it can write a constitution; it can marshal a host. It is as appropriate to the astronomer as his telescope, to the chemist as his laboratory, to the mason as his plumb line, to the carpenter as his plane, to the child as his marbles.

No time to be religious here! You have no time not to be religious. You might as well have no clerks in your store, no books in your library, no compass on your ship, no rifle in the battle, no hat for your head, no coat for your back, no shoes for your feet. Better travel on toward eternity bare-headed and barefooted and houseless and homeless and friendless than to go through life without religion.

Why, my friends, religion is the best security in every bargain; it is the sweetest note in every song; it is the brightest gem in every coronet. No time to be religious? Why, you will have to take time to be sick, to be troubled, to die. Our world is only the wharf from which we are to embark for heaven. No time to secure the friendship of Christ? No time to buy a lamp and trim it for that walk through the darkness which otherwise will be illumined only by the whiteness of the tombstones? No time to educate the eye for heavenly splendors or the hand for choral harps or the ear for everlasting songs or the soul for honor, glory and immortality? One would think we had time for nothing else.

Other persons apologize for not entering the Christian life because it is time enough yet. That is very like those persons who send regrets and say, "I will come in perhaps at 11 or 12 o'clock; I will not be there at the opening of the banquet, but I will be there at the close." Not yet! Not yet!

Now, I do not give any doleful view of this life. There is nothing in my nature, nothing in the grace of God, that tends toward a doleful view of human life. I have not much sympathy with Addison's description of the "Vision of Mirza," where he represents human life as being a bridge of a hundred arches and both ends of the bridge covered with clouds, and the race coming on, the most of them falling down through the first span and all of them falling down through the last span. It is a very dismal picture. I have not much sympathy with the Spanish proverb which says, "The sky is good and the earth is good; that which is bad is between the earth and the sky." But while we as Christians men are bound to take a cheerful view of life, we must also confess that life is a great uncertainty, and that man who says "I can't become a Christian yet" is running a risk infinite. You do not perhaps realize the fact that this descending grade of sin gets steeper and steeper and that you are gathering up a rush and velocity which after a while may not answer to the brakes.

Be not among those who give their whole life to the world and then give their corpse to God. It does not seem fair that while our pulses are in full play of health we serve ourselves and serve the world and then make God at last the present of a coffin. It does not seem right that we run our ship from coast to coast carrying cargoes for ourselves and then, when the ship is crushed in the rocks, give to God the shattered timbers. It is a great thing for a man on his dying pillow to repent—better than that never at all; but how much better, how much more generous it would have been if he had repented fifty years before! My friends, you will never get over these procrastinations.

We have started on a march from which there is no retreat. The shadows of eternity gather on our pathway. How insignificant is time compared with the vast eternity! As I was thinking of this one day while coming down over the Allegheny mountains at noon, by that wonderful pass which you all have heard described as the Horseshoe—a depression in the side of the mountain where the train almost turns back again upon itself, and you see how appropriate is the name of the Horseshoe—and thinking on this very theme and preparing this very sermon, it seemed to me as if the great courser of eternity speeding along had just struck the mountain with one hoof and gone on into illimitable space. So short is time, so insignificant is earth, compared with the vast eternity! This moment voices roll down the sky and all the worlds of light are ready to rejoice at your disentanglement. Rush not into the presence of the King ragged with sin when you may have this robe of righteousness. Dash not your feet to pieces against the throne of a crucified Christ. Throw not your crown of life off the battlements. All the scribes of God are at this hour ready with volumes of living light to record the news of your soul emancipated.

Judge's Witty Remark.

In a certain case tried by Judge F. Carroll Brewster in the old court room at Chestnut and Sixth streets a point was warmly argued by two young lawyers.

The judge's decision displeased the younger counsel, who in a heated manner said:

"Will your honor note an exception?"

"Certainly," said the judge, and leaned forward to make the entry on his docket. At that instant a heavy casting of the arms of Pennsylvania became detached from the ceiling and fell upon the judge's chair, crushing the back and striking the floor with a great noise.

The judge calmly finished his note. A backward glance informed him of what had happened. With his inimitable smile and a meaning look at the "exceptioner," he dismissed the incident with the remark: "It is not all well as they would have it."—Philadelphia Times.

The wife of the man with a strong will regards it as a clear case of stubbornness.

DAMASCUS AND FIFTY CENTURIES.

Certainly the Most Ancient Center of Trade in the World.

The most ancient center of trade in the world, and one which still retains its mercantile current, is Damascus. The caravan comes and goes as it did 1,000 years ago; there the sheik, the ass and the water wheel, the merchants of the Euphrates and of the Mediterranean still occupy with the multitude of their wares. From Damascus comes the damson, blue plum, and the delicious apricot of Portugal; Damascus damask, the beautiful fabric of cotton and silk, with vines and flowers raised upon a smooth, bright ground; the damask rose, introduced into England in the time of Henry VII.; the Damascus blade so famous the world over for its keen edge and wonderful elasticity; the secret of whose manufacture was lost when Tamerlane carried off the arts into Persia; and that beautiful art of wood and steel with silver and gold—a kind of mosaic engraving and sculpture united—called damasceening, with which boxes, bureaus, swords and guns are ornamented. Damascus remains what it was before the days of Abraham—a center of trade and travel, an island of verdure in the desert, a presidential capital through more than thirty centuries. It was near Damascus that Saul of Tarsus saw the light of heaven above the light of the sun, and the street, which he called straight, in which it is said he prayed, still runs through the city. The city which Mohammed surveyed from a neighboring height and was afraid to enter because it was given to men to have but one Paradise, and for his part, he was resolved not to have his in this world.—Reform Advocate.

A Catch in His Back.

Palmer, Oregon, April 14th.—W. J. Uppendahl of this place has had a great deal of trouble recently with his back. Every time he went to do the least bit of lifting he used to have what he called "a catch" in his back. He says:

"It did not have to be very hard work to give me such a severe pain that I could not move.

"I suffered quite a long time before I heard of Dodd's Kidney Pills. I used four boxes and now I can work as hard as any one and my back is as stout and strong as it ever was.

"My wife used some of the pills too and she thinks there is nothing that beats them.

"I can positively recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to anyone who has a pain in his back, for I know they will cure it."

Submarine Camera.

One of the most interesting of new inventions is a camera for taking photographs in the depths of the sea. It consists, more correctly speaking, of two cameras, which are so arranged as to be focused upon a common point. Each is inclosed in a large steel bulb to protect it against the pressure of the water.

In the middle of the apparatus is a glass fronted chamber, which contains a powerful electric light. When the light is turned on it shines through the glass and illuminates the water for a considerable distance.

Thus the object to be photographed is brightly lighted up, and it only remains to expose the plates, which is accomplished by the help of electric wires that run up through rubber tubes to the surface of the water above.

Magdalen is a Hebrew or Syriac name, meaning Magnificent. Magdala was the name of a city in Palestine.

Charles is German, meaning Noble-spirited One. Over a hundred European kings have been named Charles.

Isabella, one of the few names which came to us from the Latin through the Spanish, means the Fair Eliza.

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The peculiar flavor of mutton is largely due to the food of the sheep and its treatment.

A WISCONSIN PAPER ON WESTERN CANADA.

Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, One of the Favored Districts.

The following clipped from the correspondence columns of the Eau Claire (Wisconsin) Leader is but one of many letters of a similar character that might be published concerning Western Canada, the land of No. 1 hard wheat and the best cattle on the continent. It is a simple matter to reach the lands spoken of, the Canadian Government having agencies established at St. Paul and Duluth, Minnesota; Grafton, North Dakota; Watertown, South Dakota; Omaha, Nebraska; Kansas City, Missouri; Des Moines, Iowa; Wausau and Milwaukee, Wisconsin; Chicago, Illinois; Indianapolis, Indiana; Sault Ste. Marie and Detroit, Michigan; Toledo and Columbus, Ohio; and by writing to or calling upon any of these agents at these points full information can be secured. This is a great opportunity to secure a home free of cost or if you desire to purchase lands they can be bought now at prices much lower than will exist in a few months. But read what the correspondent referred to has to say of one particular district.

"To the Editor of the Leader.—The rush of the land seekers will be to the prairie provinces of the Dominion of Canada. The allurements of a soil that yields 40 bushels of wheat to the acre are too great to be resisted and an immense migration from this country may be confidently predicted. People here laughed at first at the idea of any one leaving the United States for Canada, but the Dominion authorities knew they had a good thing and they stuck to it. Their officials evidently knew the value of printers' ink. They spared no expense in letting the people of this country know that these lands were there and that they were exactly as represented. They did more. They sent out specimens of the crops raised and samples of the grain. We have had them here at four consecutive street fairs, presided over by one of their ablest immigration officers. This gentleman spared no pains. He explained the value of the lands and the richness of the soil from morning to night to all comers.

"All this told in the long run. Several went up from here to spy out the land and like Caleb, the son of Jephunneh, and Joshua, the son of Nun, brought back a good report, and now some ten families will leave here in a few weeks for Saskatoon to settle upon farms there, and others are preparing to follow. Of course many will appear shocked at the idea of any one leaving the stars and stripes for the Union Jack, but patriotism is but a nominal cult after all, and our experience has been that in nine hundred and ninety-nine cases out of a thousand a man is the most patriotic where he can make the most money and do the most harm to those whom he hates."


Isabella, one of the few names which came to us from the Latin through the Spanish, means the Fair Eliza.

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Galloway robes dressed like buffalo robes are handsome and valuable. This opens a new avenue of profits from hides.

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Fame of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Justifies Her Original Signature.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

It will entirely cure the worst forms of Female Complaints, all Ovarian troubles, Inflammation and Ulceration, Falling and Displacement of the Womb, and consequent Spinal Weakness, and is peculiarly adapted to the Change of Life.

It has cured more cases of Backache and Leucorrhoea than any other remedy the world has ever known. It is almost infallible in such cases. It dissolves and expels tumors from the Uterus in an early stage of development, and checks any tendency to cancerous humors.

Irregular, Suppressed or Painful Menstruation, Weakness of the Stomach, Indigestion, Bloating, Flooding, Nervous Prostration, Headache, General Debility quickly yields to it.

Womb troubles, causing pain, weight, and backache, instantly relieved and permanently cured by its use. Under all circumstances it acts in harmony with the laws that govern the female system, and is as harmless as water.

It quickly removes that Bearing-down Feeling, extreme lassitude, "don't care" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feeling, excitability, irritability, nervousness, Dizziness, Faintness, sleeplessness, flatulency, melancholy or the "blues," and backache. These are sure indications of Female Weakness, or some derangement of the Uterus, which this medicine always cures.

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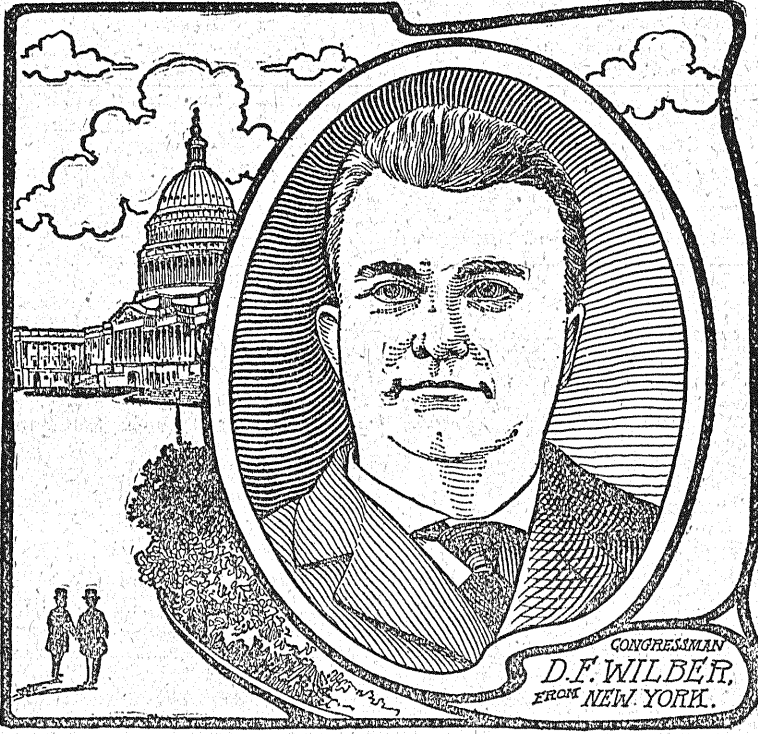
No other female medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement. No other medicine has such a record of cures of female troubles.

Those women who refuse to accept anything else are rewarded a hundred thousand times, for they get what they want—a cure. Sold by Druggists everywhere. Refuse all substitutes.

CONGRESSMAN WILBER SAYS

[To The Pe-ru-na Medicine Co., of Columbus, O.]

"Pe-ru-na is All You Claim For It."



Congressman D. F. Wilber, of Onondaga, N. Y., writes:

"The Pe-ru-na Medicine Co., Columbus, O.: Gentlemen—Persuaded by a friend I have tried your remedy and I have almost fully recovered after the use of a few bottles. I am fully convinced that Pe-ru-na is all you claim for it, and I cheerfully recommend your medicine to all who are afflicted with catarrhal trouble."—DAVID F. WILBER.

Pe-ru-na a Preventive and Cure for Colds.

Mr. C. F. Given, Sussex, N. B., Vice President of "The Past-time Boating Club," writes:

"Whenever the cold weather sets in I have for years past been very sure to catch a severe cold which was hard to throw off, and which would leave after-effects on my constitution the most of the winter."

"Last winter I was advised to try Pe-ru-na, and within five days the cold was broken up and in five days more I was a well man. I recommended it to several of my friends and all speak the highest praise for it. There is nothing like Pe-ru-na for catarrhal affections. It is well nigh infallible as a cure, and I gladly endorse it."—C. F. Given.

Gave New Life and Strength.

Mr. Edward Laws, Crown Point, Ind., writes the following:

"I must tell you what a grand help Pe-ru-na has been to me. For over two years I suffered with catarrh of the lungs and throat, and although I doctored for it, nothing brought me relief until I tried Pe-ru-na. One bottle helped me greatly, and three more effected a complete cure, while at the same time it gave such new life and strength to my whole body that I feel like a new man. I am a younger man. I hope that my testimonial may induce others who are similarly afflicted to try Pe-ru-na."—Edward Laws.

A Prominent Singer Saved From Loss of Voice.

Mr. Julius Weissitz, 176 Seneca street, Buffalo, N. Y., is corresponding secretary of The Sangerist, of New York; is the leading second bass of the Sangerist, the largest German singing society of New York, and also the oldest.

In 1899 The Sangerist celebrated its fifteenth anniversary with a large celebration in New York City. The following is his testimony: "About two years ago I caught a severe cold while traveling and which settled into catarrh of the bronchial tubes, and so affected my voice that I was obliged to cancel my engagements. In distress, I was advised to try Pe-ru-na, and although I had never used a patent medicine before, I sent for a bottle."

"Words but ill describe my surprise to find that within a few days I was greatly relieved, and within three weeks I was entirely recovered. I am now without it now, and take an occasional dose when I feel run down."—Julius Weissitz.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Pe-ru-na, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

SOME PECULIARITIES OF WRITERS

Many Cannot Do Good Work Unless Their Fads Are Humored.

"I have often smiled," said the editor, "at the peculiarities displayed by the different people while writing their stories. Everyone has his or her particular idiosyncrasy. Brown cannot write a decent line unless he chews at the end of an unlighted cigar, Jones is unhappy and restless unless he puts at a Turkish cigarette, while Robinson must always have his pet briar pipe. One man I know is very 'dopy' unless he has had his drink. If he gets that inside of him he can write like a master of prose."

"Another fellow is most particular about the arrangement of the things upon the desk. If even only one object is awry he is unhappy and cannot go on until he has put them in order. Still another feels at home only when he sits in front of a mixed-up mass of paper, pens and letters. One woman writer I have noticed cannot get out her stuff unless she eats candy at the same time. With a box of bonbons by her side she can rattle off quires of 'copy' with ease."

"We are all creatures of habit," concluded the editor, according to the Philadelphia Record, "and once in the bonds of one it is hard to shake loose shackles."

A Nasty Practice.

A nasty practice is what the Chicago Inter Ocean calls the pasting of repeated layers of wall paper, one upon another, thus covering up the fifth and germs of disease that may be propagated in the very absorbent and decaying mass of flour paste, paper, animal glue, colors, etc.

They give opinions of eminent health officers and sanitarians, urging that such practice should be stopped by legal enactment, and also take occasion to say that these sanitarians recommend Alabastine as a durable, pure and sanitary coating for walls.

The Inter Ocean says: "This is a very important question, and as it costs nothing to avoid this danger, why take any chances?"

How much of the alarming spread of smallpox and other diseases may be due to unsanitary wall coverings?

Cut Man's Throat.

Salt Lake City special: Clyde Felt, 14 years old, was arrested for the murder of Samuel Collins and confessed that he cut Collins' throat at the solicitation of the old man March 31.

Stops the Cough and Works Off the Cold. Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Price 25c.

John was an extremely popular Hebrew name, signifying Grace of God or the Gracious Gift of God.

If You Suffer From Rheumatism try a bottle of MATT J. JOHNSON'S 6088. Guarantee goes with it.

It don't pay to sell hogs in the fall and save the money till spring to buy bacon and lard with.

Pico's Cure is the best medicine we ever used for all affections of the throat and lungs.—Wm. O. ENSLEY, Vanburn, Ind., Feb. 10, 1910.

Martha, the Hebrew name, signifies bitterness, and some authorities assign the same meaning to the word Mary.

FOR VETERANS.

Stories of Interest to Old Soldiers Who Wore [the Blue in the Days of '61.

Evening at the Old Home. Back to the hallowed hills which childhood knew, Made sacred ground by memories sweet and true, I wandered listlessly one summer day, I blotted out the waste of weary years, Folded the pages that were stained with tears, And fancied I was but a child at play, But when the evening came and twilight fell Above the gray-roofed home I loved so well, And still no voice called from the vine-clad door, I wept as only they can weep who know The loving voices of long ago Will call them from their childish sports no more.

Grand Army Twins. Nashua, N. H., has one of another pair of living Grand Army twins in the person of Warren A. Peabody. The other, Edward A. Peabody, is a resident of Danversport, Mass.

They were children of Warren and Lydia Dale Peabody, and were born in Wenham, Mass., in 1823.

Both are in good health except for rheumatism, which was contracted during the war. Warren, who is standing in the picture, was in the Ninth New Hampshire regiment, which left Nashua, N. H., in August, '62, being in the battles of South Mountain, Antietam, Fredericksburg and at the siege of Vicksburg.

He was injured at South Mountain and later discharged near Neely, Miss. He came direct to Nashua, where he was in the boot and shoe business for many years.

Edward went with a Massachusetts regiment which was stationed for some time at a fort in Gloucester harbor.

Both are married, Edward having several children. The photograph was



Edward W. and Warren A. Peabody, taken some eighteen years ago. Both are members of the G. A. R. and I. O. O. F.

Gen. Grant's Opportunity.

"How old do you think I am?" asked J. H. Evans of Plattsville, Wis., in the course of a conversation reminiscent in character.

"Sixty-five."

"Seventy-one!"

"I knew Gen. Grant before, during and after the war," continued Mr. Evans. He used to drive from Galena to Plattville as a salesman for Grant & Perkins, trying to sell leather. He was not a successful business man. Jesse Grant, the father, who resided in St. Louis and was the senior member of the firm of Grant & Perkins, wrote his partner telling him, 'they would have to give Ulysses Grant a chance. I know he isn't worth much,' wrote the general's parent, 'he has proved a failure in everything he has undertaken. However, put him on, pay him what you find he is worth, and if it is not enough to support him and his family I will pay the difference.'

"Mr. Perkins put the future commander of the largest army in the world at work traveling about the neighborhood selling leather, and after a time concluded that he was worth \$45 a month, paid him \$90, and charged Jesse Grant with half the amount. This was told me by Mr. Perkins himself."

"Gen. Grant was in Galena only a short time when the war broke out. A mass meeting was held, at which John A. Rawlins, an eloquent young lawyer and a companion of the leather salesman, presided. At the conclusion of the speaking Grant declared that, having been educated by the government at West Point, he should fight for the government. He and Rawlins started in to raise a company."

"Before the ranks were filled, however, Gov. Yates met E. B. Washburne in Chicago and said:

"Senator, we are in a tangle out in Springfield over the mustering in of our soldiers. Can you tell me where I can get a good man to attend to the business?"

"Senator Washburne was silent for a moment and then exclaimed: "'The very man for the place! I have him! Capt. Grant of Galena!'"

"For heaven's sake, send him as quickly as you can."

"Capt. Grant reported for duty at Springfield, was placed in the adjutant general's office, and began bringing order out of chaos."

"A regiment—the Twenty-third—was raised in Chicago and Quincy. Some trouble broke out in Hannibal,

Mo., and the Twenty-third was ordered there to quell the disturbance. The Quincy men refused to go, claiming that they did not enlist to fight their neighbors (Quincy is just across the river from Hannibal). The Colonel of the regiment was a weakling, thoroughly incompetent. Gov. Yates sent for Capt. Grant.

"Can you take the Twenty-third regiment to Hannibal?" inquired the governor.

"I can," replied the captain.

"You are in command, sir. Do it."

"Capt., now Col. Grant, had neither horse to ride nor uniform or accoutrements to wear. He finally obtained an ordinary animal off William Cuddeback, a liveryman, on credit, for \$150, and his father's partner, Mr. Perkins, loaned him the money to buy his uniform and sword."

"Then Col. Grant, in the gathering shade of night, issued his first order in the War of the Rebellion. It was for the Twenty-third Illinois Infantry to appear the following day for inspection parade. This made it necessary for the men to have their knapsacks packed ready for the march. Ordinarily such an order would mean little, but when the inspection parade terminated the Twenty-third regiment was twelve miles from Springfield on the road to Hannibal with wagons and camp impedimenta following in their wake."

"The men did not realize what was up and went into camp without a murmur. The march was continued until Quincy was reached. Hannibal was invaded and the disturbance ended. Down the river the regiment journeyed, and participated in the battle of Belmont, opposite Columbus, Ky., and Grant's career as a soldier started, en route for Appomattox."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Fight Before Petersburg.

At a reunion of the Fifty-eighth Massachusetts regiment, the attack on Petersburg was told with thrilling effect, in which the regiment faced the enemy in front of that city, capturing 190 prisoners, several cannon, one stand of colors, etc., for which achievement it was highly complimented by Gen. Burnside.

During the siege of Petersburg, which continued for nine and a half months, the Fifty-eighth for two months was at the extreme right of the line, and was exposed to the enemy's fire every day. The Union lines ran up three sides of the hill, within which was the mouth of the tunnel that led to the foot of the rebels' fort. When the explosion occurred a mass of earth, mingled with over 200 human bodies and many cannon, rose high in the air, spread out like a fan and then fell to the ground.

Two hundred Union cannon belched forth and the Fifty-eighth was ordered forward. It found great difficulty in getting to the front. When it got there it rescued several rebels who were buried in the debris. The Fifty-eighth in getting to the crater charged over the breastworks, through an open field and then charged a battery.

The enemy recovered from its panic and opened several batteries upon the Fifty-eighth, right and left. The firing was too hot for the bravest, and the line broke and fell back. Orders came to charge again. The men hesitated for a moment, then obeyed, but only to fall back. A third order to charge was given, and again we were obliged to fall back. In the last rout the regiment got scattered and most of it was taken by the rebels.

The colored troops in the rear were commanded to charge, and they fixed bayonets and rushed the enemy. When all was over there were layers of white and black men lying dead together. Our men were bayoneted and were utterly helpless, so dense was the mass of human beings in the trenches. Only 20 men came out of that battle altogether. Our regimental colors were captured, but Gen. Meade decided that it was no fault of the regiment.

Called a Hail.

After the battle of Gettysburg a corps under the command of a young physician, who had recently been appointed, was ordered to collect the wounded. Among the disabled was a man who had been shot through the leg. The young doctor proceeded to use his knife. After cutting for half an hour he was interrupted by the young soldier with:

"Say, how much longer are you going to cut?"

"Until I get the bullet," replied the doctor.

"Why, you fool, if that's what you want I've got it in my pocket."

Sure enough the bullet had lodged in the skin of the man's leg after passing through and he had kept it as a souvenir.

New Navy Department Plan.

The navy department has approved a general rearrangement plan for the battleships of the Virginia class, which has been prepared and submitted by the bureau of construction and repair. These modifications have in view improved and more commodious accommodations for officers and men, improved ventilation, and better accommodations for the sick bay. In this direction the most modern practice has been followed and the results are looked forward to with much interest by the medical department of the navy. Additional protection for the gun-deck guns will be provided, and several important modifications of existing plans are contemplated.

HEALTH AND ALL ITS BLESSINGS

Health will come with all its blessings to those who know the way, and it is mainly a question of right-living, with all the term implies, but the efforts which strengthen the system, the games which refresh and the foods which nourish are important, each in a way, while it is also advantageous to have knowledge of the best methods of promoting freedom from unsanitary conditions. To assist nature, when nature needs assistance, it is all important that the medicinal agents used should be of the best quality and of known value, and the one remedy which acts most beneficially and pleasantly, as a laxative, is—Syrup of Figs—manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co.

With a proper understanding of the fact that many physical ills are of a transient character and yield promptly to the gentle action of Syrup of Figs, gladness and comfort come to the heart, and if one would remove the torpor and strain and congestion attendant upon a constipated condition of the system, take Syrup of Figs and enjoy freedom from the aches and pains, the colds and headaches and the depression due to inactivity of the bowels. In case of any organic trouble it is well to consult a competent physician, but when a laxative is required remember that the most permanently gratifying results will follow personal cooperation with the beneficial effects of Syrup of Figs. It is for sale by all reliable druggists. Price fifty cents per bottle.

The excellence of Syrup of Figs comes from the beneficial effects of the plants used in the combination and also from the method of manufacture which ensures that perfect purity and uniformity of product essential in a perfect family laxative. All the members of the family from the youngest to the most advanced in years may use it whenever a laxative is needed and share alike in its beneficial effects. We do not claim that Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of known value, but it possesses this great advantage over all other laxatives that it acts gently and pleasantly without disturbing natural functions, in any way, as it is free from every objectionable quality or substance. To get its beneficial effects it is always necessary to buy the genuine and the full name of the Co.—California Fig Syrup Co.—is printed on the front of every package.

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CONSUMPTION

Lost His Rheumatism By the use of a bottle of St. Jacobs Oil.

SERGEANT JEREMIAH MAHER, of Ard-cath, Royal Irish Constabulary, says: "My friend, Mr. Thomas Hand, has been a great sufferer from rheumatism in the back and joints for the last four years, during which time he has employed many different methods of treatment, but obtained no relief whatever, and for the last two years has been unable to walk without a stick, and sometimes two sticks, and was in great pain constantly. I induced him to procure a bottle of St. Jacobs Oil, which he applied with the most astonishing and marvellous effects. Before he had finished using the contents of the first bottle he could walk readily without the aid of a stick, and after a few applications from the second bottle he was free from pain, and has been ever since; and although fifty years of age and a farmer, he can walk and work without experiencing any pain or difficulty whatever."

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Local Happenings.

Last Thursday afternoon, when the issue of the ENTERPRISE was scarcely half printed, the loosening of a bolt caused the breakage of a casting in our cylinder press. Through the courtesy of our contemporary "across the alley," we were able to complete the run on the Chronicle press early Friday morning, for which favor we are heartily thankful, but hope it will not be necessary to impose upon such generosity in a like manner again.

The Board of Education held a meeting on Tuesday evening. The ordinary routine of business occupied considerable time and it was thought best not to take up the various applications of teachers. There will be quite a change this year. Prof. D. H. Kyes has already been engaged for another year, but of the remaining teachers Miss Pauline Schack is the only one making application to remain. The Board will meet again next Tuesday evening.

While speaking with Rev. R. Weaver this week regarding the death of Rev. Dr. Talmage we learned that the eminent divine attributed his conversion to the reading of the autobiography of Rev. Rich. Weaver, an uncle of the Baptist pastor here. The book was read through a promise made to his mother. Previous to that time Talmage had entertained atheistic views. The elder Weaver was engaged in active successful evangelistic effort for thirty years.

SAVED THE HOME.

Mrs. Angus Leitch Materially Aided by the Gleaners.

On Thursday of last week, G. H. Slocum, of Caro, Supreme Secretary, and Ara Collins, of Charlotte, Chairman of the Supreme Council, Ancient Order of Gleaners, were in town for the purpose of settling up the Leitch matter. Our readers will remember the sad accident here last fall, when Angus Leitch lost his life through the explosion of a boiler at the works of the Cass City Brick & Tile Company. He was a member of the Gleaners, but neglecting to comply with the provisions of the order in securing a permit to do the work of a stationary engineer, he had forfeited his membership. Mrs. Leitch was left with three small children and a mortgage against the farm, southwest of town, of \$650. The loyal members of Elkland Arbor took up the widow's cause and first secured a promise from the Brick & Tile Company that they would contribute \$150 towards paying off the mortgage; they then contributed \$75 and asked the members of the order through their delegates at the bi-ennial meeting to help in the worthy cause. In response to the appeal the sum of \$830.20 was contributed. As a result of this liberality, Mr. Slocum was able while here last Thursday to present Mrs. Leitch with a discharge of the mortgage against her place, a paid up certificate which will give \$1,000 protection to her children until the youngest is old enough to care for herself and a certificate of deposit for \$94. This, with the amount contributed by the Cass City Brick & Tile Co. makes the total contributions amount to \$980.20.

We take this opportunity to say a few words regarding the progress of the order which has shown such an admirable spirit of fraternalism in coming to the aid of the widow and orphan. We find that in the preliminary report of the Commissioner of Insurance, the Gleaners get third position for net increase of membership during 1901. The total number of members written during that year was 5,707, but during the year 765 ceased to be in force, leaving the net increase as above stated. The two orders having a larger net increase were the Knights of the Macabees of Michigan and the Modern Woodmen of America, both old established orders, while the Gleaners are comparatively young. As soon as it became known that Mr. Leitch had forfeited his insurance through not getting a permit, the opinion was quite generally expressed that the members of the order would be loyal to the spirit of their ritual and make a donation, and they have proven true to the confidence placed in them by the general public. Long may the order prosper!

School Notes.

Prof. D. H. Kyes did not teach Monday on account of sickness.

A meeting of the Athletic Association was held Friday afternoon for the purpose of electing officers who will have charge of the Field Day exercises which will probably take place some time early in June. The following officers were elected: Pres., Ira Gale; sec'y., Mark Wickware; treas., George Cole. A committee consisting of S. G. Lee, Chas. Klump and Roy Hill were appointed to make arrangements and preparations for a local preliminary field day to be held at the Fair ground some time during the fore part of May.

The senior class held a meeting Monday night and elected the following who will take part in the class day exercises:—Orator, Mamie Whalen; poet, Nellie Weaver; historian, Mark Wickware; prophetess, Etta Keating; the valedictorian, Belle Ross, and the salutatorian, May Cooper, received their honors from their scholarship, averaging the highest for the length of time they attended school.

"A neighbor ran in with a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy when my son was suffering with severe cramps and was given up as beyond hope by my regular physician, who stands high in his profession. After administering three doses of it, my son regained consciousness and recovered entirely within twenty-four hours," says Mrs. Mary Haller, of Mt. Crawford, Va. This remedy is for sale at Amos Bond's, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

A Bargain.

FOR SALE—A plush couch, good as new. 4-10—MES. A. PREDMORE.

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Good prompt work team for sale. Will take good driver as part payment. 4-11-1* A. A. McKENRIE.

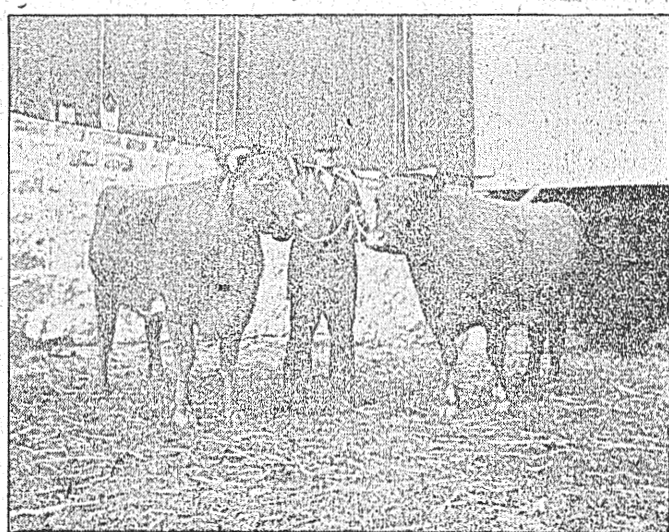
Business Change

An important change has taken place this week in the personnel managing our elevators, whereby E. A. McGeorge retires and will make his home at Brown City. He has disposed of his interests here and at Gagetown to Messrs. Frutchey. His residence at the corner of Third and Leach Sts. has been purchased by Joe Frutchey. A. and J. Frutchey have sold their interests in the Brown City Elevator to McGeorge Bros. (E. A. and Chas. F. McGeorge), who have also bought the second elevator at Brown City and will control the entire elevator trade there. Mr. McGeorge has been engaged in business here for many years and is familiar with the grain, wool, hay and kindred interests from the ground up. He takes with him to Brown City the best wishes of many friends here. Messrs. Frutchey are widely known as thoroughly competent to successfully conduct any business undertaking, and the various departments of their business will have the best of attention as heretofore. The name of the new firm will be Frutchey & Sons.

Foley's Kidney Cure if taken in time affords security from all kidney and bladder diseases. Sold by T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Go into any town and people will tell you: "This is the worst town in the world for gossips and knockers." This is not true. They are in every town and city in the world—forked tongued gossips and knockers who never worked at anything else. It's human nature to gossip and to knock and those who would escape people of this class will have to find some cool refreshing spot where humanity abounds, eth not.—Jeff.

Foley's Kidney Cure makes kidneys and bladder right. Don't delay taking. Sold by Amos Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.



A FINE PAIR.

Mary Victor and Blanche Chief 2nd, of C. S. Karr's Herd.

As promised in our last issue we give this week the breeding of other individual members of the Shorthorn Herd of Chas. S. Karr. The illustration given herewith shows Mary Victor and Blanche Chief 2nd, two fine red cows, as the following detail will show:

Mary Victor was bred by O. Vanlandingham, of Winchester, Ind., calved March 21st, 1907. Sires—Double Victor, Lord Lancaster, Imported Chief Archer, Monarch Richmond. Dams—Mary Lancaster 3rd, Cadiz Cora, Cadiz Clara, Cadiz Beauty. From this cow Mr. Karr has a fine bull calf, Knight Errant, calved Nov. 24, 1901, and sired

by Gay Victor 135871, showing the form of the Scotch crosses on Young Mary foundation.

Blanche Chief 2nd was bred by W. I. Wood, of Williamsport, Ohio, calved Feb. 7th, 1897. Sires—Forest Chief, Woodland Com. 2nd, Blaine, Star Commander, Baron Oneida. Dams—Blanche Com. 3rd, Blanche Blaine, Oneida Blanche 6th and Oneida Blanche. She gives promise of being a breeder of unusual merit. Her first calf was Judge Stewart, a roan bull. He was a saw calf and now heads a herd in Louisiana.

Owing to the fine quality of the fruit and profitable prices received for it, the peach growing industry is bound to boom in Tuscola county. Several thousand peach trees will be set out in Dayton township this spring.

A Chattanooga Druggist's Statement

Robt. Miller, proprietor of the Read House Drug Store of Chattanooga, Tenn., writes: "There is more merit in Foley's Honey and Tar than in any other cough syrup. The calls for it multiply wonderfully and we sell more of it than all other cough syrups combined. Sold by Amos Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston."

Potatoes Wanted

Frutchey & Sons will lead a car with potatoes next week, receiving until Thursday, the 24th. Farmers please take notice. 4-17-1

TESTIMONIAL

To the Editor. Dear Sir:—For several years I have been troubled with deafness, roaring in my head and all the symptoms of Chronic Catarrh. I believed that my case was incurable, but upon the urgent request of a friend I consulted Dr. Morrison of the Detroit Clinic. After a careful examination he said he could cure me in two months. I commenced treatment and in two months I was cured; could hear as well as ever; no more pain or roaring in the head. I was afraid it would return but I have had a severe cold since I was cured and there has been no return of the trouble so I know I am cured. I want all your readers to know of my wonderful cure. FRANK BOND. Cass City, Oct. 10, 1901.

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School Reports.

Report of school Dist. No. 6, Argyle, for month ending April 11, 1901:

Number of days taught 19.
" " pupils enrolled 40.
Aggregate attendance 399.
Average daily " 21.
No. of visitors 9.

Names of pupils not absent during month are Charlie Singleton, Flossie and Ada Knapp, Sandy VanDusen and Earl Armstead.

Names of pupils not absent more than two days are Lizzie Anglebrant, Joe Armstead, Grace Langfield, Clarence King and Ethel Singleton.

Special attention is being given to Physical Geography.

E. W. Grove

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

Cass City Markets.

Wheat No. 1 white.....	73
Wheat No. 2 red.....	72
Oats.....	43
Rye.....	62
Beans, Hand picked.....	1 15
Peas.....	60 75
Clover Seed.....	3 75 4 25
Hay, pressed, per ton.....	5 00 9 00
Beet, dressed.....	5 25 6 50
Butter.....	21
Hogs, dressed per cwt.....	6 50 6 25
Ducks and geese.....	1 20
Sheep, live weight, per lb.....	3 4
Chickens.....	6 7
Turkeys.....	8 9
Ducks and geese.....	6 7
Hides.....	6 5
Potatoes per bush.....	60 to 65

MARKETS AT ROLLER MILLS.

White Lily.....	4 50
Heiler's Best.....	4 30
Heiler's Best.....	4 30
Best on Record.....	4 30
Softened Meal.....	2 75
Feed.....	1 20
Feed.....	1 20
Feed.....	1 15
Feed.....	1 15
Feed.....	2 00
Feed.....	3 00
Feed.....	65

3-CENT COLUMN.

Advertisements will be inserted under this heading for three cents per line each week.

FOR SALE—House and lot, inquire of 3-24-1

FOR SALE—Three brood sows and seven heads of horses. L. E. DICKSON, Sec. 1, Ellington.

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

PASTURE to let for horses and cattle. 4-10-4* J. A. CALDWELL.

TO RENT—4 rooms in Fritz Block, suitable for dressing, offices or a small family to live in. 4-10—J. A. FRITZ.

TO RENT—A small tenant house one mile west and one-fourth mile south of town. Apply to 4-17-3 REV. JAMES MACARTHUR.

WOOD FOR SALE. 11-31—STRIFFLER & McDERMOTT

ORDER OF HEARING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tuscola, ss. 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 March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and two. Present, John M. Smith, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of Maud Winegar minor by marriage Maud Heenan. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Phoebe R. Heenan, formerly Winegar, Guardian of said minor, praying that she may be licensed to sell certain real estate belonging to said minor for the purposes in said petition set forth. It is ordered that Monday, the 28th day of April next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the Probate Court be assigned for hearing said petition. 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 (Probate Seal) 4-3-4

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White Fish, Trout and Salmon at 8 cents a pound

Salt Fish of all kinds.

Garden and Flower Seeds....

We have a full variety. Bulk or Package. Try a patch of Rape Seeds this year. Phone 19. Prompt delivery.

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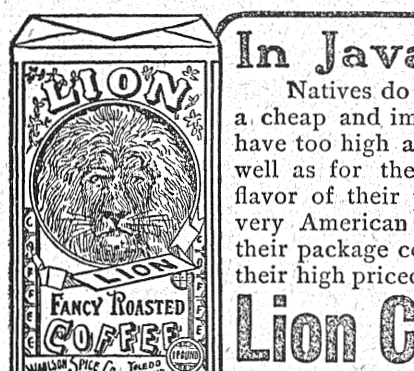
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